

CRIMSON AND WHITE

VOL. XII, No. 11

THE MILNE SCHOOL, ALBANY, N. Y.

FEBRUARY 19, 1943

Citr War Council Reaches Goal

"The Albany Student War Council, for the second time since its founding, has succeeded in surpassing a War Bond and Stamp goal," announced Richard Bates, president. The latest home front victory by the high school students of the city came on February 12th, Lincoln's birthday. A quota of \$40,000 had been set. The figures on that date read \$42,014.00.

Last December 7, Pearl Harbor day, with a goal of \$15,000 set, the students climaxed a spirited drive and were able to surpass the goal by over \$9,000. With only seven weeks of actual school since then, the pupils have purchased over \$17,000 to top the \$40,000 goal by \$2,014.

The school and their totals are as follows: Albany High School, \$10,-963; Albany Academy for Boys, \$4,600; Albany Academy for Girls, \$2,000; Cathedral, \$581; Christian Brothers Academy, \$3,200; Academy of Holy Names, \$1,280; Milne, \$6,-149; Philip Schuyler \$6,661; St. Joseph's, \$242; St. Agnes', \$1,146; and Vincentian, \$5,200.

A new goal of about \$100,000 may be established by the council. The date set for such a goal would be May 15, or June 1.

The Student War Council is also discussing plans for an intra-city musical program which would be held in March for the benefit of the Red Cross.

Senior Class Forms Executive Committee

Senior Class members voted unanimously to establish an executive committee to handle matters concerning the class during their homeroom meetings on Monday, February 15. The action was taken to expedite the handling of many situations involving the class, which may turn up. Until now, senior classes have always had to hold a class meeting, with a majority of members present, in order to deal with anything concerning the class. This meant that important matters which often needed immediate attention were often cut off for days or even weeks, until class meetings could be arranged.

The members of the committee will consist of the four class officers, and two homeroom representatives, six in all. President Charles Cross, who will be chairman, ex-officio, of the committee, and Dorothy Rider, secretary, are of Homeroom 130. Vice-President Harvey Holmes, and Treasurer Benjamin Van Acker will represent the Art-Room. Homeroom 233 has elected as its delegates to the council Betty Vail and Geraldine Carlock.

Milne Displays WPA Art Work On First Floor

With the disbanding of the W.P.A. Federal Art Project in Albany, the works of project artists are being allocated to various schools and hospitals in this vicinity. State College has been fortunate in receiving a collection of sixty-three original paintings and prints. Miss Ruth Hutchins of the College Art department, Miss Grace Martin and Mr. James Lockman of Milne have been industriously "hanging" in Milne's first floor corridor all last week. Milne is fortunate in having the year's largest art exhibit in its corridors. College students will have reason to come to Milne to see the exhibit.

Employed Many Artists

The Federal Art Project, all through the depression, was active in providing work for professional artists of all types. At its peak it employed 5,212 artists of all types. Many schools, post offices, and other public buildings are decorated with the work of project artists.

Everyone Invited

"Milne and college students and their parents and friends are invited to visit this exhibition from February 15 to March 1," said Miss Martin in discussing the collection. Eventually the pictures will be hung in various rooms throughout the College buildings, she continued. Members of the faculty who are interested in learning something about the artists are invited to see Miss Martin, who has some of the biographical notes loaned to her by Mr. Hinkelman, in charge of the liquidation of the Federal Art Project.

W.P.A. Federal Art Exhibition—Collection of Prints and Paintings loaned to New York State College, Albany, at Milne School, February 15 to March 1:

(Continued on page 4, column 2)

School Suffers in Cold Spell

Milne's casualty list is tolling higher and higher. Monday the first effects were noticeable, with Meg Hunting, Fay Metcalf, and Mona Delehant reporting frozen legs. John Hutchinson added a frozen cheek to the ever growing list, as did Al Mendel his frozen ear, while Gordon Kilby just plain froze. John Morrison received a frozen bottle of milk in the annex.

Came Wednesday, and Laura Fay Dancy tripped on the way to the cafeteria, and after being rushed to the hospital, had six stitches on her forehead. This list is official.

Class of '43 to Present Dramatic Offering to School

Senior School Choir Will Sing for College

Milne Band Displayed Talent During State-Niagara Game

The Milne senior school choir will sing at the State College assembly today at 11:30. They will sing for a twenty-minute period.

