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# TV Experiment Receives Acclaim

New York State Governor Averell Harriman visited the educational television studios in Richardson hall May 2.

There he inspected the control room and classrooms while a college class was in session. In a statement to the students, he said, "I'm glad to be on hand. I've heard so much about the closed circuit experiment that 'it's good to see it. It's a very broad experiment. I know it's going to have a very important effect on education in the future."

Governor Harriman was interviewed by Jean Verlaney, C & W editor. When asked for his impressions of the local experiment, the governor quipped, "I've worked so hard on it, I have to like it!"

He then stated that educational television might combat the current teacher shortage by using the "splendid talent of the most gifted teachers for broader groups of students," and might soon be used in private colleges

#### Praises Educational Progress

Governor Harriman said that the state is trying to meet the demands of increasing college enrollment by scholarships as well as exploring the possibilities of educational tele-

He noted that when he went to high school, only 5% of the state's high school graduates went to college. He went on to say that 32% of New York's high school graduates now go on to college. He added the fact that the state has increased the amount of its scholarships to accommodate 5% of its high school

The governor said that this action in his lifetime represented a "sense of responsibility on the part of the state." In his words, "To give opportunity for higher education to those who are qualified is a step forward.

Milne's 11-2 English class will be televised nationally for about ten minutes on "Eye on New York," Sunday, May 26. The hour-long program will be devoted to a survey of educational television, and the Milne class will originate in Richerdson hell of Albiny, State College. ardson hall of Albany State College for Teachers.

Stephanie Condon, Doreen Goldberg, Rita Gosnell, Eileen Hannan, Diana Reed, Dick Requa and Jean Verlaney are the regular class members who will be televised, as will Larry Kupperberg and Doris Mar-

Mr. Robert Shostak is the student teacher who will conduct the class in a poetry discussion. The students will listen to and discuss records of colypso and folk music in their study of the ballad form of poetry.

# Six Win Scholarships



Governor Averell Harriman arrives at the Richardson studios with Dr. Evan R. Collins, State college president.

### Seniors Make **Future Plans**

Just about every day another senior receives an acceptance from the college of his choice.

Alan Alpart and Linda Sherman have heard from Miami university, and Albany Medical center has notified Rosie Becker of her acceptance in the February class.

James Aronson has been notified by the Home Economics college at Cornell.

Jean Eisenhart and Jim Dougherty have also heard from Cornell as well as Middlebury and Albany State Teachers college, respectively. The latter has also notified Judith Malzberg of her acceptance.

Maria Hartman has heard from Russell Sage Junior college, and Bob Horn has heard from R.P.I.

Ellie MacNamara has been cepted by Buffalo State college. Clarkson college has accepted Russell Webber, and Bill Hoff has been accepted by Cortland State Teachers

At this time, the seniors are also busy planning for the Senior Banquet, which is to be held May 25. at 6:15, in Sayles hall.

## **NEW SYSTEM TO** START IN HISTORY

The social studies department is planning to make some changes in itsits program for the coming year.

In 1957-58, world history will be required of both tenth and eleventh graders. Seniors will continue the one-year American history program now in effect.

Plans for the 1958-59 school year incomplete, but world history will be taught only at the tenth year grade level at that time. Both one and two-year American history courses are being considered, the former to be available to seniors only, and the latter to be a two-year sequence to begin in the junior year.

The main reason for the revision The main reason for the revision in the social studies curriculum is that the New York State Board of Regents Scholarship exams are now held in January. Therefore, under present conditions, Milne seniors must take the exam with only a semester's background of American history. The new program will enable future Milne seniors to enter able future Milne seniors to enter the exam with a background of one and one-half years.

# Juniors Prepare for Senior Play

Mr. Smith introduced the idea at a junior class meeting May 9. One of the reasons why he suggested the plan was the fact that it would enable next year's seniors to present their production early in the year, probably before the basketball season. Another reason was that the

The class of 1958 is the first class in Milne's history to make major plans in the junior year for the senior play.

juniors would be able to order copies of the play and make any special arrangements before the end of this year. Try-outs will not be held until the beginning of next year.

