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JUNIOR NEWS

EAST NASSAU HIGH SCHOOL DELEGATES ATTEND SCHOOL PARTY

Junior High Students Have Charades and Dancing

There was a Junior High School party held in the State College lounge from eight o'clock until eleven o'clock last Saturday night. Several delegates from the East Nassau High School and two members from some of the Senior High School classes were present. The party was the best that the Junior High School has ever had. Dancing was the chief entertainment, and a few charades were given. Refreshments were served, and some of the Junior High School girls danced. The music for the dancing was provided by Alvin Noef, Ted Matis, and Dick Gordon.

There were several members of the Milne Junior High School faculty present. These included Dr. and Mrs. Frederick, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Raymond, Miss Virginia Smith, Miss Goldena Bills, Miss Helen Halter.

FACULTY AND STUDENT DELEGATES VISIT EAST NASSAU SCHOOL

On Wednesday, March 9, Dr. Robert W. Frederick, Miss Helen Halter, and two Milne representatives, Sara Kessler and William Ford, went to the East Nassau School to give a report on our student government.

First they were introduced to the principal of the school, Frederick W. Crumb, a graduate of State College. They also met some of the teachers. Next they went to the assembly where the Freshmen, Sophomores, and eighth grade students were gathered. Here William Ford gave a speech on "How our Student Council Was Organized". Then Sara Kessler spoke on "What our Student Council Has Accomplished This Year". Afterwards they were shown around

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MILNE GIRLS HAVE ANNUAL ANTICS THURSDAY, MARCH 17

Tap Dancing and Basketball Form Part of Program

The Milne High School Girls' Annual Antics were conducted in the gym of Page Hall on Thursday evening, March 17, at eight o'clock. This is the annual exhibition of the work done in the girls' gymnasium classes. The program is coached by Miss Margaret Hitchcock, instructor in physical education.

The program for the Antics is as follows:

1. Irish Reel
2. Apparatus Exhibition
3. Tap Dancing by the Beginners Class
4. Basketball game - first half
5. Irish Hilt
6. Basketball game - second half
7. Tap Dance by Advanced Class
8. Tumbling
9. Dance Studies
 - a. Waltz of the Flowers
 - b. Shepherd's Fife

The awards were made by Betty Chapman, '32, president of the athletic association.

NEW CLUB RULES

Miss Helen Halter, supervisor of extra-curricular activities, announced that the pupils who wish to change clubs must place a note on her desk telling the club that they wish to be in and give the reasons for wanting to change. Miss Halter will decide if the reasons are good enough to allow them to change to another club.

Miss Halter also announced that people who wish to be excused from clubs must bring a written excuse from home. If they show this signed excuse to the club sponsor, they will be excused from the club meeting.

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Junior News

QUESTION BOX

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THE TRAFFIC SQUAD

The new traffic squad which has just recently been organized seems to be doing very well. Since it began the noise in the halls is much less. The congestion at corners is less too. The traffic condition in the halls of State College at lunch period is much improved. The idea of going single file up and down the stairs helps to prevent congestion, especially when college classes are passing. The students do not run as much in the halls since traffic officers have been stationed at different places along the way.

We think that when students are criticized for breaking a rule he should be informed exactly what it is so he won't do it again.

Here's hoping the good work of the traffic squad continues.

RESPECT FOR PROPERTY

The janitors reported that at our party last Saturday night some of the rooms were upset, the cafeteria's menu was changed, and boxes were moved. It does seem too bad that we haven't more respect for other people's property than that. We ought to realize all the trouble this caused for other people. It made extra work for the janitors. It gave other people a bad impression of Junior High students.

It would be a shame to make it impossible for Junior High pupils to have any more parties just because of the actions of a few boys. Let's remember that we should always have respect for the property of others. In this way we shall keep the respect of others.

QUESTION: Should Milne Junior High School have inter-home room or inter-class baseball or basketball?

MR. SAYLES: "Yes, it would be conducive to Milne Junior High spirit, and would be wholesome competition between home rooms!"

