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STUDENT PRESIDENT
CANDIDATES NAMED
AS JUNIORS MEET

SENIOR NEWS

The Annual Milne High School Horse Show will take place at two o'clock next Friday (Moving Up Day) at the Troop Barracks on New Scotland Avenue. The following girls will participate:

Sally Deveroux, president of the Riding Club
Evelyn Wilber, business manager
Lillian Ecleshymer
Jane Grace
Ruth Selkirk
Una Underwood
Helen Cooper
Marjorie Gade
Phyllis Comstock
Jane Davis
Marjorie Wright
Doris Spector
Miriam Steinhardt

The first event will be the judging of seat and hands, and then jumping, followed by sets of threes and in conclusion of the show there will be a game like Musical Chairs with players on horseback.

MORE BOOKS FOR LIBRARY

The remainder of the books purchased by the senior class with the Book Fair money are now in the library. They are the following:

Tresser--How To Lose Friends and Alienate People.
Roberts--Northwest Passage
Nathan--Winter in April
Curie--Madame Curie
Ellisburgh--Hell On Ice
Salminen--Katrina
Taylor--Of Men and of Music
Allon--Action Aquild
Foster--The American Dream
Ibsen--Plays

With the exception of Of Men and of Music, by Taylor, these books are ready for use in the library.



SOCIETIES DANCE TONIGHT

The Q.T.S.A. Formal will be held tonight at State College Commons. Tickets may be obtained for one dollar and fifty cents (\$1.50) from any member of the four societies. The dance will take place from nine to one. It is a much anticipated event. It is hoped the proceeds will reach the \$100 mark as that is the amount of the Q.T.S.A. scholarship for which the dance is held.

The first Q.T.S.A. scholarship, was awarded in 1922. Points for the scholarship, at this time, could be made by the senior class only. In a few years, however, it was decided that points could be obtained during a person's junior and senior years.

In 1924, Theta Nu having gone but of existence, the student Council supplied part of the money but the name still remained Q.T.S.A.

As the years passed more ways of earning points were added to the list, and at the present time, there are ten clubs or organizations from which one can obtain points.

In 1933 the sophomores were allowed to compete for the Q.T.S.A.

The Q.T.S.A. scholarship is now 17 years old.

Last Wednesday, the junior class met in the Little Theatre to select candidates for next year's student council president.

Kenneth Lasher, student council president, took charge of the meeting. Miss Mary E. Conklin and Mrs. Anna K. Barsam represented the faculty.

Nominees were: Miriam Fletcher, Ruth Selkirk, Jean Layman, Mildred Mattice, Leonard Benjamin, Douglas, and Newell Cross.

The class discussed the responsibility, personality, and leadership of those nominated. Miss Conklin advised the students to remember that they were electing next year's student council officers in selecting the candidates for the presidency.

The final nominees are:
Miriam Fletcher
Mildred Mattice
Leonard Benjamin
Richard Paland

The general school elections will be conducted later this spring.

G.A.C. TO CONDUCT ANNUAL BANQUET

The annual G. A. C. Banquet will be held at the Wellington Hotel, Thursday, May 19 at 6:30. The banquet committee consists of the following:

Patricia Gibson,
General Chairman
Marjorie Stanton,
Mistress of Ceremonies
Betty Schreiner,
Finance chairman
Virginia Nichols,
Placecards.

Each of the officers, and Miss B. Hitchcock will speak.

MILNE OF YESTERDAY

Historical Facts

When Milne classes were conducted on the top floor of Draper Hall, it was a tradition for each graduating class to leave a present to the school. This present usually consisted of a section of a Creek frieze. These sections were hung on the walls in the upper halls. When Milne was transferred to its present building, these sections were brought together and placed in the walls of the library next to the ceiling. The scenes represent the conquest of Babolyn. This frieze still decorates our Milne library.

Prior to the days in Draper Milne School was located on Willett Street, between Madison Ave. and Hudson Ave. opposite Washington Park. Due to some disaster, this building burned and then the school was constructed on Washington Avenue.

