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QUIN, SIGMA SOCIETIES CONDUCT ANNUAL DANCE IN PAGE HALL GYM

The Quintillian and Zeta Sigma Literary Societies had their annual semi-formal dance last Friday night in the Page Hall Gym. Bill Grattan and his orchestra once more furnished the music for the dancing. Thus far, this orchestra has played at every Milne social function this year.

Red, white, and blue streamers enclosed the dance floor and rose to form a conical ceiling at the peak of which hung a silver covered liberty bell. Even the baskets flaunted the national colors, and a United State's flag prevailed in each corner of the gym.

The orchestra also supported this "patriotic" theme by playing an arrangement of "Over There", for the grand march, and other patriotic music.

As a grand finale, the girls sang their respective society songs, and then the orchestra joined in with the national anthem. In spite of the rainy weather, the dance was reported to have been a huge success.

MILNE LOSES 38-34 TO RENSSELAER TEAM

Many Milnites traveled to Rensselaer High School last Tuesday night to see the "Red Raiders" return engagement with the Rensselaer five. It was an exciting game because the boys fought hard and the score was close all the way, being 19-18 at the end of the half and ending 38-34 in Rensselaer's favor. Locke was high scorer for Milne with 10 points.

DORAN TO LEAD ANNUAL PARTY

SENIOR HIGH HAS 24 ON HONOR ROLL

Since so many people were absent during examination week because of illness, several names which ordinarily appear in the honor roll are not present because the work has not yet been made up. Those who are on the list are as follows:

10th year pupils:

Theodore De Moss....	90.00
Patricia DeRouville....	90.75
Jean Douglas.....	90.50
Ruth Kettler.....	90.75
Ralph Loomis.....	93.00
Natalie Mann.....	91.80
John Morrison.....	93.00
Arline Palatsky....	91.50
Dorothy Rider.....	95.80
Miriam Steinhardt...	90.00

11th year pupils:

Ethel Baldwin.....	97.00
Stanley Ball.....	92.50
Walter Grace.....	94.00
Robert Ostrander...	93.00
Bianche Packer.....	95.00
John Poche.....	91.75
Leila Sontz.....	95.75

12th year pupils:

Mary Baker.....	91.25
Leah Einstein.....	91.50
Marjorie Gade.....	93.25
David Mack.....	93.40
Borden Mills.....	92.50
Robert Schamberger...	92.40
Marian Soule.....	91.25

GIRLS' VARSITY TO MEET ST. AGNES TODAY IN GYM

The girls' varsity team will encounter the St. Agnes sextet this afternoon at 3:30 in the Page Hall Gym. There will be two games played, one with a senior team and one with a junior team.

Milne's annual card party, given to raise money for the murals in the library, will be on March 7th in the Little Theater and the library from 3 to 5 P.M.

Jessie Doran is chairman, and some of the committees are as follows:

Tickets--Jerome Levitz, chairman, Robert Schamberger, and Stanley Ball.

Publicity--Josephine Wilson, chairman, Ruth Van Gasbeck, Shirley Smith, Patricia Forward, June Black, Elaine Fite, and Betty Jane Southwell.

Donation--Betty Miller, chairman, Betty Farnam, Glenna Smith, Sally Hunt, Marian Horton, Ingrid Welch, Sally Lavino, June Welch, Ann Loucks, Doris Wogatski, Jane Davis, Gretchen Phillips, Lillian Simmons, June Daily, and Joyce Hoopes.

Refreshment--Margie Gade, chairman, Nancy Hochstrasser, Marcia Dissinkummer, Ethel Baldwin, Olga Townsend, Lee Mapes, Miriam Poice, Jean Heavener, and Elaine Gallup.

Hostess--Ruth Martin, chairman, Lois Ambler, Priscilla Smith, Laura Ann Lyon, Jean Chauncey, and Harriet Hochstrasser.

Prize--Marilyn Fincher, chairman, Joan Manweiler, Joan Hunting, Margaret Keek, and Marilyn Potter.

Cake--Jane Stuart, chairman, Elaine Becker, Helen Culp, June Black, and Corrine Edwards.

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SUPPORT WELL DESERVED

Our basketball team certainly deserves a lot of credit because of the terrific fight that they put up Saturday night against the V.I. team.

Our team had the whole hearted support of the student body, for without a doubt it was one of the best attended games of the season. It's too bad that Milne's team couldn't keep up the good work and win the game. The best of luck and support for the remainder of the season!

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THIRTY-ONE YEARS OF SERVICE TO BOYHOOD

This week, from February 7 to 14, more than one and one-half million Americans will celebrate the thirty-first anniversary of the nation's largest youth organization, the Boy Scouts of America.

