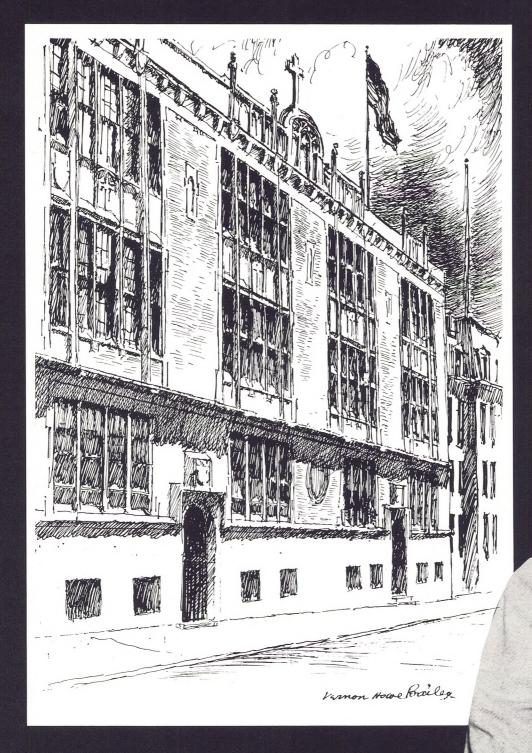


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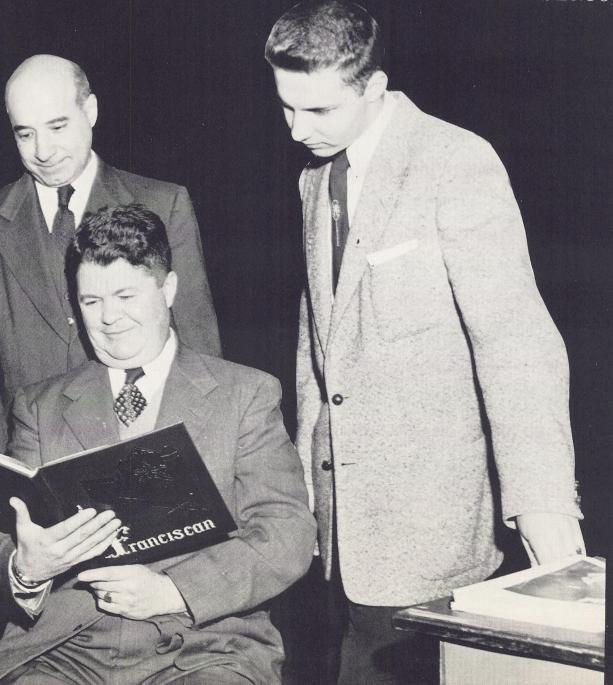


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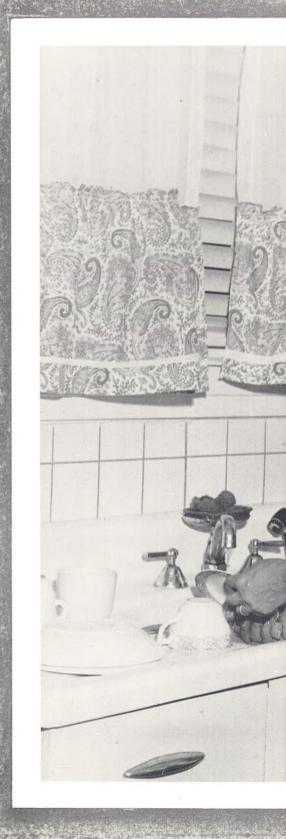
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Dedication

In these days of marital dissolution and widespread disregard for the sacred bonds of marriage and when closer family harmony is necessary, we humbly dedicate this record of achievement to our parents—to the inspiration and guiding light of our young Catholic lives. May they, with us, continue on the path of life—following the holy and pious example of another family—that of a carpenter of Nazareth.

"And He went down with them and came to Nazareth and was subject to them . . ."

LUKE 2:51





.. to Our Parents

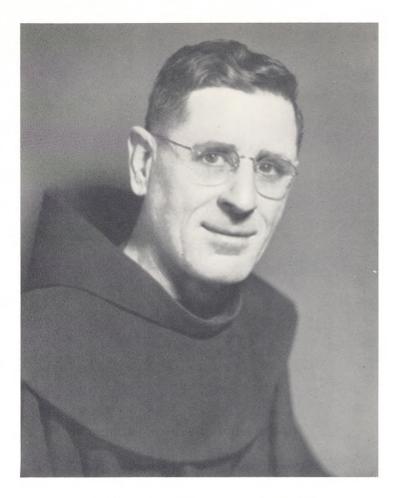


The members of the Senior Class wish to offer their deepest sympathy and prayers for the deceased parents of our fellow students: sympathy for the loss felt by the loved ones left behind; prayers to speed those in purgatory to their reward in heaven. We rejoice for those parents who have reached their final end in the Beatific Vision.

Requiescat in Pace



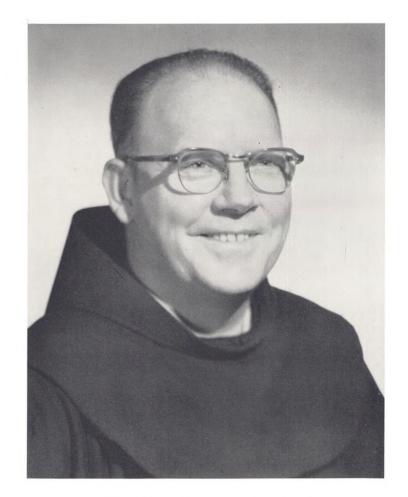
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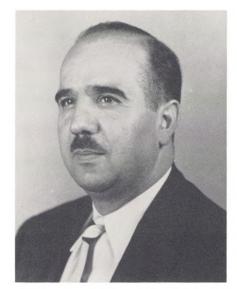
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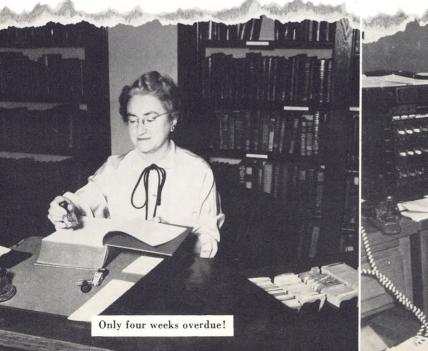
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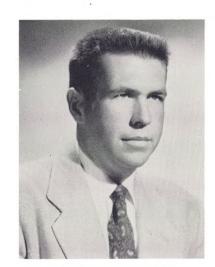
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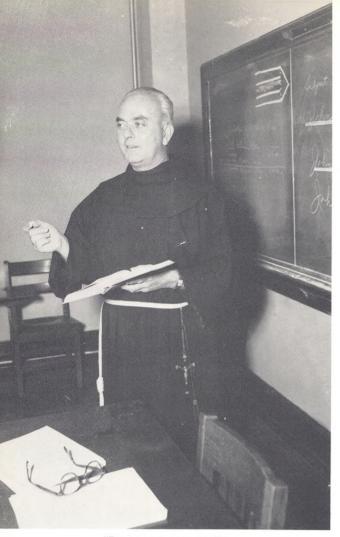
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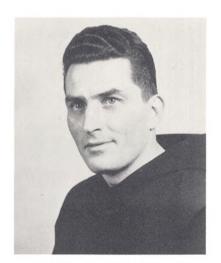


