

62's RAIDERS CHOSEN

By BOB HUFF

On November 1st, a group of energetic boys were organized in the big gym for the tryouts for Milne's two basketball teams, varsity and junior varsity. After three days of practice the varsity squad was chosen. The boys for the j.v. squad are still fighting for positions. In the following paragraphs are written comments about each of the varsity players, received from Coach Robert Lewis during an interview. Here is your varsity squad for 1961-1962.

Mike Daggett: co-captain for this year's squad. This is Mike's third year on varsity. He has an excellent jump shot, good speed, and led the team in scoring last year. We are hoping that he will be one of the leading scorers this year.

Jon McClelland: Jon is on varsity for this second year this year. He was elected co-captain of this year's team along with Mike Daggett. Last year he was the leading rebounder. Jon has a strong pair of hands and a good drive. We are hoping that Jon will again excel in scoring and rebounding again this season.

Tom Bennett: As a junior, Tom will start his second season on the varsity. Tom is best noted for his towering jump shot. The coach feels that he can be as good as he wants to be. "He needs to be more ag-

gressive and to drive more as well as to be more aggressive on the defense. If he learns to do these things, he could be one of the top players in the city."

Brian Carey: Brian is up from the j.v. squad this year. He is best noted for his driving abilities, although his better than average ball handling abilities should help the team out immensely.

"Sam" Huff: "Sam" is a good hustler possessing a good set shot and a fair jump shot. He is one of

the top contenders for the vacant guard position, held by Rice and Jenkins on last year's team. He is also a product of the j.v. team.

Jim Hengerer: Up from j.v. too, Jimmy is very fast and excels as a defensive player. He possesses a fine one hand push shot. He is also one of the top contenders for the guard position.

Coddy Nuckols: Another contender for the guard position, Coddy is yet another product of the j.v. team. He has a fair jump shot, but

needs to work more on his ball handling and his defense.

Jim Roemer: Up from the j.v. Jim has a fair jump shot but needs to work on his driving. Although he is a little weak with his left hand, he is working on it and will be battling Carey for a forward position.

Jim Lange: Originally slated for this year's j.v., Jim has improved so much that he has made the squad. He has a good jump shot, is an aggressive rebounder, and should improve with each game.

Bob Miller: Bob is an aggressive, hard worker; he is the type of ball player that could surprise everyone.

Curt Cosgrave: Curt possesses a good jump shot and is a good ball handler. The coach might try him in either a guard or a forward position. He is a fair rebounder which makes him a threat on the inside.

The whole team: Although we lost very able ball players last year, we are set in about three positions. Our greatest loss was in the guard position which is now up for grabs. This position may determine the future of the team. The team is, on an average, smaller than last year's and league competition is expected to be greater. The outlook for the season depends on the hustle and general feelings of the players toward the games.



This year's Raiders: (l. to r.) Carey, Hengerer, McClelland, Lang, Bennett, Daggett, Roemer, Huff, Cosgrave, Miller, and Coach Lewis.

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Sigma Active

By BETH LARAWAY

The Sigma Rush was held in the Little Theatre at 3:00 last Tuesday. Themes were taken from Broadway musicals, made hilariously funny, and finally presented in a nightclub atmosphere. Some of the presentations were "Fiorello," "West Side Story," "Barney Google," "Pajama Game," "South Pacific," and "Gypsy." In case you have never heard of "Gypsy," it was written, produced, and directed by one of the many talented Sigma girls, Virginia Coleman.

Judy Wilson was general chairman of the program. Sue Johnstone was in charge of refreshments; Gay Simmons, of decorations; and Sandy Longe, of invitations. Jana Hesser and Jan Meurs headed the clean-up committee.

When the girls have all pledged, and the final decision has been made, a banquet will be held to install the girls as official members of the Zeta Sigma Literary Society.

FHA Announces Sale

The Milne F.H.A. Club is planning a bake sale. It is to be held on Tuesday, November 14, in the Home Economics room during lunch hour. The proceeds will go to the U.N.I.C.E.F. and other worthy organizations.

Six of the F.H.A. girls recently attended a conference in Cobleskill. The meeting was attended by all area F.H.A. clubs and included a business meeting, a dinner, and a dance.

Science Show Successful

By AMOS MOSCRIP

The most important thing for a high school student today is to "find a goal, a career, something that interests you, and then prepare for it." To turn students' minds towards this is one of the main reasons the General Electric "Adventures in Science" Show goes on the road each year, reaching almost all the high schools and junior highs in the U.S.