The Milne triple trio will also perform. The members are: Felita Shain, '44, Julia Bayruther, '45, and Ann Robinson, '45, first sopranos; Norma Johnson, '45, Shirley Mescall, '45, and Eleanor McFee, '43, second sopranos; Janet Taylor, '43, Barbara Shamberger, '45, and Lois Meehan, '45, altos. Beverly Cohen will accompany the choir.

The Milne band played at the State College-Niagara game last Friday night in the Page Hall gym. The band was received very well by the college students. They played many encores. It is possible that they will play at another State College game.

If Mr. Roy York, director of the music department is not in the army by spring, the music department may present another concert in May.

The band will not play at the Philip Schuyler game tomorrow night, but they will probably play at the games on the fifth and sixth of March.

Societies Postpone Quin-Sigma Dance

The annual Quin-Sigma dance, scheduled for February 19, has been postponed one week to February 26 by a vote of both societies. The reason for the postponement is the fact that the Varsity and J.V. fellows would be unable to attend because of the Schuyler game on Saturday night. The societies wish the dance to be a success and more couples will be present on the 26th.

Paul Parker's orchestra will supply the music and tickets are on sale for \$1.10 per couple.

The initiation of new members of Quin and Sigma was held Tuesday, February 16, at 3:30 in the lounge and library, respectively. There the sophomores underwent rigorous tortures.

After the fun the girls met in the Home Economics room for refreshments.

In the near future Quin members will conduct an installation tea, while Sigma will have its annual installation luncheon.

List Casts, Committees; Misses Clark and Wurtz Of State to Direct Play

The senior class has tentatively selected Friday evening, April 30, as the date of presentation for their production of "Girl Shy," by Katherine Kavanaugh, in the Page Hall Auditorium.

Miss Barbara Clark and Miss Shirley Wurtz, directors of the play, conducted tryouts on Friday, February 12, in the Senior Room at 1:30 p. m. The cast which has been selected is as follows:

Oke—Chuck Cross
Tom—Fay Metcalf
Antony Arsdale—Morty Swartz
Sylvia—Muriel Welch
Dean Marlowe—Bill Soper
Peaches—Shirley Atkin
Asma—Melba Levine
Birdie—Janet Taylor
Babs—Betty Vail
Alfred—Ben Van Acker
Chuck Mayo—Jack Casner

Rand Appointed Chairman

Charles Cross, class president, has appointed Roy Rand general chairman of the play. The following committees will manage the affair: Properties committee: Marjorie Wright, chairman; Ruth Kettler, June Brookman, Harriet Hochstrasser, and Dick Smith.

Sets and Lights committee: Ruth Taylor, chairman; Barbara Hewes, Doris Spector, Dick Bates, Ray Stickney, Hal Game, George Edick, and Ted DeMoss.

House committee: Nat Mann, chairman; Meg Hunting, Ruth Lavine, June Welsh, Harvey Holmes, and Nicky Mitchell.

Publicity committee: Vilma Tubbs, chairman; Miriam Steinhart, Russell Langwig, and Dorothy Rider.

Costume committee: Lee Mapes, chairman; Laura Fay Dancy, Jerry Carlock, and Margaret Kirk.

Tickets on Sale Soon

Tickets will soon be on sale and may be purchased from any member of the class. Student tickets will cost 28 cents, tickets for adults will sell for 44 cents, tax included.

The play is a three-act comedy which takes place in a college town. Heid plays the part of the "girl shy" fellow, while Cross is his room-mate. Misses Vail, Atkin, and Welch provide the romantic leads. Miss Levine plays a character part in the person of Asma, the colored maid.

Cross stated, "All the Seniors are working hard to make the play a success. We certainly hope that the rest of the students will support our efforts."

CRIMSON AND WHITE

Volume XII Friday, February 19, 1943 No. 11



Published weekly for the Student Association of the Milne School, Albany, New York, by the members of the CRIMSON AND WHITE Board. Address exchanges to the Staff Librarian, and other correspondence to the Editor.

For advertising Rates and Policy, telephone Albany 5-3521 extension 19, or write the Advertising Manager.

