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New York seemed to be all that I had heard it to be - but the partial black out which is in force all the time took much of the color and life out of the city. Our Hotel is just across the street from the Garden.

After the Hockey game Jack and I came back to our room - took a hot shower and retired for the night.

Monday - December 28. -

Monday morning we slept til nine o'clock and when we looked out the window we saw it was raining. This was disappointment especially for the boys whose first trip it was to the big city but it was probably one of our reasons for winning that night.

After breakfast which we had in the hotel restaurant we went back to our rooms. Most of the boys slept while a few wrote post cards and letters. We ate lunch at two o'clock had a short meeting in Doc's room to talk over the game that evening and then went to bed for two hours. At five o'clock we dressed and had our usual tea and toast.

We suited up in the hotel and walked across the street to the Garden about seven o'clock. Our game was the first and was called at ~~at~~ Eight fifteen. It was really a thrill to play in Madison Square Garden. 1000 people packed the Garden to see the games this evening. We played Fordham who previously had won six games and so far this year were undefeated.

We really were a little scared about