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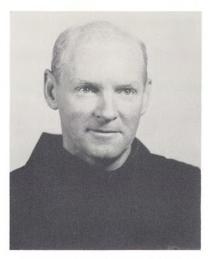
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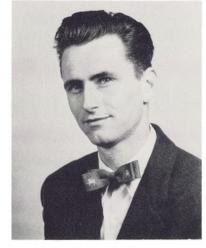




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"Yes son, the English countryside is beautiful."



"Ergo, he shall flunk."



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"Well now I don't know about that one, Doctor."



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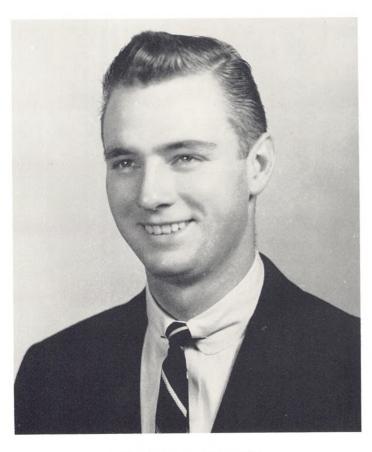
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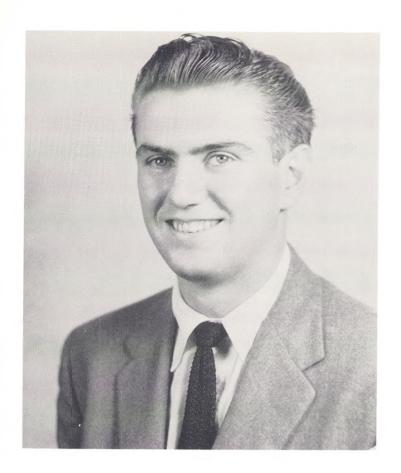
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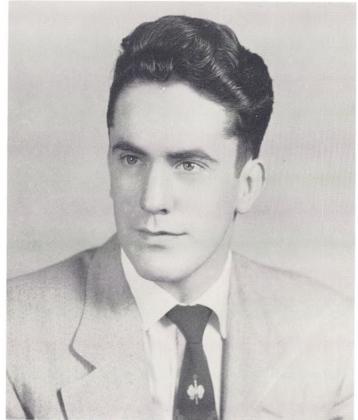
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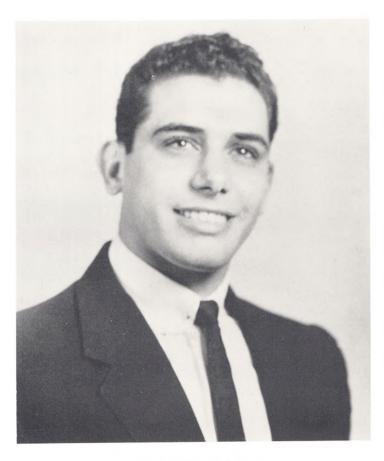
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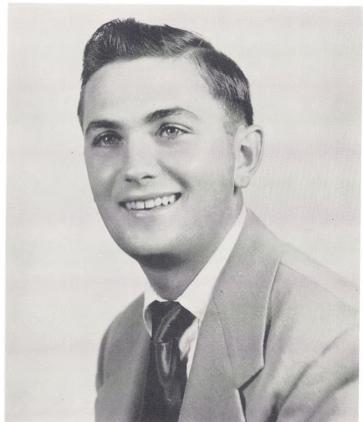
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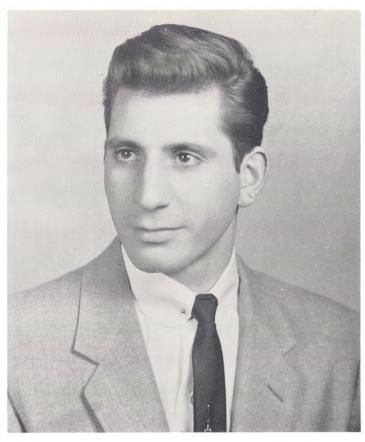
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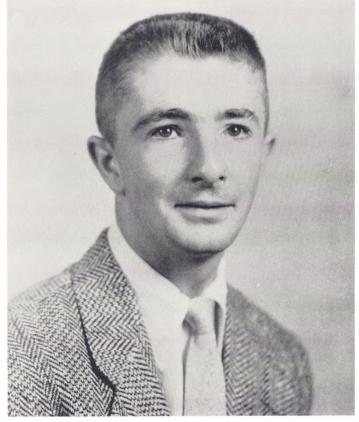
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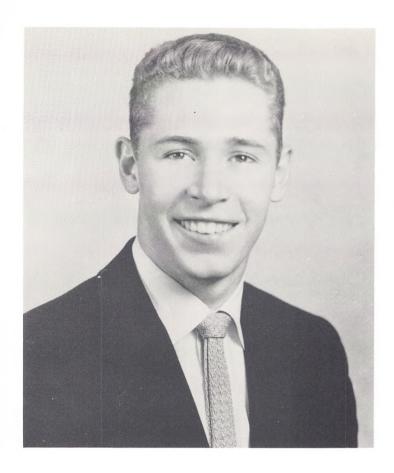
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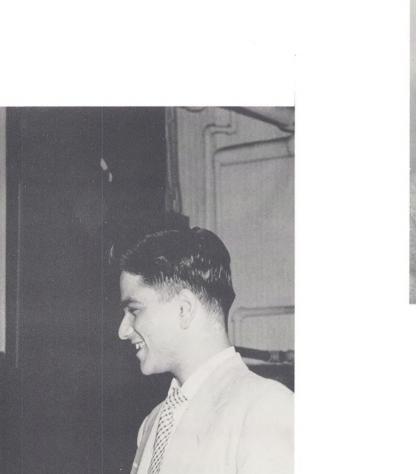


