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#### **McQuaid**

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Several key plays by Lethal Weapon III - including a half-court pass from Montesano to Naylon for a layup and a steal by Montesano for another layup -enabled the Knights to balloon the lead to 31-22 by intermission.

Naylon scored 12 of his 20 points, Montesano iced 9 of his ,19 points and McKinney was 7-for-10 from the foul line in the second quarter alone.

Although the announcement of the beginning of the ground war campaign in the Persian Gulf put a damper on McQuaid during its quarterfinal game against Rush-Henrietta on Feb. 23, the cease-fire bulletin during intermission of the semifinal game against Fairport sparked

the Knights to an outstanding second half. McQuaid controlled the tempo in the third quarter, outscoring the Red Raiders, 23-17. Marchese played his reserves throughout the last 16 minutes of the game. The Knights finished the game with a strong fourth quarter to squash any hopes of a Fairport comeback.

McKinney scored a game-high 23 points for McQ. Reese led the team in rebounding with 14 and Armbrister notched 10 assists for McQuaid.

The Knights now move on to the Western Regionals where they will play the Class A representative from Section 6 (Buffalo area) at the War Memorial on Saturday, March 9.

In Section 5 Class DD action, secondseeded Geneva DeSales (20-3) was eliminated from post-season play after No. 3 Campbell (20-4) nipped the Saints, 63-61, at Alfred University on Feb. 26.

According to DeSales Coach Anthony Alvaro - who was named Coach of the Year in Class DD for the second consecutive year - the Saints lost the game at the foul line. DeSales finished a myopic 10-for-24 from the charity stripe.

Although DeSales maintained a 10-8 lead at the end of the first quarter, Campbell jumped to a 26-22 margin by the end of the first half. The Red Jackets ballooned the lead to 45-38 by the end of the third quarter.

Campbell's Scott Smith notched the game-winning basket after Steve Ells stole the ball with 10 seconds to go in the game.

Bob McFadden iced 24 points and ten rebounds, while Ed Marsteiner finished with 16 points and two rebounds for the Saints. Todd Hardy added 11 points and Jim McDermott collected five assists.

Over in Section 4 Class C, a controversial basket at the buzzer by No. 4 Trumansburg ended top-seeded Elmira Notre Dame's hopes of winning a sectional

## **Cease-fire**

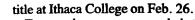
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comments disagreed with the views put forth by critics of U.S. policy.

Prior to the war, those critics included Bishop Matthew H. Clark, who -along with other Catholic priests and with the bishop and clergy of the Episcopal Diocese of Rochester - said an offensive action by the allies would be "unjust."

"I think our armchair generals, clergy and laity should join in one great bow to President Bush who had all the information from the beginning," Father Heisel said.

Still, one teenage parishioner at Pittsford's Church of the Transfiguration



Trumansburg was awarded the 58-57 win after several minutes of deliberation over the final basket, which came on a third attempt.

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After one official called the basket good, he was overruled by the other. Fans of both teams then rode an emotional roller coaster while the two officials discussed the play.

The Crusaders came up short, however, after leading 19-15 after one quarter and 32-27 at the half.

Brian Sheehan poured in 18 points, Geoff Woodworth notched 11 and Rick Shaw added 9 for the Crusaders.

Although Notre Dame Coach Mike D'Aloisio said the defeat was tough to take

especially under the confusing circumstances - he stressed that the loss shouldn't take away from his team's accomplishments this season. He pointed to the Crusaders' winning the Sullivan Trail Conference title for the first time in 10 years.

Notre Dame finished its season 19-4.

there's a war and there's censorship ... you're not getting the whole truth.

"Sure, they (journalists) can say everything they want about Saddam Hussein - everything was censored," Pettinger said. "You don't know if they're telling the truth, or if someone else is telling them what to say."

Regardless of their viewpoints on the conflict, diocesan Catholics were unanimous in their feelings of relief and gratitude at the war's end.

Prayer of the Faithful at last weekend's Masses at Our Mother of Sorrows Parish, Father Heisel said. The priest explained that he had changed the weekly petition for

war after only six weeks.



# Salary package

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ford, Mason said. He said that the increase is not mandatory, and that parishes can vary from the recommended amount. He observed, however, that most parishes conform to diocesan recommendations.

In the case of priests, a subcommittee of the Priests' Council studied clergy salary raises since 1976, and compared those raises with the increases to the Consumer Price Index during the same time frame. The subcommittee determined that priests have experienced a 25 percent loss in real income during that period, Mason said.

To offset the cost-of-living decrease, during the next three years priests will receive supplemental increases averaging 8.3 percent in addition to the raises recyear to priests, deacons and diocesan personnel at the Pastoral Center.

Diocesan officials hope to extend the program to all diocesan employees in the future, Mason said.



Such feelings inspired a change in the



ommended for all employees, Mason noted. Because their salaries have lagged

behind the CPI, for the time being priests will not be required to assume the cost of health-insurance premium increases, Mason said. After the three-year program to bring their salaries up to par with the CPI, priests also may be required to pay a portion of the premiums, he added.

Although not a part of the compensation package for the 1990-91 fiscal year, an employee-assistance program will be offered by the diocese on an experimental basis, Mason noted. The program, which will provide counseling services for employees, will be offered in the coming