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To Buy Jeep By Stamp Sales

Everyone in Milne will have a chance to participate in a great war activity, thus doing his share towards helping our country achieve victory sooner. For those who haven't, here's the chance to be of aid.

Milne has joined the new triple threat Schools-at-War Jeep Campaign. The main purpose of this campaign is to help send our men 20,000 Jeeps-by December 7th. The approximate goal is to be \$6,500. The money from the drive will purchase a Flying Jeep or "Grasshopper," an Original Jeep, and an Amphibian Jeep or "Quack."

At the end of this time limit, the State War Finance Chairman will be notified of the outcome and he in turn will issue a Treasury Citation to Milne.

Said Chairman Baskin, "Let's be the first school to achieve our goal."

Students in Milne have purchased the sum of \$1,972.85 so far this year. This is an average of \$109.60 for every homeroom in the school. This record is through October 31. Homeroom 127 leads the school with the purchase of \$578.00 in bonds and stamps. Homeroom 323 is second with \$527.00 purchased. These are the only two outstanding homerooms; all of the rest are far below this.

Bricks and Ivy Staff Learns About Yearbooks at New York Conclave

By Jean Figarsky

Pardon me while I prop up my eyelids with toothpicks. I lost all my strength pushing the crowds in New York City at the yearbook convention, and it's such a relief to get back to push the crowds here!

Arnie Baskin, editor, Betty Stone, literary editor, and I attended the meetings which took place October 30. We really learned a lot at Columbia University on Saturday, and are all bursting with ideas for a wonderful yearbook. This year we won't have stiff group pictures, but informal groups. We also found out about all the space in square inches we wasted by having legs in pictures. Our biggest fault, we found out to be that we have no identification under pictures. When we look back at the **Bricks and Ivy** in twenty years, we want to remember who's who, but if we happen to forget, the names should be there.

We three inquisitive staff members detained the speaker and president of the yearbook committee to ask how to improve our book on our very little budget. We blushed at some of the boners in the books.

Seniors to Pose For Class 'Snaps'

The senior class voted to have their pictures taken by the Gustave Lorey studio, at a meeting Monday at 12:27 to 12:57 in the art room.

The pictures will not be taken until shortly after Christmas because the studio is so busy. A few of the pictures may be taken before this time though, if it is necessary.

Sue Hoyt, business manager of the **BRICKS AND IVY**, took care of the arrangements with the studio. The finished photographs, if students wish to buy them, will cost \$12.00 a dozen for the 4x6 size. The pictures will all have the same background and the same head size so that pictures in the yearbook will all be uniform.

Alvin Bingham, class president, conducted the meeting. Janice O'Connell, secretary, took the attendance. Miss Katherine E. Wheeling and Miss Grace Martin were also present at the meeting. No other matters except that of the photographs were discussed.

For the pictures, the boys will wear regular business suits with white shirts and the girls will wear white V-neck blouses. Those students who will have their pictures taken this semester have to make their own appointments for the sittings. About eight proofs will be submitted to each student.

Cafeteria Committee Forms Plan to Ease Food Problem

No School Thursday

This coming Thursday, November 11, we'll have our first vacation Armistice Day.

One whole day, the only one before Thanksgiving to relax, no homework to worry about for almost 24 hours. (Except of course, for the physics students — Dr. Moose probably never heard of Armistice Day when he made out those assignment sheets. He could always change his mind, though). There will be no **CRIMSON AND WHITE** next week because of the holiday.

There will be a parade with plenty of soldiers. Most of the students will probably be at the parade.

Don't forget to have a good time. All you physics students should not forget that homework, though. School will resume again on Friday and the shortlived vacation will be over. Then you can think about Thanksgiving and turkey if you are able to find any to eat.

Hoyt, Baskin Head Group of Six Seniors

Because of many complaints about the lack of sufficient food in the cafeteria, a committee consisting of six Milne seniors has taken action on the situation. The committee, headed by Betty Baskin and Sue Hoyt, co-chairmen, consists of Joyce Knapp, Dutch Ball, Charles Hopkins, and Tom Dyer.

The situation arose because of a shortage of cookies, ice cream and desserts. The senior high students suffer particularly because they eat after the State College students and the junior high school.

With the help of Miss Mildred Shoreday, manager of the cafeteria, the committee has worked out the following plan: All students who wish to purchase cookies, ice cream, or cupcakes should write their names down on a sheet of paper and give it either to Betty Baskin or to Sue Hoyt. From them Miss Shoreday can get a good estimate of the needs of the cafeteria.

