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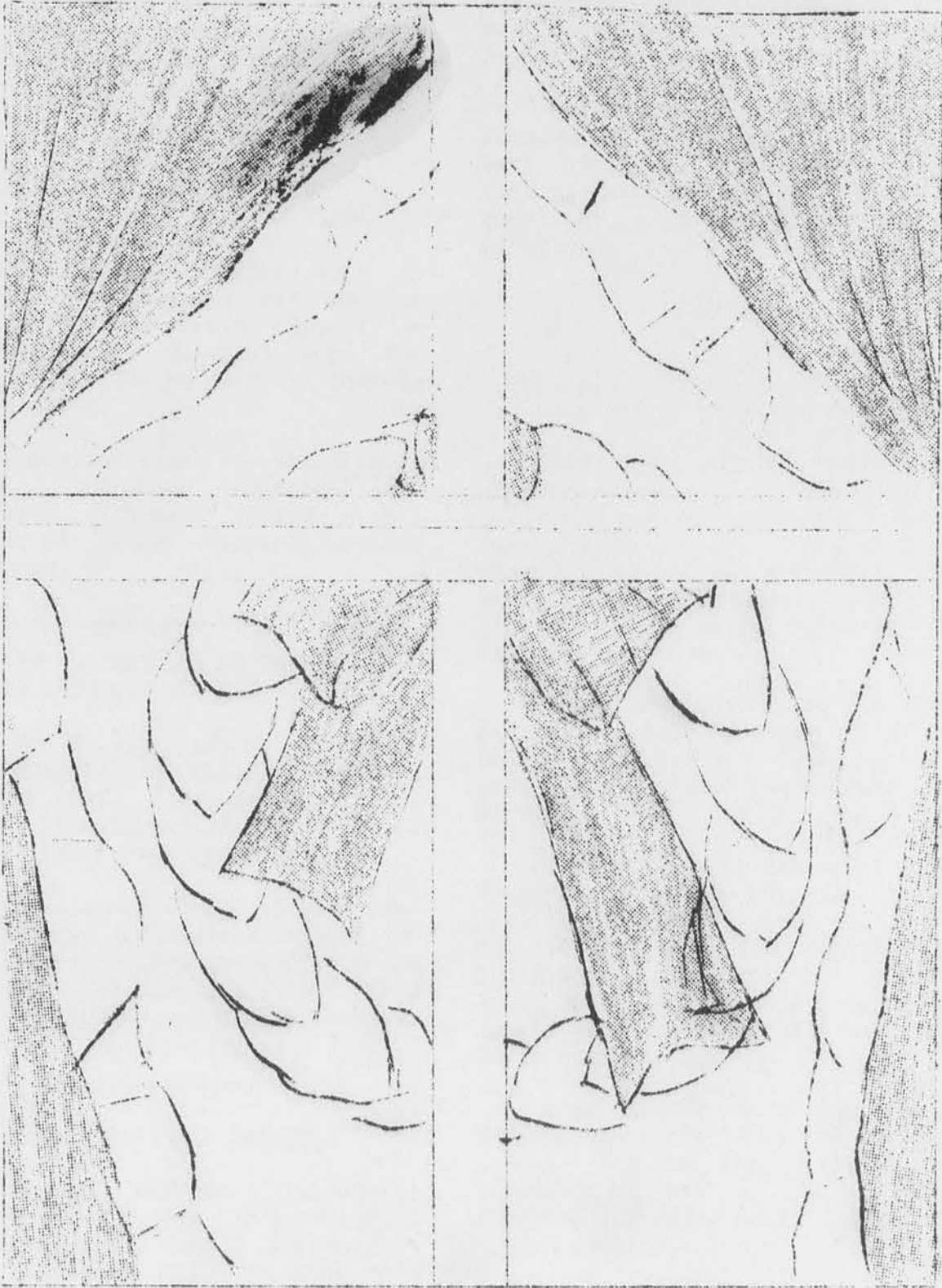


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SENIOR NEWS

Merry



Christmas

MISS HITCHCOCK CHOOSES SQUAD
GIRLS TO FORM VARSITY TEAMS
IN BASKETBALL FROM THIS LIST

Miss Hitchcock has chosen the girls varsity basketball squad. The final varsity team will be picked from this group.