Two juniors from each eleventh grade homeroom are working on a play selection committe. They are Dick Berberian, Stephanie Con-don, Rita Gosnell, Larry Kupper-berg, Dick McEwan and Katie Simmons.

#### Five Seniors, Junior Get Financial Aid

Five Milne seniors and one junior have been awarded scholarships.

Eugene Blabey, Trudy Frey, Doris Markowitz, Karen Olson, and Wayne Somers were recently among eighty-three Albany county Regents college scholarship winners. These scholarships are valued at \$1400 and are given by the state on the basis of scores earned on a state-wide competitive exam taken in January of this year. Each award consists of eight \$175 payments applicable to the expenses of attending any ac-credited four-year college in the

Eugene Blabey and Doris Markowitz were among the top ten win-ners in the county, seventh and ninth respectively. Both earned scores of better than 300 out of a possible 420 on this extremely difficult exam. Eugene and Doris have both received acceptances from Cornell university and plan to attend next fall

Last year Milne school had seven winners and four alternates. The alternates for this year's exam will be announced shortly. Garman Wins Scholarship

At the twelfth Syracuse university conference, John Garman was awarded a full four-year tuition scholarship to the university.

On the morning of April 27th, Stephanie Condon, John Garman, Bob Killough, and Jean Verlaney drove to the conference with Dr. Snyder. They were part of some 1600 students from all over the state attending the conference, of whom all were invited and see leave. all were juniors and seniors.

Upon arrival students were assigned to discussion groups in which each member gave a prepared talk, followed by discussion. The members of each group voted for the persons whom they thought did the best jobs. Garman was chosen, best jobs. Garman was chosen, along with seven other juniors and eight seniors, as one of the sixteen students eligible for the full scholarships. Each of the students in this group was interviewed, and John was among those chosen for a full scholarship. Although John is only a junior, he is the first Milnite to win a Syracuse Citizenship conference grant.

The interviewers at the conference picked the winners according to their scholastic ability, personality, ability to lead, and all the other qualities that go into the making of a good citizen.

John stated, "I would like to take this opportunity to extend to the class of '58 my sincerest thanks and appreciation. You gave me the opportunity to compete for the full tuition scholarship which I was so fortunate in winning. I will always feel indebted to all of you."

A successful teacher must be more than an instructor to her students. She must be a respected individual who takes a true interest in young people.

Mrs. Margaret C. Armstrong was more than



Mrs. Armstrong

a successful teacher to many of us. She was a friend, whose warm, cheerful personality made her a very special member of the faculty.

The loss of Mrs. Armstrong was, of course, a great one, but the examples which she set can guide us today. We can follow them by being more considerate of those who try

to teach us, and by giving more freely of ourselves to all of those with whom we work.

In these ways, surely, all of us can show the true ways in which we have profited by Mrs. Armstrong's teachings.

#### -ALUMNEWS -

Mary Frances Moran '53, was recently married to Gerald Collins.

Carol Ann Becker '53, is an officer of the glee club and on the college student council at Becker Junior college.

Jacqueline Torner '56, has been elected publicity cochairman for the Hillel club at Simmons college. Sally Requa '56, an advertising major at Lasell

Junior college, was a member of the committee which producing the annual "Book Fair."

Buzz Sternfeld '53, is in the new musical comedy "Shinbone Alley," which recently opened on Broadway.

Judy Hannan '55, was married to Robert Asche.

Linda Shoudy '56, a freshman student nurse at Keuka college, received her cap in recent college ceremonies.

—by Abby

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Jan Mattick, Joyce Rissberger and Pat Kercull held a surprise slumber party for Jane Siegfried to celebrate her appointment to the new C&W staff. The girls enjoyed themselves very much, but were quite tired the next day.

Sandy Sutphen had a few kids in for the evening recently to meet her two cousins. Chuck Lewis, Joan Haworth, Linda Dreis, Jed Allen and Pat O'Brien were eating doughnuts and throwing darts.

Those who saw the dawn and everything that came before it at Julie Florman's slumber party were Marylou Haworth, Bryde King, Dee Huebner, Mary McNutt, Nancy Leonard, Ann Marshall, Ann Pitkin, Karen Dougherty and Ann Quickenton.