Thirty-one years ago, in 1910, when W. K. Boyce, an American business man was visiting in London, an unknown English Scout rendered him a service and would not take pay for it. Mr. Boyce was impressed with this boy and the organization which he represented. When he returned to the United States, he began to formulate plans for the start of the organization now known as the Boy Scouts of America.

In thirty-one years the Boy Scouts has grown from a group of a few thousand to an organization with an alumni of over nine million!

The Scout motto is "Be Prepared" and the program of the association prepared boys with skill in first-aid, camping, nature, signaling, handicraft, and offers awards in over one hundred vocational subjects for the youth of tomorrow.

We of the Crimson and White re-echo these sentiments of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Honorary President of the Scouts:

"The Boy Scouts have made and will continue to make an important contribution to the welfare of America's young manhood."



Are you up on current events? Have you been reading the papers, lately? Test your Current Events I. Q. with this matching test. Connect the terms of Column I which best correspond with the terms of Column II.

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| 1. Athlone | () Sec'y of Agriculture |
| 2. Camacho | () King of Egypt |
| 3. Chuanking | () German Air Force |
| 4. Farouk | () late Greek leader |
| 5. Istanbul | () Tokyo newspaper |
| 6. Knudsen | () Prince of Norway |
| 7. Winant | () Postmaster General |
| 8. Leahy | () Gov'r Gen. of Can. |
| 9. Luftwoffe | () President of Mexico |
| 10. Metaxas | () War Capitol of China |
| 11. Nihi Nihi | () Capitol of Turkey |
| 12. Clay | () Industrialist |
| 13. Wicker | () Ambassador to U. K. |
| 14. Walker | () Ambassador to France |
| 15. von Ribbentrop | () German Minister |

FEATURES

GET TO WORK, CUPID!

RAYS OF SUNSHINE

Happy Saint Valentines Day everyone! Has Dan Cupid been around your way yet? Well, just to get you in the mood, here are a few of our own.

"You're very cute,
I think you're nice,
I even like your suit.
I'm not so bad,
I don't live far,
So be my valentine,
Cause you own a car."

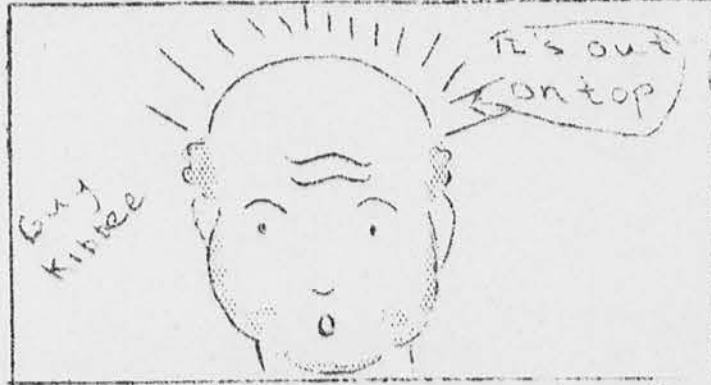
"My valentine gets around,
He doesn't say a word.
He doesn't make a single sound,
At least...he's never heard!
He also drives a nice new car
He always keeps it up to par.
He never has flat tires,
That's right...it's Marky Meyers."

"I'm kind of tall,
I'm on the team,
I like the girls,
But what I seem
To like the best is dancing.
So when you start
To open up that great big hearts
Remember me--John Jansing."

"I've blond wavy hair.
I come from Menands.
I'm really quite fair
And I love swing bands.
Will you be my valentine?
What's that....did I hear you call?
You want my name? Way, Bobbie Bail!"

DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT!

Jane Davis was driving along a country road when she spied a couple of repairmen climbing telegraph poles. "Fools!" Jane said. "They must think I've never driven a car before!"



Guy Kibbee, famous movie actor, when just a boy, vowed that someone would come out on top, and he did! (Please reread if you didn't get the joke.)

The average man is like a whale....
When he gets to the top, he blows!

Powder and rouge are an admission
that Nature quit too soon.

Here's some advice: If you can't
sleep, try lying on the edge of the bed,
.....then you may drop off.

This past year, they say, was an
unusually good year for nuts, and one we
saw was driving seventy miles an hour
along an 18-foot road.

