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### SENIOR NEWS

JOINT COMMITTEE REPRESENTING THE THREE SOCIETIES ... PPOINTS V... RIOUS STUDENTS TO T..KE CH... RGE OF D... NCE

The three literary societies, Sigma, Quin, and Adelphoi, are pushing plans ahead in preparation for the annual Q.T.S.A. Dance which is to be held next Friday, April 20, for the purpose of raising money for the Q.T.S.A. Scholarship.

Robert Stutz was appointed chairman of the ticket committee, with Sara
Kessler and Pauline Soper as his assistants. In addition, Marjorie Mabel was
selected to chairman the publicity committee, and Ruth Mann, Thelma Miller,
Edith Tolman, Gertrude Wheeler, Donald
Glenn, and George Cole ware picked to
assist her along these lines.

Bernice Conklin will have full charge for decorations, along with Jane Doran, Betty Ostrander, Jean Anderson, Jayne Osbury, Richard Masterson, D. Tynan, Edwin Blocksidge, and Jane Fromm. However, all three societies are expected to supply several other members who will help in decorating the gymnasium for the gala affair.

Dan Alexander's Orchestra has been engaged, and dancing will begin at nine o'clock.

(EDITOR'S NOTE: For the enlightenment of Milne students, a summary of the organization and distribution of the Q.T.S.A. Scholarship will be found on Page 2.)

PRES. STUTZ APPOINTS COMMITTEE
TO COMPOSE 'WHO'S WHO' OF CLASS

At the meeting of the Senior Class on Thursday, the finances of the class were discussed and an added tax was proposed.

Robert Stutz, president of the class, appointed Kenneth Snowden and Frances Charles to assist him in drawing up a "Who's Who" of the Class of '34. Vote will be taken on these next Thursday.

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C.LL FOR FIRST MILNE B..SEB..LL
PR..CTICE ..T RIDGEFIELD MONDAY

Milne High School's baseball toam will go through its first practice in preparation of the season Monday afternoon after school at Ridgefield Park. all preliminary preparations, including the awarding of suits to former letter men, have been completed by Coach Rutherford Baker and Coach Osmer Brooks, who are in charge of molding the squad into a strong team.

The team lost several of its members last year through graduation, but both coaches expect that sufficient reserves will come out to make up for the vacancies in the lineup.

The following members of last year's nine will be available this year: Ed Sickler, pitcher; Feldman, Blocksidge, Ely, and Stutz, infielders; and Watkins and Collins, outfielders. Uniforms have been awarded to all of the above, and the rest of the squad will compete for the remaining outfits.

Ridgefield Park has definitely been re-rented by the ..thletic Council, and plans are being made to use the park to a greater extent than ever before. The schedule of baseball games with schools of the Capital District has not been announced as yet.

SENIOR ...ND JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS SEE FILM SHOWING ...IR TR.NSPORTS

The American Airways, Incorporated, presented "Fly American," an airplane picture, for the benefit of the combined Milne Senior and Junior High Schools at the assembly program yesterdat nine o'clock.

Mr. Max J. Pollet, City Traffic
Manager of the American Airways, Inc.,
accompanied the showing of the film.
Mr. Pollet, who has been associated with
the air transportation industry for many
years, was present to answer any of the
questions put by the students after the
showing of the film.

This sound film introduced a group of air travelers and followed them throug a complete flight from the purchase of their tickets to their landing.

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#### Q.T.S.A. SCHOLARSHIP

With the increasing talk concerning the annual Q.T.S.A. Formal Dance, it is evident that a large percentage of the student body is absolutely unaware and unaquainted with the purpose for which the proceeds of the arfair are spent. It has come to be regarded as merely a social event to be held annually in Milne, so that students and outsiders may display their tuxedo attire.. It has come to be considered as similar to the annual Policemen's Ball; i.e., just another affair for which everyone gets "stuck".

However, it is our opinion that, were all students to know how the money raised by the dance is spent, everyone would support this worthwhile cause. The name, "Q.T.S.A. Scholarship", is vaguely understood, with the result that few students sense their obligation to contribute towards it.

In reality, the Q.T.S.A. Scholar-ship consists of a sum of one hundred dollars, given annually by the three literary societies of Milne. The recipient is th be the student sho has done most for the Milne School in his four years here, but he can receive it only on the condition that he . attends college. Fifty dollars is ranted him at the beginning of his

first college semester, but the second sum of money is not granted until the school receives a record showing that the honored student has done satisfactory work in his first few months of work.

As one can readily see, this efficient system not only is of material aid to the atadent, but also tends to raise the Milne School in the estimation of colleges and universities in that it has helped to sponsor the extendededucation of students who can best represent this institution. For ten years already, the Q.T.S.A. Scholarship has helped some of Milne's finest students and leaders to represent it in the educational world. In this respect it has been of unestimable value both to the students and to the school.