Faith Meyer was quite surprised when she walked into her house to find Ann Quickenton, Pat Lewis, Sheila Burke, Marylou Haworth, Fred Taylor, Ricky Sautter, Richie Lockwood, Ann Marshall, Connie Evans, Howie Wildove and Wes Jacobs waiting for her to celebrate her birthday.

Bud Mehan, Sybillyn Hoyle, Kip Grogan, Connie Brizzel, Penny Male, Wayne Grant, Henry Hallett, Grace Stephens, Mike Ungerman and Sarah Gerhardt were seen dancing at the Loudonville canteen record hop.

Jon Axelrod gave a party over the Easter vacation. Sue Crowley, Bonnie Reed, John Hiltz, Don Kingston, Ann Oliphant, Dirck Olton, Penny Pritchard, Mike Clenahan and Tommy Dawes had a wonderful time.

Faith Meyer, Annabel Page, Cathie Scott, Diana Reed, Sheila Burke and Grace Stephens attended the Albany academy officers' ball.

Rita Gosnell, George Hartman, Bob Killough, Katie Simmons, Jean Verlaney, Clayton Knapp, Brud Snyder, Scott Roberts, Abby Perlman, Sue McNeil, Diana Reed, Dick Berberian, Pat Coons, Tom Sternfeld and Fred Corbat agreed that their picnic at Thacher Park during vacation was a huge success.

Sue McNeil had a punch party before the Q.T.S.A. dance. Johnny McGinn, Carol Becker, David Owens, Jane Armstrong, Kent Gardiner, Faith Meyer, Dick McEwan, Annabel Page, Bill Jardine, Carole Rathbun, Jiggs Englander, Diana Reed, Sven Edlund, Eddie Nichols, Nancy Jones, Stephanie Condon and Clayton Knapp were there.

Marg Fisher, Pete Pappas, Ellen Hoppner, Andy Stokes, Jim Dougherty, Ellie McNamara, Jim Cohen, Ellen Stein, Pat Lewis, Ann Quickenton, Kip Grogan, Sandy Sutphen, Pat Moore and Larry Barnes were part of the crowd at the dance which followed.

Ginny Huntington attended a college weekend at Amherst, and Terri Lester went to a weekend at Moses Brown school in Rhode Island.

The junior high dance, "The King and I," attracted Henry Hallett, Grace Stephens, Mic and Chad Grogan, Cathy Ring, Peter Hitchcock, Karen Ungerman, Mike Daggett, Bob Miller, Jim Roemer, Judy Hewitt, Bob Mull, Bonnie Reed, Joan Switzer, Steve Einhorn, Carol West, Ricky Hutchison, Bill Nathan, Sandra Male, Julie Propp, Bob Cantwell, Nikki Genden, Cathie Pabst and Howie Berkun.

Annabel Page, Abby Perlman and Jean Verlaney visited some New York state colleges Saturday.

Ricky Stuart, Barbara Airey and Jane Siegfried represented the class of '61 in New York city over Easter vacation. The girls explored the "Great White Way" and had a thoroughly wonderful time.

Milne has some especially ardent baseball fans this year. Connie Leu, Katie Simmons, Paula Propp, Sheila Burke, Margy Fisher and Sue Hershey have been to the games.

Susie Sutphen, Arleen Susser, Rosie Becker, Bud Mehan, Larry Giventer, Jiggs Englander, Bob Horn, Julie Propp, Annabel Page, Gene Blabey, Alan Markowitz, Janice Lenda, Carol West, Doug Margolis, Kenny Lockwood, Charlotte Sackman, Ed Sells and Larry Kupperberg helped to make Tri-Hi-Y sports night a success.

-by "Pit," Jane and Chuck

## JUNIOR HIGHLIGHTS

By DAVE

Each year, the junior high looks forward to its last dance, the climax of the year's parties. This year was no exception, and many seventh, eighth and ninth graders enjoyed an evening of dancing and entertainment at "The King and I" in Page hall gym.

Chuck Lewis and Joan Haworth were crowned king and queen of the affair.