These items will be on sale from 1:05 until 1:15 every lunch period. They will be on sale at 12:45 for the junior high school students.

"There will be plenty of food if the Milne students co-operate," said Sue Hoyt, co-chairman of the committee.

The return to the annex type of restaurant which has been very popular for a long while seems very unlikely because there are many who think that the students waste their money on unwholesome foods. There will be no candy on sale at the cafeteria. The war-time shortages of sugar and other dessert ingredients have also materially lessened the supply of desserts to the cafeteria.

After this problem has been solved, the committee plans to work on the sandwich problem next.

Sigma to Conduct Rush In Lounge Next Tuesday

Zeta Sigma will hold its annual rush in the State College Lounge on November 9 from 3:06 to 5:00 to entertain prospective members.

The entire sophomore class and all new senior high students have been invited to attend.

Jean Dorsey, mistress of ceremonies, said, "The theme is a surprise reserved for the rushees but we've done a lot of planning and hope that everyone will have a good time. I think we have food and entertainment enough for all."

Junior Council Appoints Committee for Cafeteria

At the last meeting of the Junior Student Council on Friday, October 29, at 12:27 p. m., in Room 124, Derwent Angier, president of the Junior Council appointed the following committee to see that order is kept in the cafeteria: George Ross, Donald Jerret, Joan Clark, Judy Hunting, Susie Camp. As quoted by Derwent Angier, "We would like to see the students show some school spirit by picking up their sandwich wrapping and milk bottles and in general keeping the lunch rooms in order."

Juniors Elect Carlson As President of Class

Members of the junior class attended their first meeting Monday, November 1, in the Page Hall auditorium, from 12:27 to 12:57. The class elected class officers.

They elected Ted Carlson president; Bob Saunders, vice-president; Al Mendel, secretary; and Elaine Sexton, treasurer. President Carlson stated, "Our success depends on the cooperation of every class member."

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Girls and Education

It seems today that most girls about to graduate from high school are anxious to do that which they think is most patriotic, namely get a war job. This is not always the right point of view.

It is very important for as many girls who reasonably can, to continue with their education in the colleges of the nation. It is vital that there be a good number of Americans well educated so that following the war there will be people to keep the United States on its feet in peace-time activities. There must be those who are able to bring the nation successfully to a sensible and lasting peace.

Naturally, it is almost impossible for any large number of young men to continue with regular college studies. The young women of the nation must carry out this task. All of the young women are not suited to continue with college work, but many are. Those that find the means to continue with their higher education should do it.

As it is unhealthy to be caught unprepared for war, it is likewise unhealthy for a nation to be caught unprepared for peace. Well educated people will help us prepare for the peace to come.

Publication Dates

Since the CRIMSON AND WHITE is published for only twenty issues and school lasts for about thirty-four weeks, some weeks must go without an issue of the paper. About eight

milne merry-go-round

Hallowe'en is over and all the spooks have gone away till next year. . . .

At Barbara Cooper's party for George Ferris were Norma Johnson, Ray Blanchard; Janet Paxton, Al Bingham; Roxy Becker, Bill Baker; Helen Caudes, Bob Beckett; Barbara Richardson, Walter Wilkins; Chloe Pelletier.

Nancy Knapp had a hen party which was invaded by three roosters, Jess Barnet, Alan Meskill and George Ross. The hens are Nancy Moorehead, Pat Snyder, Marge Bookstein, Flossie Flint, Winnie Hauf, Joan Clark, Florence Drake, Ann Silverman, Ruth Weil, Ruth Ambler, Katherine Jones, Norma Singer, Ellen Fletcher, Marie Schmidt, B. J. Flanders, Babs Leslie, Leona Richter, Mabel Martin and Barbara Bethan.

Bob Beckett went to a masquerade square dance at the Eastern Star Hall, Saturday . . . The Bricks and Ivy Convention kids went to see two plays, "Kiss and Tell" and "Early to Bed." That is all but Jean Fig, she had a date in the big city with a Union man . . . Janice O'Connell, Stogie DeMoss, Henny Mullenau, Bill Soper, Sandra Vinick, Ed Bookstein, and Sue Hoyt and Harry Culp went to the Circle and the Diner.