### HUMOR

Father: Daughter, isn't that young man rather fast? Yes, but I don't think Olive: he'll get away.

The lights in a crowded New York bus failed and the passengers were thrown into confusion.

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"Can I find you a strap?" William asked the young lady at his side. She smiled sweetly.

"Thank you," she replied, "but I have just found one.

"Splendid," Bill replied, "then perhaps you wouldn't mind letting go of my tie."

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Perk; "I fell over fifty feet today." Steve: "You did?" "Were you hurt?" Perk: "No, I was just going through a crowded street car."

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### YEARBOOK STAFF NAMES MAY 14 AS FINAL DATE FOR CONTRIBUTIONS

May 14 has been set by the staff of the CRIMSON AND WHITE as the final date to hand in all contributions for the final Yearbook, which will appear on Class Night, June 16. All contributions by both members of the staff and by outsiders will necessarily be in at that time, if the Yearbook is to go to press on time to appear at the scheduled time.

Although attempts were made to deviate from the habitual custom of seeking contributions through the English Department, it has been found necessary to resort to that practice once again. It is therefore hoped and expected that all students who can, will hand in numerous selections.

# FRENCH CLUB DROPS PLANS FOR PROGRAM; WILL RAISE CLUB ASSESSMENTS

"Les Babillards," the French Honor Society, conducted its regular weekly meeting under the leadership of Margaret Gill on Monday. The society held another discussion concerning the possibility of presenting a program before the school in May. Despite the fact that the committee which had been appointed to read up on plays and to select a satisfactory one for presentation reported that everything was in readiness and only waited the selection of a cast, the society decided that it was too late in the year to begin work on a program.

Due to the increased expenditures of the club, it has been found necessary to raise the dues of the club to their former, and to eliminate every economy previously planned.

# BEGINNERS PLAN TO PRESENT "THE KING'S ENGLISH" IN ASSEMBLY

The Beginner's Drum tics Club will present "The King's English" by Herbert Bates, Wednesday, May 16.

The cast includes, "Jerry" Peterson, Kenneth Snowden, Richard Thompson, Rolph Norvell, Clarence Chatterton, Douglass Mac Harg, Jay O'Brien, Norman Frey, Jack Fasoldt, Henry Witte, Robert Stutz, and William Emery.

It is directed by Miss M ybelle bathews, a State College student.

### Q.T.S.A. COMMITTEE OFFERS PRIZE

The committee in charge of the Q.T.K.A. Dance has offered a prize of three dollars in cash to the person who sells the most tickets above five for the annual dance next Friday. If no person sells five, then one free ticket goes to the one who sells the most.

# CHAIRMAN AND COMMITTLES SELECTED TO HANDLE STUDENT COUNCIL AFFAIR

The chairman and the committees for the Student Council Dance were appointed by President Thomas L. Watkins, Jr. at the meeting of the Student Council Wednesday. The committees have been requested to begin work immediately on the dance which is to be held Saturday May 19, in the old gymnasium (under Hawley Library).

Henry Burnet, Jr. was appointed general chairman, and he will be assist ed by Margaret Gill and William "rnoldy He will have charge of properties and chaperons and will supervise the dance in all mater.

The committee for publicity is headed by Miss Helen Gibson, assisted by Frances Hoornbeck and Cora Randles. The committee hopes to receive further assistance from volunteers, so that posters and bulletins may be put in many conspicuous spots in albany schools

Mr. Witkins announced that Edwin Blockridge will be given charge of printing the tickets, while Miss Dorotha Ann Duffey and Howard Rosenstein will have to do with the distribution and sale of tickets.

The committee on the selection of a good orchestra has not yet reported to the Council, but it is expected to do so in the very near future.

### THREE SOCIETIES UNITE TO PRESENT SHOW ON INTER-SOCIETY DAY ON MAY 30

The first annual Inter-Society Day will be celebrated Thursday afternoon, May 17, in the Proce Hall auditorium. Sigma, Quin, and adelphoi Literary Societies will unite in presenting a musical comedy entitled "Hula-Baloo". The comedy, written by Virginia Hall and Chrisades, will be directed by Kenneth Snowden and Osmund Smith. Part of the cast was chosen from Pryouts held Tuesday at 2 o'clock in Room 320.

Formerly Sigma and Quin joined in the presentation of a Girl's Day program for the members of the societies. This year the new precednet of an Inter-Society Day including adelphoi is being introduced and the entertainment made more extensive.

# MISS WHEELING SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO DESK EFTER ILLNESS OF ~ MONTHS

Miss Katherine E. Wheeling, Head of the English Department, will resume her duties in Milne sometime next week, the exact date of her return as yet unknown Miss Wheeling has had a temporary leave of abscence due to illness since February 23. For the past month Miss Wheeling has been convalescing in Detroit, at the home of her sister.