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## JUNIOR NEWS

### JOINT ASSEMBLY

The joint assembly, conducted last Wednesday by Miss Hitchcock, instructor in Physical Education, was of great interest to the whole school. The object of the program was to show what the various activities were in the Gymnasium department and to give out awards for work done in that department. The awards were in the form of Soccer emblems and big M's which meant that a person had won 3 letters. The activities shown were cooking out on an open fire, swimming, hiking, dancing, tumbling, soccer, basketball, skiing, skating, tennis, horse-back riding, camping tobogganing.

People from both the Junior and Senior High Schools took part in the program. Those who took part from the Junior High School are as follows:

#### Girls:

##### Tumbling:

Betty Boyd  
Janet Bremer  
Margaret Charles  
Jean McDermott  
Betty Reudemann  
Leslie Sipperly  
Edith Stevens  
Gertrude Wheeler  
Dana Winchurst

##### Hiking:

Barbara Birchenough  
Jean Graham  
Ruth Mann

##### Swimming:

Barbara Knox  
Betty Reudemann

#### Boys: Tumbling:

Merwyn Atwood  
Jack Beagle  
Seeley Funk  
Richard Game  
Kingsley Grigg  
Charles Griggs  
James Grover  
Jack Hodecker  
Ronald Kneller  
Gordon Robinson  
Foster Sipperly

Townsend Taggart gave a clarinet solo

### JUNIOR HIGH ASSEMBLY

There will be a Junior High School Assembly on Thursday, March 9. The seventh grade homeroom 124, the eighth homeroom 121, and the ninth grade homeroom 129 will present sketches on courtesy at dances.

### MILNE JUNIORS TO PLAY TONIGHT

The Milne Juniors will play the New Scotland Avenue A. C. tonight at 7 o'clock, in the Page Hall Gymnasium. The opposing team is strong, but they have not had the practice that our team has had. Our team has been practicing in the new Gym on Tuesdays and Thursdays. We have never played this team before.

To play winning basketball, we must have a large attendance at the game, so come out and help us win.

The starting lineup will be as follows:

Fayles, RF  
MacHarg, LF  
Carvill, C  
Manton, RG  
Norvell, LG

### DRAMATIC CLUB WILL PRESENT "ELMER"

The Eighth Grade Dramatics Club is planning to put on a play in assembly entitled, "Elmer". The next meeting will be devoted to try-outs for the play, according to Thelma Seagell, president of the club.

"Elmer" is a one act play, full of laughs. He is just about our age and thinks about things just as we do. Elmer's oldest sisters are always considered first in everything, and he doesn't like it, because his favorite sister, a younger one is usually left out of things, but Elmer changes that.

### NINTH GRADE VISITS LEGISLATURE

Ninth grade Social Science students attended a meeting of the Legislature last Monday. The meeting was opened with a prayer. After this the bills were read. Senator Fearon, republican leader, introduced a bill to exempt trucks weighing 4000 pounds or less from 65% surtax. Senator Burk made the argument for the democrats.

Those attending the meeting were: Barbara Birchenough, Jane Bulger, Robert Lawes, Robert Ely, William Ford, Doris Schultes, Leo Minkin, Vivien Snyder, Gordon Wendell, and John Winne.

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one should try to make its entertainment just a little better than the one before, and then we would have profitable programs that we will all desire to attend.

HOMEROOMS TO HAVE VARIED PROGRAM

Homeroom 233 has planned to have a program for every day of the school week. On Monday and Tuesday they will have a study period. On Wednesday, there is no homeroom period because of the clubs. Miss Dineen, the new sponsor for this homeroom, will read to the class on Thursday. On Friday, there will be a business meeting conducted by Seeley Funk, president of the room. The dues, which are five cents a week, will be collected by Billy Burgess, the class treasurer.

WHY NOT A PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST?

Why doesn't Munior High have a prize speaking contest this year? The Senior High School is having its annual contest, and plans are already made. Tryouts have been held, and contestants selected. If they can have a contest, the Junior High School should be able to have one, also. Because many students enjoy the speaking, the competition should be very keen. Have you ever been in a prize speaking contest? If you have not, you can never imagine the fun and excitement of choosing and reciting a piece and the thrill one gets when the winner is announced.

That Junior High has some very good talent is proved by the fact that last year's prize speaking contest was a decided success. Why not repeat that success? You can do it, if you will be persistent and get together and say you want a contest. Then you can have it.

