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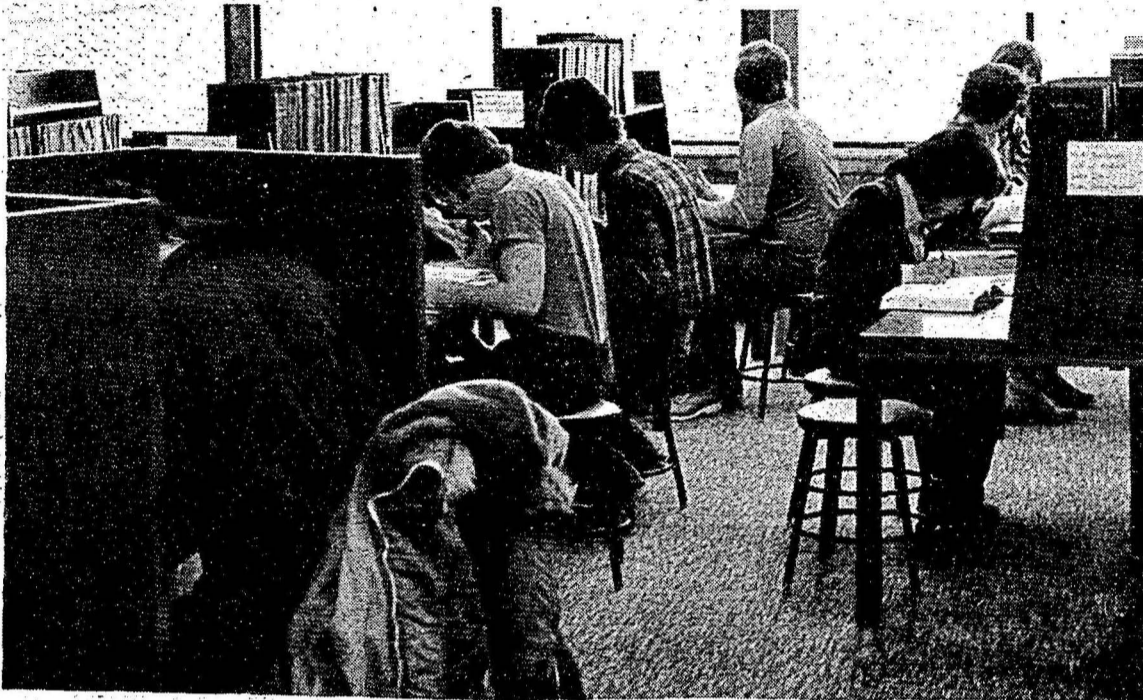


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Marist Christens New Library



Students get head start in studies with inspiration from new Library facilities.

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Security Re-evaluated as...

23 Rooms Burglarized Over Break

By David Livshin

Fred Lambert, Assistant Dean of Students, has indicated that the college will review certain security measures in the wake of a break-in during the Christmas holidays.

Twenty-three rooms in Champagnet Hall were burglarized December 28th, though quick action by security personnel prevented removal of the stolen property from the building.

As a result of this incident,

noted Dean Lambert, new security measures are being looked into by the college. "We're reviewing our present lock system in all the dormitories. There's a new lock system on the market that works without a key. It's a dead bolt and as soon as the door closes there's no way to get back in without punching the correct sequence of numbers."

"Right now," he continued, "we're checking into costs, as well as other colleges and universities where this system is presently in operation."

Director of Safety and Security Philip McCready said one of the two men involved in the burglary has been apprehended and that an investigation by the Town of Poughkeepsie Police is continuing.

McCready said security guards heard a door slam in the dark, vacant dormitory on the night of the break-in. Investigating they observed two men running down the rear stairs of the building. The guards pursued the in-

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Commuters Sample Life On Campus

By Rhoda Crispell

Former commuters who are now participating in the "Seven-Week Plan" are responding favorably to dormitory life. Students have found relief from winter driving, and generally enjoy the enlarged social activities of on-campus living.

As students were settling into their dormitory life they spoke informally about the transition. Mary Flynn, a sophomore Psychology major, feels the commuter package is good because it gives commuters "a taste of campus life." "Commuters don't really get involved with residents and campus life," Mary sees it as a way to make more friends.

Another Psychology major, Liz Yeager, a freshman, likes "being closer to everything, and not having to drive 20 minutes back and forth." She recommends it to

other commuters, "especially since we had so much snow." The only minor disadvantage Liz sees is a lack of privacy.

Joe Carey, a senior Business Administration major, took advantage of the program because of the problems commuting in winter, and because "It's nice being on campus in the spring." Joe recommends this program to students "that live far away and are unmarried."

"It's a pretty good program if you're not sure you want to stay all year or if you don't have the money all at once," stated Scott McDonald, a senior Environmental Science major.

