Our New Home



ALL last summer the supplies rolled in, by rail, truck, and air express, and when the ref blew his whistle for the first jump of the basketball season, St. Francis had a huge modern home court. The idea which Brother Richard, former Athletic Director, came up with a few years previous had reached its realization under his successor Bill McGuire. Actually it is the work of more than Brother Richard, who had the idea or Joe Brennan, former coach, who suggested the site, or Bill McGuire, who worked unbelievably hard on it . . . it is the sum total of many men's labors . . . fast talking Joe Wielert and his Press Club . . . Dan Lynch and Paddy Gleason and their respective teams . . . the Alumni and the Administration who supported the venture . . . the students who attended the games . . . why, even Ned Irish helped to make it a success by stirring up the spirit when he closed the Garden to the Terriers.

Overall, it was the biggest event in this College year, St. Francis was launched successfully into big time ball.

Shooting in the College crackerbox.



Classes instead of ball games.



Bill McGuire, Athletic Director, orders the Terriers into big time.

