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CHEMIST and mathematician, Joe came to St. Francis to become a finished product of the collegiate workshop. From his very first year, he has been an assistant in the Chemistry laboratories where he was always ready to answer the anguished calls of the Frosh chem students. His work in the laboratory has not been merely of an advisory nature—his famous experiment on the detonating powers of concentrated sulfuric acid will never be forgotten. Branching out from his mathematical training, Joe has interested himself in philosophy. As an example of his philosophical mathematics, he has developed the differential equation—Trink und stirb; Trink nicht und stirb auch: Also trink—

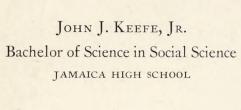
Serious, yet cheerfully skeptical, Joe has always been on the alert to make new friends and acquaintances. In reciprocation he has been the popular president of the Indicator—Chemistry Club of St. Francis—and the competent secretary of the German Club. His sound training and technical adaptability have already made Joe a genuine chemist.

He is proving his talent at the I. R. T. laboratories where he is a member of the analytical chemistry staff. Since Joe has now started his chemical career, it is certain that the old titrater will have no difficulty in being a real success.

The Indicator, pres., 4; German Club, sec'y, 4; freshman Chemistry Lab. assistant, 2; Analytical Chemistry Lab. assistant, 3; Chemistry Office Staff, 4.









Just as he came to us, Jack is leaving us with his cheery encouraging smile. For four years now he has been telling those stories which have made him famous. He is a finished story-teller, who can and will recall in the wink of an eye a story suitable to the occasion—any occasion. Many of the anecdotes from his vast repertoire would put Joe Miller to shame.

His ability to create interesting essays is carried over to his more intellectual work. Whether it be a report on Santayana to the Epistemology class, or an essay on Hazlitt before the seminar on Victorian prose, Jack can inevitably be counted on to present a paper that is both scholarly and interesting. He is a clever conversationalist who is always able to express clearly and forcibly ideas which are distinctly his own. An extensive reader and a profound thinker, Jack presents the ideal picture of an athletescholar. His proudest boast is his National Water Polo Championship title. This last year as captain, Jack back-stroked the St. Francis Swimming Team through its first successful



season's campaign. When the splashes have cleared away, Jack will always be found to have a five-yard lead.

Swimming Team, capt., 3, 4; Class Basketball, manager, 1; History Club, 3, 4; Class president, 1; Sodality, 1, 2, 3, 4.