MEMBER

Columbia Scholastic Press Association
Capital District Scholastic Press Association

THE EDITORIAL BOARD

NATALIE MANN, '43	- - -	CO-EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
MELBA LEVINE, '43	- - -	CO-EDITOR-IN-CHIEF
JOHN MORRISON, '43	- - -	ASSOCIATE EDITOR
NANCY EDDISON, '43	- - -	ASSOCIATE EDITOR
SANFORD BOOKSTEIN, '44	- - -	ASSOCIATE EDITOR
TOM MCCRACKEN, '44	- - -	SPORTS EDITOR
MARIE EDWARDS, '43	- - -	FEATURE EDITOR
EILEEN LEGGE, '43	- - -	ADVERTISING MANAGER
SHIRLEY ATKIN, '43	- - -	BUSINESS MANAGER
MISS KATHERINE E. WHEELING	- - -	FACULTY ADVISER
MR. JAMES E. COCHRANE	- - -	FACULTY ADVISER

THE NEWS BOARD

Betty Baskin, Jane Curtis, Eleanor McFee, Dorothy Rider, Marjorie Wright, Ruth Ketler, June Brookman, Harriet Hochstrasser, Doris Spector, Roberta Smith, Sue Hoyt, Joyce Knapp, Inez Warshaw, Richard Bates, Elaine Fite, Janice O'Connell, Frances Morah, Lucia Swift, Shirley Odell, Betty Fetting, Robert Blum, Allan Reagan, Barbara Bogardus, Helen Huntington, Barbara MacMahon, Paul Distelhurst, Laurel Ulrich.

To the Editor

The letter appearing in last week's paper about the cheerleading squad called forth a lot of unfair criticism. I am not going to say the article was completely wrong. It had quite a few good points in it, but—

In the first place as far as our putting on a floorshow goes, last year, we didn't have very good cheers and the students complained. So this year we worked hard to get some peppy new cheers and some cute snappy formations for the old ones, and what happens? We are accused of trying to put on a floorshow! In fact, our cheers hardly show up when compared to the cartwheels, front flips and other tricks practiced by Columbia, B. C. H. S., Rensselaer and Watervliet. We don't want to put on a floorshow. We simply want to get the crowd pepped up and yelling.

The members of the cheerleading squad would like to bring out three points. The first is that we do not take twenty cheerleaders to games! The junior squad has a limit of five for away games and ten for home games. The senior squad has no limit but usually takes about the same number as the junior squad. My second point is that all the cheerleaders are needed. The "fight" cheer uses ten and "Victory" uses 7, so you see they aren't just excess baggage. The third reason is that this method of choosing the cheerleading squad was suggested by Dr. Frederick. A certain number are selected from each grade so that there will never be an inexperienced squad.

Mr. Bulger said that in his opinion the girls have done a fine job this year, and that he is very pleased. He thinks Milne's cheerleaders look better on the floor than any other school squad. And by the way, you will find that all other school squads are as large or larger than ours! And if anyone is looking for improvements, how about a little more response to the cheers?

Caryl Ferber, junior squad.

milne merry-go-round

At long last, when the cheerleaders say the Whip-poorwill cheer, all can yell, Beat Schuyler. For the last twelve games, there has been someone in the "vast" cheering sections who determinedly wants to beat Schuyler, regardless of whom our opponents might be. Well, it all comes out well, and tonight's the night. The boys will have rested well tonight, and everyone in the school must turn out to watch them stop Schuyler's winning streak of fourteen games. Sounds simple, huh? Well, it is for the Milne Red Raiders. They have been riding on a little winning streak of their own . . . There was a horrible showing at last week's game against St. John's. The few rooters who were there paired off after the game and many were seen trudging up to Wagar's and Herbert's among other places . . . **Ed Bookstein**, our own Yale man, was back visiting his old haunts.

The old adage, "Beauty is only skin deep," was proved wrong Tuesday. It should say, "Beauty is only make-up deep." For proof, ask the sophomore girls. Without lipstick, powder, and other paint, they, for some reason or other, didn't look their usual gaudious selves. Ask **Dottie Hoopes** why she likes her red hair better than **Audrey's**. They look the same color to most people . . . The Sigma girls all said that they were happy to be in that society, but cried anyway. It just doesn't make sense. . . .

Another Milne custom. Another Milne dance. The dance is the Quin-Sigma. The custom is postponing an event.

This time the dance has been postponed only one week, and the C.B.A. basketball game originally scheduled for that night, February 26, has been changed to March 6. All this was done, so the "varsity boys" could attend the dance. The list of who's dragging whom will definitely be in next week, after all dates have been unscrambled, made, and remade.