Sophomore Psychology major, Margaret Hrushesky, likes the community atmosphere. "A lot of commuters really don't get involved in campus life."

Chris Markowski, a sophomore Biology major, feels that the winter plan is a good program

because you meet more people, have a better social life, and have better access to facilities. Chris recommends this program to students "to meet people and have lots of friends and lots of parties."

"Campus life was not as loud as I expected it," stated Ray Leger, a freshman Accounting major. Few problems were mentioned. One student made a passing comment about "a stereo playing at one a.m."

The program was originated last year with the dual purpose of benefitting the students and the college. Students would be spared hazardous winter driving; increased dormitory occupancy would financially aid the college. An average of 10 to 13 students participate in this program yearly.

The price of the commuter package is \$340 one-half of the regular room and board cost.

BY FRED KOLTHAY

A host of new features headlines the opening of the new Marist library which has been moved from Donnelly to Fontaine Hall during the winter break.

The new carpeting, combined with the acoustical ceiling makes for a long awaited silence in which to study. There are also seminar rooms available for the use of the community.

Downstairs from the reference section (there is an elevator available for the handicapped) there are ample desks with partitions and individual lamps. On the same level are the Microfilm room, the Periodical room, and the Media room.

The Media room has numerous slide projectors along with cassette recorders for instruction. There are also records and filmstrips available.

Most impressive are the three Video Cassette Recorders (which are used like a cassette tape recorder. Sound is heard through a pair of earphones), while the picture is seen on a Sony color television, mounted directly above the V.C.R.

Students will now be able to

view tapes from many departments, including the physical education department.

The Student Lounge, yet to be completed, will feature vending machines, and smoking will be allowed.

Also new is the alarm system, installed to remind those who "forget" to check out their books. When the alarm is tripped, the gate locks and the student is unable to leave until he or she checks the books.

Reactions have been favorable from both students and faculty. There have been grumblings about clocks, which are soon to be installed.

The library was moved by various groups, including maintenance, students, the library staff, and professional movers. The cost was \$6,500 for this project alone.

Renovation of Fontaine cost over half a million dollars.

The hours of the library are: 8 a.m. - 11 p.m. Monday through Thursday. 8 a.m. - 9 p.m. on Saturday and 2 p.m. - 11 p.m. on Sunday.

The Media room will post its own hours.

Elections Upcoming For CUB

By Daniel Dromm

Elections for the officers of the College Union Board will be held February 27, in Donnelly Hall between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. The positions of president, vice president, secretary and treasurer are open to any full time student, excluding seniors. Applications for officers can be obtained in the College Union Board office, located in the Campus Center or in the College Activities Office, Campus Center. The applications are due on Friday, February 13 and campaigning will be held between Friday, February 20 and Thursday February 26.

Applications for committee

chairpersons are also available and must be returned by February 10. There are positions open in the eight committees: concert, coffee house, film, fine arts, lecture, performing arts, social and video tape.

Kathy Manning, president of the Board said she would "encourage all people interested in running the activities on campus to run for an office or a chairman position." Ms. Manning said she would also like to see Inter House Council "help to get things moving" as they did last semester.

The new officers and chairpersons will take office on March 1.

Dean's Role Studied

By Claudia Butler

There are still several steps to carry out before the new proposed model of the Marist administrative organization, developed by the executive committee, is implemented.

On January 30, the college council, headed by Andre Green, Kathy Manning and John Woodin, will review and, if necessary, revise the proposed model. The model will then be presented to President Foy for his approval. Lastly, the board of trustees will review and react to the model before it is implemented.

Although executive committee

chairman, Edward Waters, could not comment on the specific changes proposed for the administration, he did allow that the three basic objectives of the new model are, "The integration of philosophies between academic and campus life; orderliness in college activities between students, faculty and staff; and the new structure should improve and enhance communication and coordination."

Waters also added that the "reshuffling of administrative duties may create new academic positions or change old positions."



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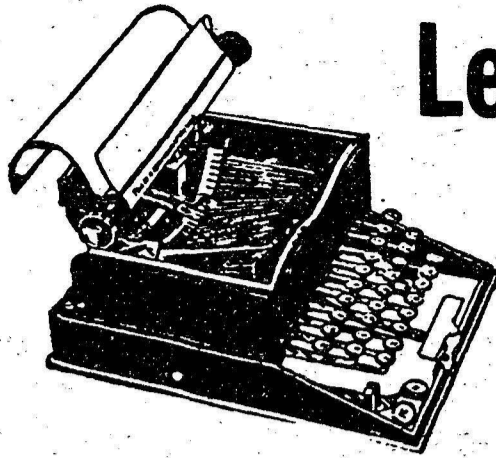


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Letters To The Editors

Full CIRCLE

Dear Editor:
The CIRCLE, like many Marist organizations, has had a history which lacks student interest and involvement. Last year the journalism class was in-

corporated into the paper's staff because of this. Despite the change, students still complain that the paper is dull and repetitious. Perhaps the paper reads so because the only people writing for it are those in the journalism class. A more diversified staff

would surely lead to a better paper. There's a lot more talent on campus than that which exists in Ms. McAndrew's journalism class. We hope some of it comes forth this semester.