The Senior Class picture problem is solved, except for sittings. . . .

Some seventh graders had a Hallowe'en party October 29. The hostesses for the affair were Marilyn Van Oist and Nancy McMann. The guests for the affair were Marcia Armstrong, Joan Horton, Nancy Betham, Daniel Westbrook, and George DeMoss.

Jim Myers had to wait two hours for a bus last Saturday to come in from Delmar.

Annnews

by "Goat"

Sailor Bill Wiley, '42, and Pricilla Smith were seen at the Circle Inn. Bill is stationed at Union.

Nick Mitchell, '43, is receiving his Bos'in training in Tank Replacement Division at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Jean Chauncey, ex '43, has entered the United States Nurses Cadet Corps at Syracuse University.

Harvey Holmes, '43, passed his Army Air Corps exam and will soon leave.

Harry Culp, also of '43, has been sworn in the Navy and will report to Sampson on Monday.

Rita Figarsky has transferred from University of Michigan to Skidmore.

Bill Parr, ex '44, was home for ten hours last Sunday and is planning to return this weekend. Bill is in the Army Intelligence program and is stationed at Fort Mead.

Ray Stickney, '43, returned to this city Sunday night after spending a week with his family in Washington. Ray is in the Army Amphibian Corps, stationed in Florida.

Natalie Mann and Melba Levine, both '43, entered Cornell last Saturday.

Bill Soper, Art DeMoss, and Kenny Langwig, all '43, left November 1st for parts unknown.

Johnny Dyer, '41, was home for twelve hours over the weekend and is now at Annapolis Prep School.

Lucia Swift, '43, has entered her freshman year at St. Lawrence University.

Harriet Hochstrasser, '43, was elected captain of the hockey team at William and Mary where she is majoring in Physical Education.

Robert V. Meghreblian, '40, a recent visitor at Milne, is a naval cadet in U. S. N. R. at RPI, and will graduate on December 23, 1943. In the spring of 1944 he will become an officer.

weeks are eliminated because of holidays or because of exams. Therefore, a few regular school weeks will not see the newspaper.

Please remember that this is not our fault; it was caused by a price increase caused by war-time conditions. From time to time the CRIMSON AND WHITE will not be published because of this.

Senior Spotlight

—by Janice O'Connell—



CHARLES HOPKINS

Above this paragraph we have Charles Hopkins, 5' 11", born September 14, 1926, and has to his credit 17 years of confusion. Other credits pertaining to school will not be discussed in this column.

During the six years of Milne, Chuck and the school have managed to survive. As yet neither one has broken down.

Hop has been on the basketball team for three years. In the ninth and tenth, he played on the Junior Varsity and in his junior year he made the Varsity. As yet no one knows the outcome of the tryouts for this year, and all the fellows are hoping to make the team. (Hopkins is hoping just as hard as the rest too, co-Captain or no co-Captain!).

This past summer, Chuck was up at Lawson's Lake as a counselor at Camp Batchelder. Along with him were a bunch of fellows from Milne who helped tremendously in the running of the camp. For exercise the kids canoed and swam the width of the lake, or went on long hikes. From all this he gained a pretty good knowledge of how to handle canoes.

Chuck has hopes of joining the Army Air Corps, if and when they accept him, which he hopes will be in time for him to do a little fighting before the war ends.

Along with his hopes, he also said, "I hope to remain in Milne for the rest of the year, if humanly possible." (Whether this will be achieved, only time will tell).

What a fellow wants in a girl is always interesting, so we got Hop's opinion just for the records. The only thing that is required is a good personality and attractiveness. Believe it or not, but as easy as it sounds, that is a hard order to fill, and so far the qualifications have been filled only a very few times as far as Chuck is concerned.

Chuck hates gold diggers (ouch!) and gigantic women; also in this list are the Annex, baby toed shoes and that everlasting \$3.00 for English. For more specific details, ask Chuck yourself.

Fred Waring and his orchestra is Chuck's favorite. The pieces he likes the best are "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes," and "Wait for Me Mary." (Mmmmm...!).

Milne Joins Scholastic Court Loop; Tryouts Start

League Schedule Not Yet Released

Milne will definitely join the Albany Scholastic Basketball League which consists of 12 teams. This league consists of two divisions, the major division and the minor division. These divisions each have six teams in them. The major league consists of: Milne, Vincentian, Albany Academy, CBA, Albany High, and Cathedral. The minor league includes: Schuyler, Rensselaer, St. John's of Rensselaer, St. John's of Albany, Bethlehem Central, and Columbia.

