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SENIOR NEWS

MILNE TO OPPOSE DRAPER
ON SCHENECTADY COURT
IN TRADITIONAL BATTLE

This evening the Milne varsity and junior varsity will journey to Draper High School for the first away game of the season. The Jayvees will oppose the Draper junior varsity in the preliminary contest. The varsity game will follow this encounter.

Although the Crimson Panthers did not play Draper last season, for many years it has been a traditional battle. In the 1933-34 encounter the Draper squad defeated the Crimson and White Tide by an overwhelming margin. Nevertheless, in the return contest, the Milne boys avenged the defeat.

With tonight's game, the Crimson Raiders will attempt to make up for the defeat which they received at the hands of the State Frosh, with a double victory. As it now stands Milne has one defeat against no triumphs.

The varsity line-up will probably include Captain Douglas MacHarg, Walter Simmons, Ralph Norvell, Ray Hotaling, and Howard Rosenstein. Martin Creevy, Foster Sipperly, Robert Taft, and Erastus Davis will fill in the reserve role.

CHRISTMAS PLAYS CHOSEN;
DRAMATICS CLUB OFFICIATES

The senior high Christmas play will be Sham, by F. Tompkins, and the junior high will present Knave of Hearts, by Louise Saunders. The sets group will be responsible for the stage furnishings and sound effects for this production. They are discussing the facilities necessary for the play.

The advanced dramatics club finished their try-outs last week. The new members as chosen from the try-outs will begin work with this group immediately on plays for the assembly program.

The beginners' group of the Dramatics Club has divided into two groups. Both of these groups will be run on the same plan but have been separated for the convenience of working in small classes. With Sheldon Bond as president of one group and Helen Barker as secretary, they plan to present a comedy for an assembly program. Frances Seymour, president of the other group, appointed Peggy Jantz, Betty Hine, and Marjorie Pond to be on a committee to choose a farce for their assembly presentation.

HI-Y SPONSORS PEP MEETING
"CHIEF" DURAN MAIN SPEAKER
TWO NEW CHEERS INTRODUCED

Last Wednesday morning at 8:00 o'clock, a pep meeting sponsored by the Hi-Y association of this school, was presented in a joint assembly.

Douglas MacHarg, the master of ceremonies, opened the meeting by asking Betty Boyd to lead the students in some cheers.

"Chief" Clement A. Duran, director of the Y. M. C. A., the main speaker of the morning, presented a talk on "Good Spectatorship." William Hotaling, after this, gave the high lights of the coming basketball season. He noted that the most important game will be on March 14 at the Boys' Academy.

George Bancroft, basketball coach, reported on the Crimson and White team. "It consists of good coaching, good support, and a good team," he said, in speaking of a successful season.

Next, the cheerleaders introduced two new cheers which Milne will use in the coming season. Following this, Howard Rosenstein explained the purpose and the use of the guest cards. These may be obtained from any member of the Hi-Y, Varsity Club, boys' athletic council, or the student council. Ray Hotaling then told about the out-of-town bus trips which there will be this year.

The Girls' Athletic Club sent Jean Graham to campaign support for the girls' teams in basketball games. Betty Boyd then led the school body in more songs. The pep meeting was closed with the singing of the "Alma Mater."

AUTHOR OPENS BOOK WEEK
WITH "HOW BOOKS HAPPEN"

Rachel Field, author of Calico Bush and Time out of Mind, opened Book Week in Albany at Chancellor's Hall last Monday, November 18. She was brought here by the co-operation of the Albany Public Library system and many of the city schools. Her topic was, "How Books Happen."

PLAY STUDENT TAX!

"It is every student's obligation to pay his student tax," says Professor Sayles. He urges that everyone pay as soon as possible.

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SPORTSMANSHIP

One week ago today, the representative crimson-clad court quintet met the State freshman team on the Page Hall floor. As a result of this fray, the Milne boys found themselves on the short end of a 22-24 score. The game was tense and there were several moments when the fate of Milne hung in the balance. During the close minutes we tend to let excitement get the best of us. Of course we are referring to the boeing of foul shots and the use of a tin whistle to rattle the man about to attempt the foul shot. We will grant that the Milne rooters were not responsible for the whistle blowing, but we did hear some boeing from them.

Perhaps some of you remember that several years ago a Milne team lost a basketball game because of this same breach of sportsmanship.

The Milne basketball team has a long hard schedule to play this season. We should support the team, and thus help them to win, but we ought, at all times, to remember that good sportsmanship means more than any basketball game.

THE FOREIGN POLICY ASSOCIATION

Last week, the Foreign Policy Association held their first meeting in Albany. These meetings are graded in three different groups--high school, college, and adult. There were speakers for each group and a discussion about current topics was held in each.

In the high school group, the topic was Isolation versus Co-operation. Either the speakers were not good, or the students were particularly stupid, for the meeting seemed to us not to accomplish its aim. Nothing definite was said or no definite conclusion was reached. However, some things were said which might interest you as citizens of this world.

