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Baker, Bookstein; Seniors to Show To Enter V-12; Myers A-12 Movies Tonight

Three Other Seniors To Take A-12 Physical

Bill Baker and Sanford Bookstein, both seniors, have been accepted by the Navy for V-12. They were sworn in last Tuesday as a result of receiving a passing score on the Army-Navy qualifying test which they took last March 15 and passing a rigorous physical which they took in New York City late in March.

After they graduate, they will be sent in uniform, to some college for training which leads to a commission in the U. S. Navy. The government pays for their tuition, room and board, and they get \$50 a month pay.

Myers Goes to Princeton

Jimmy Myers, '44, has left Milne for duty in the Army Specialized Training reserve program. A.S.T.R. P.) He started April 10 at Princeton University in New Jersey.

Three more Milne seniors plan to enter this program if they pass the army physical which they plan to take on May 1. They are Bert Friedman, Paul Distilhurst, and Cornwell Heidenreich. These boys will go to college at the army's expense in uniform, July 1, if they pass the physical. They have been given this opportunity as a result of receiving a high score on the Army-Navy qualifying test which they took on March 15.

Take Basic After College

They will be able to complete three terms in college and on completion of them, they will enter the regular army for basic training. If they have had satisfactory grades in their first terms, after basic training, they will either go to a college for advanced specialized training under A.S.T.P. or will go on active troop duty where his training and aptitudes may be used to best advantage.

The army pays for tuition, room and board. The boys receive no pay until they start basic training.

Jim Myers had to start in the A-12 program very quickly because he was almost 18. Dutch Ball received a notice that he could have entered the A-12 program in April, but he chose to remain at Milne.

Bill Baker and Sanford Bookstein were sworn in at the Albany Recruiting Station last Tuesday afternoon. Bill has been out of the hospital for only a short while and he expects to return to school sometime next week.

Last spring several seniors from Milne entered the V-12 program. A few more entered the V-5 which is for Naval aviation.

A double feature, two excellent movies, will be presented in the Page Hall Auditorium this Friday night at 8:15. They will be shown in place of the usual annual pre-graduation play by the senior class. The money made on this showing will be used to purchase the gift to the school by the class of '44.

'Topper' Picture

The program consists of "Topper Takes a Trip," the well-known comedy farce. It is reputed to be one of the most uproarious ghost comedies ever produced. Cary Grant is starred, and has Constance Bennett and Roland Young supporting him.

The second feature is "Son of the Sheik," a revival of the silent film with Rudolph Valentino, the most famous lover of all time. Two comedy shorts, entitled "Grandpop's Busy Day" and "Going Spanish" will also be shown. The full show is expected to last about three and a half hours.

Committee

The committee, headed by Eleanor Yaguda, consists of Inez Warshaw, Ruth Short, Norma Silverstein, Anna Jane Rockenstyre and Jean Figarsky.

The price is 38c, including tax. Chairman Eleanor Yaguda has asked everyone to make a special effort to attend, as the senior class would like to leave a gift everyone will remember.

The posters on display throughout the building were done by the committee members.

Music Department Entertains Assembly

At a joint assembly on Friday morning, April 21, at 9:15, the Milne Music Department presented a musical program.

The program was opened as the band, under the direction of Miss Frieda Klaiman, played "The Star Spangled Banner."

Then the band played a group of three selections. They were: "Streamliner," a fast moving march, "At the Spinnet," a lighter piece, and "The Krdish," which begins with a short introduction. It is oriental in color and announces the lighting of the fire. Through the music you hear the flames leap higher and voices grow louder. The piece ends in a frenzy. After the band had finished, the choir sang three melodies. Among the three were: "Chiapanecas," which is a Mexican folk dance, "Waltzing Matilda," the Australian anthem, and "The Cossack Call." The Milnettes introduced a series of show tunes with their rendition of "The Desert Song."

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Press Delegates to Meet In Lounge for Conference

Milne Boys to Present Annual H-Yi Carnival

The annual Hi-Y Carnival will be held Thursday, May 4, this year in Page Gym. It will begin at 7:30 p. m., with some exhibition marching by the 7th grade. This will open the first part of the program. Calisthenics have played a large part in the 8th grade gym classes recently and the boys are going to give a typical demonstration of these exercises. The two classes will combine to present the tumbling that closes that part in which the 7th and 8th grade boys alone participate.