Sincerely,
Student Government

Promises, Promises

The year 1975 is gone forever. Yet, some of its problems still linger on for us to deal with now. Whether or not this was intentional or just plain forgetful still remains to be seen. Nevertheless, they must be dealt with now, not put off till tomorrow in hopes that they will just go away. Time has proven that they won't, they only become worse.

The parking crisis, to which we address ourselves is still very much alive, here at Marist College. The fact of the matter is that we have 1400 cars on campus, and only 600 spaces in which to put them. No matter how you look at it, it doesn't look good. Yet, instead of solutions to our problems, it seems all we have been receiving is promises, promises.

When is everyone finally going to wake up and come to the realization, that 1400 CARS and 600 SPACES is a bit lopsided? We find it extremely hard to believe that we are the only ones that have noticed the lack of parking facilities, as well as the conditions of the facilities we do have.

There has been some confusion within the community during the past few days in regard to the Champagnet lot. Some believe it is supposed to be a parking area, yet others swear it is an ice skating rink. There is a solution to this question. It is a new device, called a snow plow. The CIRCLE Editors would be more than happy to take the time to sit down with the maintenance department and explain the mechanics of this wonderful machine to them.

All kidding aside, the situation is a real one. As we stated before (Sept. 25, 600 is not enough) this problem could have, and should have been anticipated last spring, and steps taken at that time to resolve the predictable dilemma with which we are now faced.

We had been told that a temporary lot would have been completed if "the need was known." We were told of a planned strike by commuters after Thanksgiving if steps weren't taken by then.

That was two months ago, and we're still talking about the same thing. This problem cannot wait any longer. It must be dealt with now. No, not tomorrow, but today.

The administration should consider this a formal notification by the Marist community. We are greatly disturbed by the present parking situation, and are calling for immediate action to alleviate this problem. Please, no more promises. How about just some plain old-fashioned results ... for a change.

Professional Security

Dear Editor:
The members of Student Government feel there is a need to hire professional security

during extended vacations. At these times, Philip McCready's man power seems too limited to handle the situation adequately. Security is supposed to mean freedom from danger. However, property left in the dormitories

during the Christmas break was not shielded from danger. Therefore we feel that further protective measures should be taken in the future.

Thank you,
Andre, Brian, John and Joan

RA Anyone?

TO: THE CIRCLE
From: Frederick A. Lambert
Assistant Dean of Students
Applications are available for next year's residence staff in the Office of Campus Life, located in Room 264 of the Campus Center. Any upperclassman in good

academic standing who has a commitment to residence living and the norms of the residence halls and has had previous experience either here or elsewhere in leadership positions is eligible to apply. There will be two screening procedures; one by a central committee comprised of the Assistant Dean of Students and

Senior RA's or RC's from the various houses, which will be, totally, a paper screening. If the candidate is accepted at this level, his application will then be sent to the house - houses of his choice for local screening and interview.

Sincerely,
Frederick A. Lambert
Assistant Dean of Students

Commuter Meal Plan

TO: THE CIRCLE
FROM: Frederick A. Lambert
Assistant Dean of Students
In order to afford more flexibility to the program, and also, to better serve the various populations of the college, the following program is offered:
A. COMMUTER PACKAGE:
1. Package One - breakfast and lunch, five days a week.

2. Package Two - lunch five days a week.
3. Package Three - lunch and dinner five days a week.
4. Package Four - dinner five days a week.
If the package is bought on a weekly basis, there will be a 20 percent reduction on the line price. If it is purchased as a commuter package (five week basis) there will be a 33 percent reduction on the line price.
B. WEEKEND PACKAGE: Any

student who is on the full board program may purchase a weekend package for his/her guest. There are two options - 1. Any three meals of the weekend including Sunday brunch and Saturday night special is \$6.25. 2. All six (6) meals for the weekend would be \$9.00. Arrangements for these packages should be made with Mr. Ken Stahn in the SAGA office.

Frederick A. Lambert

Announcing

The Ticket Board will meet on Wednesday, February 4, at 1:00 p.m. in Room D245. The board will meet EVERY OTHER Wednesday thereafter.

Women's PHED I, Special Topics 0468A, now listed for slot 7 has been changed to slot 2 for the second five weeks (Feb. 23-Mar. 25). This course is designed to familiarize women to various sport and movement opportunities available at Marist.