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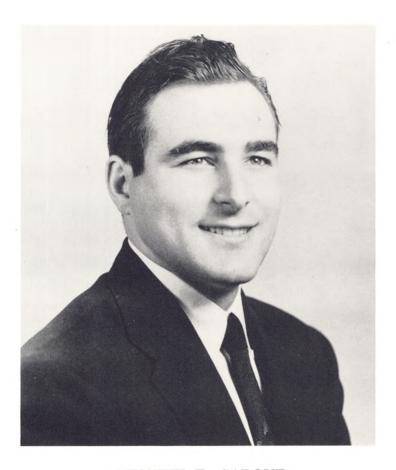
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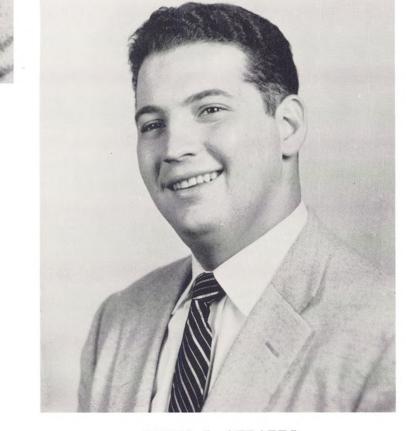


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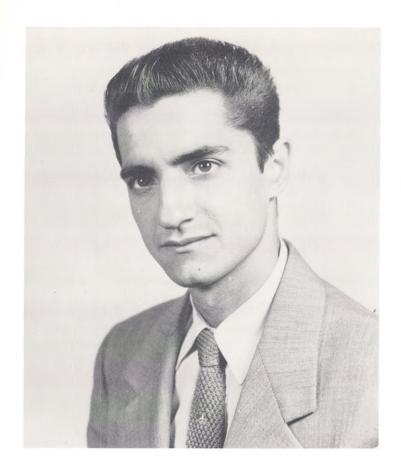
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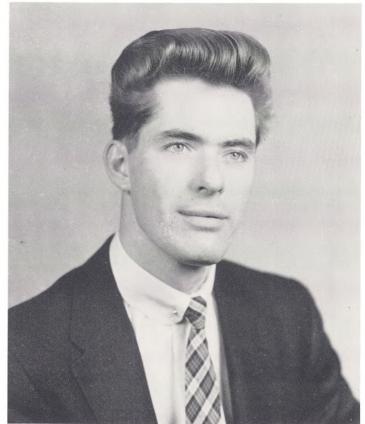
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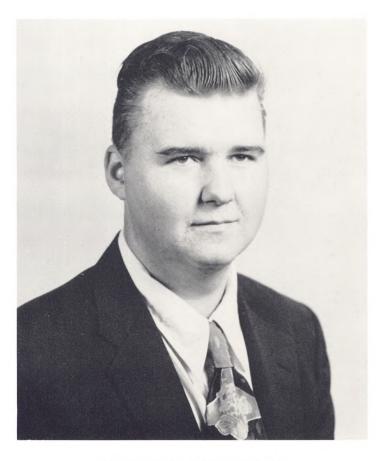
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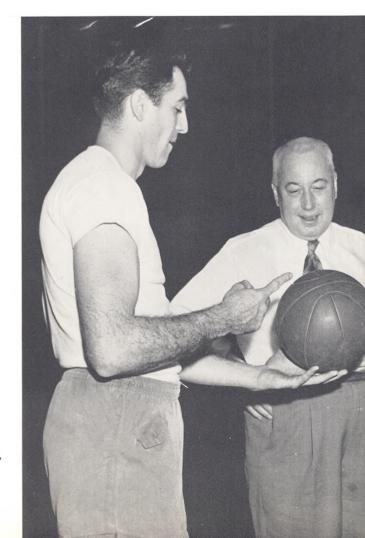


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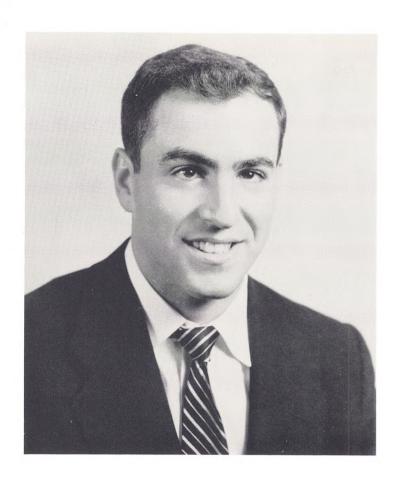
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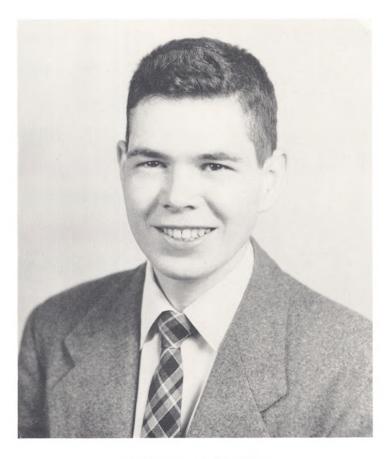
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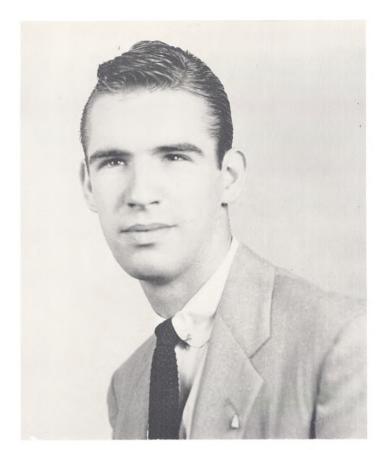
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"If things get dull, tell them to turn on a Western."



