BUFFALO, N.Y. -- Cortland rallied from a 2-1 deficit after doubles play to defeat Division I Canisius College 5-4 on the road Friday. The match was a late addition to the Red Dragons' schedule.

The combination of freshman Laurie Dorscheid (Rochester/Fairport) and freshman Kim Pagano (Camillus/West Genesee) won 8-5 at second doubles. Cortland almost pulled off a win at first doubles, but senior Gaby Somma (Pearl River) and freshman Meredith McCaslin (Babylon) lost 9-8 after dropping the tiebreaker 7-4.

Dorscheid won 6-1, 6-3 at first singles, McCaslin won 7-5, 6-0 at second singles and Somma was a 6-0, 6-3 winner at third singles. In the only three-set match of the day, sophomore Danielle Vegas (Buffalo/St. Mary's (Lancaster)) posted a 6-3, 2-6, 6-2 victory.

Women's Tennis Match Summary

FINAL SCORE: Cortland 5, Canisius 4

Doubles:

1) Anne Nguyen/Andrea Meyer (CAN) def. Gaby Somma/Meredith McCaslin ....... 9-8 (7-4)
2) Laurie Dorscheid/Kim Pagano (CORT) def. Kristen McKay/Kristina Kaminskaya ... 8-5
3) Kiwanna Felton/Stacy Walker (CAN) def. Danielle Vegas/Nina Carelli ............. 8-2

Singles:

1) Laurie Dorscheid (CORT) def. Kristen McKay ............................................. 6-1, 6-3
2) Meredith McCaslin (CORT) def. Anne Nguyen ........................................... 7-5, 6-0
3) Gaby Somma (CORT) def. Stacy Walker .................................................... 6-0, 6-3
4) Andrea Meyer (CAN) def. Nina Carelli ..................................................... 6-2, 6-3
5) Kiwanna Felton (CAN) def. Kim Pagano .................................................... 6-2, 6-2
6) Danielle Vegas (CORT) def. Janelle Kostran ............................................ 6-3, 2-6, 6-2

Records after match: Cortland (Red Dragons) 4-6, Canisius (Golden Griffins) 0-2