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SENIOR NEWS

WHAT? WHEN? WHERE?

by Leslie Sipperly

Of course you've guessed it; it's the talk of the school. The Quin and Sigma societies are giving their annual dance February 21, next Friday night, at 8:30 o'clock in the Recreation Center. The tickets are priced at \$1.25 a couple. It is going to be a lot of fun as there are to be novelty dances and refreshments. Lew Rider's orchestra will supply the music. For this dance there won't be the preliminary struggle trying to get into a "tux" as the dance is to be semi-formal.

The chaperons for the affair will be Miss Conklin, Miss Smith, and Dr. Frederick.

The following people are the ones who are helping to make this a success: Virginia Soper, chairman of tickets; Ruth Mann, chairman of publicity, and Marion Camp, chairman of the orchestra committee. The checkroom will be taken care of by Sylvia Rypins from Quin, and Ruth Carvill from Sigma.

MILNE GIRLS VARSITY LOSES TO STATE COLLEGE FRESHMEN

The girls varsity basketball team of Milne played and lost their first game of the season last Monday afternoon when they were defeated by the State College freshmen team. The score at the end of the game was 22-14, with the score at the half being 10-10. Elsbeth Fromm was the high scorer for Milne.

FRENCH CLUB HOLDS ELECTION

The French Club elected new officers at their last meeting.

Doris Shultes was elected president; Cora Randles, vice-president; Ethel Gillespy, secretary; Barbara Birchough, treasurer; Alice Wander, program chairman; Robert Dawes, marshal; Gertrude Wheeler, reporter for the Crimson and White.

John Graham was selected to purchase some candy for raising money for the treasury. Ray Hotaling was selected to purchase some Milne pendants also for raising money.

MILNE TO MEET COBLESKILL; CATHEDRAL DEFEATS TIDE; BOYS' ACADEMY VICTORIOUS

This Saturday evening the Milne varsity will journey to Cobleskill, where they will meet, for the second time this season, their rivals of Cobleskill High School.

Last year Milne terminated their season with a loss on the Cobleskill court. It was a hard-fought game, and several of the "Red Raider's" first-string men were disqualified. In the first game between the two teams this season, Milne emerged victorious by a score of 46-14. Despite this overwhelming score, a close battle is expected in the game Saturday night.

With the ring of a glorious victory still in their ears, the Crimsonites, on the first of February, tangled with the Cathedral quintet on the home court. The student body was startled to see the Blue and Gold squad forge ahead of the Rambling Wrecks and lead at the half time with a 22-12 score. In spite of the ten point handicap, the Milne boys came out on the floor and for the last half cut down the lead to one point. Amid the last minute fight, the whistle blew, giving the Cathedral squad a 30-29 victory.

Over-confidence and a tired squad counted greatly against Milne's chances. The boys had played the night before without a substitution and had one sub on the bench.

Following a week filled with examinations and no regular practice, the Milne squad clashed with the Boys' Academy on the latter's court. The Milne team, for the second defeat in succession, went down before the Academy quintet with the score of 25-18.

The game was hard-fought, and many a rough and tumble match featured. At the half time Milne trailed 10-13. With two minutes left to play, the Milne boys had an 19-17 lead. At this time Douglas MacHarg who had been on the bench since the first quarter, entered the game, and from then on the game was much faster. The remaining two minutes, with two substitutes and a junior varsity man as reserves, the team held their opponents to one field basket but allowed them six foul shots.

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BEHAVE IN THE LIBRARY, PLEASE

In a recent interview with Miss Thelma Eaton, librarian of Milne High School, she stated that the behavior of the pupils during library periods was growing worse. She said that there was a growing tendency of the students to loiter in the hall before entering the library.

In our opinion there is no reason for this. The rules of the library have not changed; it is the attitude of the pupils which has changed. Of course, one can offer many excuses for this condition, but they can be refuted. You may say that you had to see a friend. See him before school or afterwards. You're getting tired of the library? Exams are over, and work with a new semester has begun. You will be busy enough from now on.

Let's have some cooperation with Miss Eaton. She's doing her best; you do yours! Learn to use the library and try to behave better, and it will be a happier and more restful place for all concerned.

ANNOUNCEMENT

There will be a young people's concert by the Beethoven Symphony Orchestra at the Albany High School tomorrow at 3:00 o'clock. Tickets will be twenty-five cents. If interested, see John Winne.

by Gertrude Wheeler

Pilot--Heatly High School, Green Island, N. Y.; Academe--Girls' Academy, Albany, N. Y.; One--Boys' Academy, Albany, N. Y.; Torch--Catholic Central High School, Troy, N. Y.; Portal--Schuyler High School, Albany, N. Y.; Bleatings--St. Agnes School, Albany, N. Y.; Purple and White--Jr.-Sr. High School, Little Falls, N. Y.; Burlington High School News--Burlington High School, Vermont; Tattler--New Hartford High School, Connecticut; Dial--Brattleboro High School, Vermont; Panorama--Binghamton High School, N. Y.; School Notes--Middleton High School, Conn.; Stratford Bugle--Stratford High School, Stratford, N. Y.; Estee Echo--Estee Jr. High School, Gloversville, N. Y.; School Crier--Waterford High School, Waterford, N. Y.; Homer Academy News--Homer Academy, Homer, N. Y.; Record--Mamaroneck High School, Mamaroneck, N. Y.; Nott Terrace Tribune--Nott Terrace High School, Schenectady, N. Y.; Item--Wilbur Lynch High School, Amsterdam, N. Y.; Broadcaster--Theodore Jr. High School, Schenectady, N. Y.; Volcano--Hornell Jr.-Sr. High School, Hornell, N. Y.; Hoot Owl--Coxsackie High School, Coxsackie, N. Y.; School Daze--Cohoes High School, Cohoes, N. Y.; Scribbler--Spartenburg High School, Spartenburg, S. C.

