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DOES THIS BELONG

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THE FASHION PLATE OF MILNE
JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL

Usually about this time of year, everyone wants some special gift. I suppose a great many of you girls want clothes. I imagine some will want school dresses, some will want a "Sunday dress," and some will have their hearts set on outdoor clothes.

Have you noticed the tight waists they are showing this year? If you are in the group that desires dresses, you will probably see them when you shop. You will also see to what extremes they go in skirts. They either are very full or very pleated.

Something entirely different in the line of snowsuits are culottes. They have tight woolen linings, while the culottes are very loose.

How do you like the new transparent rain coats? I think it is a matter of taste. They are really convenient so they are not as bulgy as the old rain coats, and yet they keep you dry.

Well, I'll be back next week with more fashions. Until then, bye!

CALLING ALL TALENT

A Christmas Play will be given in assembly next Monday at 2:35. It is a talent show in the form of a play, and two or more people from every Junior High homeroom will take part.

In charge of the play are Miss Dibole and Miss McClung. The set committee consists of Elaine Becker and Marjorie Gade.

REMEMBER WHEN--

Mr. Saroff, new science supervisor, comes to Milne after two years of teaching at Keene Valley near Lake Placid. He will remain here for one year in the absence of Mr. Moose, who is studying at Cornell.

COOPERATING AT THE GAMES

How many of you students like to go to basketball games and see your home team win? Of course all of you do, and why, because you want to be able to be pointed at for having a good team. If this is true, why don't you all cooperate at the games? Let's have a big showing at the games.

At the past games the students have taken it upon themselves to hiss and boo. Do you think this good sportsmanship? I don't. Think this over.

DO YOU KNOW--

Do you know that there are five more school days 'till our Christmas vacation?

Do you know that Professor Sayles' son is an instructor at Cornell?

Do you know that Sunday is the strongest day? All the rest are week days.

Do you know Miss Solomon, Milne's very charming and efficient secretary, is a graduate of Albany High? Her hobby is collecting picture maps. She came to Milne, April, 1937.

Do you know that Milne employs 30 people?

Do you know that Miss Palmer was studying in the University of Columbia last year?

Do you know that 54 students graduated from Milne last year?

CHRISTMAS PLAY

"The Enchanted Christmas Tree" is the title of the Junior High Christmas Play. Mrs. Benton, who is played by Elaine Drooz, is a cross, miserly, old lady. Robert Schamberger plays the part of Mr. Benton. The play is a delightful comedy. Mr. and Mrs. Benton dislike to see children happy. The outcome of this is a laughable climax.

Everyone should see this play for a good laugh.

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* CLUBS *

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The Glee Club will sing Christmas Carols in assembly on December 17.

The Typing Club is giving a Christmas party during their last club meeting before vacation. They are having refreshments and entertainment which will be given by members of the club.

The Sub-deb Club enjoyed a talk by Jane Phillips on the activities of the Club. They decided to send to the Ladies Home Journal for monthly pamphlets which they will discuss during club meeting.

The Boys Cooking Club made broiled luncheon sandwiches which were very appetizing, judging from the way they disappeared.

The object of the boys sports clubs is to play basketball in the gym. It is getting too cold for football and they have nothing to do except discuss football scores. That will be impossible, soon.

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ASSEMBLIES

If the student body wants more assemblies it has to sponsor them. One assembly every other week is not very many assemblies. If each homeroom puts on an assembly there would be more entertainment. If a motion is made in classes or homerooms to sponsor assemblies we could enjoy Mondays much more.

JUNIOR HIGH CELEBRATES CHRISTMAS

Junior High pupils at Milne High school are taking advantage of the holiday season to encourage reading and perfect work in their English classes. Each eighth grade class is preparing attractive little reading reports of their favorite Xmas stories. They are particularly stressing Dicken's short stories and stories of other countries. Because most of the reading is being carried on in class, the pupils are making Dickens scrapbooks, window pictures, and Christmas posters for homework. They are going to have room exhibits of all projects on Friday, December 17. The seventh graders are making their own Christmas trees and wreaths. As each pupil finishes a story, he may add an ornament or a red berry to his wreath or his tree. Everyone is quite interested in making a very colorful and complete tree.

Small groups from the Social Science classes of Milne High School have made 39 interesting trips around Albany. The seventh grade, for instance, visited the fire station, Flick Travel Bureau, Albany Packing Co., and many other interesting places. The eighth grade has been to the Times Union and the Knickerbocker Press offices, Police Court, and Common Council, on several occasions, to the Commissioners at the City Hall, and to WOKO Radio Station.

The ninth grade has been to the Historical and Art Society, the Harmanus Bleeker Library, where they were looking for some new books suitable for our library, City Court trial, and the Regional Planning conference.

CAROL BOYCE GOES TO BERMUDA

Carol Boyce sailed December 5 from Boston Harbor on the "S. S. Lady Hawkins". Carol is making a voyage to Bermuda, West Indies, and Central America. Carol is going to stop at several ports on the way to Bermuda and return on the same boat, stopping at the same ports on the way back. Carol will return to Albany on January 4. He wants to thank all his teachers for making his trip possible.

WORLD NEWS - 9-1 SOCIAL STUDIES CLASS

Flash! San Francisco library lends toys instead of books. Children in the slums gain pleasure from use of toys.

Flash! Britain plans to stamp out violence in Palestine. to ease the situation between the Jews and Arabs; -- she plans to limit the number of new Jewish settlers.

Flash! President Cardenas is beset by problems in raising social conditions in Mexico. Life for most of the 16,000,000 people in Mexico has been a hard struggle for a bare living since the Spanish conquest in the 1500's.

Flash! War in Spain is in a deadlock. Not one square mile changed hands last week. Volunteers in Spain have been withdrawn. Sides are about even and both sides are losing spirit.

Flash! Chiang flee from Nanking by air. They were chased by Japanese planes. The Chiang-Kai-sheks narrowly escaped death when they took off from Nanking in their airplane and were chased 17,175 miles by Japanese war planes.

Flash! Leading doctors demand Federal aid to medicine. This statement disagrees sharply with the American Medical Association's view that government financial aid to medicine will lead to government control.