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Our first morning in New York we found our hotel was right in the midst of downtown Broadway and Times Square. There was the familiar "Chevrolet" and "Planters Peanuts" sign so familiar to all movie goers who see occasional screen flashes of the busiest corner in the world.

In the p. m. we spent a dollar apiece to go on a bus sight-seeing tour of the southern part of the island. Hurried views of all the important sights and buildings, including the Empire State, Wall Street, Radio City, China Town, The Statue of Liberty from the aquarium, etc.

We returned for supper and then Engleman, Walker, Kline, and Johnson tried their skill at riding subways. The boys did pretty well considering the fact they had never ridden them before.

We are pretty confident of victory tomorrow over Fordham because everyone here says we are good and Fordham is poor.

Dr. Allen has five tickets to the Fred Waring Chesterfield program. In the end, though, Engleman and Bob Allen
sneak through the doorman, and Walker, Dr. Allen, Arnold,
Johnson, and Kline come in legally. Those who did not
attend the radio program spent their money on a cheap burlesque
and checked their coats for a quarter.