Members of the squad include; Jane Bremer, Frances Bremer, Norma Kapewich, Virginia Soper, Carolyn Hasman, Betty Reudeman, Frances Levitz, Marion Kosbob, Bette Potter, Barbara Knox, Pricilla Simpson, Virginia Kelsey, Seniors; Frances Seymour, Elizabeth Simmons, Patricia Gibson, Virginia Tripp, Damia Winshurst, Mary Winshurst, Jean McDermott, Margaret Charles, juniors; and Lillian Ecklshymer, Recille Rasp, Betty Nichols, and Kay Newton.

JANUARY 4, 5, AND 6 ARE
LAST DAYS TO ORDER RINGS

Foster Sipperley announced that any one desiring to purchase one of the school pins or rings should order it as soon as possible. The last days for ordering them will be January fourth, fifth, and sixth.

In a previous issue of the Crimson and White a reporter described the various types available. If you want a ring or pin see Foster Sipperley before January sixth.

KOSBOB, LASHER ARE IN CHARGE
OF ANNUAL HI-Y--G.A.C. DANCE

Barbara Knox, president of Girls' Athletic Council, and William Perkins, president of Hi-Y, announce that Marion Kosbob and Kenneth Lasher are co-chairmen of the annual Hi-Y--G.A.C. dance.

The co-chairmen will appoint committees made up of members of the two organizations to assist them. The dance is scheduled for March 19, but this date is not definite and may be changed.

CHRISTMAS ASSEMBLY IS TODAY

The annual Christmas assembly, which takes place during the last period on the last day of school before the Christmas vacation will be held this afternoon at two-thirty. Each homeroom has a box ready to be judged in the contest.
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STUDENT COUNCIL APPROPRIATES
MONEY FOR EQUIPMENT IN GYM;
ANNUAL PARTY TO BE JANUARY 15

The Student Council has decided to appropriate the sum of fifty dollars for the equipment of the small gym. The plan is to put guards on the windows and lights so that gym classes may play more active games. There will also be baskets for basketball. Professor Sayles brought up this plan for the convenience of those students who wish to practice basketball or other sports in their free time.

The first lot of red Milne feathers the Student Council purchased are sold out; however, another group of one hundred will be here shortly.

The Senior High party will be on January 15. This year it will be a hard luck party with the Rhythm Kings furnishing the music for dancing. The committee in charge includes Jane Weir Seely Funk, and Mildred Mattice.

MISS HAYES ADDRESSES SENIORS
ON THE SELECTION OF COLLEGES

Last Wednesday at twelve o'clock Miss Hayes addressed the senior class. She explained how the seniors could obtain information about any college they were interested in. She said that she has catalogs from almost every college, and that anyone could come to her office and use them.

There is a book in her office that gives the rating of every college in the United States. It also gives the expenses and needed requirements for admission.

Miss Hayes advised those who plan to attend a college next year to file an application early since all who apply are not accepted. She stated that she would answer any questions anyone might have. She said she would help any senior in his problems concerning the colleges he is considering.

Miss Shaver ended the program by telling the class to do its best in High School, because many employers before hiring anyone look up their High School records, including marks and extra curriculum activities.

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A committee of faculty advisors will act as judges. They will choose the winning boxes, which will be lined up on the stage. The boxes will be given to the Protestant Welfare Organization who will deliver them.

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COMING - COMING

Although the Christmas season is a bright spot on the horizon a black cloud threatens its continuous effect. Perhaps you have guessed that this menace is in the form of mid-year examinations.

