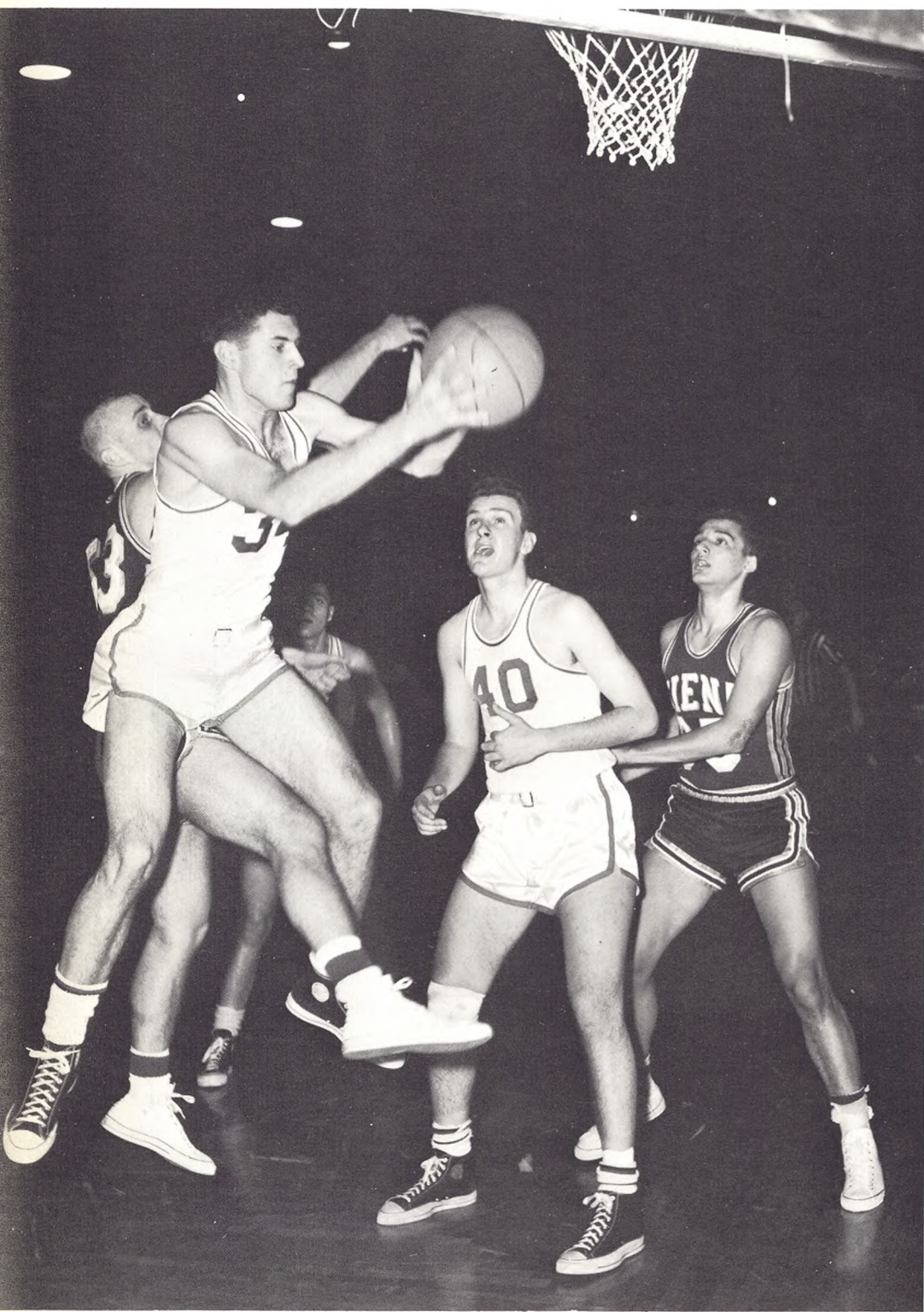
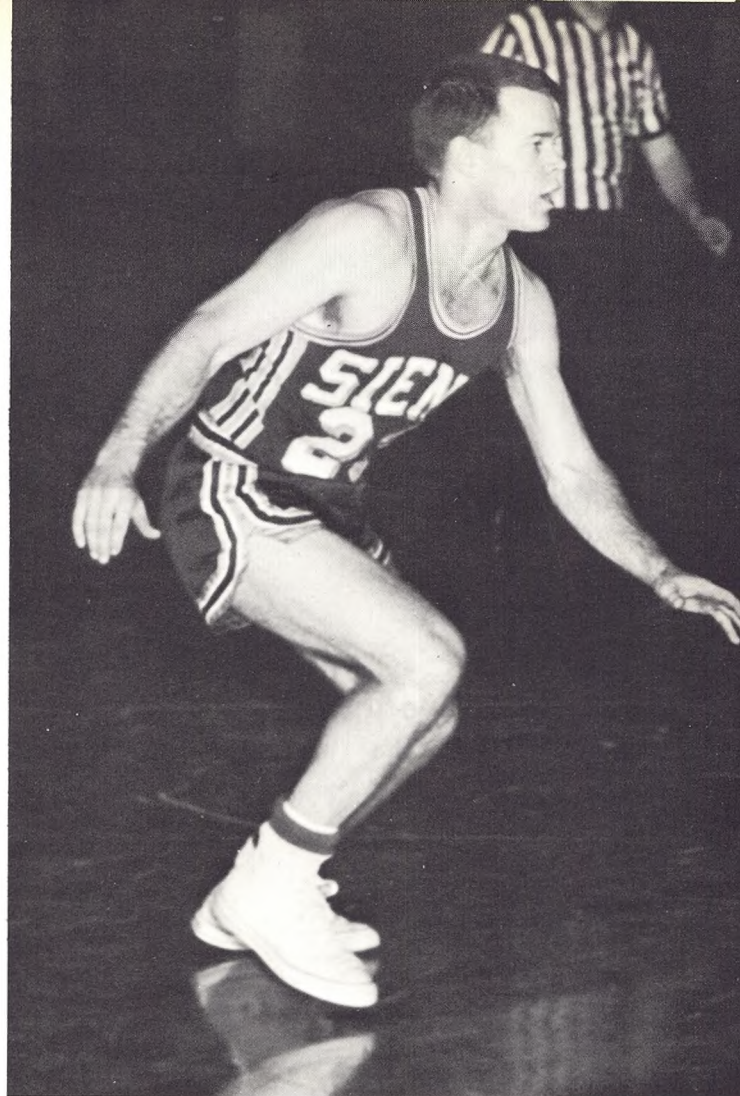