From the Tattler, New Hartford High School, we find the prerequisites of a good reporter:

1. A nose for news
2. An ear for rumors
3. Another ear for a pencil

In the School Crier, from Waterford, we find:

A green little chemist
 On a bright little day
 Mixed some green little chemical
 In his green little way,
 And the green little grass waves
 O'er his green little grave.

ADVICE TO LOVERS

Dear Voice of Inexperience:

I am a girl who wants to take a boy to a dance but he asked me first. Who should pay for the ticket?

In Trouble

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Dear In Trouble:

It depends upon the dance. If it is a girls' society dance and the girl belongs to the society, then by all means the girl should pay for the ticket.

If a girl asks a boy who does not go to the same school to any school dance, she should buy the ticket in that case, also.

After all, the boy has to buy the tickets nine times out of ten, so at the slightest excuse, the girl should pay for it. It's leap year anyway!

* SOCIETIES *

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QUIN:

Because of pressing business, there were no quotations this week. However, Voltaire will be the author for next Tuesday.

The meeting was devoted to discussing the Quin-Sigma dance and the nominations of this semester's officers.

Sylvia Rypins was appointed to help in the checkroom. It was voted that "stag" tickets would be \$1.25 (no reduction).

THETA NU:

The literary report was given this week by Lowell Gypson. The title of the article was "The Politicians," by J. H. Wallace. A debate was held on the topic, "Is Bruno Hauptmann Guilty?" Those on the affirmative side were Jack Skinner, Roger Orton, and those on the negative side were Robert Wilke and Edward Walker.

The membership cards were passed out to each member, with Otto Schaler in charge of them. It was decided to hold the first annual banquet at Kleens on the last Friday of April. It was voted that the affair would be formal.

SIGMA:

Quotations last Tuesday were taken from Emily Dickinson. Due to a discussion on the coming initiation, the literary program was omitted. Quotations for next week will be from Carl Sandburg, with Bertha Cummings giving his works, and Ruth Nelson presenting his biography.

A discussion was carried on about the coming Quin-Sigma dance which will be next Friday night. The meeting adjourned at 11:25 o'clock.

ADELPHOI:

The weekly Adelphoi literary report was given by Kenneth Lasher. He reported on the article, "Riding the Winds in Motorless Planes," by Edwin Teale.

The business of the meeting concerned the taking in of new members. Next week the members are to submit names of likely candidates to join the society.

HI-Y

New members were welcomed to the Hi-Y meeting January 27 and were given the club oath. They were told of the club's purposes and functions by the president. A report was given on the G. A. C. - Hi-Y dance by Roger Orton.

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Crime Fictionary

Badge - a place that's patched; as, "I got a badge on my pants."

Cop - A core or center; as, corn on the cop.

Den - a conjunction; as, "after dat, den we went home."

Deduce - punishment, usually verbal, such as, "I got deduce from ma when I flunked my exams."

Gun - departed, left; as, "he's gun home."

Paracide - A man or woman who is accustomed to live in Paris.

Police - "I beg of you," as "Police don't make so much noise."

Sleuth - unhooked; as, "thath'sleuth" or "thath's unfathened."

Wound - negative; as, "I wound do it."

BASKETBALL BREVITIES

With a startling upset the Crimson and White basketeers rode on a blazing wave of victory over the Philip Schuyler quintet the Friday night preceding mid-year examinations, with a 33-31 score. Milne, who had been decidedly outclassed and defeated by the Falcons, made a fighting comeback to avenge the defeat. The Milne boys led 16-15 at half time and at one time were 10 points in the lead. Due to the fact that we used no substitutes and that the squad played at a tremendous pace the team let up a little and the home team crept up. The Crimson Tide had enough Milne spirit left to keep down the attack and hold the victory. Milne made a place for itself with this game, since we are the second Albany team to down Schuyler. A. H. S. was the first, after Cathedral, Vincention, and Christian Brothers Academy had met defeat at the hands of the Falcons.

The Jayvees were unable to stay the tremendous attack of the Falcon Junior Varsity and went down in defeat with a 38-32 score. A quick passing attack set the little boys back. Their failure to solve their opponent's offense and to start any stormy offensive thrusts was a deciding factor in their downfall.

(Continued from Column 1)

A discussion on war followed, led by Bob Feldman. This was from an article in the Forum called "War is a Racket." The Bermudan trip has been called off, but another trip is being considered.