It may seem rather early to suggest studying, but you know by experience that they sneak up and pounce upon us suddenly. Then comes the time for cramming. The night before the exam you sit down and really study for about fifteen minutes. Don't try to deny it. We all fail in this respect, and weep tears of woe because we have not done better. But what do we do about it? Nothing! It never occurs to us to remedy our faults. We merely continue to earn poor marks, if any, and take them as a matter of course. Let's "get wise" to ourselves and work!

You know yourself what you can do if you try. When you really get down to work and study you know how much easier it is to get along. Why not study instead of worrying about the exams.

CAPS AND GOWNS

What should the seniors wear at graduation? This problem is really serious and there are many different solutions to it. Some think that caps and gowns should be worn, some regulation white silk dresses while still others think that it should be as in previous years.

There are arguments for and against all of these. Some maintain that caps and gowns are ideal. They think that they have a neat appearance and give the class a scholastic air. The opposition to this is that it is an added expense for the senior year.

The next suggestion was that we have regulation white silk dresses. This is found unfavorable by some as they say that it looks as though there had been a sale. Others were of the opinion that these would look very nice and that it would not be very expensive.

The last solution presented was that things be left as in previous years. This was more or less disregarded as the general consensus of opinion was that it made a "sloppy" appearing graduation.

This problem has not yet been solved as the majority of the seniors considered it too important a matter to settle right away.

CONGRATULATIONS

The Crimson and White congratulates the Milne students for the success of the Tea Dance last Friday. The gym was well-filled with Milnites and a few visitors, all of whom helped to make this occasion such an outstanding success. The prevailing spirit of friendliness broke the ice immediately and the dance was on its way.

If all Milne events were supported with as much wholehearted enthusiasm as was this one, the school would become famous for its spirit. You folk who had a good time at the Tea Dance must realize now that every dance, game, or get-together could be just as much fun as was this one. It didn't take any effort on your part to give this affair a boost, did it? Well, it doesn't take any more effort to have a good time at some of our other social functions. You've done a great job with the Tea Dance; keep up the good work!

MILNE ENJOYS VACATION

Christmas recess will start today after assembly. School will be resumed on January 4.

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QUINN:

The Quintilian members voted in favor of limited enrollment. The voting took place after a long discussion.

The president called a special meeting for Wednesday to complete the plans for admission into the society.

THETA NU:

At the regular meeting of the Theta Nu society, the members decided to sponsor a swimming team to which anyone qualifying could belong. They passed the motion that Theta Nu and Adelphei would join together in purchasing a silver cup which will be awarded at the basketball game to the winning team.

The committees from both of the societies will decide upon the date of the game.

SIGMA:

A. A. Milne was the author for this week. Martha Gordon gave the biography.

Priscilla Simpson reported on the qualifications decided upon by the joint committee of Sigma and Quin girls. The society discussed this issue at length. They voted on and passed the motion that the society will have limited enrollment.

ADELPHOI:

Arthur Smith talked on the book Forty Years at Scotland Yard. The author wrote this book in first person. It contains a few mystery cases and their solutions.

Seely Funk announced that the deadline for handing in money for the pins will be January 17.

DRAMATICS CLUB PLANS PLAY

The Senior Dramatics Club held their weekly meeting on Monday in the auditorium. They discussed the play that they plan to give next semester. They also appointed committees for it. Thelma Segal is chairman of the sets and props committee. Rehearsals are to begin after vacation.

Well, now that school is just about over, to give Santa Claus a chance to overwhelm us with gifts, I am madly peering into my little black book in order to give you a good send-off.

From the Interlude, we see that
 Doctor Jones fell in a well
 And died without a moan.
 He should have tended to the sick
 And left the well alone.

From the Quill, the students have their own interpretation of signs.

Policeman: "Take it easy! Didn't you notice that slow Down Here?"
 Bill H.: "Yes, but I thought it was describing the village."

From the Mur - Mur - Ette, these bits of humor struck my blue eyes.