The clever title of the dance was carried out by the decoration committee, headed by John Hiltz and Dave Blabey.

Jed Allen and the Boppers furnished entertainment by playing a number of rock 'n roll tunes including Jed's original numbers, "She's Gone and Left Me," and "Stampin' and Stompin'." A group from Albany State Teachers college played for dancing.

The refreshment committee was under the direction of Joan Switzer, and Steve Rice was master of ceremonies.

#### Welt in Albany Civic Theater Play

Jan Welt, Milne freshman, will be in the cast of "Anniversary Waltz," a play which is to be presented by the Albany Civic theater tonight and tomorrow night at Philip Livingston Junior High school. The play will begin at 8:30 p.m.

General admission is \$1.50. Tickets are available at the door, or may be purchased at the Van Curler Music store or the Blue Note Record shop.

Jan will play the part of Okkie Walters.

#### Junior High Adopts Constitution

The junior high has adopted its new constitution, which is now in effect. The constitution was passed by a large majority.

Junior High Sings

Today the Junior choir and Freshman Glee club entertained at B.C. HS as part of the Milne-B.C.H.S. exchange assembly program.

#### Basic Business Classes Hear Speakers

In connection with the study of vocations in the busic business classes, a number of speakers from the Business I class, the Salesmanship class and the typing class have explained the opportunities available in these courses. Each student in the basic business class is investigating a vocation he may enter.

#### Freshman Baseball Team Begins Season

As a result of the freshman base-ball tryouts, the following made the team: Sandy Berman, Bob Cantwell, Steve Einhorn, Henry Hallett, Rick Hutchison, George Jenkins, Chuck Lewis, Ken Lockwood, Dave Male, Alan Markowitz, Steve Rice, Tom Rider, Glen Simmons and Ted Standing.

Stu Horn is scoring the games. John Rookwood from Albany State Teachers college is coach.

The home games will be played at the Ridgefield Y.M.C.A. field. The team is looking for support from the junior high students.

### DEED (ITES

The softball season has started in earnest. So far, the weather has been beautiful (knock on wood), but it will undoubtedly get cold or rain some day soon. It's not that I'm a pessimist at heart; it's just that I believe in the laws of chance and probability.

#### It's All Part of the Game

There are some points that should be remembered by all girls who play softball at Milne.

First, when Miss Murray gives the signal to take your positions, make a mad dash to the street side of the field, for there you will find a small patch of blessed shade which is nice on hot days. Of course, if you are a sun-tan enthusiast, this advice will go unheeded. I personally operate on the theory that you can't acquire much of a tan during gym class anyhow.

Secondly, if you are of a basically gregarious nature and it happens to be Friday, be sure to take an outfield position. This will give you the opportunity to stand quite far into the territory occupied by the boys' softball game, and if you are very lucky, you might get in a few words of conversation.

The third thing to remember is to wear sunglasses whenever possible. Then, when that student teacher you have a crush on sees you make an idiotic mistake, you can always hope you won't be recognized.

Finally, the sophomore girls should be especially careful about their appearances out on the field, for they usually have a gallery of spectators consisting of one of the lunch shifts from Albany high.

#### M.G.A.A. Banquet Next Thursday

The annual M.G.A.A. - sponsored Mother-Daughter banquet will begin at 6:15 p.m. May 23 at Trinity Methodist church.

This is an occasion which involves some of the most highly guarded secrets of the year. I might add that these secrets are very well kept, indeed, even if the members of the M.G.A.A. council DO have to go around for two months with adhesive tape over their mouths.

The affair will feature the announcement of next year's G.A.A. council officers, who were elected by written ballot May 8.

Jane Armstrong, Margy Fisher, Eileen Hannan and Annabel Page ran for the offices of president and business manager.

Judie Allen, Nikki Genden, Sarah Gerhardt, Barbara Lester and Marianne Maynard competed for the positions of secretary and office manager.

Cathy Hall, Ann Pitkin, Ann Quickenton, Paula Propp and Linda Scher were those nominated for vice-president and treasurer.