Boxing, Highlight

For the latter part of the evening the freshmen, sophomores, junior, seniors, take part in the Carnival together. More tumbling will come before the special work with gym apparatus. During this, the boys will exhibit their skill on the ropes and springboards, to mention a few. In keeping with the precedent of past years, the boxing matches will again be a highlight of the Carnival.

The war has not passed Milne by, and our boys have been trained through especially planned obstacle courses of the commando type. May 4 they will show the Milne parents what they have been doing along this line. Obstacles will be set up in the Gym. They will use such things as the ropes, buckhorses, and ladders for this.

Boys' Societies to Play

The program will be brought to a close with a basketball game between two of the boys' societies.

Coach Tanno has planned the Carnival program this year with the aid of Bob Beckett and Milne's Hy-Y president, Alvin Bingham.

New Head of Language Dept. Studied Abroad

Miss Ruth Sabol, new head of French and Spanish departments, received her A.B. degree at the University of California, and her M.A. degree at Columbia University. She also studied abroad in France and Switzerland in the summers between 1936 and 1939. Other countries in which she has traveled are Mexico, Central America and Canada. Miss Sabol's home is in New Jersey. Her hobbies include swimming, reading, travel, play going. She is very interested in Dramatics.

CDSPA Lists Meeting At Milne Tomorrow

Bookstein To Be Chairman

The fifteenth annual convention of the Capital District Scholastic Press Association will be held in the college lounge tomorrow, Saturday, April 29, from 9:30 a. m. to 3:00 p. m. Knott Terrace High School was the scene of the conference last year. It was conducted at Milne in 1942.

Wheeling President

Miss Katherine E. Wheeling is the president of the association. Sanford A. Bookstein, '44, past editor of the CRIMSON AND WHITE will act as the student chairman of the meeting. The other officers of the Association are: Lester Rounds, principal, Altamont, and Miss Marguerita Herlihey of the Roeliff Jansen Central School.

The principal speaker of the day will be Mr. Cyrus B. Dingman, who will speak on the subject, "News Reporting."

At the conclusion of the afternoon session at 3:00 p. m., the conferees will adjourn to the Knickerbocker News plant on Beaver Street for a tour through the building.

Conklin Assists

Miss Mary E. Conklin, supervisor in English, will assist in the registration of members in the morning. Helping her will be Miss Grace Kay of Philip Livingston Junior High and a group of Milnites consisting of Bob Blum, Jess Barnett, Alan Gould, Marjorie Bookstein, John Thompson, David Packard, and David Siegal.

Sanford A. Bookstein, '44, said, "I want to thank those Milnites very much who are helping to make this convention a success."

The band of the Altamont High School will supply music. The dancing music in the commons will be provided by records and the victrola belonging to the Milne English Department.

Round Table Discussions

Several round table discussions have been planned for the day. The complete program of the day appears on the fourth page of today's CRIMSON AND WHITE. Usually a separate program is printed but it was decided that the representatives of the other school would have a copy of the Milne paper plus their program. The Association is paying for the additional newspapers.

Miss Wheeling was elected Vice-president last year for this year, but she has taken over in Mr.

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Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

At the start of the school year it was announced that all students would have an opportunity to buy War Bonds and Stamps through the Student Bank. Recently an article appeared in the CRIMSON AND WHITE in which the students were criticized for not having bought enough stamps.

The reason that Milne students are not buying more stamps is not lack of interest, but because it is almost impossible to find any one at the bank booth, either before or after school.

I have brought money with me on many days, hoping to buy stamps, but usually had to stop at the bank downtown. Several of the homeroom war stamp representatives have also complained about the very poor service. It comes to my attention that Dr. Cooper has had to handle many of the applications for war bonds, because the students who were to take care of this work did not show sufficient interest.

It is not a lack of patriotism, but thoughtlessness which has caused this unfortunate situation. Let's hope it can be remedied before Milne students are again criticized for not buying their quotas.