If you are tired of running - why not walk? Walking is an important part of Track and Field competition. If interested contact Tony Wilger (Sheahan 207), Coach Stevens or Coach Olson. Check the track display case in Donnelly for when and where to locate the coaches.

Marist College Radio, WMCR, will again be on the air starting this Sunday, February 1. WMCR will be broadcasting every day except Saturday, from 5 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tune in to WMCR 67 on your AM dial.

A new organization entitled the Student Senate is being organized at Marist. Anyone interested in working on the board can apply for membership. Whether you're a freshman, sophomore, or junior, a commuter or resident, your application is welcomed! Applications are available in the Business Office. Residents can also get them from their R.C. Resident students should send their forms to Student Government, Box C-840. Commuters can send theirs to John Woodin, Box C-611. The deadline for application is Monday, Feb. 2.

Student Government minutes have been posted for anyone who is interested in what we are doing. There is a copy in Donnelly Hall on the main bulletin board. A second copy is posted by the candy store in Campus Center. Future minutes will be displayed in the same locations.

The Marist College Library, now located in the Fontaine Building, will be open to students, faculty and staff the week of January 19th during the following hours:

Monday through Thursday	8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Friday	8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday	10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Sunday	3 p.m. to 9 p.m.

This abbreviated schedule is necessary by the circumstances created by the move of the library and the need to complete construction items.



I KNOW MY CARS HERE SOMEWHERE!

Work Internship Series

Marist In The Community

By Ernest Arico, Jr.

(Ed. note: This is the first of a series of articles which will explore the role of Marist students in work internship programs in the community.)

19 students are participating this spring semester in governmental agencies as part of the political science department's work internship program.

The student interns are placed, following consultation with the instructor, directly in an executive, legislative, or judicial branch of government where they work for eight to sixteen hours a week. In addition, a bi-weekly seminar is held where experiences are shared and selected topics are discussed.

The work internship programs are set up by the discretion of each department chairman. In turn, they appoint a coordinator of the program to supervise and interview possible candidates for placement. The program is not for all students. Non-seniors and those who have not had political science or related course work are screened.

Lee Miringoff is the coordinator of the political science department's work internship program. Besides interviewing and screening students, his responsibility is to contact potential community agencies that would be willing to accept the students.

"The program provides the student with an excellent opportunity to get direct work and learning experience," says Miringoff.

The goal of all of the work internship programs, says Gerald Cox, Associate Dean of student academic affairs, "is to take the basic theories learned from the classroom experience and use it in practice."

To date, Marist College has received favorable responses from the community agencies, says Cox, and he encourages more departments to set up such programs.

Robert Walton, a senior, majoring in history and studying law, is one of the students enrolled in the program. His choice of work internship was the Dutchess County district attorney's office of John King. As a participant observer, his work responsibility is to assist in the

legal aid and legal research to Thomas Dolan, assistant to the D.A. He is to prepare the investigative work of all criminal cases and assist in the consumer complaint division.

"The experience and exposure is invaluable," says Walton, "and the amount of practical knowledge is unparalleled to classroom work."

Besides Walton, the other 18 internship students are: David Livshin, County Executive's office; John Woodin and Dennis Gurski, Dutchess County legislature; Sheldon Davis, William Wright, and Paula Saitta, Public Defender's office; Peter Savarese, Cathy Russo and Frank DeFina, Task Force for Child Abuse; Kevin Bliss, City of Poughkeepsie Mayor Robert Ahmed's office; Suzanne Deak and Karen Kennedy, Dutchess County Probation Department; Joan Stauffer, Urban Renewal, Queen City Model City; Glenn Looney, Congressman John Gillman's office in Newburgh; and Cynthia Cusumano, Kamar Sumrall, Warren Edwards and Paul DiPaola, New York State Regional office of the Attorney General.

28 Flunk

28 students who did not "make it" academically at Marist College last semester have been dismissed. Dean Gerard Cox, Associate Dean for Academic Affairs, considers this to be an average number of dismissals but comments that 12 of the 28 students are freshmen which is a high dismissal rate for freshmen.

Because the students had very low cumulative indexes it would have been unfair to allow them to continue noted Dean Cox.

"Some came to college not knowing why," said Dean Cox as he cited lack of motivation as the reason for the student's failure. Cox feels that the admission campaign last year which resulted in the largest freshman class at Marist is not connected with the failure rate of the freshmen. He finds it "not to be the case" that Marist has lowered its standards in admitting freshmen. "The records of these people are strong, some students just don't know how to budget their time or how to study," he adds.

Other academic statistics reveal that there are 65 freshmen and 22 upper classmen on probation currently. Dean Cox also commented that 24 of the new transfers are academically in trouble and have been

cautioned. This means that 65 freshmen had an index below 1.7 last semester while 22 upper classmen had an index below 2.0. Probation is offered to students who have a chance of reaching the required cum or who have had extenuating circumstances. Anyone who falls below the required index is guaranteed no warning of dismissal, says Cox.

