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A few members of the 1973 Cub basketball team are-seen above during practice. From left to right the players are Mike VerSchneider, Joe Olszewski, Jack Mill, and Larry Yalich. Dr. Roger Sweeting is team coach.

Erie Playhouse to **Open for Auditions**

The Erie Playhouse has announced try-outs for its second children's theatre production of the year, A CHRISTMAS CAROL. This immortal tale will be presented in an opulent musical version that just may become a Playhouse season regular. The production under the direction of David Matthews will be presented for four performances on Dec. 15, 16. A huge cast of all ages is needed.

The play has many small vignette parts that require excellent character types. There is also a large teen-age-adult chorus and a chorus of urchins. A boys choir is also needed.

Matthews presented the play in New Castle two years ago to soldout audiences and ovations that helped substaniate the fact that Charles Dicken's A CHRISTMAS

CAROL never grows old. Tryouts will be held at the downtown Y.M.C.A. on Sunday, Nov. 4 at 2 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Rehearsals will begin im-mediately. Anyone auditioning is asked to bring something to sing for 'try-outs. Anyone unable to make try-outs can phone Matthews at 899-7008 for a private audition. He is hoping for many new faces in this production and urges all interested to "give it a trv.



Intramural basketball started last week here at Behrend and it seems like it is going to be a great season. This year there is a total of 19 teams participating with ten in the dorm league and nine in the commuter league. Play began on October 23 and will run until February 7. After league play has ended a playoff with the top four teams in each league will begin. The winners of their respective

leagues will meet in the championship game. Through the first two weeks of play the games have been very exciting. Brothers of the Brush and Toottee Firm Inc. and Tastee Firm Inc., share the top spot in the dorm league with identical 2-0 records. Tastee Firm kept their unbeaten ways alive with a close 36-34 win over Big Bell and the Fire Extinguishers. Jeff Davis' two free throws with 28 seconds left put the Firm in lead for good. Davis and Brad Bova were high scorers with 12 points a piece, and Otto Stowe was high for the losers with 14 points.

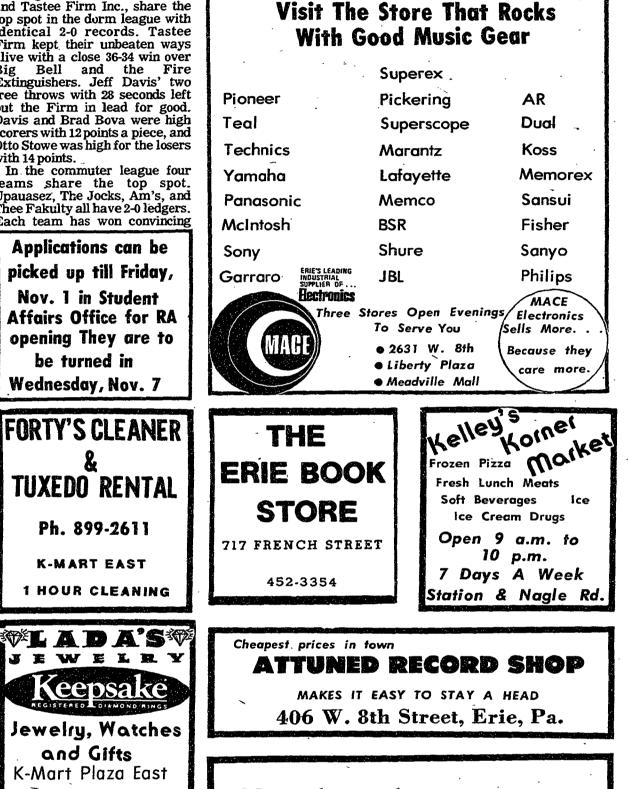
In the commuter league four teams share the top spot. Upauasez, The Jocks, Am's, and Thee Fakulty all have 2-0 ledgers. Each team has won convincing

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victories over their opponents. In some of the action, "Ducky" Zimmerman and Dave Lojewski combined for 30 points to pace Upauasez to a 56-19 over Basketball Jones Inc. In their next contest John Marucci paced th way with 16 points. Zim-merman added 12 and both were extremely potent with their defensive play defensive play

Myles Johns led the way with 21 points to pace the AM's in their opening game. Myles and Brian Follmer also took charge in the second victory. Thee Fakulty and the Jocks have also been impressive with their play in their first two contests.

With the number of good teams that are participating in this year's league there should be quite a few close contests and the playoffs and the championships should turn out to be quite interesting. So if you have nothing to do on Tuesday and Thursday nights between 6:30 and 11 p.m. come down to the gym and watch some exciting action.



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