—A Student.

Ex-Editor to Enter Navy

"Sandy" Bookstein, our retired CRIMSON AND WHITE editor, has been accepted by the Navy V-12 training program and will leave the first of July for his big job with Uncle Sam.

"Sandy" has been seen in the halls of Milne and practically always in the C. & W. office, year after year. We on the paper wish to express our thanks and appreciation for his help and inspiration during his years in Milne.

Congratulations and good luck, Sandy.

milne merry-go-round

Vacation's over, and everyone's back at the grind. Some of the more fortunate Milnites enjoyed themselves by visiting over the holidays. **Corny Heidenreich** went to Utica; **Jean De Prosse** visited a girl friend at Hudson. The **Friedmans**, **Diane Brehm**, **Lois Messent**, **Scott Hamilton**, **Nancy Bonsall** and **Caryl Ferber** were in New York City. **John Bulger**, **Bob De Moss** and **Dave Golding** were also in the big city. They're still talking about the P.A. (penny arcade). **Betty Lyn Moore** came back for a few days' visit.

Other Milnites worked over the vacation: **Dick Grace** at McManus & Riley's, "**Baggie**" **Weinberg** at Wondershop, **Jack McGrath** was out in West Albany, while **Jim Detwiler** and **Ed Muehleck** were at **Kimney's**. **Herb Lucas** packed gun stocks for the Army, **Ralph Manwieler** spent his time working on a farm, **Ted Carlson** worked on the railroad.

Winnie Hauf had a "little girl" party. Those attending with their dolls were **Nancy Moorehead**, **Florence Flint**, **Diana Ostrander**, **Joan Clark**, **Betty Jane Flanders**, **Florence Drake**, and **Barbara Betham**. Wednesday night the Frosh had a hayride which toured Tudor Road for an hour, after which all congregated at **Diana Ostrander's** house for eats. **Betty Bates** and **Frankie Kirk** went bicycling out McKownsville way during vacation.

Quite a few couples turned out for the Quin-Sigma in spite of the rain. Among those dancing to **Arnold Brown's** music were: **Sally Duncan**, **Pete Hunting**, **Jean Pernie**, **Dick Grace**, **Janet Borst**, **Bob Gibbons**, **Diane Brehm**, **David Vollmer**, **Nancy Bonsall**, **Tommy Borthwick**, **Jean Bronson**, **Phil Webber**, **Dottie Strite**, **Rollin Brown**, **Betty Gallup**, **Roger Gettings**, **Lorraine Webber**, **Larry Clark**, **Carol Ferber**, **Harry Van Dyke**, **Ann Graham**, **Chick Cleveland**, **Shirley Meskil**, **Tad Jones**, **Jeanette Price**, **Bob Bowen**, **Dotty Crooks**, **Gorden Morris**, **Jean Dorsey**, **John Hawn**, **Jean Hulbert**, **Drew Mills**, **Sue Hoyt**, **Dick Anderson**, **Ruth Welsh**, **Verne Deering**, **Janice O'Connell**, **Jim Dicklimin**, **Janet Wiley**, **Fred Guile**, **Jean Hernan**, **Don Rumsey**, **Janet McNeil**, **John Housen**, **Alice Wilson**, **Roy Launsbury**, **Rosada Marston**, **Joe Huberty**, **Nancy Park**, **George Ross**, **Edwina Lucke**, **Dick Gray**.

Seen after the dance at the Circle were: **Pete Peterson**, **Bob Beckett**, **Shirley Champlain**, **Al Bingham**, **Ann Robinson**, "**Spike**" **Dyer**, **Janice Hauf**, **Lee Aronowitz**, **Jan Paxton**, and **Paul Distelhurst**.

Alumnews

by Shammy

Phyllis Reed, '41, has been elected secretary of Delta Delta Delta at Syracuse University where she is enrolled as a junior in the College of Business Administration and the School of Education. **Phyllis** is scholarship chairman for her sorority, member of the Junior Prom Committee, junior editor of the *Onofdag*, the University yearbook, and member of the lower house of the Women's Athletic Association. She is now practicing teaching at the Vocational High School, Syracuse.