SIGMA BANQUET

The Sigma Banquet, which through tradition has always been on the night of the G. T. S. A. dance will carry out the tradition again this year when it will be held at Jack's Restaurant from six until eight.

Barbara Soper, mistress of ceremonies, is in charge of entertainment. The other committees with their members are: Doris Holmes, Betty Barden, Miriam Freund and Ruth Rasp, place cards; Betty Mann and Shirley Rubin, flowers; Margaret Chase, reservations.

RADIO NOTES

The Stroud Twins have definitely improved these past two weeks. Now, since Don Amecho, the verstaile master of ceremonies has stopped in their dialogue has brightened up. An interesting thing to note is that most of the laughs come from the ad libbing which occurs, instead of from the regular script.

Next Monday night, the Lux Radio Theater will present Loretta Young and George Brent in "The Girl from Tenth Avenue". This program has never failed to give fine entertainment, and that is why it is voted the most popular dramatic program on the air.

George Hall and Dolly Dawn have left the air for a while to go on a personal appearance tour through the large cities.

Observations:

- Rudy Vallee's program ought to be improved.
- Phil Baker ought to find some New jokes.
- Burns and Allen ought to find some new material.
- Chase and Sqnborn ought to cut down on their advertising for Charley McCarthy dolls and teaspoons.

* EXCHANGES *

The Renton High News of the Renton High School, Renton, Washington is an especially neat paper. The hand drawn headlines are neat and attractive.

The Terrace Tribune of the Nott Terrace High School, Schenectady, New York has a good sports page. Cartoons add to the cleverness of the page.

"This one's on the house," said the airplane pilot as he prepared to drop another bomb.

Renton High News

The scene is a baseball game. Seventh grader: "Earl, why do all these players belong to the union?" Earl Goodrich: "What makes you think they do?" Seventh grader: "The man seasted beside me said that the last batter went out on a strike."

Renton High News

Senior Sentiments

When I was a little freshman,
I thought it would be grand,
To be an idle senior
And with the seniors stand.

Well, now I am a senior,
But I have no time to dream
I have to work just twice as hard
To write a darn term theme.

The Wax Beacon

Gossip: "Don't you think he's just the picture of his brother?"
Second gossip: "He was framed and hung if that's what you mean!"

Renton High News

Famous last words.....

What fuels these mortals be" said Mephistopheles as he fed his victims to the eternal fire.

Renton High News

And then there was the rifle man who lost his sense of aim and now he sings to his target that old favorite, "Oh How I Miss You Tonight!"

Renton High News

Alumni Notes

Lois Lantz, a popular former member of Milne, is now a popular member of Cortland. She has been attending Cortland since the fall of '36, and, as this is a three year course, she will be graduated this June. During these three years she has been preparing for her career as a kindergarten teacher.

Luckily, she has secured a position in the Waterville school. There has not been a kindergarten there for a long time, so this will be a new experience.

??? JINX ???

Evidently, Friday the thirteenth means nothing in the lives of those brave Milnites who are planning to venture out to-night. Personally, being of a superstitious nature, we are casting a wary eye on the mob.

Jack Boughton has at last decided to ask Lillian Eccleshymer ("Lost" meaning last December), while "Sugarfoot" Gulnac is going to whirl little Jeanie Layman around the dance-floor. Betty (L.Z.) Shultz has finally given "Little Boy Burgess" his big chance. Make the most of it, Bill; opportunity knocks but once.

Steinhardt and Marx (attorneys-at-law) are teting Maggie "French II" (too) Charles and Mary Winshurst, respectively. Nice work, boys!

Of course, all the old stand-bys will be there, so you can count on watching Midge and Sely, Bar and George, Lole and Brud, Kay and Benjy, etc. trip the light fantastic. The bad luck of the day has already hit poor Mischa, who had planned to attend with LeRoy (quarantined) Smith. Bad luck was still with us when we learned that Johnnie (Home-run*) Fink wasn't going to honor us with his presence to night, but then hearts have been broken before.