Let us see if Junior High can have a better prize speaker than ever this year!

Homeroom 121 has a program planned for each week. They have a meeting twice a week in which they discuss such topics as what we should do in school and at school parties. The members of this homeroom study on Tuesday, and on Wednesday they go to their various clubs. Alternately on Fridays, they dance and have a program. This homeroom is loaning its room to Homeroom 127 today so the members of that room can dance.

The members of Homeroom 123 study during the greater part of the week. However, they have an entertainment each week.

The people of homeroom 127 study during their homeroom periods. Last Friday they had a spelling match which was won by Janet Bremer.

Raymond Hotaling, president of homeroom 224, announced that last Friday, during homeroom period, a radio program was conducted. The boys of this class readily contributed their own broadcasting material to make the play a success. Robert Dawes was the chairman for the proceedings.

ASSEMBLIES ARE BENEFICIAL

There has been such discussion in Junior High School to the effect that there are too few assemblies. We feel that if we can convince the council and faculty that they are beneficial, we can have more of them.

We have all been able to acquire valuable information from school assemblies that we have not been able to obtain by ourselves and from the classrooms. They are helpful to us in our school studies. They are interesting, entertaining, and educating in many ways.

If each class would work together and plan enjoyable entertainments of different kinds, our assemblies would be better in every way. Each

Homeroom 129 has been issuing a homeroom newspaper, according to Bill Norton, president of the room. "We are planning to have a candy sale to make money to support the paper", he said.

CLUB PLANS PROGRAMS

The Star Dramatics Club has already planned their meetings for the remainder of the semester. Some of the main things that they will do are: read and act plays, learn about make-up, and have recitations. They will give a play in assembly sometime this semester.

## WE THINK THEY'RE FUNNY!

1. Admirer: "I passed by your house yesterday."  
Betty Boyd: "Thanks"
2. A mule has two legs behind  
And two he has before.  
You stand behind before you find  
What the two behind be for.
3. English teacher: "Give me three  
collective nouns."  
7th Grader: "Fly-paper, waste basket, and garbage can."
4. Are the zebra's stripes running up  
and down or from side to side?
5. Ralph N.: "See that drum? My great  
grandfather used it in  
the Revolutionary War."  
Jean G.: "Yes, and I suppose he beat  
it when he saw the enemy."
6. Teacher: "What was Columbus' motto?"  
Ethel G: "More miles to the galleon."
7. In Home Economics:  
Teacher: "If I cut a beefsteak in  
half and then again and  
once more, what do I get?"  
7th Grader: "Eighths"  
Teacher: "Again"  
7th Grader: "Sixteenths"  
Teacher: "Again"  
7th Grader: "thirty-seconds"  
Teacher: "again"  
7th Grader: "hamburger"

## THE LONG AND THE SHORT OF IT

Who are the tallest and the shortest students in Junior High School? There has been much discussion on this, and it never has really been proved. Last year, Helen Sweetser was the tallest; oh, pardon me, I mean the shortest, pupil in Junior High, but with all these little seventh graders coming to Milne, Helen has some competition. How about Harriet Richter or Lois Blessing? Why not measure them some day and see if they beat Helen?

Now for the tallest person in Junior High. I've walked the halls and peeked into rooms to see if I could find the tallest. At last, I have come to a decision. I think that Robert Mapes is "it", but Stanley Manton is a close second. Which one is it, boys?

Isn't it queer how the shortest are girls and the tallest boys? But there are some short boys and tall girls. Well, figure it out for yourself.

A NEW RIVAL FOR  
THE MILNE JUNIOR TEAM?

A new basketball team has been founded in Milne Junior High School. Five boys, who play well together, have been chosen by Coach Baker to play the regular Milne Junior High School basketball team on the night of the Carnival. They are evenly matched with the regular team, observers have declared. Come to the Carnival and see what happens.

## SPORTS IN MILNE

The sports in Milne Junior High School are different from those in other schools. With two gymnasiums, more practice can be obtained and, as a result, the Milne gymnasium classes are more advanced in sports than other schools are.

Milne will have an opportunity to show what it has done in sports in the Carnival held in March. This is going to be the big sporting event for this season.

Coach Baker said that he appreciated the cooperations of the boys of the Junior High School. They have given him the support that is needed to conduct a good gymnasium class.