10 League Games

Each team will play ten league games, two with each other team in the league, one at home, and one away. The schedule committee for the city league has been working on their schedules trying to arrange them so not to conflict with the present game commitments.

Bob Beckett had a schedule worked out which will have to be abandoned because it conflicts with the league schedule. He will have to schedule eight more games to fill out the 18-game schedule.

Tryouts Start

"Tryouts began last Monday and lasted until Wednesday," said Coach John C. Tanno. "The enthusiasm displayed by the boys is encouraging and if their playing ability is as good, we should have a good season."

During the try-outs the boys practiced shooting, dribbling and had a little scrimmaging. Besides the varsity, and Jayvee squad, a freshman team is likely. It will probably be coached by a member or members of the varsity team.

Two members of last year's varsity are left. They are Dutch Ball and Chuck Hopkins who are the co-captains of the squad. It seems likely that Bill Baker will be varsity center. He was first string Jayvee last year, six feet three inches, tallest member of the team. Len Jones and Tom Dyer, both seniors, will probably be on the varsity. Jim Detwiler, Ed Muehleck and Lee Aronowitz, three juniors who played crackerjack ball on the Jayvee and they will probably be moved up to varsity. This would not fill up a ten-man Varsity team so there will be others moved up to this squad.

Milne will play Albany High School this year for the first time in a good many seasons. Albany High has a very strong team this year. Their team this year is stronger than it has been in many seasons. They have five men from last year's squad, also they have O'Brien, a transfer from Cathedral and a good ball player.

Junior School Elects Officers For Organizations

The Junior High clubs have elected their officers for the first semester. The students have had three club meetings in which to decide whether they wanted to change clubs. The clubs are settled now and no more changes will be made.

Miss Bourgeois of State College is in charge of the general organization of the club program and the selection of the different club sponsors.

According to Miss Waite, "The clubs seem to be accomplishing their purposes and the students are very much interested in them."

The following are the club officers and sponsors. Office management has as its officers: sponsor, Miss Clancy; president, Mabel Martin; publicity director, Glada Appleton. Cheerleading sponsor is Miss Fabrizio; president, Florence Flint; publicity director, Nancy Clark. Stamp sponsor is Miss Garfall; president, Andrew Appleman; publicity director, Roy French. Beginning Dramatics sponsor, Miss Baker; president, Cynthia Robinson; publicity director, Robert Handy; secretary, Shirley Tainter. The La Turulia Espanola (Spanish), sponsored by Miss Shanley, has not elected officers as yet. Advanced Dramatics sponsor is Miss Simon; president, Ellen Fletcher; publicity director, John Taylor. Insignia has its sponsor in Miss Leone; president, Alan Meskil; publicity director, John Gade. Movie Projection has with Miss Semple chosen Jerry Trimble; and publicity director, Richard Davis. Science sponsor is Mr. Ceresia; president, Richard Stock; vice-president, Fred Denton; publicity director, Donald Smith. The Sub Deb sponsored by Miss Hickey has not elected officers as yet. Model Airplane, sponsored by Miss Rophe, elected: president, Bill Glavin; treasurer, Dick Leaning. First Aid has Miss Stitt for sponsor; president, Tris Coffin; publicity director, Grant Talbot. Knitting has Miss Coddington as sponsor; president, Marjorie Bookstein; publicity director, Joan Clark. Miss Welsh directs the newspaper club with Editor Neil McNeil, Publicity Director David Brind. Record Playing, sponsored by Miss Wood, has Donald Jarret, president; Nancy Morehead, publicity director. 7th, 8th and 9th Dancing sponsors are Miss Valenti and Miss Long, with president, Howard Eckel; publicity director, Dick Eldridge. Typing sponsor has Miss Munzer; president, Mary Jane Fiske; publicity director, Catherine Bacon.

Reveals Exploits Of John Ryan, Ex-Milne Tutor

(Editor's note—This story was written by Mr. Wilfred Allard, based upon a personal letter. Many of the same facts appeared in a summer issue of The Saturday Evening Post).