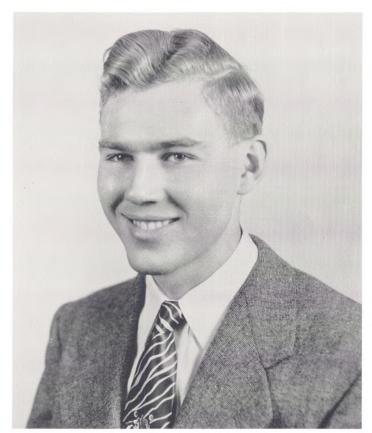
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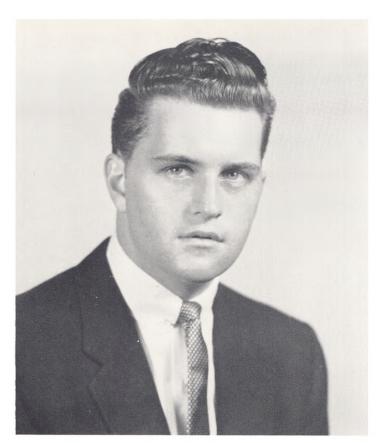


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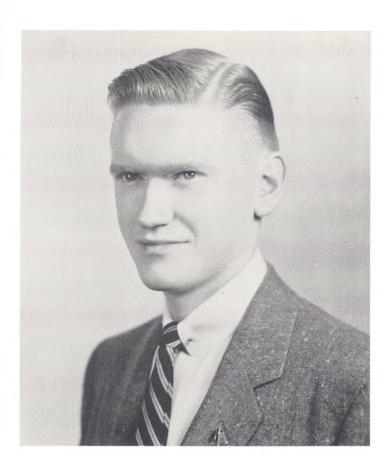
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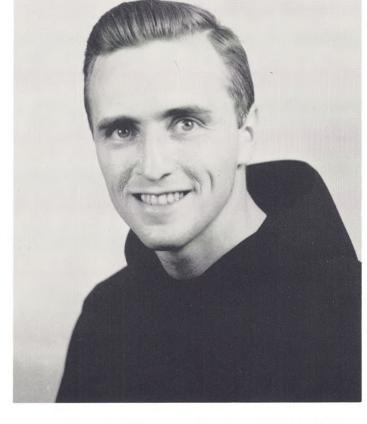


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"I like these test patterns."



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"I wonder what Tonto will do?"



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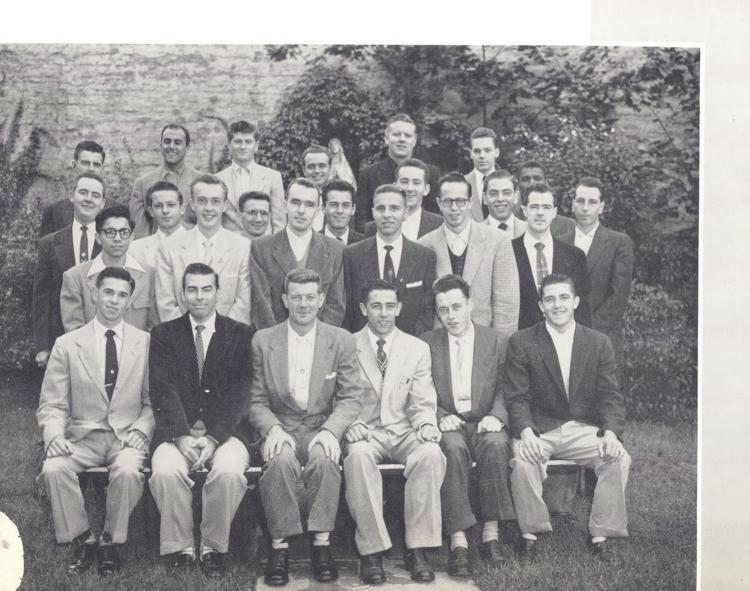
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"I am an unnecessary, contingent being, one degree lower than a parasite that has the unmitigated gall to associate with upper-classmen and impose upon the generosity, dignity, and good will of the student body and to be its guest for one long year."

But after this one year, which can last for an eternity for a Freshman, we can finally call ourselves true Franciscans.











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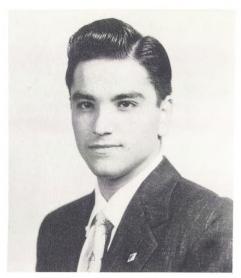
Making the voice of the student known, both to the administration and our fellow colleges, working to serve the student needs on the campus in all areas of student life—that is the task of the Student Council.

The 1954-1955 Council was blessed with interested, capable and dynamic leaders who, through their unselfish efforts, have made the Council one of the most progressive in the history of the College.

To begin with, the celebration of the Marian year at St. Francis reached its apex when a public Mass—to which the Newman Clubs of the Various secular

colleges were invited—was celebrated at St. Paul's Church. The Council, working closely with all campus organizations, undertook the sponsorship of an Open School Day to familiarize the parents of the students with St. Francis. A Successful Christmas Toy Drive was also initiated by the Council, assisted by committees of Pi Alpha and Phi Rho Pi Fraternities.

Truly, in preserving the best in the St. Francis tradition, and in stressing progress, the Council has earned the respect of all at St. Francis.



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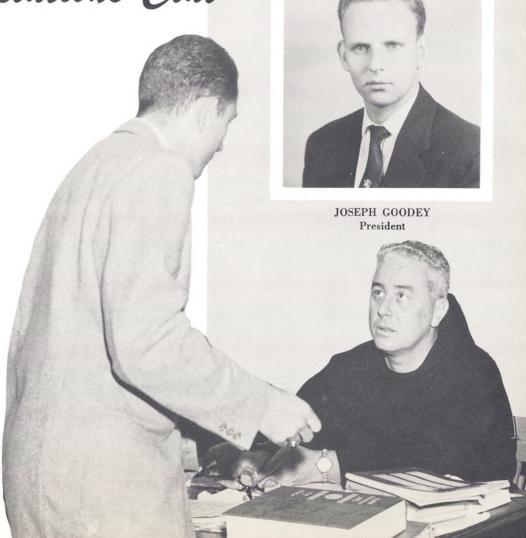


International Relations Club

The International Relations Club consists of History, Sociology and Economics majors. The varied activities of the club are religious, social, intellectual and athletic. Under the leadership of Joseph Goodey, President, the IRC-dance, the political Symposium and many forums were the highlights of the past year. It has been the club's policy to promote civil and national affairs at St. Francis College.