The seniors of this year's council chose the candidates. Girls who had at least four M.G.A.A. credits then voted for their choices in the three divisions, thus selecting the top two girls in each.

# Three Foes Top Milne Nine





Aaron Jasper and Larry Giventer of the tennis team in a practice session.

### COACH'S CORNER

"Rog" Stumpf, pitcher. (Bats right, throws right.) Led the j.v. in hitting last season. Good pull hitter. On the mound, has a good fast ball and a big curve. Should be a big winner this year.

Bill Warren, pitcher. (r-r.) Had a 4-0 record last year. Good control pitcher, has nice change-up.

Dick Keefer, pitcher. (r-l) Curve ball pitcher. Has occasional erratic

Bob Horn, catcher. (r-r.) Great competitor. Team sparkplug. Fine receiver with good throwing arm.

George Hartman, catcher. (r-r.) Hits to all fields. Good throwing arm.

**Bill Hoff**, first base-third base. In his first year of high school baseball, shows a lot of hustle in the infield and good power at the plate.

Al Alpart, first base. (1-1.) Good pull hitter with power. Great glove man.

"Brud" Snyder, second base. (r-r.) Good competitor. Works well on the d.p. Spray hitter, consistent fielder.

Bob Knouse, shortstop. (r-r.) Great clutch hitter, hit around .400 last season. Dependable fielder, good d.p. man.

Wes Jacobs, third base. Sophomore who got a hit in his first varsity game. Good third sacker.

Tom Sternfeld, left field. (1-1.) Good hitter in the pinch. Consistent fielder. Hit over .300 last season.

Ed Sells, center field. (r-r.) Big stick man, with a .389 batting average last year. Great throwing arm from the outfield. Hustler.

Larry Berman, right field. (r-r.) Dependable man to get on base. Spray hitter. Not always consistent in the outfield.

Bob Killough, right field - third base. (r-r.) Great throwing arm from the outfield or third base. Hustles all the time. Got the lone hit in season opener.

"Jiggs" Englander, outfield. (1-1.) Hasn't seen too much action this year. A spray hitter.

Kent Gardiner, outfield. (r-r.) His first season at Milne. Quick on the base paths.

J. V. Drops Pair

### Raiders Lose Two Loop Games

This year's baseball season opened on a sour note for the Red Raiders as they dropped their first three ball games.

In the opener Guilderland's Cliff Yaun and Art Schinner teamed up to toss a neat one-hit shutout, 10-0. This contest was April 26 at Altamont.

A combination of four Guilderland base hits and two Milne errors resulted in a five-run second inning. Guilderland added two more in the fourth, and the last three in inning number five.

Bill Warren pitched for Milne until the fifth, when Roger Stumpf came in to relieve. Warren took the loss.

Bob Killough got Milne's lone "bingle" in the second inning.

#### Rams Edge Crimson, 9-8

Van Rensselaer handed Milne its first Capital District league defeat in an extra-inning "heart-breaker" May 3 at Rensselaer. Milne fought from behind to score four runs in the seventh inning, only to lose in the ninth, 9-8. The Raiders "put on their hitting shoes," but committed eight costly errors to aid in the loss.

In frame number two, Milne put together two singles and three Ram errors for the first two runs of the game. But the lead was short-lived. Rensselaer fought back with four big tallies in the bottom half of the inning on a single, two hit batsmen, two walks and a couple of miscues. The Crimson tied the score in the third with two runs on three hits.

With the score knotted at four all in round four, the home town Rams scored three times on just one base knock. The Raiders added four errors in the inning, however.

Again the Raiders fought from behind, scoring four big runs on four hits to take an 8-7 advantage. But the Rams evened up the score in the home half of the inning to send the game into extra innings. Neither team could break the deadlock in the eighth, but the Rams pushed over the deciding tally in the ninth to win a 9-8 thriller.

"Rog" Stumpf went all the way for Milne, allowing only seven base hits. However, his control kept him "in hot water" throughout the game.

Bill Hoff, "Stumpfie," and Brud Snyder each got two hits for the Raiders. Hoff drove in two runs with a triple and a single.

#### Academy Wins League Slugfest

Albany academy handed Milne its second league loss, 17-10, May 7 at Academy.