Announcement is made of the marriage of **Pvt. Lynne Anderson**, U.S.M.C., of Utah, to **Sgt. Fred Detwiler**, U.S.M.C., '42. The wedding was last Friday at Cherry Point, North Carolina, where they both are stationed. **Pvt. Bob Clark**, '42, was best man.

Capt. James A. Roosa, '34, executive officer of the 67th Signal Battalion, stationed in Louisiana, has been promoted to the rank of Major. **Capt. Roosa** graduated from the U. S. Military Academy in 1939.

The marriage of **Corrine Edwards**, '42, to **Ensign Robert Wiseman**, took place at Pensacola, Florida last April 7. **Corrine** was given away by **Art Phinney**, '41.

Seen star-gazing at State and Pearl during vacation were **June Bailey** and "**Mike**" **Welch**, both of '43.

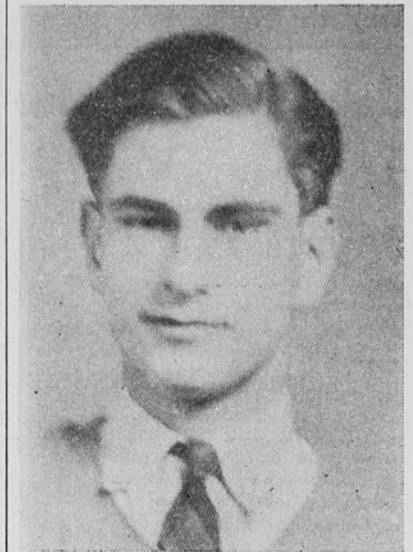
The marriage of **Jean Bushe** to **Walter Gleason**, U.S.A.A.F., Winchester, Mass., has been announced. The wedding took place March 4.

Yeoman 2/c Virginia Wilson, U.S.W.R., was married during the holidays to **Dr. Darwin Bruce**.

Pvt. Roy Stickney, '43, of the Paratroopers, and **Hospital Ass. 1/c George Edick**, '43, are both reported overseas.

Senior Spotlight

By Barbara MacMahon



PAUL DISTELHURST

A tree grew in Brooklyn, who is known to Milne students as **Paul Distelhurst**. He was transplanted after a short period of six months to **Mont Claire**, New Jersey, where he remained until he was twelve years old. **Burlington**, Vermont was the next place honored by **Paul's** presence. At the age of fifteen he left Vermont, and both **Milne** and **Albany** received **Mr. Distelhurst**.

While in **Burlington**, he worked on the high school newspaper. Upon arriving at **Milne** he joined the **Crimson and White**, and was made business manager in his junior year.

Paul was immediately liked by his classmates and they soon elected him to the office of president of the junior class. This year he is president of his homeroom, the "ever" famous Art Room. Last year **Paul** was a **Class Night** usher, and also went to the **Senior Ball**. Being a member of **Phi Sigma** takes up some of his time too. This year as a member of the **Assembly Committee**, he has helped plan some very enjoyable programs.

Paul is in the **A. S. T. R. P.**, and in case you don't know what all those letters stand for, it's the **Army Specialists Training Program**. He hopes to leave for his college training in July.

As everyone else, **Paul** has his likes and dislikes. The main one of the former is women—with reservation. Here, girls, are the specifications in order to make **Paul's** heart flutter: brownish color hair, green eyes, five-foot eight inches tall, good dancer, sense of humor, and an "all-around" good sport. He loves the "sister-line," too. (Must have seen "Cover Girl" to make such requirements.) Other likes are skiing, fishing, physics, **Bob Hope**, **Tommy Dorsey**, steak, raw oysters, lobsters, all foods, the color green, and his pipe. His dislikes are few: eels, squash, **Judy Canova**, pink, and hauraches.

Paul has only been with us a short time, but we have all grown to consider him "one" of us, and we'll miss him when he leaves.

Dyer Leads Baseball Nine; 5 Veterans to Come Back

Detwiler, Muehleck, Ball, Aronowitz Return

Milne's baseball team started the season off with a bang by electing versatile senior Tom Dyer captain. This will be Tom's fourth year as the squad's first string pitcher.