Aha! I spy a sonnet. Listen, my children. (Baby talk, eh?)

My love has flew
 Him did me dirt
 Me did not know
 Him were a flirt.

To they who love (?)
 Let I forbid
 Lest they be doed
 As I was did.

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DID YOU KNOW THAT-----

Milnites have more school spirit for other schools than for Milne?

People who slam glass doors very hard usually break the glass?

We who cram for tests more often flunk?

A certain Albany High Junior is simply "ga ga" over our basketball captain?

Our well known senior twins are now aunts? (And to twins no less)

"Kenny" Lasher makes a ducky "French husband"? (Think it over Peg!)

Miss Prim (P.S.) has been faithfully escorted home from these doors for the past few weeks-but no more-Springfield is calling the young man? (Don't worry Pris, There are plenty of other fish in the bowl.)

JOINT ASSEMBLY TODAY
XMAS PROGRAM PLANNED

This afternoon there will be a joint assembly at 2:25, the last period. There will be special singing by the Junior High School followed by group singing of the whole school. The Junior High will present a play entitled "The Doll Shop". Miss Hitchcock plans to award letters to the girls for soccer and hockey. Last but not least will be the judging of the Christmas boxes. The judges for these will be Mr. Foltz, Miss Browning, and Miss White. Each homeroom will submit a box for honorable mention. They will be decorated in various novel ways, and filled with food. They, following the assembly will be taken to some of the more unfortunate people for their Christmas celebration.

THE COMMENTATOR

At Union College last Friday night Milne students saw a real game of basketball. To start it off the Crimson Five, all decked out in new suits, turned in their first victory to the tune of 25-22. Well ahead at the half 18-9, Milne kept in the lead all the way, but in the fourth quarter Mohawk started sinking them fast until it was 22-20; then Milne tightened up and finished the game with a hard earned victory.

And a word about the new suits. They make the boys look like a remodeled team. And with that victory over Mohawk we hope we've thrown away our losing streak along with the old suits.

I've been asked to say something about the Junior Varsity by several of the boys on the team. They are doing a nice job; won two games and lost only one. The J.V's beat Delmar and Rensselaer, and lost State.

Here and there; "Tiger Taft" played a good game Friday despite his recent illness.....It seems that the bus left for Union a little early..... There are some good baseball prospects for Milne next spring....The turn out for the Mohawk game was excellent...We have a victory, now lets have some new spirit....At least come and see the suits...Varsity and Junior Varsity play @ Ravena tonight.

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BELIEVE IT OR NOT

Here are some believe it or not questions for our more cautious readers to ponder over. These bits of news have probably spread near and far by this time but, if they haven't they will probably get a good start today unless they are not worth the trouble. If anyone can prove that he knew all of these items before hand he will receive absolutely free a five cent chocolate bar by members of the Klu Klux Klub now in the making. They make and sell chocolate bars exclusively. P. S. Come early, there are only a limited number. Did you know that:

The persons that went on the bus trip to Schenectady last Saturday night started for Union before the cheer leaders had arrived. After waiting impatiently for nearly an hour the poor girls decided to spend their last cent to catch another bus. How's that for school spirit?

Quin and Sigma have at last decided what to do to keep the interest in both societies burning brightly. Limited enrollment will again be practiced, the girls feeling that this is for the good of the new girls as well as the society.

The Crimson and White wishes that it could afford to hire a group of boys --quite big ones at that--to protect its news against invaders as its rival The Time Ticker seems to be doing. This newspaper couldn't pay more than twenty percent of its entire profit, but all applicants will be carefully considered.

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Dr. Moose; "Name some liquid that won't freeze."

Edmund; "Hot water."

Merry Christmas Folks and Happy New Year.

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Colgate took Union via a 47-29 score, but boy what a game! With the gym packed to capacity by a roaring crowd, the game was as exciting as most football games. Colgate did the fastest passing that Milne has ever seen and, like football, it was hard to even find the ball.