

Gaels Bow To Dragons

height, hard driving and fast breaking to sh. the Sacramento High Dragons crushed 18. The Shamrocks were practically swept from the opening jump ball and never stemming flood of Dragon sharpshooters. service of two of their ace cagers, Lyman James Keller, due to the C. I. F. regulation. team looked ineffectual. Otherwise Jim would have had a hard time trying to fathom a game of the Gaels. a complete sweep for Sacramento High the sed out the Gaelets 23 to 15 in a fast finish ary.

Irish Defeat Rams

Irish of C. B. S. downed the Rio Vista Rams by a n a hotly fought contest on the afternoon of Jan. 7. gh a strong team, were stemmed all through the Irish five. In the last quarter Coach Ware clear-ayers and they all saw some action. f the afternoon was the way the Bee team handled t even though they lost the game 29 to 28. They of 8 points in the first few minutes of the game by : formations. The handling of the ball by Lee An-McKenzie was superb and both these boys seem to basketball. All through the game the Gaelets lead atened until the last few minutes of the game.

Memorial Cagers Down Irish

at Sacramento on their homeward trip from San storming Judge Memorial cage aces from Salt Lake Fighting Irish by the score of 35 to 31. The boys towed up with a fine defensive squad which both- f the Shamrocks all evening. Hession looked es- the Mormon Capital squad dropping 15 counters to bring a victory in the closing minutes of a contest. Ernie Bertolotti and George "Smiles" Mis-point honors for Brothers with 11 points each. ing the champion Roseville C. Y. O. team took the 27 to 24 in an over-time encounter. Joe Valine others by ringing the hoop for 14 points.

Gaels Down East Nicolaus

ams playing poor ball, the C. B. cagers showed ver the East Nicolaus five by piling up a 37 to 26 tors saw too much sloppy ball from both sides of ed to get their money's worth. With all the shots houd have been twice as high as it was, however that they were by far the better team in the game. k an early lead which was kept until the final e was spotted with good playing by Ernie Berto-raz, and brilliant pieces of defensive work by Gib e Miskulin and Ernie Bertolotti were expelled from

GAELETS SCORE VICTORY

was more interesting than the Varsity one which ine as usual sparked the team supported by Clar-becker, Donald McKenzie, Lee Anderson, all who ske the game a successful one for the powerful East Nicolaus Bees by a score of 28 to 20.

Gaels Split With Shamrocks

th the C. B. S. cagers split two basketball contests ry's of Stockton squads at the Slough City. It was e Irish played a game with the new backboards the novelty played havoc with their scoring. were played in the Stockton Civic Auditorium and ouse. Ernie Bertolotti and George Miskulin play- for the Gaels, but were unable to overcome the work of Bella and Epp Miller who gave the Saints

se and Don McKenzie the Gaelets swamped the by a score of 13 to 4 in a one-sided encounter.

Gaels Swamp Lions in Speedy Contest At C. K. McClatchy

Brothers Bees Lose Thriller In Last Seconds

Bearding the lion in his own den was a new experience for the Gaels this year when they walked over C. K. McClatchy 27 to 18 in their recent set-to at the Freeport Boulevard gym.

Despite their reputation of having a weak team this year following their fast and strong aggregation of last season, the Lions put up a struggle to keep off the impending doom all even ing but the Gaels were not to be denied. When George Miskulin, Ernie Bertolotti and their cohorts went to work the Gaels rolled over the C. K. McClatchy quintet with ease.

Lion Bees Win

The opening contest helped offset the walk-away Varsity game. It was a grand contest with the C. B. S. Bees coming up and surprising the highly touted Lion Cubs. After leading the scoring for three and a half quarters the Brothers Bees succumbed to the marksmanship of the Northern California "B" champions and trailed at the end of the game, 21 to 17.

C. I. F. Refuses Brothers' Plea To Annul Ruling

Downcast but not disheartened the Gaels received the C. I. F. decision regarding the out-of-town residence ineligibility rule. This decision has been the last hope that James "Arky" Keller, Lyman Glasgow, and Alvenor Silva might be allowed to play the final games of the '40-'41 basketball season. Yet even this last hope of a reap- eal has now become an idle wish.

