



#### VARSITY SQUAD

*Top: F. Curry, Gunston, Graziadei, Curry, Mayers.  
Bottom: Matriss, Joyce, Carotenuto, O'Brien, Hoffman, Baldassarri.*

The first indoor competition was the Metropolitan Intercollegiate held in the Bronx Coliseum in January. Captain Warren Curry, in pulling a muscle in the first heat of the sixty yard dash, started a series of misfortunes that haunted the Terriers that night. As every point counts in intercollegiate contests the withdrawal of Curry from the other events was a death blow to the team score of St. Francis. The Freshman quartet fared well in the mile relap by placing third.

The highlight of the season occurred in the Knights of Columbus Meet at the Garden. Before 13,000 spectators the Terrier quartet placed second in the mile relay behind St. Joseph's of Philadelphia. St. Peter's of Jersey City ran third. St. Francis ran three Freshmen and one varsity man in this event. The K. of C. meet was the final gathering for track fans.

Despite the fact that he has a small and relatively inexperienced squad, Coach Miles has booked several dual meets for the outdoor season. Last year's outfit had an excellent record taking a second place in the mile relay at the Pennsylvania Relays behind the great Seton Hall record breakers. The 1941 team also garnered enough points to take second place in the team scoring at the Montclair Invitation meet. To duplicate or approach these feats the current Terrier squad will have their work cut out for them.

The Montclair meet, a small school I. C. 4 A. affair has seen the Milesmen taking many of the events and placing high in team scoring for the past three years. Warren Curry and Tom O'Brien are the defending champions in the quarter mile and broad jump respectively. It is expected that Curry will garner a place in the 220 yard dash as well as in the 440 yard run. The real victory for St. Francis in any year is a victory over our borough rival. The basketball team recently trounced the Redmen on the Garden court and the Track team will consider their season a smashing success

*Captain Warren Curry lays the law down, while squad relaxes after strenuous practice.*

if they defeat them on the cinder ring, regardless of how the other meets turn out.

The Track Team will lose several of its best members this June at Graduation. We know Warren Curry will don the Forestry green of the Marine Corps but the future of the others is not definitely known. However, it is a natural result of the war that many of the remaining members of the team will be out of school next year, but the Milesmen will still be in the running and they will remain a potent adversary in any meet. There is one thing about Selective Service, it hits the great and the small equally hard and the teams we shall face next year will be subject to the same conditions and limitations that we will be forced to endure.

In closing this story of the Track Team and its exploits in the past year we should not forget the debt that we owe to our coach, Bill Miles, who has inspired the team to carry on and do its best. He has been a swell friend and advisor to everyone on the team, so for the team I would like to thank Bill Miles and hope that he will guide St. Francis teams for many years to come.