The process of dismissal includes the notification of a student that his records will be reviewed by Dean Cox and a faculty committee upon the drop of his or her cumulative index below the required index. The committee is a group of faculty members who serve revolving terms reviewing students in academic difficulty. The names of the members were not disclosed by Dean Cox because an effort is made to minimize the publicity so no member will be pressured. Cox did say however that he is a coordinator of the group along with the Director of Admissions, David Flynn. A student under committee review is allowed to submit a letter of explanation and ask faculty members to send in letters on his behalf. Most of the students are given the opportunity to withdraw before being dismissed.

Plans Formulating For Old Library Space

By Jim Kennedy

With the opening of the new library in Fontaine last week, the former site of the library in Donnelly Hall remains vacant.

"The problem is we don't quite know what to do with it. We're taking a wait-and-see attitude," said Dean Edward Waters, Vice President and Acting Dean of Students. The reason behind this attitude, continued Waters, is that "We're making some significant changes and we have to be sure that they don't make other situations change drastically. We'll have major changes with traffic flows (with the addition of the new gym as well) on campus, and this will affect our decision. Next year this place is going to be a very

different institution."

Asked as to what department would be moving to this "cavity", Waters said "I haven't seen anything on paper yet." However he did say that there have been a number of proposals submitted to him. One of those proposals which has been labeled as "acceptable" was a blue print submitted by the Audio-Visual-TV Center.

Carol Deyo, Director of the AV-TV Center located on the ground floor of Donnelly, expressed her concern over the limited potential of the Center at its present location and size.

"We have eight thousand dollars worth of equipment sitting around here because of lack of space," said Deyo. The proposal submitted by the Center

includes "a classroom that would double as a remote studio, and a production room which provides the seventeen foot ceiling necessary for lighting production purposes. It would also increase storage for video tapes. This is a mastering facility, not a distribution unit," she added.

Citing a problem that may arise as a result of the planned moving, Ms. Deyo went on to say "they keep talking about the empty holes there are now, but no one is talking about the empty spaces that will be left when someone moves to one of the new empty spaces."

"I'm not alarmed about moving. I'm alarmed about when," she said in summation.

Class Simulates Company

By Barbara Magrath

Environmental chemistry II has been turned into a "mock company", with teachers playing the role of employer and students the employees.

The mock company known as ERI (Environmental Research Institute) was created by Dr. Malvin J. Michelson in order to "develop independent thinking and creativity among the students." Dr. Michelson wants to create a business like atmosphere to give students the experience of a real job. Students act as employees and are equipped with name badges.

The class is divided into three groups of six, each with a group leader. The group leader, deals with problems the group experiences. It is a rotating office; each student has a chance to lead a group.

Weekly progress reports and a final project on each experiment are required. Instructional

manuals are used in place of textbooks.

The students deal with real problems such as air pollution, energy conservation and food additives. The second part of the course deals with water pollution and sewage.

Along with the "mock company" there are "mock titles." Dr. Robert Rehwoldt, chairman of the division of natural sciences, is the director of ERI. Assistant directors are Dr. George McAlonie and Dr. Lawrence Menopace of the Chemistry department. Dr. Malvin Michelson, instructor of the course, acts as research supervisor.

According to Dr. Rehwoldt, the students have both positive and negative reactions. They are interested in the new idea, but are also scared of the demands. As Dr. Michelson commented, "In this course, no one can hide from work."

Dowling Escapes

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points on 14-for-20 shooting from long range to power Marist from a 35-33 halftime deficit to a 76-69 win over West Connecticut in Danbury Thursday. The second half was a seesaw battle until Lajeunesse, Pettus and Kane combined for 12 straight points with 12 minutes left. Ken Hudak, the CACC's leading scorer, had 20 but was held scoreless over the final 11:15 after giving WesConn its final lead at 53-52 on a corner jump.

The Red Foxes, now 8-5, host a strong Sacred Heart squad tonight at Dutchess Community College at 8 p.m. The Pioneers are led by guards Gary Winfree and Tony Trimboli, regarded as the best-scoring duo in New England. Also returning from last year's NCAA Division II qualifiers is Hector Olivencia, a 6-3 forward who averaged 17.4 last year.

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Lisa, Are you busy Saturday night? How about dinner and a movie? (on you). Me

Burglaries

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truders, who ran out the carport door, jumped into a car, and sped away. However, the guards managed to get a detailed description of the vehicle, including its license plate number, which was turned over to the police.

McCready said most of the property taken from the rooms was discovered by security guards when they re-entered the building. The articles, which included stereo systems, and television sets were found in several large garbage containers near the carport door.