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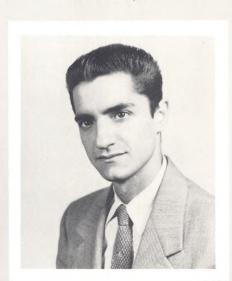


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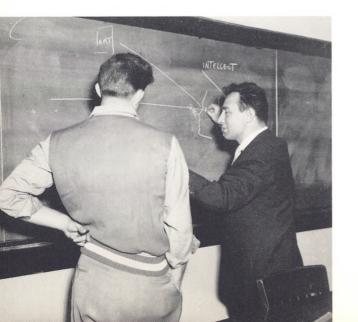
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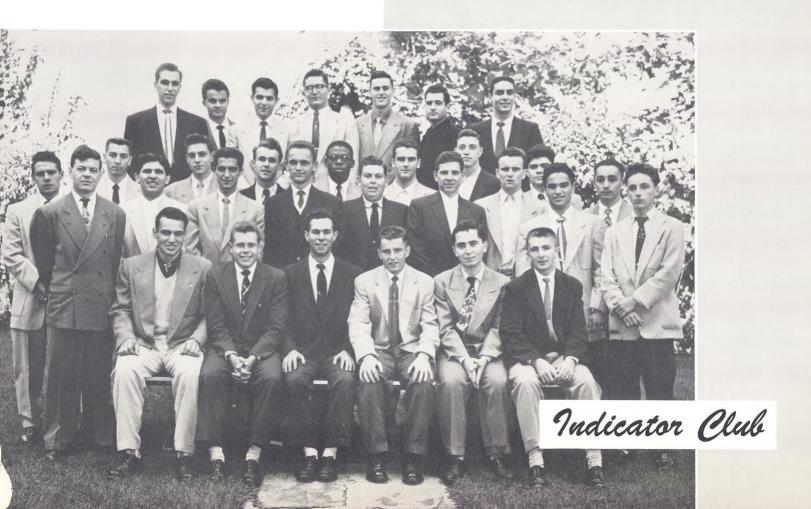
The Humanities Club of St. Francis College comprises those students studying in the field of the Arts. It aims to further an appreciation of the literary and artistic contributions of the various cultures of the world. This year a diversified and enlightened program was undertaken. Included in the program were opera, ballet, the Philharmonic and the theatre.

The Humanities Club, in its third year at St. Francis, has become one of the active organizations in the College and has proved to be one of the mainstays of extra-curricular activities.



Mendel Club

The Science Clubs have been organized to provide those students who have a special interest in chemistry, biology or mathematics with the opportunity of pursuing their work.



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The Business Club is intended to arouse the interests of the student body in current business affairs and practices through the medium of guest speakers and informal discussions by the members.





Vocation Club

The Vocation Club is composed of those students who are interested in entering the priesthood or religious life. All pre-theological students are required to be active members of this club. A special feature of this group is a day of recollection each month.



Third Order of St. Francis

The Third Order of St. Francis, founded by St. Francis of Assisi, was organized for the layman to "lead a perfect life," and to study, practice and promulgate the teachings of St. Francis. Tertiaries take no vows; yet by following the principles of St. Francis, they participate in the numerous graces and benefits of the Franciscans.



The Cord

The Cord, Freshman handbook of St. Francis College, underwent a "face-lifting" job this past summer. Since many changes had taken place around the College over the last two years, it became necessary to bring the handbook up to date. To handle this task, a committee of three volunteers supervised the revision, surrendering a few nights a week during July and August. The committee consisted of Editor-in-Chief Ben Occhiogrosso, '56, Associate Editors Tom Scully, '56 and Buddy Brogan, '56.



The purpose of the Math Club is to stimulate interest in mathematics and closely related fields. Under the guidance of Brother Leo, the members learn how to use such instruments as the sextant, angle mirror and the pantograph. Practical experience is gained by numerous field trips during the college year.

Math Club



Student Group Leaders

The Student Group Leaders are a relatively new idea at St. Francis. Comprised of those students with high extra-curricular and academic standing, they attempt to encourage and assist the student body in all phases of college life.



St. Francis College is represented in the N.F.C.C.S. by four representatives elected at the beginning of every school year by the Student Council. The Federation was formed to develop lay Catholic leadership among college students.





The Troupers



The Troupers, continuing their long line of stage successes, presented this year an adaptation of George Batson's "Ramshackle Inn." The play, a mystery farce in three acts, was ably directed by Mr. Henry Magliato, a familiar figure in the history of the Terrier acting guild. Brother Celestine, Moderator of the Troupers, did a fine job supervising the over-all production. Student leaders, who also proved able in their positions, included Ben Occhiogrosso, '56, President, John DeRiso, '55, Stage Manager, and John Rush, '56, Business Manager.

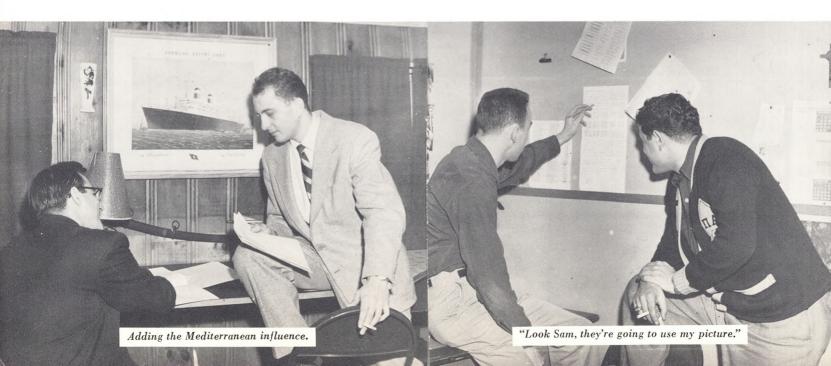
When the lights go on again.





DANIEL WALSH Editor-in-Chief

Franciscan





Dear Mom and Dad,

The 1955 Franciscan represents the co-operative endeavors of a few tired, but very willing students. This small group of versatile Franciscans sacrificed much time and energy in its publication.