The second half of the battery is Dutch Ball who has also had four years of first string catching experience on his record. This duet ought to be very successful this year.

Veterans

Other experienced players on the diamond roster are Ed Muehleck, star second baseman, Jim Detwiler who played outfield last year, but this year is shifting to third base, and Little Lee Aronowitz who did a little pitching last year.

Don Christie and Larry "Demon" Clarke saw a little action last year and will probably be first string shortstop and first baseman respectively. That rounds out the infield.

Two probable starters in the outfield will be Chuck Terry and Bob Kirker.

Other hopefuls on the team are: Bob Phinney, third base, Sandy Duncan, shortstop, Ralph Manwiler, second base, Bill McDonough, first base, Derwent Angier, first base, Pete Hunting, Don Garrett, and John Farnan, catchers, and Walt Wilkings, Chuck Hopkins, Bob Gibbons, Al Meskil, Scott Hamilton, Jim Magilton, and Dick Grace, outfielders.

Two Pitchers

The team appears well rounded with a southpaw, Tom Dyer, and a righty Lee Aronowitz, on the mound and several other experienced players.

Uniforms were issued by Coach Tanno early this week. The BAC will probably buy new baseball caps.

Coach Tanno's tone of voice sounded as though he was quite well pleased with the pre-season tryouts.

Mr. Tanno stated that the outlook for the 1944 season is very hopeful and during the few practices which they have had the team looks as if it can be whipped together into a snappy, spirited, and aggressive ball club.

Release Baseball Schedule for '44

Coach Tanno has announced the baseball schedule for the 1944 season. Milne this year is in the National Division which includes the following teams: Bethlehem Central, Cathedral Academy, St. John's Academy, and St. Joseph's Academy.

The teams in the American division are: Albany Academy, Albany High School, Christian Brothers Academy, Philip Schuyler, and Vincentian Institute. Milne is not in this league because of its geographical location.

The first game is on Monday, May 1st, and all Milnites are urged to attend to get the team off to a flying start. The schedule, which includes just league games, appears below.

Due to the very rainy weather the team has been able to practice only three times this week.

Things to Come

Friday, April 28

8:15—Senior Class Movies; Page Hail.

Saturday, April 29

9:00-12:15—Tests for new students, Richardson 20.

10:00-3:00—Capital District Scholastic Press Conference; Lounge

7:30-10:30 — 9th Grade Party; Lounge.

Monday, May 1

3:30—Baseball, Milne vs. Cathedral; Ridgefield Park.

Tuesday, May 2

12:27—Senior assembly.

12:57—Junior high assembly.

Thursday, May 4

9:15-12:45

2:00-4:00 — Scholarship exams, Richardson 20.

7:30-11:00—Hi-Y Carnival; Gym.

Friday, May 5

Moving Up Day—No school.

9:15-12:45—Scholarship exams; Richardson 20.

Heidenreich to Head Milne Tennis Team

Under the supervision of Mr. John Roach, the Milne tennis squad will get under way as soon as the weather permits, and a definite schedule can be lined up.

Milne should have a good team this year, considering the fact that most of the players will be back from the previous season.

Practice at Ridgefield

Practice is being held at Ridgefield Park, and come rain or shine, nothing can hold these boys from their beloved tennis, or can it? The players are so energetic that people have wondered whether or not the team will win all the games for once. In fact, Corney, the captain of the net men, predicted that "We might have a good team." That is saying something.

The main part of the team is composed of juniors, and as said before, practically all of them have had experience last year. Two seniors and two sophomores take up the remaining part of the quota, and three of these boys also have participated in this sport.

After a practice match with Albany Academy, the squad should be in great shape for the opening match, and with some degree of luck, it shouldn't lose.

Team Members

The boys that will play this year are: Corney Heidenreich, John Bulger, Al Mendel, Bob De Moss, Dave Golding, Jake Paine, John Knox, and Dick Herrick. In the managing department, Al Bingham will handle the business end of the team.

Last year's tennis squad, under the leadership of Harry Culp, beat the powerful Mont Pleasant net team. They also lost a match to Bethlehem Central. Most of the others were washed out.

