

Bob Allen

December 27

On this day most of the team decided to take a tour of the city, but I stayed in bed trying to shake the flu. Nose drops, throat swabs, and treatments comprised my day until at 6:30 along with Dr. Allen, "Hutch" Walker, Bob Johnson, Howard Engleman, Jim Arnold, and John Kline I went out to hear Fred Waring's Chesterfield Program. Then we came back to the Piccadilly Hotel for an early bed, in preparation for our game with Fordham.

December 28

Getting up about 8:00 A.M. we all started out for Radio City Music Hall to see the Katherine Hepburn in "Philadelphia Story." But a bunch of the boys got mixed up and went to the R.C.A. building and didn't get to see the show. Then we went back for lunch. At 2:00 P.M. we took our naps. Arising out 5:30 we got our toast and coffee at the Piccadilly where we saw Martha Raye who was beering up. She assured us that we would win from Fordham. But that night we found to our sorrow that the combination of influenza among our team members and Fordham all around good play were stronger factors than Miss Raye's assurance. So we disappointed ourselves and most everyone else in losing 53 to 42.

The second game of our double header that night, which we witnessed found N.Y.U. nosing out Minnesota in a thriller.

After this second game we went to the Lincoln Hotel where we ate with a number of K.U. alumni and heard Tony Pasteur and his orchestra. His best song was "Let's Do It."