The Raiders equalled the Academy hitting attack with nine base knocks, and each team had nine miscues. However, Academy capitalized on the Milne errors.

The cadets crossed the plate nine times in the fourth inning on five singles, two errors, a walk and a passed ball.

The Raiders scored five in the fourth, and added five more in the seventh

### Students, Faculty Set Golf Match

Links enthusiasts among the faculty have accepted a challenge made by the student golf team. A match will be played some day next week after school at an area course.

Dr. Randolph Gardner will head the faculty squad. Dr. James Cochrane, Dr. Roy York, Mr. Edward P. Cowley and Mr. Hugh Smith complete the faculty roster.

Jerry Powell is number one man for the students. Fred Corbat, Steve Crane, Wayne Grant and Ed Nichols will also compete for the younger Milnites,

Effective pitching by Albany Academy led the cadets to a 1-0 win over the Milne j.v. The game was well-played, Academy making the lone error.

Dick Lockwood went all the way for Milne, allowing only six hits.

Bethlehem Central's j.v. finally won a sloppily played ballgame, filled with hits and errors, 11-7.

Milne's j.v. blew a 7-4 lead in the fifth inning, when a combination of poor Milne fielding and lusty B.C. hitting gave the Eagles seven runs.

## **Milnites Take Driving Tests**

By KATIE SIMMONS

Have you noticed the masses of Milnites trudging down Washington avenue and over Ontario as if they were walking to their doom? These are the people who, having turned sixteen about six months ago, have finally decided to take their driving test. Upon making an appointment, the prospective driver proceeds to live in agony until the fated day arrives. The only relief for this sudden onset of the jitters is the soothing thought that, if he is lucky enough to have made his appointment for a convenient time, he will possibly miss ten minutes of school.

#### Suspense Ends, Ordeal Begins

The fateful hour arrives. After having taken the written test, the poor victim finally gets behind the wheel of the car. He starts off not too badly, and calmly grinds into second gear. He is just getting a little confidence when the tester tells him to make a right turn into what is obviously a one-way street. The Milnite consoles himself with the thought that he is, after all, only going one way. After safely getting out of this jam by making a left hand turn into the wrong lane, the man instructs him to make a three point turn in a road too narrow even for a horse to turn around in. Many people have been tripped up at this stage of the game, by having a delinquent fire hydrant bump into the back of the car.

#### **Obstacles Arise**

Parallel parking is the worst part of the test. Here, the poor student must sandwich his car into a space which appears to be too small for a Renault. Aiming the car back to the starting place, the Milnite sticks his hand out to signal for a turn and almost has it taken off by a passing motorist, who has no pity for him.

Suddenly, the quaking Milnite hears the inspector gritting his teeth and making mark after mark on his score sheet. The hapless motorist rolls his eyes in despair, only to notice in his rear-view mirror that he has cruised through a stop sign. He finally stops the car and chances a last resort, flashing a sickly grin in the direction of the inspector.

The poor misguided victim plods slowly home to await the notifica-tion of his success or, possibly, fail-ure of the test. As the days pass, he becomes more and more sure of himself. "After all," he thinks, "I only did exactly what he told me to do. Could I help it if that fire hydrant got in my way?"

At last the long-awaited envelope arrives. He opens it with trembling hands, at the same time asking his mother for the car. He finally gets the envelope open, only to see the dreaded pink slip float gracefully to the floor.

He consoles himself that he can try again at least three times.



Two G-E field representatives show part of the "House of Magic."

### The Inquiring Reporter

By ANN

Question: What would you like to invent?

Barbara Lester: A pocket - size homework machine. Don Grimm: A brick-eating ter-

Dick Requa: A silent means of

doing away with teachers. Sue McNeil: A car you can drive

at night without a license. Pete Sarafian: A super - deluxe

butter knife for buttering up teach-

Fred Taylor: The wheel.

Annabel Page: A robot to make up my page every three weeks.

Mr. Hoppey: A device to make short basketball players taller.

Roger Dewey: A perpetual motion

Igor Magier: Dehydrated water.

Diana Reed and Katie Simmons: Plaid paint.