Show Was Smooth and Enjoyable

Under the direction of Mr. Robert Lauterborn, head of the northeastern travelling unit (there are four throughout the country), the show appeared at a Milne assembly on Thursday, November 6. It proved an engrossing 45 minutes, covering a central theme with a "script spotted with demonstrations." A screen that retained a shadow minutes after it had been given, a motor that broke paper with a velocity of 600 m.p.h., a blank pistol whose sound vibrations blew out a candle, a light plastic foam that swelled to 150 times its size, these were some of the demonstrations. They served to point out the "message" that three things are necessary for progress in any field: 1. Curiosity, 2. Knowledge, 3. Purpose and objective. The show went smoothly and not without humor ("I see you people in the back are worried about when this paper will come flying off at 600 m.p.h. . . . you don't have to worry. The people in front do.")

Show To Be Televised

"Science" will probably continue to create this interest in science and careers as long as there is a G.E. And if you really liked the show and would like to see it again, soon, watch the T.V. listings for WRGB.

And so the "Adventures in A tape will be on sometime in November.

Our Purpose: Motivate Students

The tour is actually an extension of G.E.'s old House of Magic started 30 years ago by Bill Gleason. Mainly for adults, the show received so many requests to play schools that it went into them exclusively. The purpose of the now updated experiments is to "motivate students in a unique and interesting way not only to be motivated towards the sciences, but to give thought to their own careers." To accomplish this end, the show is revised each year, taking one month to write and one month to rehearse, and \$15,000 worth of equipment. Science teachers on the whole, though they sometimes tend to quibble about the exact explanations for the experiments, are enthusiastic about the methods used and the interest generated in the students. Mr. Lauterborn, an English major and public relations man with no degree in science, says while there is "unquestionably more interest in science careers today," partly due to a better science curriculum in the schools, science is not trying to be shoved down anyone's throat. There is merely more of "an attempt to create more of an

Future Profs Induct New Members

By CAROL RICOTTA and SUSAN WEINSTOCK

Honoring American Education Week the newly formed Prospective Teachers Club, the Milne chapter of the Future Teachers of America, held its first induction ceremony on November 8. Sixteen students were inducted as members of the organization. They were: Gerald Gibson, Maureen Glasheen, Ken Thomas, Carol Huff, Susan Weiner, Jack Fairhurst, Jeff Sperry, Leslie Brody, Carol Ricotta, Judith Lennon, Betty Kelsey, Charles Eson, Bill Barr, Susan Weinstock, Laurie Hyman, and Sue Policoff.

G.I.T.O. Tea

On November 8, as one of its first functions this year, the club held a tea in honor of American Education Week (Nov. 5-11). It was given in the Milne library between 3:00 and 3:45 for all Milne faculty and club members. The name of the tea, G.I.T.O., stands for Glad It's Three O'clock. Its purpose was to acquaint teachers with the P.T.A. club, and to talk about various activities for the coming year. Attendance of college methods classes and supervised teaching by club members were two of the topics discussed.

awareness" in science because of the large role it plays in our lives and deaths in current society.

An Organizational Example: The Cross Country Team...

With the recent disorganization of several Milne boys' organizations, the two fraternities and Hi-Y in particular, it is surprising that interest has been shown in the new cross-country team. Considering the examples of these clubs, it is also surprising that the team has done so well, its rookies winning out over more experienced players in several meets; obviously the results show much hard work.

Why then do some organizations, i.e., Hi-Y, lose members, and become defunct while others spring up? It is because the mentioned organizations lost their leadership, and, hence, the interesting programs, that hold members. It is also obvious that an organization must have a definite goal, or in other cases, a set program of activities. With both of these necessities it should be easy to get a club or team off the ground. In the case of the cross-country team, creative and industrious leadership by Coach Robert Lewis led to a hard-working team that can be proud of its achievements. It sets a good example for any other clubs that now or may, in the future, exist. — C.C.B.



By JUDITH MARGOLIS and SHERRY PRESS

HALLOWEEN WEEKEND saw, among other sights, sixty little monsters on a hayride sponsored by the youth group of St. Andrews Church. Of course, there was a predominance of Milnites including Terry Galpin, president of the group, Bob Reynolds, Sandra Longe, Billy Dey, Tom Longe, Diane Caroll, Ann Nelson, Al Riley, Randy Hatt, Bob Miller, Dave Golden, Rick Sherman, Nancy Baker, Bruce Moran, and Jeff Martin along with many others we couldn't see for the flying hay.

SIGMA AND QUIN held their rushes recently so that they and the pledges might get acquainted. Never knew there were so many models and Broadway stars in school—did you?

COUNT ON THE JUNIOR CLASS to help fill the column! This time it was Sue Scher who sponsored the extravaganza—Zita Hafner, Carole Huff, Ann Miller, Jill Kapner, Karen Thorsen, Peggy Roblin, and Sandy Longe were slumbering(?) soundly.