The exploits of Major John Ryan, former French teacher at Milne and better known to Milnites as "Ace," reads like "Assignment in Brittany." As a pilot of a Flying Fortress making bombing raids over northern France and particularly St. Nazaire, the most heavily defended coast city in Europe, he had several narrow escapes; once he landed his plane safely in England when it was so riddled with ack-ack fire that he had to suggest bailing out to his crew. When the men said they preferred sticking it out the then Captain Ryan made a veritable tour de force in landing his plane safely. He received a citation for this feat.

Views Paris in Raid

He got his first view of Paris when his plane took part in a raid on the Renault factories on the outskirts of the Capital. Ryan's crew belonged to the ill-fated Clay Pigeon squadron, so called because of the unusually high casualties from their number on bombing raids over St. Nazaire, the Nazis sub base in Brittany. Finally the jinx caught up with "Ace" Ryan. While on a bombing mission over northern France, his plane was fatally hit. He bailed out in his parachute and succeeded in landing undetected by the "Boche" although he broke his arm in the act. He set his own arm and after burying his chute, ripped his shirt to make himself a sling. He sought refuge among some French peasants who gave him clothes, food and shelter.

Works for G2

Disguised as a peasant, he spent one month and a half in France obtaining valuable information about the region. Meanwhile the French underground was busy at work making plans to smuggle Ryan back to England. Ryan wrote Professor Bergin, formerly of State College faculty and now a Major in the AMG (American Military Government in Italy) that his knowledge of French saved his life on more than one occasion when the Gestapo questioned him. He also added that his six weeks' stay in France increased his knowledge of the language some 300%. On returning to London, he was hospitalized for recuperation. Since he was more valuable in Army Intelligence than as a pilot because of his experience, he was transferred to that branch from the Air Corps. He was given the Purple Heart for his bravery and skill and was promoted to the rank of major. Major Ryan hopes to return soon to the United States and all of Milne wishes him good luck and God speed.



Betty Blabs

It was quite a playday last Saturday. The weather was great and the team was rarin' to go. The schools didn't play against each other but were mixed together. It would have been impossible for the schools to play each other in such a short time so this was the next best thing. The Milne forwards played with Lansingburg's defense while our guards played with St. Agnes. There were quite a few changes.

Lunch Problem

It took an acrobat to eat lunch that afternoon. They had to eat on a hill and balance their milk and lunches on it. It was quite impossible as Jean Dorsey's apple rolled all the way down the hill with Marilyn Bates' following. A moving picture was shown pertaining to Hockey but was quite amusing because it was backwards.

At 2:00 o'clock, the all-star players' names were announced. Milne's star was "Pete" Peterson, '44, as left inner. This team played the Mohawk Hockey Club and beat them 4 to 3. "Pete" was the star of this game making two of the four winning goals.

To Play Kenwood

Milne was asked to play the Kenwood hockey team November 11, at the Kenwood school. Milne will send one team and a few substitutes, but their names are not yet known. This will probably be a very exciting game because Kenwood has a good team.

Mrs. Tieszen, coach, has announced that all people with doctor's certificates requesting that the student does not take physical education must be renewed this year. Last year's certificate is not valid this year so those who need them had better renew them immediately.

Milne has its movie stars now. You could have seen them gazing into the cameras on the front lawn last week. To explain, State College students are taking movies of their school under the supervision of Dr. Floyd Hendrickson, Audio-visual supervisor. They wanted some scenes of the Milne gym class, so the junior class was the lucky one.

A group of Milne students have signed up for horseback riding this year. The only possible time for this club is Saturday morning at 10:30 because the week-days are all taken by other schools. The riding will take place at the Fort Orange Stables.

Nothing definite has been decided but plans are being formed. Those who are interested in riding are: Jean Pirnie, Lois Prescott, Betty-Jane Flanders, Winnie Hauf, John Gade, Bob Kelly, Frank Coburn, Homer Ford, Ellen Fletcher, John Taylor, Grant Talbot, Rosalanda Kotzen, Barbara Richardson, Barbara Cooper, Betty-Lynn Moore, and Carl Siveli.

Anyone else interested in joining this club, please get in touch with Betty Baskin or Mrs. Tieszen.

Plan Quin Rush At First Meeting

The first Quintillian Literary Society meeting was held in Page Hall on October 27, 1943 at 12:57 p. m. Betty Gallup, president of Quinn, was in the chair.