Brother Bertram and James Ware, representing the Athletic department of Christian Brothers, laid the case of the school before the board of managers of the C. I. F. at their meeting in the Sacramento Hotel. The rule in the question states that no one is allowed to play if the parents do not live in the city unless they have been in the city for a period of one year. Brother Bertram and Coach Ware based appeal for the re- (Continued on Page 4, Col. 3-

Gaels Steer Shy of Dragons, Lions On Gridiron in '41

Because of the Gaels' poor foot- ball seasons of the past several years, Sacramento and McClatchy high schools will not be on the C. B. S. schedule next year. This news was received rather poorly by some members of the football team who perhaps had some reasons for this lack of appreciation. They claim that for years Brothers have been playing these teams sometimes winning and other times losing, until a great rivalry has grown up between these teams and the Gaels. At first it was planned that the Irish would play the reserve teams of these two schools, but later this plan was dropped. No honor could be de- rived by beating the reserves, and only further criticism could come from losing to the reserves. There- fore it was decided to drop Sac- ramento and McClatchy complete- ly from the schedule for the next season.

St. Mary's Five Mauled By Gaels In Return Match

Displaying phenomenal form and maintaining a blistering pace the Gael cagers massacred the Saint Mary's of Stockton outfit 39 to 23 last Friday evening in the Brothers' gym.

Surprising even their most rabid fans the Brothers varsity started the game with a bang and never let up during the whole contest. Sparked by nifty passing and clever ball handling and an occasional fast break the Gaels were masters throughout the encounter. Ernie Bertolotti showed real form by dropping in 15 points with Jim Keller close behind with 9.

Despite the efforts of Bella and Epp Miller the Saints couldn't rally to overcome the command- ing lead of the Brothers. Coach James Ware cleared the bench of all his varsity performers, but the Saints couldn't profit from this.

Bees Win Another

In a slow-moving preliminary the Gaelets overcame the Saints Babes 39 to 7. Lee Anderson led the scoring with 10 counters with some of his apparently impossible one-handers. All the Bees per- formed well, especially Don Mc- Kenzie, John Babich, Buster Ha- becker and Alven Weihe.

Star St. Mary's End To Act As Coach and Athletic Instructor

Coach James V. Ware To Continue On As Basketball Mentor

Brother Bertram, athletic mod- erator, announced last week that John Giannoni, an ex-St. Mary's player, has been signed to coach the C. B. S. foot- ball, basketball, and base ball teams of the fu- ture. Besides be- ing an outstand- ing player for the "Galloping Gaels," Giannoni has spent some time playing in an Eastern professional league, and coached a Catholic boys' school in Santa Barbara during the 1940 football season. His per- formance at the wing position for the Gaels merited him the atten- tion which led him to be chosen end on many All Pacific Coast teams.



JOHN GIANNONI

To Use Passing Attack

Giannoni's Santa Barbara team which won three and lost three last season featured a well de- veloped air attack. He says that he plans to use this same type of football when the next C. B. S. team makes its bid for im- mortality. This air game is probably based on his own ex- perience at the key position on pass plays. No statement has been made on whether he will employ the Notre Dame system which he studied under "Slip" Madigan, or introduce his own system.

Succeeds Ware As Coach

James Ware will continue his good work until the end of the present season when he will turn over the reins to John Giannoni, who will then take over his coach- ing duties, beginning with base- ball.

Will Teach Physical Education

The coaching job is only part of a full time occupation to which Giannoni has signed. Besides his training of school teams, his time will be taken up developing the muscles of the students in general. Apparently the faculty has decid- ed that the so-called muscles of (Continued on Page 4, Col. 3-

ers to make it such.
come one, come all, bring your
and relations, and fill that audi-
to the rafters!