Quick action by the security people, McCready said, prevented the property from leaving the building.

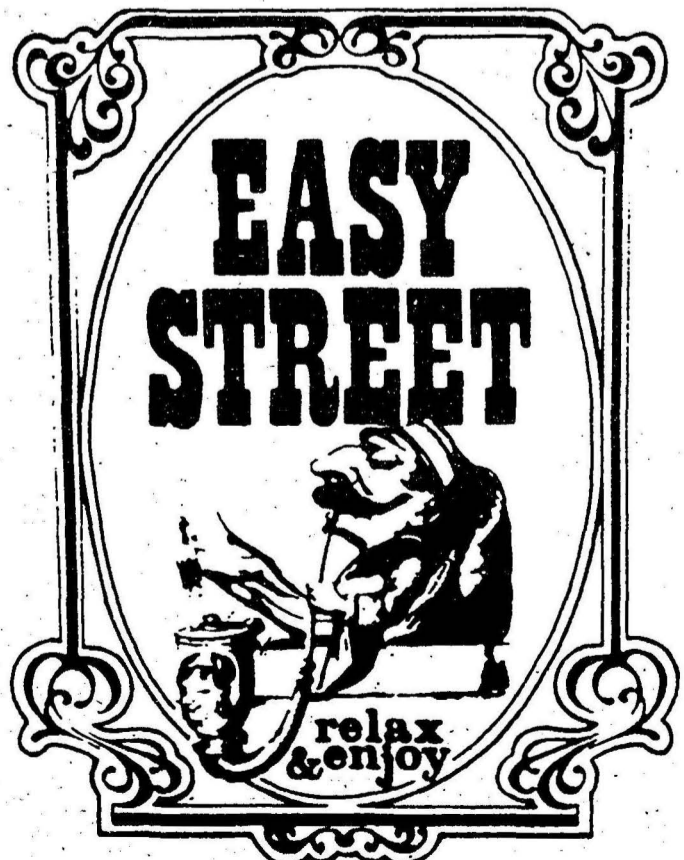
Security director McCready has been placed in charge of the recovered property, which is considered evidence in the case. He said that those students who believed their rooms were entered should notify his office in letter form only, and include a detailed description of those items stolen. He stressed that no individual will be allowed to see any of the recovered property, until it has been positively identified in writing by the proper owner.

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Earl Holmes going up for two in Saturday's 60-55 loss to Pawling.

Dowling Escapes With Win

By Thomas McTernan

Dowling came to Lourdes Saturday night with a 16-4 record, a ninth-place ranking among the state's college division teams and were heading for another CACC title. Although Marist had won seven of eight after their 0-3 start, nobody expected them to beat the Golden Lions.

Well, they didn't. But that doesn't mean they couldn't, or shouldn't have. They completely outplayed Dowling in the first half and entered the locker room with a commanding 34-21 lead at intermission. But the visitors suddenly found themselves at the start of the final twenty minutes while the Red Foxes simply could do nothing right on offense and the momentum swung the other way.

So Dowling won 60-55 and left town with a 17-4 mark and seemingly assured of their second straight CACC crown. What caused the sudden collapse?

"We actually lost the game in the first half," declared a glum Ron Petro. "They played so terrible that we should have been winning by over 20. But they came out ready in the second half and knocked the lead right down while we couldn't get started."

Guard Rich Hernandez led a tightened Dowling defense and scored all 16 of his points in the second half as the Golden Lions scored the first eight points of the half to close within 34-31. Paul Kane hit two 20-footers and Glynn Berry hit a jumper and made a three-pointer to build the lead back to ten, but then the visitors ran off another eight points to pull to 43-41 with 10:29 to go. And all this with their two top scorers, Paul Blinn and Bob Kaible, on the bench with foul trouble.

Kaible, the CACC's MVP last year, did come off the bench in the last eight minutes to make some key steals and a clutch basket off a rebound of his own shot and finished with 13 points. But Blinn was never a factor.

Steve Pettus, who led Marist with 12, traded two baskets with Ed Fabian before Hernandez scored six straight points to give Dowling a 49-47 lead with 3:46 to go.

The crucial play came a minute later. Marist was down 51-49 when Kaible intercepted an errant Marist pass at midcourt and led Hernandez with a lob-

pass that sent him one-on-one with Earl Holmes. Holmes tried to block the layup but got a piece of the rim and was called for goaltending with a technical. Kaible made the free throw and Fabian added two more a few seconds later after a foul by Eric DePercin and the Lions were up 56-49 with 2:15 to go.

"They weren't as good as last year," said Petro. "Last year they beat us but this year we blew it. We shot only 33 percent (21 for 63) and you can't win with that against a decent team." Marist had won the battle of the boards 51-34.