IRMA KOMFORT: Yes, it would create more class spirit if we had inter-class baseball and basketball."

LEO MINKIN: "No, there isn't time in home room period, and we have not enough good material."

BUD FAYLES: "Yes, because it would give the home room boys something to do. It would also start school spirit going."

DORIS SHULTES: "Yes, because it would increase the spirit of the school and get the boys interested in sports."

DAVID RONAN: "Yes, the boys don't get enough sports in Milne. They would know each other better. It would give the boys the opportunity to learn to like sports and think more of their home rooms."

BOOK REPORT

A summary of the book "I Find My Vocation" by Ketson, was given by Miss Halter, supervisor of social science. Miss Halter finds that this book includes many occupations which are not found in many other books. It shows there are great many things which boys and girls do when they go into the business world. For an example there were four hundred and eighty three girls, and one hundred and seventy six of these learned to be secretaries. One hundred and sixty seven learned to be teachers. This shows that three fourths of the girls either want to be secretaries or teachers. Many of them do not know all the occupations there are which might please them more than being secretaries or teachers. Miss Halter finds this book very interesting and advises everyone to read it before picking out his vocation.

EIGHTH GRADE ENGLISH CLASS BROADCASTS WASHINGTON BANQUET

One of the eighth grade English classes held a George Washington banquet which, through the courtesy of Leo Minkin and John Graham, was broadcast to Miss Keene's office.

Among those present were: President Hoover, Vice-President Charles Curtis, Senator William Borah, Mr. Charles A. Lindbergh, Mrs. Dwight Morrow, Henry Ford, Miss Lloyd Washington, Alfred Smith, Governor Franklin Roosevelt, and Eddie Cantor. Toastmaster James Nesbitt presided.

Everyone gave speeches on Washington after which the speeches were discussed for errors in grammar. This class is very fond of radio programs.

ART CRAFT CLUB

The Art Craft Club, which meets Thursday at two o'clock, is doing different things. Some girls are just drawing different pictures. Others are making pretty vases out of glass bottles by painting them and putting the lining of envelopes on with shellac. In the future they are going to make beaded pocketbooks and coasters for underneath glasses.

INFORMATION CLUB

An information club was formed to take care of the information desk. Pupils were picked to be at the desk at a certain hour to give out information. Somebody is at the desk until about two o'clock. The desk is situated near the office on the first floor.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Last week the Milne Reds played the College Sophomores. The White team played the College Freshmen. State College won both games.

Next Monday, March 21, at four o'clock in the new gym the Milne Varsity girls will play the College Sophomores.

EXCURSION CLUB MAKES VISIT TO ALBANY BREAD FACTORY

Last Thursday afternoon the Excursion Club made a trip to Freihofer's Bakery. The party totaled 23 as it included seven members of the Stamp Club as guests. They were shown around the bakery by Mr. Wilson. The excursionists saw the dough mixed, rolled, cut, and saw it baking in the oven. It is interesting to know that in this bakery only rye bread and rolls were made. After the bread came out of the ovens each member of the party was presented with a loaf of bread. It was agreed by all the members that they had an exceptionally good time. It was enjoyable as well as educational.

HOME ROOM 135

Home room 135 has a new table in their room which was made by the boys. It is painted black and has red along the edges. The money they used to buy the wood with was earned by the girls. They had a candy sale.

NEWSPAPER CLUB ELECTS

At the meeting of the newspaper club last week two new board members were elected. Ruth Campbell was elected Associate Editor until Roger Williams, the present Associate Editor, returns from South America. Bill Norton was elected to the position of Sports Editor to take the place of William Lowenberg, who has moved.

Miss Keller took charge of the meeting because Miss Flowers, the regular sponsor, was in New York at the Columbia Press Convention.

SPECIAL PAGES EDITED

The last three pages of this issue of the Crimson and White Junior News was written by the eighth grade social science class. The teacher of the section that did this is Miss Alice Roycewix, a Senior at State College. The work is under the heading of unemployment and depression.