WE'LL BE BACK

is indeed regrettable that Brothers High School has been forced to cancel football games with Sacramento High, Clatchy High next fall. During many days of 1935 and 1936, when we were riding roughshod over all opponents, including the same Sacramento Dragons, who would have thought we would sink to such depths in such a time?
The inevitable came, as it must to champions, and hard days came upon football teams of C. B. S. It is not lack of foresight that makes us cancel these games, for when we have regained prestige we will surge forth once more to our local rivals as we did in the 10 days of yore.
We'll be back—maybe not in 1942 or even 1944. But WE'LL BE BACK! Don't keep down that Fighting Irish

DOING OUR PART

During the celebration of Catholic Press in February, it might be well to re-evaluate that potent factor in American life. Catholic Press has become in the past years. A great many people outside the Catholic Church now read Catholic papers and other publications to get unbiased facts and genuine news and avoid the poisonous distortion of facts and news that characterizes so many of the "newspapers," some of which have more nothing more than propaganda for various interests.
And though our own circulation is small, we are proud that in some small way we are able to further the great work of Catholic Church as a member of the Catholic Press, and you, our readers are permitted to do your part of Catholic Action by

Seniors

Jerry Keating—41

We all should know who carries around a little red knob on the front of his face and who after being "love struck" by Dan Cupid goes about moaning and groaning and combing his curly locks every five minutes. He also is a familiar figure at the school cafeteria where he tends Bro. Leonard's soda bar. It's none other than he who drinks two for every one he sells, Bob "the Beacon" Ashton.

Bob has also taken to the new Senior sport of pool and billiards. "The Beacon" has a good reputation as a pool player and demonstrates his skill in frequent visits to Pete's, where he plays with such notables as Bob and Bill Azevedo, Stanley Gilliam, and other contenders for the Christian Brothers High School Pool Players' Championship. But so much for his great physical skill.

He keeps Brother Joseph going by laughing at all the jokes cracked in the class (even Babich's). His particular brand of laugh is incomparable to any other human sound but it is often heard echoing through the corridors and basketball next year.

C. I. F. RULING

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removal of this rule on the fact that it was not fair to schools that took in boarding students. The boarders, as the brothers say, have as much a right as anyone to participate in sports, and should not be deprived of this right merely because their parents do not want to, or cannot take up residence in the city. The C. I. F. board of managers, however, turned their noses up at the logic of the brothers and their thumbs down at their request. The faculty remains at present undecided on the course to take following the decision of the C. I. F.

NEW COACH

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The students needed much development as this course of physical education has been made compulsory. We can imagine some of our undernourished classmates screaming, "I've been drafted."

Welcome and Good Luck

The staff of the C. B. S. Gael and particularly the sports department wish to welcome Coach John Giannoni and wish him a successful baseball season this year and good luck in both football and basketball next year.

Boarder Land

By Joe McNett

Who was the innocent little lamb who was causing Brother Edward so much trouble calling up his girl and asking her if she had a picture of herself?

Some boarders take exercises in order to have their bodies muscle bound, while others just study and get muscle bound between the ears.

Nick Barbarotto, a new boarder who hails from San Francisco's famed "Mission District," bakes very good pies for the boarders on Sunday mornings. We also hear that there is a large demand for Alka-Seltzer Sunday nights.

The boarders have three famous ranchers in their midst. Jim Walsh, cow hand and rustler; Barry Taylor, an Oregon cowboy and "Gib" Lilly, the Montana sheep herder.

It seems that the girls don't go for the corny jokes of Dennis Tobin, Stan Harris, and Bob Lynch. We suggest that they buy a joke book.

I wonder what it is that the boarders are in the drug store, outside of ice cream and soda pop. Could it be the scenery outside the door in the direction of a certain public high school?

Robert Lynch still thinks he is John L. Sullivan. We hope nobody has to disillusion him.

It is rumored that passing motorists were horrified at the sight of what they thought was a dead man hanging from the study hall window. The dead man, according to the latest reports, was Jim Walsh.

Conrad Frederickson received a cake for his birthday and having left it in a friend's locker came back to find it about nine-tenths gone. The moral—never leave food around the boarders' quarters—there might be mice in the building.