Robert (Charlie Chase) Gardner will bring Margaret as soon as she gets ready, and Betty Hoyt will represent the Junior High as she "trucks on down" with Dickie Selkirk. It remains a mystery to all who Skip Skinner has favored with an invitation, but it won't be long now.

As a parting shot, we will mention the fact that we hope the little green car will safely carry its two occupants in the front seat, and that Nicky and Eddie will be tied securely in the rumble.

For further news on the Q.T.S.A. write Aunt Jenny.

MUSING ON MUSIC

As we read over a music list down-town the other day, we were strangely reminded of Milne and its inmates--cops--pupils. These numbers especially reminded us of our alma Mater.

"Bewildered"-----Bob Nattell

"Joseph, Joseph"---Millie Mattice

"Sweet Sue"----Sue Roberts

"Sophisticated Lady"----Jinny Tripp

"The Big Dipper"-----Chuck MacCullah (Watch him at the Q.T.S.A.)

"It 's Esier said than done"--Regents

"Midnight In a Madhouse"-----Q.T.S.A.



CLASSY CRACKS III

In English class, each pupil is responsible for reporting on magazine articles in different magazines. In checking up, the teacher asked,

"Who is responsible for the "Saturday Evening Post?"

Wortendyke: Benjamin Franklin.

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Miriam-Fletcher: Any figure may be moved freely through space without change of size or shape.

Joyce Murdick: They couldn't charge you for moving it.

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Posy Freund: (while reading Shhakespeare)

"An eight-legged marine cat is an octopussy!"

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Walt Seim: He's got his book open.

Gub: I have not.

Plummer: It's an open and shut case.

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In chemistry, while taking up the study of metals, the teacher asked:

"What name did the ancients have for "nickel"?"

Newt Cross: Five Cents.

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As the great George Scoville once said, "Once a heel, always stepped on."

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Heard in a recent Sigma meeting while discussing a certain author.

"Has he any works?"

Woper: "Sure, what do you think makes him tick?"

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MODERN MOTHER HUBBARD



Milnite wed
 Looked in his head
 To get Regents information
 When he got there,
 He felt quite a scare
 Just musical syncopation!

Be-spectaled Bill
 Studied until
 He won congratulations
 He can play tennis and swim,
 He summer school for him,
 -Honors on examinations!

MORAL: REMEMBER THE REGENTS!



Dearest offspring

puff puff i
 just hurried over from the annex
 and i say
 those curved corners on the
 sidewalks are quite handy one of
 those new ice cream and popsicle
 concoctions has just
 journeyed down my esophagus
 in passing i felt only
 extreme frigidity and a damp
 sensation in fact
 while hoping not to offend the
 august manufacturers of
 the creamsicle
 i am compelled to admit that
 favorite gastronomical creation is
 the old fashioned cheerio
 but that is my english blood
 my cousin theodore termite is here
 for this week end he plans to
 take flossie fruitfly of
 the annex to the q t s a dance
 they make a good
 pair as both of
 them are fond of
 shagging ellen
 and i are just
 learning to
 t step although
 it is very difficult
 i intend to master
 the shag before
 next fall
 have you noticed some of
 the queer combinations of couples
 for the q t
 evidently variety is the spice
 of life but i will take
 ellen any day and every day
 we will attend the milne horseshow
 together next week
 i heard somebody say it
 meaning the horse show
 was hot stuff
 meaning i know not what
 by the way
 when the glad tidings of the
 baseball victory over alban high
 i was so overjoyed
 that i drank too much
 coco cola
 well i am really ashamed



cheerio
timothy termite

MYSTERY OF THE MISSING COVER

Where is the cartoon page??? The cover was omitted this week to give the paper a more professional appearance. You never see a page of cartoons on the front of a city newspaper. The society news section was revised because we are trying to make our paper concise, yet complete in news interest.