First--the world is rapidly growing smaller. It used to be like a farmyard, then like a city, then like a neighborhood; now it is like a tenement house. No one can do anything out of the ordinary without disturbing the rest of the world. Second--there are three types of people and three types of countries in the world. There are those who are afraid to do anything to better the world and swear that the old methods are still good. Then there are the kind who wait for someone else to start something and then say, "I knew that would (or would not) work." Lastly, there are those who "sit on the band-wagon" and start these new methods and do not quit if they fail at the first trial.

We think that this meeting would have accomplished a great deal more if the main speaker, Mrs. Nason, had not thought that we were second-graders, and if the other speakers, Rabbi Bamberger, Rev. Kenneth Welles, and Clement Durant, had offered a little more which was relative to the subject. The prize statement of the day was uttered by Mr. Welles: "The unchangeable human nature can be changed by changing those things which can be changed."

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Guess Who's

1. "Who do you think you are--anyway?"
2. He's sporting a little red and blue handkerchief now--embroidered, too!
3. This little junior's got trouble, double trouble!
4. She headed west-ward ho! last week-end; with spectacles 'n' everything.

New Flashes:

Speaking of famous signatures, the Declaration of Independence has nothing on Carol Loucks' cast. You can expect to see it hanging in the halls of Milne any month now.

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STATE FROSH DOWN MILNE
 IN HARD FOUGHT BATTLE
 TO THE TUNE OF 24-22

Quin:

Leslie Sipperly, president, conducted the weekly meeting. Quotations were from Henry Wadsworth Longfellow. Frances Bremer gave a report on his life and Marion Kasbob on his works. Quotations next week will be from Amy Lowell.

Theta Nu:

Eight new members were sworn in at Tuesday's regular meeting by Charles Griggs, secretary. The new members are; Edward Walker, Richard Game, Robert Taft, John Hodecker, Robert Wilke, George Harrington, Richard Selkirk, and Edward Haskins.

The program of the meeting included a biography of Anthony Wayne, American patriot, by Thomas Boyd given by Charles Griggs. Sheldon Bond, chairman of the program committee, outlined the program for the coming year.

Sigma:

Barbara Bladen called the meeting to order at 11:06 o'clock.

Quotations were from Charles Lamb. The rest of the meeting was devoted to a discussion of the rush on Friday, November 22.

Adelphoi:

At the regular meeting of Adelphoi Literary Society, Edward Day gave a report on the article "--And Sudden Death" from the Reader's Digest. It dealt with the ways in which people are killed in automobile accidents. A discussion was then held on the speech.

The annual outing of Adelphoi society was discussed; it is to be held this year at a ski camp in the Helderbergs Mountains. Mr. Norvell also took orders for Adelphoi pins.

GIRLS' HOCKEY TEAM WINS 2-1;
 TO PLAY MONT PLEASANT TODAY

The girls' varsity hockey team defeated the State College freshmen last Friday by a score of 2-1. The Mont Pleasant game, originally scheduled for last week, will be played today, weather permitting.

The line-up for last week's game included Barbara Birchenough, Elspeth Fromm, Jean Graham, Leslie Sipperly, Gertrude Wheeler, Sally Ryan, Doris Shultes, Irene Hawkins, Ethel Gillespy, Alice Wander, and Damia Winshurst.

After the game today, refreshments will be served in the home economics room. Due to the weather, there have been no inter-class games this week.

Last Friday night the Crimson and White team suffered its first defeat of the season at the hands of the State freshmen team. When the final whistle blew, Milne was on the small end of a 24-22 score. Both teams played a hard, fast game before a very large group of rooters. Throughout the game the spectators were given a fine example of basketball, and many a time spectacular playing brought the fans to their feet. In fact, from the time the first whistle blew, the crowd kept up a continual roar until the timer's horn sounded, ending a great game.

The State team produced a fine exhibition of basketball and a great fighting spirit. Not once did the frosh let up but continually, time after time, kept possession of the ball by pure grit and passed and pivoted with an amazing speed.

Although the Crimson Panthers lost the game, it was not without a fight. There was not one second of the battle that they weren't in there scrapping all the time. Continually the Milne boys would break up State's offense to fight off a scoring threat. Regardless of the fact that Milne's offense was unable to "click" so well their defense functioned fine.

In spite of the fact that the game was exciting throughout, the last two minutes proved to hold the greatest thrill for the rooters, if that can be determined by the roar after roar that was sent up. Two minutes before the close the score stood 22-20 in the favor of the frosh. At this point, the Milne center, evading two men, dropped in a pop shot to tie the score. State then called for time out and made some substitutions. A minute and three quarters of play remained. Fouls were called on both teams, but neither scored. A State guard took a bad shot off Milne's backboard and tore down the floor toward his basket. Suddenly, just back of the center line, he stopped and let the ball fly toward the basket. It went in! This shot won the game. Nevertheless, this did not stop the Crimson Tide. Milne got the jump and, after quick passing, a ball arched through the air and bounded off the hoop. Immediately five crimson-clad lads sprang high into the air fighting for the ball as the game ended.

The Milne team was led in scoring by "Scrappy" MacHarg, who had 12 points. "Dash" Rosenstein and "Hi" Simmons tallied five and three points, respectively. "Hunky" Hotaling followed closely with two.

"Clash" Norvell turned in a fine defensive game at guard. "Spurt" Creasy did a great job in the reserve role.