Al Mendel, Corney Heidenreich, and John Knox played on last year's team.

The Rolling Stone

Now that Spring is supposedly here, the girls are training for an exciting and eventful baseball season. If the weather permits, games will be played outside. Now, most of the classes are having target practice which the girls find very valuable. Targets are made on the walls with a radius of an arm's reach. In this way the person throwing the ball can determine just how accurate her playing would be out on the field.

Interesting Program Planned

An interesting program is being planned by the girls and Mrs. Tieszan, which includes inter-school activities. Already two play-days are scheduled with St. Agnes. Practices are held every Monday and Friday. Monday the girls will play on mixed teams, and Friday these will be inter-class games. Wednesdays the big gym will be occupied by the seventh and eighth graders.

There will be Roller Skating every Tuesday at Hoffman's. Quite a few girls have announced their intentions of going, and of course the more that go, the more fun it will be.

Riding

Every Saturday since the fall riding classes have been conducted for all those interested. A few of the girls have earned their letters already. "Anyone interested in joining the new class being formed, should see either Betty Baskin or me by Friday," said Lois Prescott.

The Lifesaving class is doing very nicely and will soon be ready to take their final test. The class is made up of seventh, eighth, and ninth graders.

It's very difficult to pick out the star pitchers on the teams as yet.

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1944 Baseball Schedule

OPPONENT	DATE	PLACE
Cathedral	May 1	Bleecker Stadium
St. Joseph's	May 3	Ridgefield
Bethlehem Central	May 9	Ridgefield
St. John's	May 12	Ridgefield
Cathedral	May 18	Ridgefield
St. Joseph's	May 23	Ridgefield
Bethlehem Central	May 26	Bethlehem Central
St. John's	May 29	Ridgefield

To Enjoy Holiday Thanks to State

Milne will observe a one day respite, May 5, since State Teachers College will observe annual Moving Up Day on that date. The colorful ceremonies held on this day are always looked forward to with keen interest by the student body of the college. Milne students also are interested in Moving Up Day, because for them it means a day's vacation.

The first event of the day is the grand march of all college students, with the seniors, in their caps and gowns, leading the way. The procession moves from Draper Hall to Page Hall where ceremonies are conducted, including the presentation of merit awards, and the announcement of the Myskania honor group for next year.

Following the formation of class numerals on the campus, the seniors hold their traditional ivy-planting rites.

During the afternoon, the students are shown moving pictures having to do with the history of the teaching profession, as developed in the hundred years of the College's life. The day comes to a conclusion when the student body gathers in front of Draper Hall for a song fest.

Who's Who at the Press Conference

Dingman, Cyrus B.: a graduate of Boston University in 1931, since which time he has been on the **Troy Record**; a free lance writer, having had his writings appear in **Popular Mechanics**, **Popular Science Monthly**, and detective magazines. An article by him on backpage news appeared in the **Saturday Evening Post**.

McIlwaine, Dr. Shields: Professor of English, N.Y.S.C. for T.; author, lecturer, and authority on folklore of the South.

Schabel, Adolf: Industrial Arts teacher, Philip Schuyler School; Defense Plant worker, evening and Saturdays; founder and first president of the Capital District Press Association; chairman of first panel discussion.

Press Delegates

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James E. Cochrane's place, who is now in the army. Mr. Cochrane was a member of the Milne faculty last year.

The other officers of the C.D.S.P. A. are: Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Marguerita Herlihy, Roeliff Jansen Central School; Executive Committee, Mr. Lester Rounds, Altamont High School, Miss Ruth Cummings, Heatly High School, Mrs. Chester Ralph, Central Park School, and Brother Andrew, La Salle Institute, Troy.

PROGRAM

15th Annual Convention Capitol District Scholastic Press Association

College Lounge The Milne School
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SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 1944

9:30 A. M. to 3:00 P. M.