George Hartman: A bat that attracts baseballs.

Scott Roberts: Lawn grass that

Miss Murray: Some way to keep the seventh graders quiet.

Abby Perlman: Nothing. What I want has already been invented.

Victor Hoffman: Automatic teacher control.

Jane Armstrong: A way to get A's in history.

#### Look What's Coming

Friday, May 17 Jr. Student council nominations. Report cards distributed.

Wednesday, May 22 M.B.A.A. banquet.

Thursday, May 23 Jrr. Student council elections. M.G.A.A. banquet.

Saturday, May 25 Senior banquet.

Wednesday, May 29
General Electric "House of Magic" assembly.

Thursday, May 30 Holiday—Memorial day. Friday, May 31 Holiday.

# **Committee Presents** Science Assembly

Students at Milne will have an opportunity to see the magic of science in action when the Assembly committee presents the internationally famous General Electric "House of Magic" show Wednesday, May 29, during homeroom period in Page hall auditorium.

This show has appeared in many major expositions and world's fairs for more than twenty-five years. In the past few years, it has been seen by millions in the United States, South and Central America, Canada, India, Pakistan, and Japan.

#### **Encourages Students**

The main purpose of the "House of Magic" show is to stimulate junior and senior high school students to develop to their maximum potential through higher education. It attempts to awaken students to the need for preparing themselves for the wide range of opportunities open to them in the fields of science and engineering especially.

The show is part of a continuing campaign by General Electric to help each student plan his or her career now, be it science or the arts. With the critical and increasing shortage of scientists and engineers, the major limitation to our nation's continued progress will be the shortage of trained minds.

#### Variety of Topics

Included in this year's show are such demonstrations as stereophonic sound, a paper disc which explodes when revolved at a speed close to that of sound, lamps which light without a connection, and many others. While scientific in content, the show is written and started for the show is written and staged for the general high school audience and presents the "magic" of science in simple terms. The show explains some of the materials and techniques that science uses in its never-ending search for progress, and encourages the students to apply their own brainpower to this search.



CAROLYN STEIN

Did you attend the extravaganza of the year?—the senior play, that is. If you did, you are already acquainted with Carolyn Stein, who had the leading role. Carolyn was born in Albany on July 13, 1939, and has lived here all her life. She came to Milne in the seventh grade.

This year she is the president of Tri-Hi-Y, a member of Quin, and does modeling on the side, so we understand.

Carolyn's interests go along the lines of convertibles, pizza, trips to New York, Danny's open houses, and weekly visits to the drive-in. In her spare time, we'd probably find her listening to the radio, playing records or . . . asleep. (This is what you would call an ambitious

She definitely dislikes people who run out of gas, and mousy history classes. She also declares that she will forever miss "our inspiring assemblies."

Carolyn may study at the New York Academy of Dramatic Arts, but she's undecided as to her future plans. Meanwhile, she's going to concentrate on passing those finals.

#### VICTOR HOFFMAN

Victor Hoffman entered Milne in the seventh grade, but moved to New York for his sophomore and juniors years, while his father was studying on a scholarship grant. He has since returned and is glad to be

This year Victor belongs to the Debate club, of which he is secretary, the Milne Men, **B&I**, and Theta He has also taken part in the senior play and various senior committees. In past years, he has been a member of the Junior choir and Hams, Inc.

Among Victor's interests are playing golf, tennis, and going swimming. also enjoys being a baseball spectator. Playing the piano, classical and modern music, oil paint-ing, reading, and collecting antique pieces of art are some of his other likes.

He dislikes record breaking contests in the senior room, Elvis Presley, and can't stand stuffy college deans. His pet peeve is eating string in the roast beef at the cafeteria along with women teachers who try to mother him, but he says it depends on what they look like, of course.

This year Victor is one of the most famous seniors, because of his spectacular party. April 5 was date of this affair at which Jed Allen and his combo furnished the music. No one will forget what a delightful host Victor proved to be.

Victor would like to attend Brandeis and major in pre-medicine, with a good background in liberal arts. He has been accepted by the University of Vermont and hopes to hear from Union and Brandeis.