Monday night Marist rebounded from a sluggish first half to down 2-11 Ramapo 69-60 in Mahwah, N.J. Earl Holmes, playing his strongest offensive game in a month, dominated the offensive boards for 31 points on 15-for-23 shooting and also grabbed 15 rebounds.

The Roadrunners used continuous movement around the foul lanes to build a 35-31 halftime margin. They were completely outplayed under the basket, however, and were outrebounded by an astonishing 55-11 total.

Holmes, Butch Thomas (12 rebounds) and Ray Murphy controlled the boards at the start of the second half and converted on several easy shots. Then Pettus and DePercin began penetrating effectively and Marist had a commanding 62-54 lead with 4:10 left. Pettus finished with 13 points while DePercin handed off 10 assists.

Nyack showed strong improvement over last year but Berry (28 pts.) and Holmes (25) combined to nullify Joe Ricke's 44 points for a 101-81 triumph over the Fighting Parsons in Nyack last Tuesday.

Pettus bombed the nets for 30

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CACC BASKETBALL		
as of Jan. 26		
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Dowling	6	0
MARIST	6	2
Kings	4	2
West Conn. St	4	3
Bloomfield	3	3
St. Thomas	2	2
Nyack	1	5
Concordia	1	5
Ramapo	1	6

ZENONE NAITZA RECEIVES MENTION

By THOMAS MC TERNAN

Zenone Naitza, a freshman from the Bronx, N.Y., was one of three freshmen named to the First Honorable Mention Team of the New York State Soccer Team for 1975.

Naitza, the first Marist soccer player ever so honored, had an incredible season, smashing every school single-season scoring record in the books - 16 goals, 17 assists for 33 points. Earlier he had been selected to the Central Atlantic Collegiate Conference's All-Star team as he led the Red Foxes to their first CACC title ever.

"Doc" Goldman, who has coached the booters for 13 years, called Naitza "a most deserving young man who gave tremendous effort in every game he played."

RON CLARKE NAMED TO MET-8 STARS

Sophomore linebacker Ron Clarke, who led the Marist Vikings in interceptions last fall, was selected to the first Met-8 Football Conference All-Star team.

The 6'1", 185-pounder picked off six passes to lead one of the strongest linebacking units in club football this season. Clarke, a native of Staatsburg, N.Y., also returned two for touchdowns: a 21-yarder against Oswego State and a 36-yarder against Brooklyn for the Vikings only score in the 29-7 loss to the Met-8 champions.

PETTUS NAMED ATHLETE OF WEEK

Steve Pettus, a junior from Jamaica, N.Y., has been named Marist College Athlete of the Week for the week ending Jan. 24. This marks the second time that he has been named recipient of the award.

Pettus, the leading scorer on the varsity basketball team (15.2 ppg.), shot 14-for-20, scored 30 points and played a strong defensive game to rally the Red Foxes to a 76-69 win over Western Connecticut last Thursday. A transfer guard from Post Jr. College, he also scored 14 in Tuesday's win over Nyack and led the team with 12 in the 60-55 loss to Dowling Saturday.

INTRAMURAL ROUNDUP

The Intramural Basketball league opened Monday night and will continue in the gym until March 8, with each team scheduled to play nine games before the playoffs.

Benoit opened defense of its 1975 championship with a 49-19 win over "Tappa-Kega-Beer" as Bill Wright and Robert Moore scored 14 and 11 points, respectively. Dom Forcello, John McCarthy and Ron Clarke each scored six points to lead "Sprockeyes" to a 38-28 decision over "Big III." "Holy Erasmus" won by forfeit over "Salsa," which had disbanded before the game.

Benoit seems strong enough to repeat but I think the league is much stronger overall than last year and the champs will be pressed by the "Good Old Boys" and "Return to Forever," among others. However, I think they'll repeat.

NOTES FROM THE SPORTS DESK:

Senior co-captains Earl Holmes and Ray Murphy were both named to the ECAC Division III weekly All-Star team recently. Holmes scored 57 points (shot 52 percent from floor) and grabbed 32 rebounds in three games during the

Women Win B-Ball

By Thomas McTernan

The good news is that the Marist women won their first basketball game of the season with a 50-24 romp over Nyack last Tuesday. The bad news is that they'll have to win their second without their playmaker and leading scorer Eileen Gregg.

Gregg was injured in the first half of the team's 80-37 loss to Dutchess Saturday night, and will be lost for the remainder of the season.

"We will miss her a lot," noted coach Sue Nye before Tuesday's game at Vassar. "She has more game sense than the others and we were just getting to know each other's moves." Gregg will be missed most on offense, where she handled the ball effectively and also scored an average of 10 points a game.