MORNING SESSION

- 9:30-10:00—Registration of convention delegates
by Miss Mary E. Conklin, Miss Grace Kay, and Milne Students
Music furnished by Altamont High School Band
- 10:00—Greetings.....by Dr. Robert W. Frederick
Principal of the Milne School
- 10:15-10:45—Address.....Mr. Cyrus B. Dingman
Member of the staff of the **Troy Record**.
Topic: News Reporting
- 10:45-11:00—Announcements. Songs—Mr. Roche
- 11:00-11:30—Address.....Dr. Shields McIlwaine, Ph.D.
Professor of English, New York State College for Teachers
Topic: "Your Feelings, Now and Later"
A representative from each school will be excused to write up this address. The story must be given to chairman by 12:00 noon. Winner will be awarded a prize.
- 11:30—Round Table Discussion
Adolph Schabel, Chairman
Topic: "Cooperation between school paper and community interests"
Speakers: Miss Alice Hastings, Albany Public Libraries; Miss Ada May Gilleran, Vincentian Institute, representing the Junior Red Cross. Mr. Lester Rounds, Principal, Altamont High; Mrs. Joseph Einhorn, Albany War Council; Mrs. Keith Messant, representing the parents.
- 12:00-1:30—Lunch, State College Cafeteria
Advisers' Luncheon—Faculty Lunch Room
Dancing in the State College Commons

AFTERNOON SESSION

- 1:30—Round Table Discussion
Topic: "How the school paper may interpret the school to the home"
Susan Potter, Altamont High School, Chairman; Dorothy Haluska, Berne Knox Central School; Louise Van Nederyn, Castleton High School; Elizabeth Deane, Roeliff Jansen Central School; Violette Michele, Voorheesville Central School.
- 2:00—Announcements and Awards
- 2:15—Round Table Discussion
Topic: "Freedom of speech as it applies to city and school papers"
Grace Friedman, Central Park School, Chairman; Cynthia Shoults, Oneida School; Robert Stark, Washington Irving School.
- 3:00—Adjournment to Knickerbocker News for inspection of plant

Down Beat - by Marcia

At last Alvin Rey has a hit in "I'll Get By." Together, Rey and the King Sisters make a smooth recording of the song featured in "A Guy Named Joe." On the reverse side Spike Jones in his inevitable style, gives out with "Behind Those Swinging Doors" which should speak for itself!

Ella Mae has done it again! "Milkman, Keep Those Bottles Quiet," though a very abstract theme, we predict will rise to a popular peak as "Mairzy Doates" and "Pistol Packin' Mama" did.

Boogie Woogie Fans

Attention, Boogie Woogie lovers! Columbia and Will Bradley have a gem in "Down the Road a Piece" and "Celery Stalks at Midnight." The rhythm of these two numbers is out of this world and already in its second demand recording stage, a sure hit sign.

A new singer has shown his face and what a face! Andy Russell sings on a Capital Record, "You're the Dream, I'm the Dreamer" and "Besame Mucho," of Mexican descent. Russell speaks Spanish as well as he speaks English and his ability to sing a romantic lyric in two tongues is an accomplishment which few of 1944 model crooners possess. But a voice, a Spanish touch and a talent for drumming aren't Andy Russell's only bids for fame. In an overcrowded field, his face sews up the bag for success.

Among albums released this week, is the Negro version of "Carmen Jones" recorded by the original cast. It is very inspiringly sung by beautifully blended colored voices. Capitol's first album, the first in a new series, will be released in May. It will be titled "Songs by Johnny Mercer."

Off the Record

The Benny Goodman band really split up! Goodman staying in Hollywood as a single, while pianist Jess Stacy has joined Horace Heidt. Also with Heidt is Shorty Cherack and Jae Rushton.

Good news for all the Shaw fans. Artie, recently discharged from the Navy, is seriously thinking of starting up where he left off as band leader. His Navy band 601, which went with him on his trip to the Pacific, is now under the leadership of Sam Donahue.

Knapp Wins Scholarship

Dr. Ralph Kenny, guidance director, has announced the first scholarship to be won this year by a Milne student. The Director of Admission at Russell Sage College has notified Dr. Kenney that Joyce Knapp has won a scholarship for the school year of 1944-45. This scholarship was awarded on the basis of her high school record.

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The choir then completed the group with the hit songs from the Broadway musical "Oklahoma." The first was "Oh, What a Beautiful Mornin'," followed by the title song, "Oklahoma."