Doris Spector is going to the Junior-Freshmen dance at Union this Saturday. The Junior Prom there is coming up in March and **Janet Taylor** is going with guess-whom? R.P.I. is combining their Junior Prom and Soph Soiree in March, also. **Nat Mann** favors the Tech men to those of Union, it seems, as does **June Welsh** . . . **Dick Lawyer**, U.S.A., was home over the weekend. He disrupted the 12:35 English classes with his arrival. **Johnny Brown** was home, too. It's good to see the boys back again . . . There was a lot of comment about last week's open letter. Most of you Milnites don't seem to realize that "J.M." stands for **Joe Milnite** and not for **John Morrison**. We offer our humblest apologies to poor **John**, who was credited with the authorship. **Sandy Bookstein** really deserves it . . . Who sent the valentines is the mystery of the senior class. **Ruth Ketler**, **Shirley Atkin**, and **Doris Spector**, all received them, in the same kind of envelopes, mailed at the same time, and typed on the same typewriter. Queer, isn't it? Of course, there were the usual sweet sentiments floating around. Hearts and flowers, ah me. . . .

Did you miss **Gordon Kilby** last week? . . . Our youngest couple at the Quin-Sigma will be **Jesse Barnet** and **Nancy Moorehead**. More senior school couples should follow suit . . . The seniors are going dramatic. They had their tryouts for the play last week, and there was a big turnout . . . **Roy Rand** is general chairman. He's having fun, dividing his time between State and Milne.

Dear Editor:

Decrease the cheering squads? Why? This school has so much school spirit that they don't need so many? To this I say "Ha." If we have so much school spirit then why doesn't it show? Anyone that attends our games will realize that it's the cheerleaders that are giving their all to cheer our fellows and that most of the Milnites seem to attend the games with a "well, I had nothing better to do attitude and whom do you find at the away games, whether fair weather or foul?" The cheerleaders, the teams and that's all. If they can get there why can't you?

And even our teams show no cooperation off the court. When they are not playing, they sit there like a row of MUMMIES! If they'd yell, perhaps they might inspire a little spirit in the rest of the spectators.

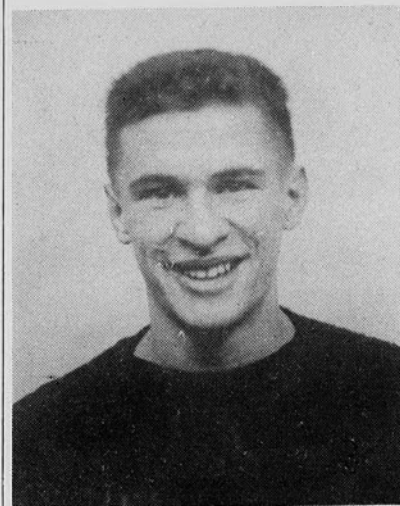
So here's our answer—

When we have more school spirit the squad will be decreased because it won't be needed.

A Cheerleader, senior squad.

Senior Spotlight

—by Mike—



Harry Culp

Harry Edward Culp is a native Albanian. He was born here on September 3, 1925, and has lived here ever since. He attended P.S. No. 19 and came to Milne in his seventh year.

In his sophomore year, Harry was elected into Theta Nu Literary Society and was also a member of the Junior Varsity Basketball team. The following year, he again played on the Junior Varsity. He was a member of the Varsity Tennis team, the Inter-Society Council, and the Hi-Y Christian Association.

Presides Over Theta Nu

This year, Harry is president of Theta Nu, vice-president of the Inter-Society Council, and vice-president of H-Y. Besides all of this, he is a stalwart member of the varsity basketball squad. His defensive playing is outstanding, and he has been important in many of the team's victories.

Harry is in Home Room 233, and has been in it since the seventh grade, with the exception of the sophomore year, when the home room moved to 228.

Culp is fond of all sports and games and was planning to become a physical education instructor. He was going to study at Cortland Normal School. However, after his high school graduation, he will probably enter the Navy.

Has Few Dislikes

Harry has very few dislikes. Some of them are the smell and taste of either onions or garlic. Also, he does not like "bad dancers."

He is easy to get along with, having many likes. Among them are Harry James, Tommy Dorsey, steak and French fries, dancing and brush cuts. Harry likes girls, especially those, small, lively, dark haired, and with a personality of their own.