Plans were made for the Quin Rush which is to be on November 22. Committees chosen were: Entertainment—Melissa Engle, chairman; Inez Warshaw, Marilyn Bates, Felita Schain, Edwina Lucke, Elinor Yaguda, all of '44, and Elaine Bissikummer, Janet Borst, Marcia Leake, Audrey Blume, Shirley Meskill and Baggie Weinberg of '45. Food—Greta Gade, chairman; Barbara MacMahon, Janice Hauf, Barbara Bogardus, Joanne McConnell, Elaine Bissikummer, Loraine Weber and Judy Bayruther, all of '45, and Marilyn Bates, Betty Fettig, Ruth Porth of '44. Cleanup—Lois Freedman, chairman; Joanne McConnell, Shirley Meskill, Barbara Arnold, Judy Bayruther, Loraine Weber, Audrey Blume, Greta Gade, of '45, and Norma Silverstein, Betty Gallup, of '44. Invitations—Nancy Park, chairman; Norma Silverstein, Betty Gallup, Inez Warshaw, Betty Fettig, Edwina Lucke, of '44, and Janice Hauf, Barbara Arnold, Lois Freedman and Audrey Blume, of '45.

Elaine Bissikummer was elected sergeant-at-arms and Baggie Weinberg was chosen assistant treasurer and reporter.

The group conducted the meeting very successfully, taking care of business thoroughly.

Things to Come

Friday, November 5

12:27—Junior and Senior High Red Cross meeting. Mrs. Barsam, adviser.

12:57—Junior Student Council meeting, Room 124.

Saturday, November 6

9:00-5:00—Junior Red Cross conference. Lounge, Monday, November 8.

9:00—7th, 8th grade marks due.

3:10—Health Committee meeting. Dr. Frederick's office.

3:15—Quin Rush. Miss Wells.

Tuesday, November 9

12:27—Senior High Assembly.

12:57—Junior High Assembly. A-12 and V-12 Qualifying Examination.

3:06—Faculty meeting. Room 124.

3:15-5:00—Sigma Rush — Lounge. Miss Slater.

Wednesday, November 10

3:10—Meeting of all 10th grade homeroom teachers and supervisors. Dr. Frederick's office.

12:57—Meeting of Club presidents. Room 124.

Thursday, November 11

Holiday.

Friday, November 12

Homeroom period—7th and 8th grade report cards given out. No percentage to appear on these cards.

Music Department Forms New Group

A new departure in instrumental music at Milne is the formation of a string group recently announced by Miss Frieda Klaiman, music instructor.

At present the group consists of Derwent Angier, Mary Jane Fiske, Laura Lea Paxton, Richard Paris, and Rita Sontz, all violinists.

When interviewed, Miss Klaiman indicated that she is extremely well pleased with the number of volunteers, and that she anticipates adding two cellos in the near future. She also stated that she hopes eventually to be able to secure other instruments and form a complete orchestra which would be the first one organized at Milne.

Hoyt Releases Advertising For Bricks and Ivy

Sue Hoyt, business manager of the Bricks and Ivy, has released the following list of students who will comprise the advertising staff of the yearbook. They are: Janice O'Connell, who will manage the staff; Janice Hauf, '45, Judy Bayreuther, '45, Jeanette Price, '46, Neal Haight, '47, David Siegal, '49, Jerry Trimble, '49.

Milne Hi-Y Holds Meeting at Y. M. C. A.

Members of the Milne Hi-Y organization attended a regular meeting on Wednesday, October 29 at the YMCA. President Alvin Bingham conducted the meeting, and Tom Dyer was secretary.

The first business was the election of a business manager. Tom McCracken was elected.

All the prospective new members were instructed to be present at the next meeting on November 3rd. The meeting adjourned at 7:40 p. m. Chaplain Charles Hopkins said the benediction.

Saturday, November 13

9:00-10:00—Boys Societies Formal—Lounge. Mr. Raymond, Dr. Moose, Miss Conklin, Mrs. Barsam.

Buy More
War Bonds
and
Stamps

Milnites Cooperate In Red Cross Drive

"The Milne students are showing wonderful cooperation in the Red Cross Drive up to date," said Mrs. Anna K. Barsam, faculty supervisor of home making. With the exception of a few students in several homerooms, the drive is being successfully completed. Pat Gotier, president of the Junior Red Cross, and her staff, feel that every student should, if necessary, do without some little pleasure and make his contribution to the current drive. Miss Gotier and her assistants would like to see Milne 100% enrolled.

The first six homerooms to have every student enrolled are 336, 226, 329, 324, 124, and 320.