Our Staff was a good one. Buddy Brogan, our committee-man and Business Manager, solicited the necessary funds. Jack Drum, a conscientious and hard working sophomore, served as Layout Editor and Art Co-Editor. Enough cannot be said about this fellow who worked long and hard to see the book to completion. George Mikkelsen, my Associate Editor and photographer, looked over the copy and assisted in the general layout. John DeRiso, my "Voice" neighbor, served as Senior Class Editor and Joe Goodey did a commendable job on the sports copy—and lest we forget, Vinny Garone took the time and energy to decipher our sometimes foreign writing (as Copy Editor).

Your loving son,

P.S. Thanks also to Ben and Frank.



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JOHN DERISO Editor-in-Chief

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BRO. CAMILLUS, O.S.F.

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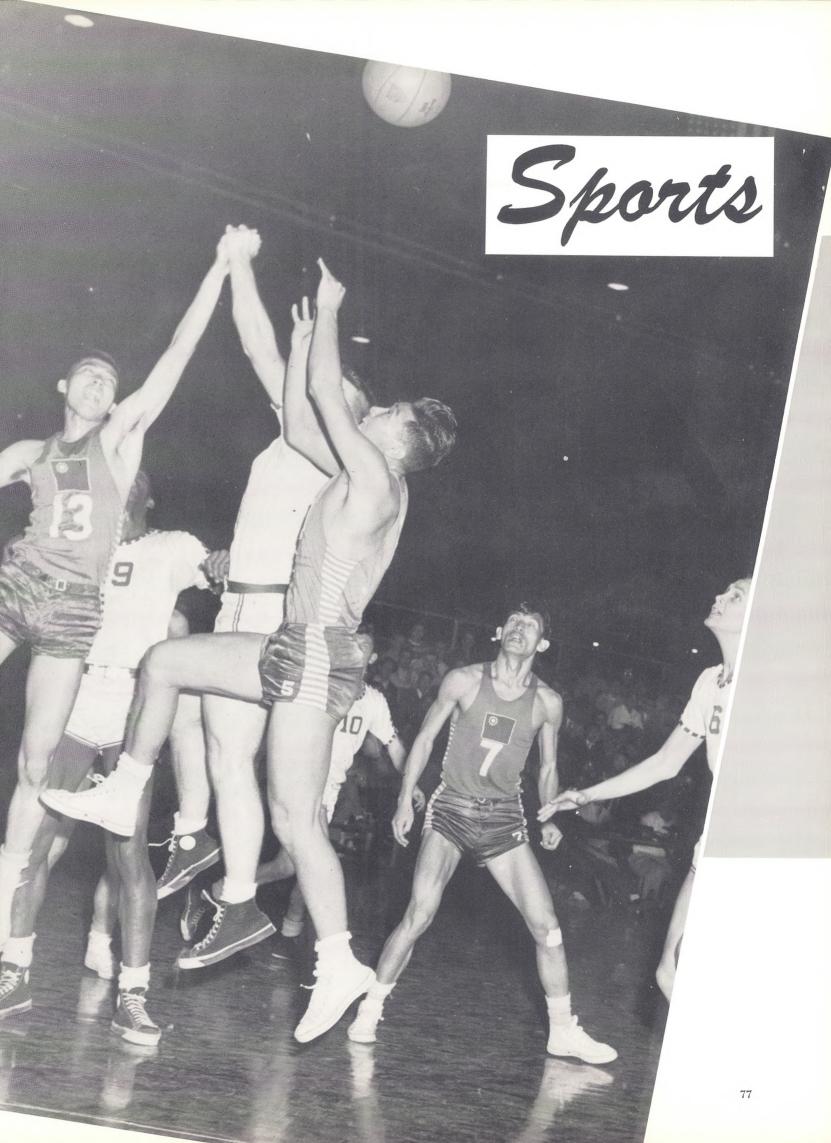
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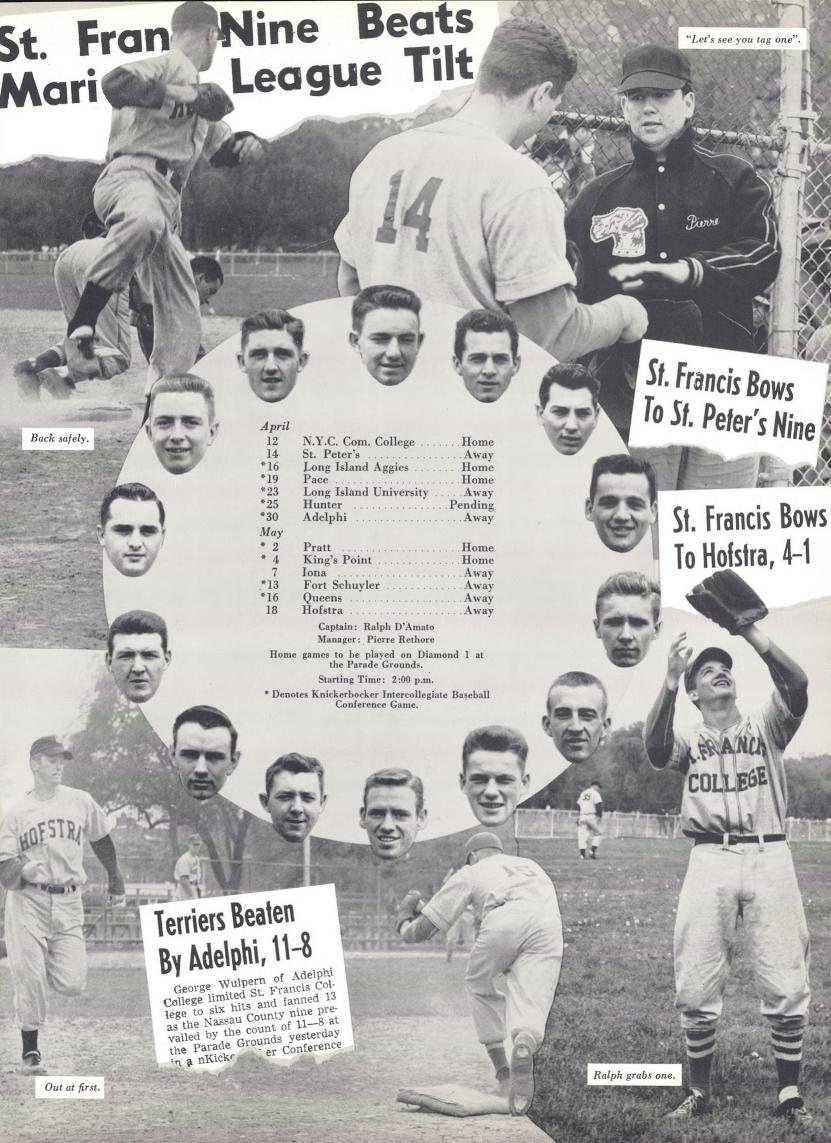