Shorter Working Hours

School will open next Tuesday morning, February 23, at 9:00 a. m., after a brief vacation. For the remainder of the week, school will be dismissed at 2:30, due to the rationing board. All extra-curricula activities will be discontinued for the week, and all students must be out of the school buildings.

Milne Defeats St. John's of Rensselaer in Page Gym

Red Raiders Top New Foe in Weekend Game

The Milne Hoopsters topped St. John's Academy of Rensselaer last Saturday night by the score of 49 to 26. The Milne Junior Varsity also won by the impressive score of 45 to 20. The games were played on the Page Hall court.

Hal Game held high scoring honors for Milne with 14 points. Sanford Fedeli was high scorer for the St. John's Quintet.

Leads All Way

The Milne team held the upper hand throughout the entire game. St. John's battled hard in the last half but were unable to lift the shroud of their defeat. The game started off with a lot of action on Milne's part, putting the Red Raiders ahead by a more than comfortable margin. The first quarter ended with Milne way out in front.

St. John's Fights

In the second quarter, the C. and W. five kept the lead they had gained over the hard-fighting St. John's boys. The Red Raiders stayed ahead easily in the third quarter, even though the Eagle's fought with renewed vigor. The last quarter saw the Milne team slackening a bit. The St. John's boys tried to rally, but could not sink enough baskets to catch up with the terrific Milne lead. Game and Swartz played excellent games for Milne, and Carey also played a good game for the Eagles.

Seventh Win

The St. John's J.V., who have lost only one game before they faced the Milnites, went down to a crushing defeat before the Milne attack. Lee Aronowitz was high scorer for Milne with 14 points. Tom Dyer and Bill Baker played fine ball to give the J.V.'s their seventh victory.

The Milne frosh defeated the Vincentian freshmen by the score of 20 to 17.

A fair-sized crowd turned out for the game and the gym was not quite full to capacity. Soda was sold by Hi-Y.

Summary					
Milne			St. John's		
Game	fg	fp	tp	Game	fg
Game	7	0	14	Fedeli,S.	5
Ball	2	1	5	Forest	0
Edick	0	0	0	Carey	4
Soper	1	0	2	Cooper	0
DeMoss	1	2	4	Foley	0
Holmes	4	2	10	Dwyer	0
Culp	0	0	0	Holchey	0
Casner	2	1	5	Fedeli,M.	1
Swartz	2	0	4	Calutti	0
Hopkins	2	1	5		
Mitchell	0	0	0		
	21	7	49		10
					6
					26

DID YOU BUY A WAR STAMP TODAY?

Milne Avenges East Side Loss

Last Friday evening the Milne Red Raiders won over the Rensselaer High School, to the score of 34 to 19. The Milne J.V. also won; the whole affair taking place at the Rensselaer High School gym.

Rensselaer Favored

The Rensselaer team had been favored to win as they had beaten Milne once before this season; however, they could not stave off the victory surge of the refreshed Milne organization. Hal Game and Morty Swartz tied for high scoring honors ringing up 12 points apiece for the Milne team. Rensselaer high men were Harrigan and Scofield with 5 and 3 points, respectively, who played a fine game.

Culp Plays

Harry Culp saw action in spite of a sore foot and played very well. The C. and W. boys kept the lead throughout the game, but had to play hard to keep it.

This game was quite a feather in Milne's cap. The last game they played with Rensselaer, the score was 29 to 27, with Rensselaer coming out on top.

The J.V. game proved very exciting as the Rensselaer five had a small lead until the last half, when the Milne Juniors rallied and succeeded in sinking enough baskets to win the contest.

Meulick High Man

Meulick high scored for the Milne J.V. and Dominski for the hard-fighting Rensselaer team.

The Frosh also played, with the Milne first year boys tipping the victory scales to the tune of 12 to 18.

The Milne school was very successful in all the games played, but not so successful in the number of spectators who turned out to cheer their team on to victory.

Summary					
Milne			Rensselaer		
Game	fg	fp	tp	Game	fg
Game	6	0	12	Arduni	1
Hopkins	1	0	2	Miller	1
Edick	1	0	2	Henk	1
Soper	0	1	1	Harrigan	2
DeMoss	2	1	5	Adelska	0
Casner	0	0	0	Scofield	1
Swartz	6	0	12	Lasse	1
Culp	0	0	0	O'Brien	1
	16	2	34		8
					3
					19

GET IN THE SCRAP SINK A JAP

Crimson Tide to Battle Falcons

Tomorrow evening the Milne basketball team faces the very strong Philip Schuyler Falcons. It is the second game of the year with Schuyler. The game will be played on the Page Hall court.