DEPRESSION NEWS

PUBLISHED BY THE EIGHTH GRADE SOCIAL SCIENCE CLASS

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Members of the eighth grade social science class interviewed several prominent citizens of Albany about the depression. Their interviews are published here.

RUTH MANN - MR. MENDELSON

Mr. Mendelson, treasurer of B. T. Babbitt Company, makers of Babe, says that the depression was caused by over-production, extravagance, and installment buying, making it too easy for people to put themselves in debt. He concluded by saying, "I hope the people have learned their lesson."

BARBARA BIRCHENOUGH AND MR. DECKER

Mr. Decker, professor of German in State College, says that the depression was caused by the World War which caused the economic structure of the United States to be disturbed. We should stop having wars so the economic structure would not be disturbed.

JANE FANNING - MISS SHAVER

Miss Shaver, supervisor of history in Milne High School, believes the depression was caused by the people's hoarding money. It can be helped, and is being helped by the baby bonds.

DELLA CALL AND DORIS SHULTES WITH PROFESSOR SAYLES

Professor John M. Sayles, principal of Milne High School, made up this verse:

Potatoes are cheaper,
Tomatoes are cheaper,
My dollars go further
Than ever before.
They never were squandered
Yet somehow they wandered,
But now there are five
Where there used to be four.

He believes that President Hoover is energetic. He also believes that the depression will soon be over.

CAROLYN HALLENBECK-DR. FREDERICK

Robert W. Frederick, principal of Milne Junior High School, claims the depression was caused by the war and by over-production. This can be remedied by getting rid of surplus factories. Unemployment can be remedied by abolishing some of the machines.

JAMES NESBITT - CITIZEN

Following is an interview James Nesbitt had with a common citizen of Albany,

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Q. What is your opinion of the depression and what from your view point are the causes of unemployment?

A. From 1921 to 1928 we had a false prosperity. Machines and over-production are the main causes for unemployment.

Q. How long will the depression last?

A. It will last a few years perhaps, but we will come out on top in the end.

CARL SUNDLER-RAILROAD WORKER

Carl Sundler talked with a man who works on the New York Central Railroad. He said that the high officials run the railroad wrong, because they wait until they get a whole train of freight before they transport it. Bus lines take passengers away from the trains because their rates are lower.

LEO MINKIN - SENATOR BYRNE

State Senator Byrne said that the enormous amount of credit built up in the world is the cause of the depression. Another cause is the World War and the amount of money wasted in the war.

GORDON WENDELL - UNEMPLOYED MAN

An unemployed man whom Gordon Wendell interviewed said that he had a large family and that he could find hardly any work. He also said that his family got three dollars a week from the city.

JOHN WINNIE - DR. RODGERS

Dr. Rodgers, director of the Mendelsohn Club, says that this depression is caused by machinery, over-production, stock crashes, and Europe's depression.

JOHN GRAHAM - BISHOP OLDHAM

Bishop Oldham, bishop of the Albany Episcopal diocese, believes that this depression is caused by the World War. It is an unnatural depression that cannot be overcome except by having good will and confidence toward each other.

WILLIAM NOLAN*UNEMPLOYED MAN

William Nolan interviewed an unemployed man who said that immigration caused the depression. Communists are to blame also. The Ford plant is an example of that.

BILLY FREEDMAN-UNEMPLOYED MAN

An unemployed man whom Billy Freedman talked to said that the supply of goods is greater than the demand. The cause for this depression is mainly due to the machines, over-production, and the World War.

GIRLS' PLAN WINS

The boys and girls in the class held a competition for the best plan for curing unemployment. The girls' plan won and is printed here.

We should have a nation wide business plan for the benefit of the unemployed men so that all men could have a chance to work. If the factories run down, the owners should build them up out of their own personal money. To avoid over-production we should plan at the beginning of each season how much goods we should produce. We should have a reduction in tariff. The owner should know where he is going to sell his goods, and how much he will sell, before he makes it. Distribute work equally throughout the year to avoid unemployment.

ORIGINAL CARTOON

The original cartoon on the following page was drawn by Doris Shultes.



Dig Him Out Herb!