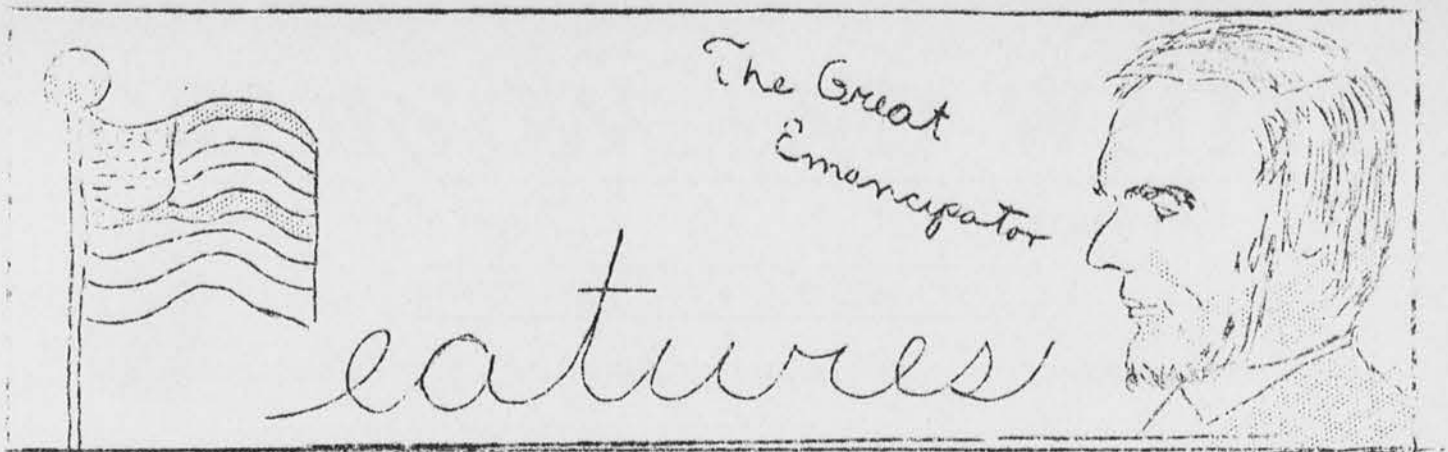
A certain man we know wants a job
as janitor in an insane asylum so that
everybody will be crazy about him.

How do you suppose that Nature knew
thousands of years ago that one's eyes
would go bad, and so give us ears to hear
classmates and



In answer to a query, "Why are men
afraid of women?", Ted Robinson, the
poet and columnist wrote:

You might as well ask
"Why do men fear God?"
The fear of the Unknown,
Is natural and universal.
We are afraid of what we do not under-
stand,
Especially when we know
That we can never understand it.
We do not fear one another
Because we have made a set of rules
That we can be fairly certain
A majority of our fellows will abide by,
but women will not be bound by our rules.
They will be angry with us,
And then be twice as angry
Because we do not know why they are
angry.
They will forgive the wrongs we do them,
But never forgive the ones they imagine
we do them.
The lightning of their wrath
Strikes always unexpectadly,
But not according to our images.
Why are men afraid of women?
Why are they afraid of earthquakes?



After a strenuous week-end, we all returned to school Monday morning with an added feature, namely bags,..... under our eyes. After decorating the gym all Friday afternoon for the Quin-Sigma, the girls, (and a few boys to whom they were very grateful), splashed home in the rain long enough to eat, dress, and swim back to school again. Quite a storm, wasn't it?

One way of not getting wet was the Sir Walter Raleigh, alias Don DeNure method. In other words, Don, who wasn't wearing his cloak that night, carried Bette over the puddles....not advisable if the girl is over 200 pounds.

Then if you really like water, you can step in, and sink or swim! Dottie Ammenhauser stepped in, (it's a good thing you're not any smaller, Dotty. You might not have made it.), and Bob Clarke came to the rescue. This is called the "wet foot" or the "Duck Paddle".

Besides the rain last Friday night, we realized a few other things. Mostly that: everyone was having a good time, the decorations were swell, there was a general mix-up in the programs, Eddie Langwig and Don Foucault couldn't dance because they played in the orchestra, Bob Paylor couldn't dance--he brought his crutches, Quin and Sigma sang their respective songs at the close of the dance and thus carried out the patriotic theme.

We noticed Jane and Julian dancing around, (also a repeat performance the following night).

We knew the Quin Sigma was a great attraction, and it certainly proves it, when someone comes up from Florida to attend the dance. Of course, being invited by Helen Culp might have something to do with it.

At 11:00 the Quin Sigma adjourned to Herberts, where it was carried on.... minus the dancing of course. Also at this gruesome hour, our heroic basketball team trudged home to their little trundle beds. (We certainly were proud of them the following night!)

But Milne wasn't the only place where important things were going on. There was a formal at Troy High School and Ed Meghreblian represented Milne.

And speaking of the next night, our grand basketball team even had the invincible V.I. team scared in a few moments. Remember when we were only one point behind them? It's really an honor to come within nine points of beating Vincentian.

After the game, George Edick and Ed Smith were shown to good advantage strolling down Western Avenue and singing spirituals. They're really good. Maybe sometime they'll sing for an assembly program.