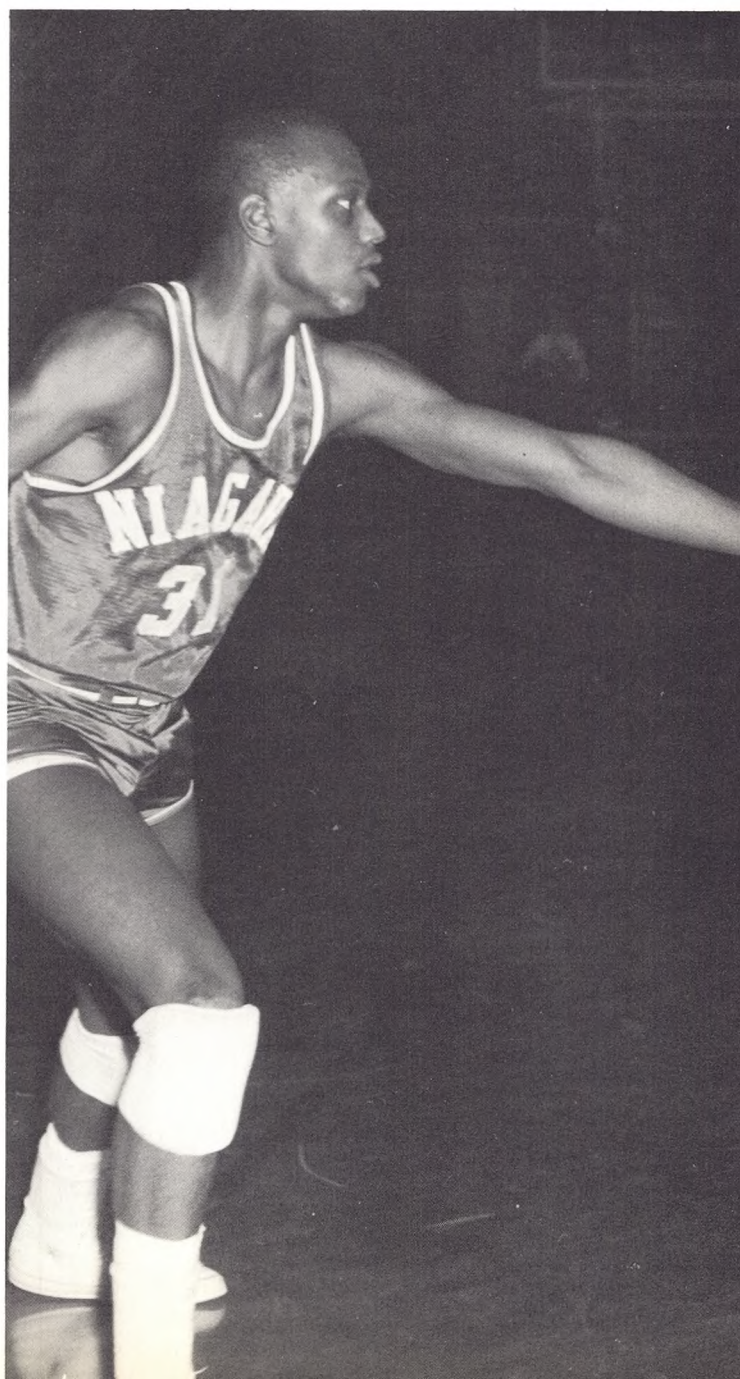