Schuyler has a strong offensive team which has won its last fourteen consecutive games, while Milne has won its last four games. Schuyler is the favorite in the contest.

Only two Milne teams will be playing this week, the Frosh at 6:00, followed by the Junior Varsity and the Varsity. The Junior Varsity game will start at 7:30, and will be followed by the Varsity game.

The probable lineup for Milne is: Game and Edick at the forward posts, DeMoss at center and Culp and Swartz, guards.

The Schuyler Falcons will most likely start off with Bruda, the sensational captain of the Falcon team. In the last game Bruda came down to the Milne locker room to compliment our boys on their playing; Jim Carr, Schuyler's formidable Negro player. This boy is one of the cleanest players you will have a chance to see on a basketball court; Simon, left forward of the Falcon quintet. This boy is not an outstanding player, but he is the type that holds the team together; Lombardi and Ryan, both excellent guards.

The Schuyler record has been an amazing one of fourteen straight wins. The Falcons have beaten the city's best and are out looking for new fields to conquer.

The Milne team has been practicing hard all week in anticipation of the conflict. The boys are working well and seem confident that they will give Schuyler a run for their money.

Coach Grogan has been practicing with the team. He seems to be in pretty good shape himself. It might be interesting to put the coach in in the third quarter and see how the score results. Hal Game has been doing well in practice in spite of his bad knee.

In the last game with Schuyler, Milne came out on the short end of a 36-27 score.

Milne Hi-Y Conducts Business Meeting

Milne Hi-Y members attended a very short meeting last Wednesday night. After the meeting the boys went to the Palace theater.

It is probable that the Hi-Y dance will be held April 16. They will present the carnival a week after the last basketball game. As soon as all the dues are paid, Milne Hi-Y will be enrolled in the national Hi-Y.

Hi-Y lost ten cents on the concession last week, but they expect to make up for it in the future. There is a committee which is going to see that money is made. The chairman is Tom McCracken, and committee members are John Hutchenson, Bill Clerk, and George Ferris.



Margie Wright's

The basketball playday, which took place last Saturday, was a big success. The girls played games during the morning. During their playing, the coaches from each school judged the ability of each player. The coaches chose two All-Star teams. One was a junior team and one a senior team. The junior team played the first half of the All-Star vs Coaches game, while the senior team went in for the last half. The forwards for the senior team were: Ketler, Milne; Wiswall, A.A.G.; Wright, Milne; Willard, St. Agnes' substitute. Andrews, A.A.G.; Brown, Columbia; Boyd, St. Agnes; and Young, A.A.G., sub, made up the senior guards.

Junior All-Stars

The junior team had Edmundson, St. Agnes; Newhoff, A.A.G.; Levit, Columbia; and Phillips, Columbia, sub, for their forwards. The guards were Peterson, Milne; Fenster, St. Agnes; Buik, Columbia, and French, Milne, substitute. The coaches playing were Arnold, Cosgrove, Pillsbury, forwards, with Campbell, Best and Ogden, guards. Miss Hitchcock refereed the All-Stars vs Coaches' game. The coaches came out on top with the score of 25 to 11.

Sponsor Playday

Miss Hitchcock is considering sponsoring an officiating playday. Girls from area schools who are interested in earning a refereeing rating would be welcomed. The girls would play basketball among themselves and practice refereeing. There would be a number of coaches present who would act as judges. How does this idea sound? Speak to Miss Hitchcock, if you are interested.

Things to Come

- Saturday, February 20
7:00—Basketball, Milne vs Schuyler, Page Hall Gym.
- Monday, February 22
Holiday.
- Friday, February 26
9:00-12:00—Quin-Sigma, Lounge.

Phone: Albany 3-8323

Textile Outlet Store

SILKS • WOOLENS • COTTON
VELVETS • DRAPERIES
CURTAIN GOODS

Slip Covers and Drapes Made to Order

103 NO. PEARL STREET
Opp. Strand Theatre

Eight Graders Purchase Books

The eighth graders of Milne school have recently bought a large number of books, for the library. Forty-eight of these are already in the library. Four more are in the process of being catalogued and others are on order. The money for these books came from the funds of the eighth grade English book money.