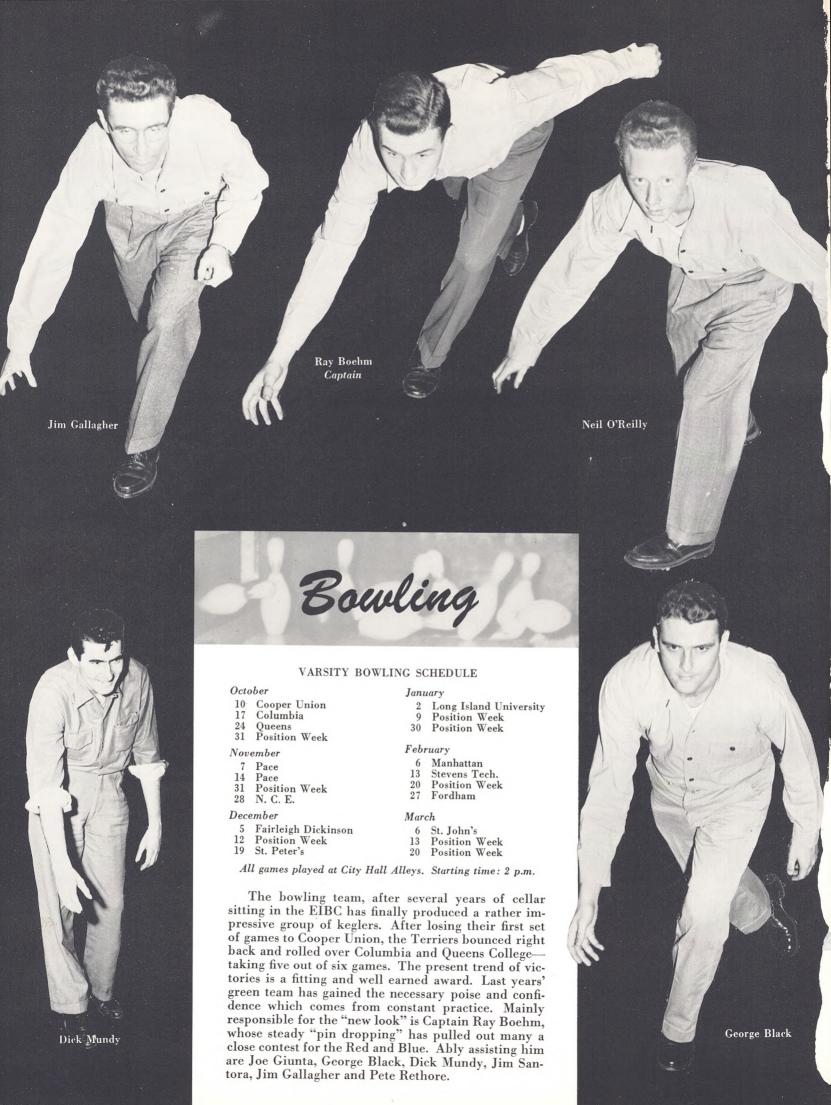


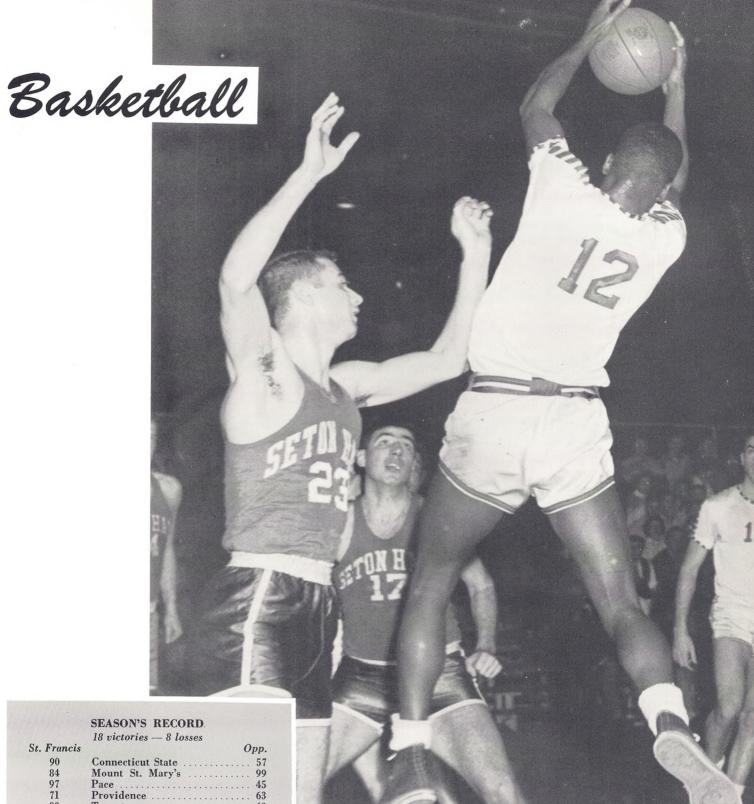


Led by Coaches Dan Lynch and Marty O'Donnell and captained by Ralph D'Amato, the Varsity Baseball team entered its third year in the Knickerbocker Baseball Conference.

Minus the backbone of last year's squad, the Lenze Brothers, the Terriers relied heavily upon the pitching of Tom Loughery and Dan McCarthy. Ralph D'Amato, Frank Scotti, and Russ Sullivan provided the outfield power, while the heavy hitting Trizzino did the bulk of the catching. Joe Saner, Tom Higgins, Art McInerney and several new Frosh hopefuls rounded out the squad.