## SUPPORT GIRLS' TEAMS

Many of you do not know that there are girls' class teams and a girls' varsity team in basketball. These teams play almost every Tuesday and Thursday.

Only a few people come out to see these games. No one can play with spirit unless others cheer for them. The girls will put up a better fight if they know you want them to win.

The Girls' Varsity Team is going to play against other schools. Today, at 2:30, they will play a team from St. Agnes' School. Give some aid to the girls by coming out and cheering for them. Show your school spirit.

## COACHES AND CAPTAINS

Coach Baker announced the names of the seniors who are coaching the Junior High School Gymnasium classes and the captains for each class. They are:

The Tigers, coached by Edward Case and captained by John Akullian.

William Blatner is the coach of the Goats and Leo Minkin is the captain.

Al Mayberry is the coach for the Cubs and Bill Norton is the captain.

Tom Watkin is coaching the Bears and Bill Ford is the captain.

## 7th GRADE GIRLS TURN TABLES

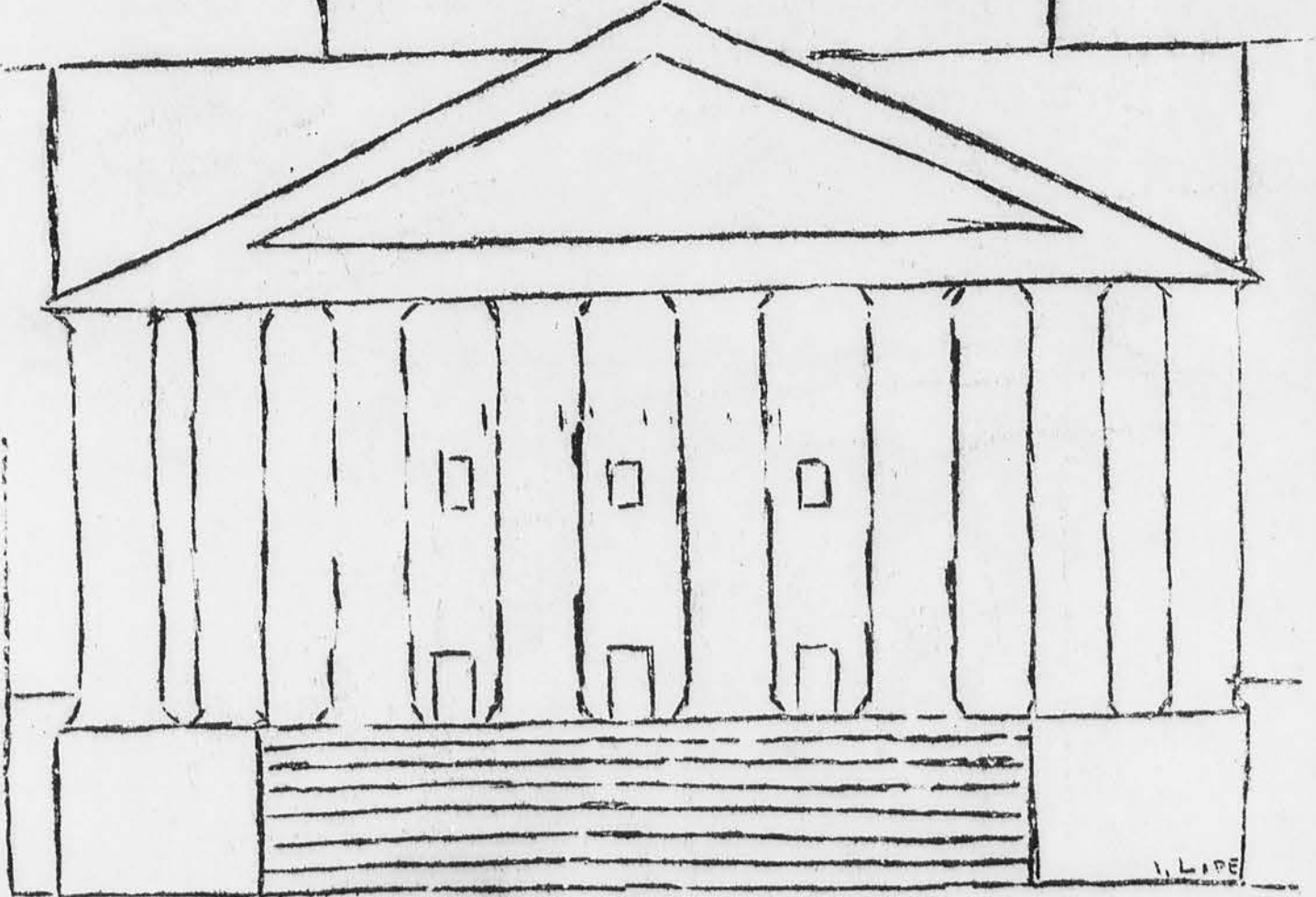
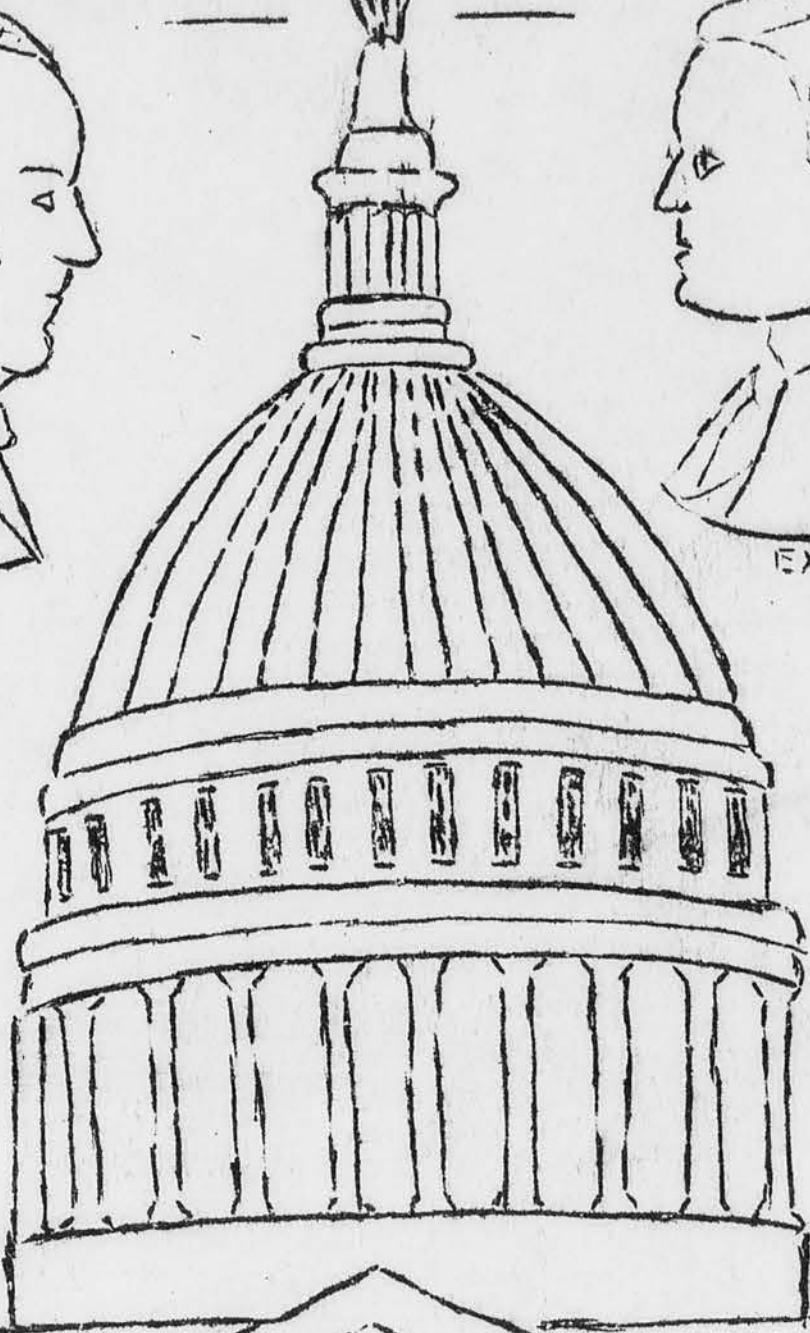
The 7th grade girls varsity team defeated the 8th grade second team by a score of 28 to 12, last Thursday. The team has improved a great deal during the last few weeks.

## COSMETIC CLUB TO WAVE HAIR

The Cosmetic Club is going to do finger waving next meeting. Because this club was formed later than the others, they have just elected their officers. They are:

President-Virginia Kelsey  
Vice-President-Lillian Allen  
Secretary-Margaret Sinon

# INAUGURATION



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