

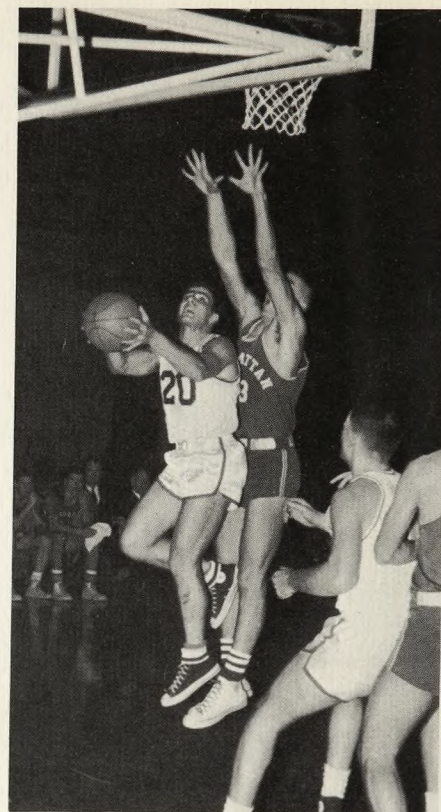
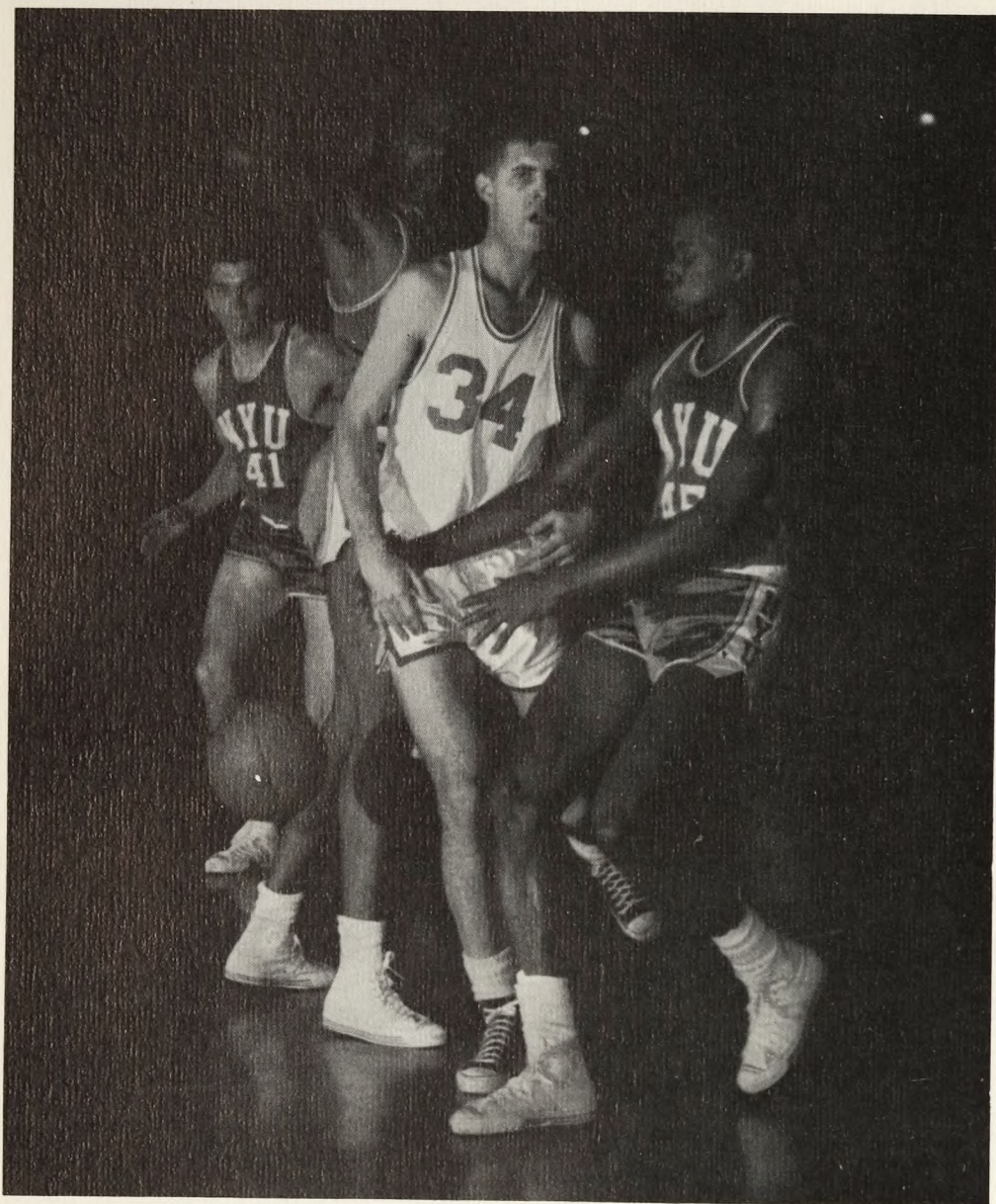
Jack Crispi's fine defense and play-making led to such Terrier victories as the upset of the Fordham 'Rams'.

Jogging into the gym at the High School of Printing, Jack Crispi and George Steinman led the Terriers to a 98-66 victory over Pace. These two Terriers kept up their scoring pace as they led the team to an 86-70 victory over M.E.C.C.A. competitor Kings College. Jack Crispi's twenty-four and George Steinman's nineteen led the way in this contest.

The 'meat' of our rough schedule began as we met Providence College and suffered our first setback at the hands of the Friars. Our 86-55 drubbing seemed to set the pace as Providence went on to win nineteen straight. This setback did not set a pace for St. Francis, however, as the Terriers went on to defeat Loyola of Baltimore 76-66; Bridgeport 75-67 and a tough Siena team 72-69 in overtime periods. We went home at Christmas as a winner, but with mighty Villanova, traditional rival St. John's and Fordham yet to come.

The new year did not start off too well for the Terriers, as the Wildcats of Villanova clawed us 78-49. Before the mid-term break we found the right tempo again as the Frankies beat local rival Queens College 74-63.





Crispi pours in two points against Larry Lembo.

Hey, that's my basketball!!

In this early part of the season, two new Terrier stars had developed in Gil Radday and Alan Fisher. These two Terriers had played surprisingly fine basketball for such new team members and their performance grew even better as the year wore on.

We made the annual journey to Hillcrest and had the same old trouble again—we just couldn't stop those Redmen. We played a fine game despite the loss of Gil Radday in the early minutes of the first quarter as Alan Fisher scored twenty-five and Ted Kotch seventeen points. Unable to break our losing skein against the Jaspers of Manhattan College, we fell to our second straight defeat as Larry Lembo and his boys outpaced us 74-67.

We found a trip to Garden City more to our liking as we upset favored Adelphi University 74-73 in a real cliffhanger as Fisher scored twenty-eight and Crispi, twenty-five to set the pace. Upsets were found to our liking as we then beat Seton Hall as better than ten-point underdogs. This game saw Gil Radday return to his old form as he scored thirteen and Ed Lein followed him with eleven.

Trips upstate were seldom successful this year and our long ride to Syracuse saw us bested by Le Moyne College 53-46. Things looked rather glum as we returned to face the Rams from Rose Hill as nearly twenty point underdogs. We found that 'Ram Stew' was quite tasty as we beat the Rams 47-40 in a contest we'll all remember awhile.