The books are on a reserve shelf at present and are for the exclusive use of the eighth graders. When they are no longer used by them, they will be put in with the general library collection. The group includes the newest and best of juvenile fiction now on the market. It includes some best sellers and some non-fiction.

The eighth grade-book committee worked on the idea and brought it back to the English classes where it was voted upon. The students decided to buy as many books for the money as possible. All of the eighth graders and student teachers gave suggestions. Miss Mabel Jackman, librarian, and Mr. James Cochran, supervisor of English, helped the students. They used a supplement of the *Saturday Review of Literature* and a pamphlet, *Leisure Reading*, published by the National Council of Teachers of English for help in selecting the books.

The library is taking care of loaning the books and cataloguing them.

The idea was conceived by the English department. The students in the eighth grade class li very well. The Junior class is also working along the same line and it is expected that they will have a group of books in the library in the near future.

New Photography Schedule Planned

The *Bricks and Ivy* photography schedule has been revised and is listed below.

Friday, Feb. 19—3:30 C. & W., 4:00 Phi Sigma.

Tuesday, Feb. 23—3:30 Quin, 4:00 Sigma, 4:30 Sr. Class Officers.

Thursday, Feb. 24—3:30 Jr. Council, 4:00 Sr. Council.

Tuesday, March 2—3:30 Theta Nu, 4:00 Adelphoi.

Thursday, March 5—3:30 7th grade, 4:00 8th grade.

Friday, March 6—3:30 9th grade, 4:00 10th grade, 4:30 11th grade.

The *Bricks and Ivy* staff requests that students hand in snapshots of informal groups, that represent different school activities. Margaret Kirk, '43, is in charge of this collection and she will accept all contributions.

Red Cross Sponsors Dance

The Albany Red Cross is sponsoring a charity dance, which will be held at the Albany Country Club tonight from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. Tickets are \$1.50 per couple and \$1.00 per stag.

Milne Exhibits

(Continued from page 1, column 2)

Catalog—Paintings in oil

1. W. H. Worrell, October Hills.
2. Scott Russell, Landscape.
3. David S. Anderson, Landscape.
4. Woodford Royce, Landscape.
5. David S. Anderson, Landscape.
6. Scott Russell, Landscape.
7. A. J. Landa, Tugboat.
8. Ruth Harper, Lunch Time.
9. Scott Russell, Landscape.
10. Ruth Harper, Wizard of Oz.
11. L. Melik, Winter in the Catskill.
12. Ruth Harper, Child's Garden.
13. Scott Russell, Fall in Putnam County.
14. Ralph Nelson, Narrow Lane, New Rochelle.
16. Cecil Chichester, Old Stonehouse.
17. Donnelly, Lighthouse.
18. M. Sapere, Snowfall.
19. L. Melik, Reflection on Round-out Creek.
20. Clarence Bolton, Landscape.
21. Erna Lange, Landscape.
22. Clarence Bolton, Life in the Far West.
23. Scott Russell, Hill View.
24. Poirier, Fishing Village.
25. Clum, Vase of Petunias.
26. Poirier, Flowers.
27. E. Edmonson, The Awakening.
28. Ed. Smith, Still Life.
29. Artist not known, Fruit Piece.
30. E. Edmonson, Inside a Pepper.

Prints

31. Bob Dean, Why Be Afraid of Your Beefsteak—etching.
32. Bob Dean, For the Milk Fund—etching.
33. Bob Dean, Frustration—etching.
34. Bob Dean, The Hare and the Tortoise, Aesop—etching.
35. Bob Dean, Tch! Tch! Tch! Such Language—etching.
36. Bob Dean, A Hot Day in June—etching.
37. Bob Dean, An' I See Five Sweat-Hearts—etching.
38. Bob Dean, The High Diver—etching.
39. Bob Dean, The Skater—etching.
40. Bob Dean, Waltzing Mice—etching.
41. Bob Dean, Interruption—etching.
42. Grant Arnold, Harbinger of Spring—lithograph.
43. R. W. Woiceske, Big Sycamore—etching.
44. Clarence Bolton, Getting Up—lithograph.
45. Grant Arnold, Awaiting Spring lithograph.
46. Grant Arnold, Big Apple Tree—lithograph.
47. Clarence Bolton, Landscape—lithograph.
48. Clarence Bolton, Butternut Trees—lithograph.
49. R. W. Woiceske, Spring in the Catskills—etching.
50. Clarence Bolton, Landscape—lithograph.
51. Clarence Bolton, Winter—lithograph.
52. Clarence Bolton, Tranquility—lithograph.
53. M. R. Dey, Harvest Moon—woodcut.
54. Grant Arnold, Midwinter Day—lithograph.
55. Grant Arnold, Freight Yard—lithograph.