ANOTHER P.J. PARTY was given by Ginny Coleman. These must really be the rage! Penny and Peggy Roblin, Sue Scher, Gail Kelch, Sheila Goldberg, Zita Hafner, Lonna Caroll, Barbara Richman, Carol Linsley, Peggy Carney, and Elaine Tolokonsky were the ones who lost out on sleep that night.

C-C Team Wins Again

The Milne Cross-Country team crushed Cardinal McCloskey in a practice heat by a 15-53 score. Bob Miller, the winner, smashed the existing school record by running the Washington Park course in 12:55. Dan Dugan and Dick Blabey both broke the old thirteen minute mark with their times of 12:56 and 12:57 respectively.

Milne placed fourth in the Class C sectionals at Central Park. Dick Blabey came in first for Milne followed by Dan Dugan, Bob Miller, Keith Sanderson, Deane Rundell, Bud Marshall and Tom Kingston. Steve Hutchins was first for Milne in the J.V. meet.

Milne Fourth in C.D.C.C.C.

Milne took fourth place honors with 122 points in the Capital District Cross-Country Championship held October 27 in Washington Park. Eight area schools participated including Colonie Central, the winner with a low 31 pts., V.I. (33 pts.), Albany High (82 pts.), Columbia (139 pts.), C.B.A. (144 pts.), Van Rensselaer (194 pts.), and Maple Hill (237 pts.).

The first five Milne runners, Dick Blabey, Dan Dugan, Tom Kingston, Bob Miller, and Keith Sanderson finished 21, 22, 23, 25, and 31 respectfully. Also running for Milne were Deane Rundell and Frank Marshall. Blabey's time for the 2 1/4 mile course was 12 min. 27 sec. Dan Dugan and Tom Kingston followed in quick succession with times of 12 min. 28 sec. and 12 min. 29 sec.

Senior Spotlight Focuses on C&W Editors

By CAROL RICOTTA and RUSTY LA GRANGE

The C&W is composed of many reporters and columnists but the final work on each issue is done by the editors. The Associate Editor, Ellen (Shelly) Spritzer was born on May 16, 1944 in New York City.



ELLEN SPRITZER
Associate Editor

Since coming to Milne in 1957 from Public School 19 she has had varied activities including being a member of Sigma, an active membership in the Music Appreciation Club, and acting as a member of the Senior Play Reading Committee. Shelly also does very worthwhile work at the Clinton Square Neighborhood House. This is somewhat of an introduction to what Shelly wants to do after graduation. Her desired vocation is to be a teacher of socially maladjusted children. She would like to study at Vassar,

Rochester, or Buffalo University. (Upon attempting to acquire more information I discovered that any time before nine a.m. is definitely not the time to interview Shelly. She claims that she can't even think straight at that hour.)

The News Editor of the C&W, Jane Larrabee, didn't reach Milne until her junior year. She came here having attended junior high school in Marblehead, Mass. and the first two years of the senior high in Windsor, Conn. Jane is an active member of the Music Appreciation Club and Quin, and proudly boasts that, outside of school, she is an assistant Brownie Scout leader. Her varied hobbies include such things as painting, writing, ice skating, and all types of music. Reporters, inefficiency, and homework for the sake of homework are some of her pet peeves. Jane would like to study at Smith, Middlebury, or Albany State Teacher's College. If any of you listen to popular songs, you know she is now referred to as "Big Bad Jane."



JANE LARRABEE
News Editor

There is one senior girl who spends her leisure time, besides sewing and cooking, in thinking up effective excuses why the C&W typing is never done on time. It could be that she's Judy Wilson, typing editor. She has lived in such places as New York City, McKownville, and Troy. Since entering Milne she has been active in FHA, Tri-Hi-Y, Red Cross, and Sigma. Judy likes red but says that she doesn't look well in the color, so she has bought all red pajamas. She also likes ice cream, choir rehearsal, and one orange shirt she has had for twelve years. When asked what she's do with a possible extra hour, she says she'd put it in the morning so that she could sleep later. Judy's pet peeve is the lack of friendly unity between the members of the senior class. Next year she would like to attend Hudson Valley Community College and major in mental hygiene.

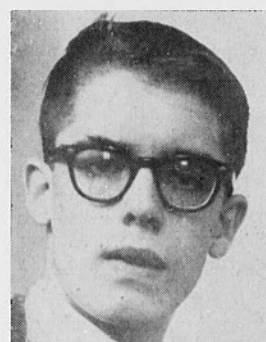
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BOB HENRICKSON
Photographer

Pep Rally in View

Enthusiastically practising for the pep rally on November 14, are the Varsity cheerleaders. Hair ribbons are the new additions to the red and white uniforms. Also taking part in the rally are the j.v. cheerleaders and songleaders. The pep rally will be held during sixth period on the 14th.

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