If you would like a cartoon page, perhaps in connection with the feature department, please speak to someone on the staff or leave a note in 233. The Crimson and White likes suggestions.

CLASS

NEWS

HOME ECONOMICS

The section of the Home Economics Department, of which Miss Fillingham alone is in charge, offers Senior High School students two elective courses on foods and nutrition. These are Home Economics 2 and Home Economics 3, Home Economics 2 being a prerequisite course to Home Economics 3, and both of which are especially good for girls planning to take up work in dietics or nursing.

These courses include instruction in an advanced study of foods, food preservation, which covers canning, making jams and jellies, both special and general dietics, and marketing. Marketing refers to the selection of food when buying, what are the best foods to buy, and what foods are best for children of different ages. General dietics refers to the planning of balanced diets, while special dietics refers to the correction of certain diseases through control of the study of menu planning, table decorations, and setting, and, of course meal serving.

Each girl gets the chance to cook, a very helpful and useful opportunity, for, as Mrs. Barsra puts it, "One does not have to parse a Latin sentence every day in later life but he does have to eat."

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10TH YEAR BIOLOGY

10th grade biology offers a wide range of scientific material for the student who wishes to make Science his major or minor sequence, or who wishes an extra credits credit, which will be accepted by any college.

Biology 10 will give the student who has already taken biology 9, a greater knowledge and appreciation of this most interesting subject of biology. It contains less contract work than does the biology 9 course. In many ways, however, it is a continuation of 9th year biology.

This advanced biology course goes into detail on the structure and functions of the human body. It covers, to some extent, botany, zoology, and the very interesting and detailed study of genetics. In the course of the year, Darwin's famous theory of evolution is studied and discussed. The scientific system of nomenclature is taught, the various phylums are studied and certain classifications are committed to memory. Each student is required to keep a notebook of the experiments performed during the year, freehand drawings by himself and other data.

Biology 10 is recommended by people who have taken it, as being a most interesting and very beneficial course. Surely, anyone who enjoyed biology 9 will like biology 10, and should, therefore, elect to study it.

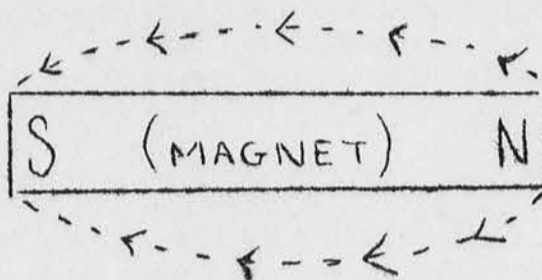
CURRICULAR NEWS BEGINS

This week the Crimson and White is beginning a series of articles describing the various subjects which Milne students may study. It is hoped that these articles will give Milnites a better idea of what the courses they may take are like and that they will choose subjects for next year which they will enjoy studying.

9th YEAR GENERAL SCIENCE

Ninth year general science is a course of chemistry, physics, and biology. During the year this course covers pin-hole cameras, soap making, purification of water, water pressure, and other interesting topics. The purpose of this subject is very concise. As Dr. Moose puts it, "Ninth year general science has two purposes. The first is to help the student solve problems scientifically and secondly to learn about our surroundings."

One of the most interesting experiments of the year, in this course, was to find the lines of force in a magnet. You first place a bar magnet in a magnet board, which is a rectangular board with a section cut out of the middle, large enough to hold the bar magnet. Then, you place a paper over the board and sprinkle iron filings on it. Following the first two steps you tap one end of the board with your finger lightly. After the tapping the filings will form around the magnet and show the size of it. You will also see lines of filings going away from the North Pole, toward the South Pole of the magnet thus, showing the lines of force. The diagram of the result of the experiment is below.



Dr. Moose recommends 9th year general science especially to commercial students, who are not going to major in science. It will give them a wider scientific knowledge without them having to spend a year on each of biology, chemistry and physics.



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