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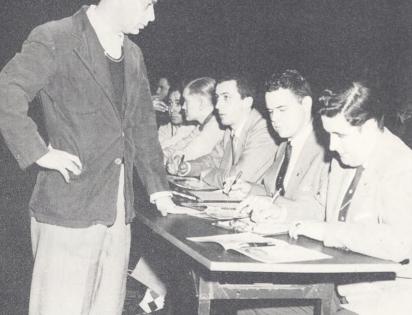
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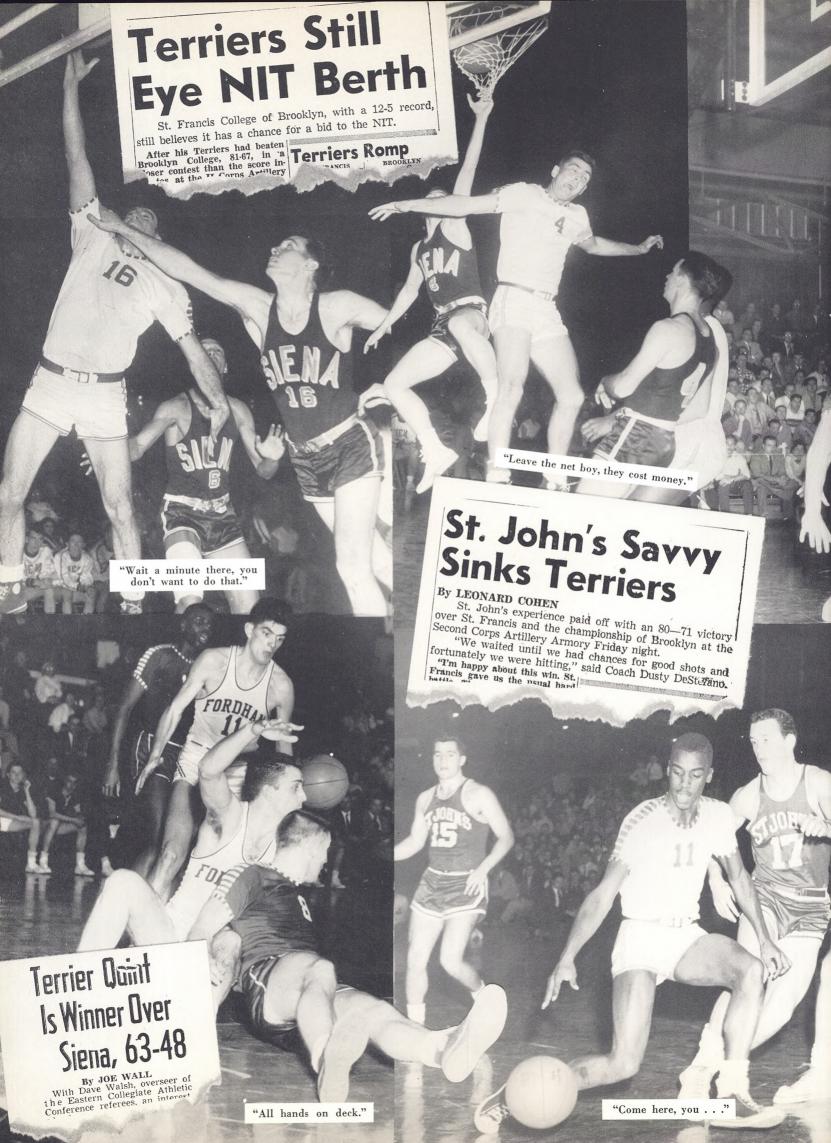
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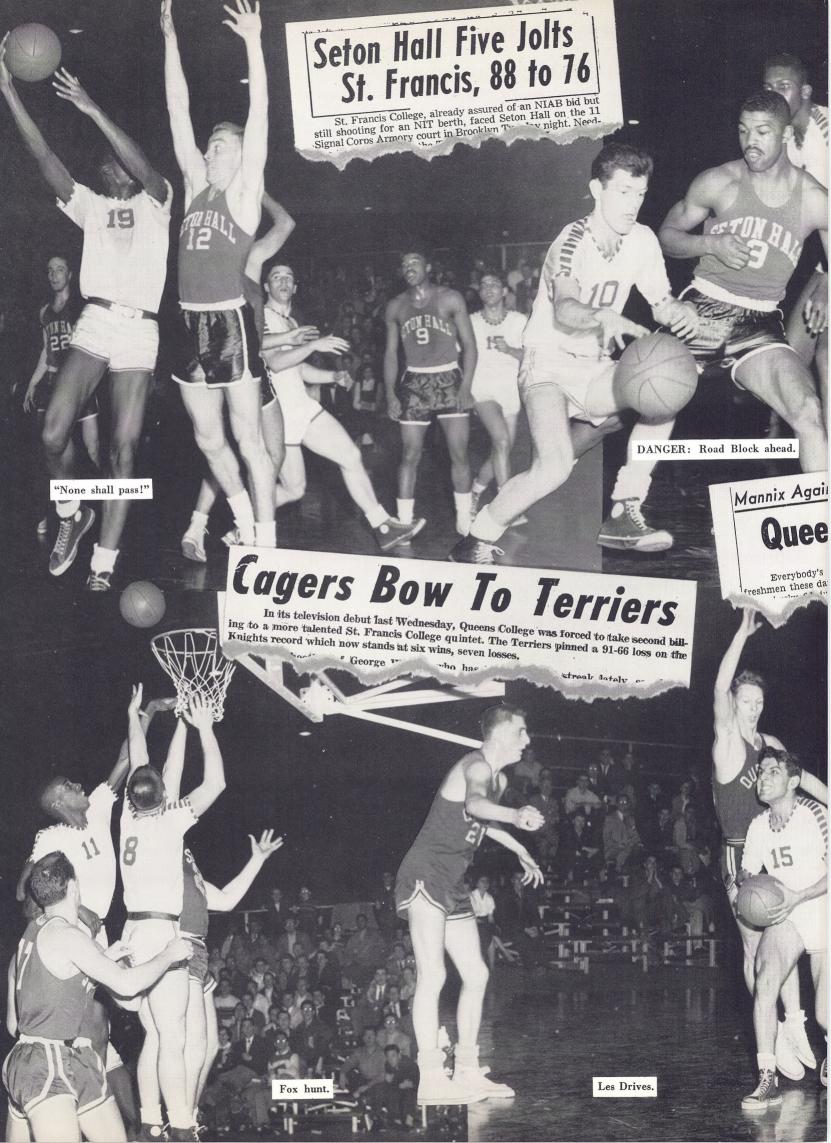
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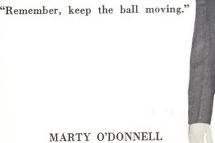
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