## FORDHAM CRUSHES VERMONT BY 44-24

Ram Five Gains Easy Victory on Burlington Court as Fitzgerald Sets Pace

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES. BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. Fordham's speedy basketball tossers ran away from the University of Vermont tonight by the score of 44 to 24.

Vermont started with the zone defense, which bothered the visitors for two or three minutes, during which Vermont took a 5-4 lead as Captain Corley starred. Then Captain Fitzgerald of Fordham started popping long shots from out beyond the zone defense and his teammates, Savage and Bobich followed his example, running the score up to 28 to 8 at the end of the firsthalf.

Vermont shifted to the man-toman defense at the opening of the second half and the play speeded up. Fitzgerald left the game after running his individual points up to 10, giving other members of the Rams' squad an opportunity to play.

Coach Kelleher substituted freely toward the close of the game and the Fordham team which finished was entirely different from that which opened the game.

For Vermont, Corley was the high scorer and the sparkplug of the team, with Healy and Beauchemin also shining.

The line-up:

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