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## JUNIOR NEWS

### HOMEROOM PRESENTS PLAY IN ASSEMBLY

Last Tuesday, in a Junior High assembly, homeroom 228, which is under the supervision of Miss Conklin, presented a play entitled "Do You Believe in Luck?" The play was directed by Miss Jayne Buckley of college. The following people took part in the presentation: Virginia Kemp, Mildred Mattice, Joyce Murdock, Audrey Guard, Winifred McLaughlin, Virginia Brown, John Gulnac, Harriet Olshansky, Charles McCulloch, William McGregor, Richard Jackson, Edwin Hunting. Charlotte Kornit announced. She also thanked the various committees and Miss Buckley for their co-operation and help in presenting the play.

### CARD CLUB BULLETIN

The Card Club has petitioned for two dollars for two card tables for two weeks, but no action has been taken. These tables are to be used for the club and Junior High School parties. If the club is granted this request, it would no longer be necessary for students to bring card tables for these parties.

For three weeks the club sponsor, Miss Stewart (the second Culbertson) has been teaching bridge. In the past club members have learned to play rummy and pinochle. At the next meeting they will learn a new game called "Authors."

The president has stated that the club has been constantly annoyed by people unnecessarily opening the door of room 128, disturbing the members who must concentrate. The club would appreciate it if this would be discontinued.

### GIRLS' GYMNASIUM CLASS PLANS TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The girls' tennis classes are practicing their strokes to get in readiness for the tennis tournament, which will be held soon after the courts are open. Miss Hitchcock, gym instructor, has announced the following rules for getting into the tournament:

1. Applicant must pass rules test.
2. She must demonstrate a good serve and forehand drive.

The rules may be found on the bulletin board in the gym.



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### ACHIEVEMENT TESTS TO BE GIVEN MAY 4 AND MAY 11

Tomorrow the new seventh graders, next year's eighth graders, and next year's ninth graders will take the first of a series of tests. The tests will begin at 8:15 Saturday morning and will be over at about 4 o'clock that afternoon. The new seventh graders will be in room 20 in Richardson Hall, and the next year's eighth graders will be in room 28 in Richardson. Next year's ninth graders will go to room 250 in Husted Hall. The following Saturday, May 11, the tests will be held from 8:15 until about 12:00 o'clock.

There will be seventy admitted to the seventh grade next year. They will be accepted in the order of application. However, about one hundred will take the tests so that there will be extra students ready to enter in case of any openings. These will be chosen by the order of the applications, also.

### MILNE FACULTY TRAVELS 5340 MILES

During the Easter vacation, members of the Milne faculty traveled 5340 miles.

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ARE YOU ONE WHO PROCRASTINATES?

We suppose this is a poor time to tell you that vacation does not last forever, or perhaps it is a good time. We are sure everyone had a nice vacation and didn't want to come back to school at all, but the fact remains that you have to come back. Therefore, please don't try to continue your vacation on through the rest of the term. We have heard many people, to whom most of the school year is one long, glorious vacation, say about May 24, "Oh, finals are coming and I don't know where I've put my biology notebook. I'm sure I've lost a lot of the experiments. Perhaps if I had not done my homework in algebra class I might have learned something. Oh well, I'll study for next year's exams."

That, my dear children, is procrastination. Why not enjoy your vacation when you have it, forget it when you haven't it, and prepare for this year's final exams?

BOOK CORNER

"When we went to school we read 'When Patty Went to College' by Jean Webster," say our student teachers. It is a story of a Vassar girl who got into and out of every "scrape" imaginable. You'll enjoy hearing about the telegram sent to Patty, containing a very strange message. It said "Donald Run over Dead." This strange message led to a very exciting and interesting train of events.

So, it is suggested by our teachers that we go to the Milne library and borrow this book. It is noted to be very good.

THE POINT SYSTEM

Is our present "point" system fair to the students of Milne Junior High? That is the question in the minds of many pupils, especially those in prominent positions in clubs and other school activities. The president of Junior High receives only fifteen points for all the time and work which he puts in his position.

The head of the traffic system and the editors of the Crimson and White get only ten points. Equally small is the number given to the captain and manager of our Milne Juniors team. Should such a condition exist?

We propose that the following plan should be put into effect next September. The president of Junior High receives twenty points. Editor, traffic system head, and captain and manager of the basketball team should get fifteen points for their activities. Presidents of clubs should receive ten points as they do now.

See your Student Council representative today and ask him to see that this is brought up in Student Council as soon as possible. You eighth and seventh graders should be especially interested in seeing that this improvement is made.

WHAT'S THE NAME, PLEASE?

The answers to the name puzzles that were in the last number of the Crimson and White are as follows:

1. French
2. Barns
3. Baldwin
4. Selkirk
5. Kornit
6. Crooks
7. Bush
8. Martin
9. Taft
10. Cole

The winner for this puzzle is Wilbur French.

CHARACTER SKETCH

This week we take a (him, her or it) from the ninth grade. This individual is a very obedient person and is very particular about its books. The person has moved to the city recently. (He, she, or it) is quite grown up for its age. The person likes nice clothes and it is one of the best dressed people in the Junior High.

If you guess this person, give your name and the name of (him, her, or it) to one of the editors of the Crimson and White.