Sue Baroni is expected to fill in for Gregg. Baroni has shown she can shoot (she scored 18 against

Nyack) but her passing and dribbling is not on the same level as Gregg's. In fact, Nye pointed out, "The five starters will now be very equal in skills." They'll undoubtedly be forced to improve those skills rather quickly if they are to pick up the slack.

With Baroni and Gregg (8 pts.) leading the offense and Andrea Holubowitch and Wanda Glenn controlling the boards, Marist raced to a 17-3 lead over Nyack after eleven minutes and were never seriously challenged. Robin Smallwood contributed eight points and good defense as did Dena Kenny coming off the bench.

However, the coach wasn't too pleased with the team's play. "Our ballhandling and passing was very sloppy. We played a much better game against Mercy (a 94-40 loss on Dec. 10)." She added, "We seem to be able to play better when the other team is on a higher level."

week of Dec. 8-14. Murphy was selected two weeks ago after being named to the Brockport Classic all-tourney team with 31 points and 25 rebounds in the two games ...

The CACC season reached the halfway mark with Dowling (6-0) heading for another title with wins over Marist and Kings (92-68). The Golden Lions also own wins over Bloomfield (78-55), Nyack (80-52), and two over Ramapo (74-47 and 63-50). Dowling, 17-4 overall, went into Saturday's game with Marist ranked ninth in the state's college division poll. Buffalo State was first, while Siena (who'll face Marist Feb. 17) is second despite 6-7 record...

In other CACC games during the holidays, Kings downed Nyack (83-57) before falling to Ramapo (74-66) in a huge upset ... Bloomfield defeated Nyack (81-61), Ramapo (69-58) and Concordia (60-55). ... St. Thomas downed Ramapo (73-64) and Concordia (79-58) ... Concordia beat Ramapo (55-49) but lost to Nyack (82-69) ...

CACC stats show Neil Lajeunesse as leader in field goal percentage (.714) while Earl Holmes is tenth in that category (.568) and in rebounding (8.5 per game). Eric DePercin is second in assists (7.8 average) to West Connecticut's Levi Jackson. Wes Conn's Ken Hudak leads in both scoring (22.5 avg.) and free throw percentage (100.0) while Bob Eelman (King's) leads the rebounders with 19.0 ...

This season is the first in which the NCAA is releasing a weekly basketball ranking of Division III schools. In its first poll Wittenberg (Ohio) held the top spot by four points over Monmouth (N.J.) who will host Marist on Feb. 21. The Chiefs, 12-1 this year, defeated the Red Foxes 82-68 last winter ... When Jim Ricke of Nyack pumped in 44 points in last Tuesday's game, it was the most points scored against Marist since Jim Bergholtz (King's) hit for 45 in 1969 ... It didn't surprise me to see the Nyack cheerleaders clapping for Marist during pre-game introductions. They're probably just tired of cheering for losers. ... Ramapo's new athletic center was really beautiful with just one flaw: there is only one men's locker room which was shared by the two squads and the Bergen Barracudas Swim Club ...

Soccer team prepping for their indoor schedule which will consist of four tournaments, three at Dutchess Community College. First will be sponsored by Germania Club on Feb. 8 ... Track team resumes indoor schedule this Saturday in the Collegiate Track Conference Relay Carnival at Queens College ...

Dave Wasilenko scored 28 points and Kenny Grimes 23 to pace the J.V. Basketball team to an 83-67 win over Dowling. Gary Diesel added 13 and John Vasquez 9 as the J.V. evened its record at 2-2. Coach Bob Hildreth commented, "We executed very well and also shot well." They'll face Mt. St. Mary in Newburgh Saturday night ...

THIS WEEK IN MARIST SPORTS (Jan. 29 - Feb. 4)

Thursday, Jan. 29 - Basketball: Sacred Heart - at Dutchess Community College Falcon Hall; Varsity - 8 p.m.

Saturday, Jan. 31 - Track: Collegiate Track Conference Relay Carnival - at Queens College - 12 noon. Basketball: at Mount Saint Mary - Women - 6 p.m.; J.V. - 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 3 - Basketball: at New Paltz; Varsity - 8 p.m.; J.V. - 6 p.m. - Women's Basketball: at Mt. St. Vincent - 7 p.m.

Mercy, which recruits and gives scholarships was led by Mary Brechbie (29 points) and Helen Peros (21 points). Gregg led Marist in the game with 16 points while Smallwood added eight.

The loss of Gregg had some effect on the team in the second half against Dutchess, according to Nye. But, she added "We played like we were tired and the semester break seemed to have affected us. But Dutchess was a tremendous team and their shooting percentage was incredible."

Kathy Kahler led the winners with 21 as four Dutchess players registered double figures. Ann Goger came off the bench to lead Marist with 9 points.

The team will face Mount Saint Mary in Newburgh Saturday night before traveling to Mount Saint Vincent on Tuesday, Feb. 3.