(Continued Column 3)

Band Briefs

—By Art DeMoss

For lack of anything better to comment on at the eleventh hour, we've decided this week to give some of our preferences in the line of various type bands, but expect few readers to agree with us.

To start with, our list would include Benny Goodman, Harry James, and Tommy Dorsey for good dance music with a little kick supplied in the form of outstanding solos, although T.D. now has neither Buddy Rich nor Ziggy Elman. For rhythm our choice would lie between Charlie Barnet and Count Basie, Jack Teagarden's outfit would be selected for the blues, and Harry James' for leader-solos, with Krupa and Goodman close behind. Jimmie Lunceford's band is tops for wild driving jazz with no punches pulled and also has one of the best, if not the best, brass sections in the country. For boogie-woogie music, no one can approach Will Bradley-Ray McKinley, Inc., although very little is now left of the original band. Tops in showmanship is Kay Kyser's crew, while other favorites are Woody Herman, Lucky Millinder, Andy Kirk, and Cab Calloway.

We realize that this list will provoke complaints from the followers of Glenn Miller, Jimmie Dorsey, and other popular name bands, but that can't be helped. Any followers of Guy Limbaro and his "schmaltz senders," Wayne King, Sammy Kaye, Lawrence Welk, or other "Mickey Mouse" bands shouldn't be reading this column in the first place.

Ex-Bands

To add to your list of ex-bands—Ray McKinley, Ted Weems, and Bob Crosby. Ray, recently split from Will Bradley, disbanded his own organization in order to enter one of the armed services, while a good part of the Weems' band is now in the Merchant Marines.

Most important, however, is the breaking up of Bob Crosby's outfit after seven years together. Crosby's band has included such stars as Jess Stacy, Eddie Miller, Ray Bauduc, and Bob Haggart, all among the top in their respective divisions. As an example of something solid by this outfit, listen to "The Big Noise from Winnetka" backed by "Honky Tonk Train." The cause of the disbanding was a very lucrative M.G.M. contract which Bob received and hated to turn down.

New Records

Two new discs scheduled for release this week are Harry James' "Velvet Moon" with "Prince Charming" on the reverse and Kay Kyser's "Touch of Texas," which has been recorded only by Freddie Martin up till now. Both James' tunes are instrumentals; "Velvet Moon" in particular is beautifully done and very danceable. This and the Kyser record should soar to the top of the best-seller list in a very short time.

Lucky Millinder fans, of which there are many, are no doubt glad to hear that he will be appearing in person at the Palace during the first week of March. This band has gained terrific popularity in some sections of the country, principally through its recordings of such numbers as "I Want a Tall Skinny Papa," "Rock Daniel," and "That's All." The latter, in the spiritual vein, beats "Amen," "The Spirits Got Me," and "The Devil Sat Down and Cried" by a good deal.

Appearing on the stage with Millinder will be the Ink Spots.

Incidentally, if any interest is shown, this column would like to conduct a student poll to determine Milne's choices for the top bands and soloists in various divisions. This would also give us a clue as to what bands and records Milne students are interested in reading about.

56. Clarence Bolton, Hilltop Farm—lithograph.
57. R. W. Woiceske, A Catskill Village—etching.
58. R. W. Woiceske, Spirit of Winter—etching.
59. Grant Arnold, Sunday Dinner—lithograph.
60. Clarence Bolton, Country Church—lithograph.
61. Grant Arnold, Mountain Road—lithograph.
62. Grant Arnold, Decem Trees—lithograph.
63. Clarence Bolton, In the Woods—lithograph.



SHAVE
HITLER
x
SAVE
AMERICA
buy

WAR STAMPS

WHITNEY'S
INVITES EVERY STUDENT AT MILNE SCHOOL
TO VISIT OUR NEW
CAREER SHOP
ON STREET FLOOR

DRESSES AND SPORTSWEAR

Designed to meet the demands and tastes of you "busy-as-bees" Junior and Misses. Also clothes for those who wear half sizes.