Brother Roger, Athletic Moderator, makes a point with Les Yellen, Freshman Coach.



Siena player gives George Steinmann an assist in pulling down rebound. St. Francis won this game televised on WPIX via a 54-52 squeaker. George scored only six in this game, but his fifteen points was tops against Brooklyn College.



Intruders from Niagara held off by patty-cake maneuvers between Ted Kotch and Tom Kurowski. Terriers pulled their biggest upset of the year winning 59-38.





Reservist Jim Rische, dribbling in back court, ends career with graduation this year.

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lyn and Queens hung on only to suffer defeat by identical scores (57-55) in the closing seconds of play.

The remainder of the season was, more or less, a disaster. On the afternoon of Saturday, January 4, St. Francis made its 1964 TV debut (WPIX-11) against Siena College. The Terriers managed to win another close one 54-52 after four of the opposition fouled out late in the second period. Two other games played before a TV audience featured the St. Francis cagers against St. Peter's and N.Y.U. In both games the Terriers were badly beaten. An even worse setback was the loss of Tom Kurowski for the remainder of the season due to an injury suffered in the St. Peter's game.

The season, however, did have one bright spot. This was the evening that the team jelled and romped over Niagara University 59-38 at the 69th Regiment Armory. This was, at the time, the only team to beat Villanova who had earlier revenged last year's upset by setting back the Terriers 84-48 in Philadelphia.

The season ended with the Terriers on the short end of a 9-12 record. A little optimism may be enjoyed, however, from the knowledge that this year's strong freshmen team stands ready to fill the vacancies left by graduation in June.