Saturday, November 6, eight Milne girls will sell forget-me-nots on downtown street corners for the benefit of the Red Cross. The girls are Barbara Betham, Marjorie Bookstein, Norma Singer, Sally Gaus, Edwina Lucke, Pat Gotier, Betty Gallup, and Nancy Park.

Mrs. Walter Conway, nutrition expert from Albany Chapter of the Red Cross, is teaching a course each Monday from 3:06 to 3:51 in Room 128.

The following students are enrolled in this course: Jane Simmons, Betty Jane Flanders, Joan Lehner, June Linton, Joan Travers, Nancy Bearup, Katherine Jones, Frank Hall, freshmen; Barbara Freedman, Lois Friedman, Laurel Ulrich, juniors; Caryl Ferber, Jean Pirnie, Jean Herson, Janet McNeil, sophomores; and Pat Gotier, senior.

One-quarter credit will be offered to those passing the course. All interested may get in touch with Pat Gotier, president of the Junior Red Cross in Milne.

Discussions

by Eleanor

The vocalist is to popular music what the instrumentalist is to jazz. The ballad is at best an unstable thing, here today, gone tomorrow. Once cold it is very, very cold, but when it is hot it is torrid. Today no classification escapes the vocalist. Tony Pastor in Hot, Helen Forrest in Swing, Sonny Schuyler in Dance, and Fats Waller in Novelty. All these are in addition to the crowded straight vocal field which offers Crosby, Sinatra, Como, Haymes—and far into the night. This month the release on vocals has been proportionally large.

Crosby's "If You Please" and "Sunday, Monday or Always" are the best, but don't start throwing things, gals. Your boy, Frank, starts collecting things in "People Will Say We're in Love" and continues in "Oh What a Beautiful Morning." Both are from "Oklahoma" and Frankie's not exactly from hunger himself. The man who really started all the croon-swoon stuff is Jack Leonard, kiss him or kill him as you will. To Ray Block's accompaniment on "Okeh" records, he sings "We'll Meet Again" and "I Never Mention Your

Society Council Names Dyer Head

Tom Dyer, '44, heads this year's intersociety council. Besides being head of this, Tom is the president of Theta Nu Literary Society.

The intersociety council is made up of two boys from each society. They work in behalf of all three boys' societies and work in conjunction with the girls for dances and other affairs.

Jim Detwiler, '45, is the other representative from Theta Nu. Phi Sigma sends Dutch Ball and Bruce Hansen to the council. They are both two-year members. From Adelphoi comes Tom McCracken and John Bulger.

Dr. Carlton Moose, supervisor in science, is the secretary of the council. He is also the advisor to Adelphoi. Mr. Harlan Raymond, shop teacher, is advisor to Theta Nu. Mr. John Roach, English supervisor, is advisor to Phi Sigma. They are the faculty advisors to the intersociety council.

The council has met only once so far, but they plan a meeting in the near future. Said Tom Dyer, "We hope that everything will be run successfully this year."

Theta Nu Elects Heads At Regular Meeting

At the last regular meeting of Theta Nu Literary Society the members elected officers for the year. Tom Dyer, who was named last year, is president.

The other officers are: Vice-president, Sanford Bookstein, '44; secretary, Ed Muehleck; corresponding secretary, Arnold Baskin, '44; and Cornwell Heidenreich, '44, is the treasurer.

Name." Nice crooning, but this is old stuff and a trifle shopworn.

To get to brighter and better things let's take "Don't Cry Baby" by Erskine Hawkins. This is a slow, sepia number with lazy rhythm. On the reverse side is "Mash Blues," which is reminiscent of Barnett's "Pompton Turnpike." It's very careless, very real, with a muted trumpet solo that is really something.

"That Did It, Marie" by Goodman is old but still catchy, and very solid. Some catchy vocalist that sings "Why Don't You Do Right," in that tricky, indifferent way. There is an excellent trumpet passage and a rather uninspired solo section by Benny.

Carman Cavallero's new vocalist, Alan Dale, is going big with the ladies; the voice is okay, the looks terrific. The Riobamba is threatening to sue Sinatra over bookings. He is currently appearing at the Waldorf-Astoria's Wedgewood Room. Dick Haymes, who has real talent, is being boomed more as opposition for Sinatra than because of any real ability. Would you believe that May West can sing rings around many of the current songstresses?