





FROM the time they waddled about in rompers, any prospective college men have dreamed and hoped for the night of the Junior Prom and so the Witching Hour with fair lassie and promenade was the big event of the class of '41. With the Hotel Delmonico as the setting and with Bob Eschmann's orchestra playing, Co-chairmen Dave Leach and Gerry Brennan had little difficulty in producing an outstanding prom. Vin Gallagher, Jack Murphy, Joe Brachocki, Al Paganini, Bill McGuire, and Tom Downs shared in the credit of success.

Yet allowing for all its importance, the Prom passed while the Juniors moved on to new fields. In every extra-curricular activity, some Junior distinguished himself and his class. The athletic teams — basketball, swimming, and track — received a wealth of talent from '41. Vinny Ptak, Carl Malfitano, Vin Gallagher, Frank Gwiazda and Benny Benigno lifted much care from Coach Cooney's shoulders by starring on the court. Acting as Co-captains, George Diamond and Emmett Mullin helped to hold the St. Francis natators high in the Eastern Catholic Inter-collegiate Championships. Captain Tom Downs and his fellow relay members, Bill McGuire, Joe Brachocki and George Mack, burned up the track in intercollegiate competition. "Big" Barrett tossed the sixteen pound shot to keep in trim.