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Secret May Queen Will Rule Over Q. T. S. A. Dance

The twenty-sixth annual Q. T. S. A. dance, sponsored by Quin, Theta Nu, Sigma, Adelphoi, and Phi Sigma, will take place Saturday, May 24, from 9:00 to 1:00 o'clock in the Engle Room of Pierce Hall.

The chairmen of the dance are Dick French and Frank Coburn. Assisting them on the general committee are Norman Stumph, in charge of securing a band; John Eisenhut and Deanie Bearup, in charge of tickets. Assisting them are Doris Long, Arlene Blum, and Natalie Woolfolk.

Highlight of the affair will be the crowning of the May Queen by Ken Seifert. The May Queen was elected Thursday, May 8, at a joint meeting of all five societies, with Dick French, president of the Inter-Society Council presiding over the meeting. It will remain a secret who the queen is until she is crowned. Last year, the honor went to Jackie Pfeiffer.

The price of tickets this year will be \$1.75. Each member of a society is assessed a ticket. Others may attend the dance if they purchase tickets from John Eisenhut.

The chaperones for the dance are Dr. Fisk and Mr. Haughey.

Mothers, Daughters To be Dined May 15

The Girl's Athletic Association of the Milne School is inaugurating a Mother and Daughter Banquet to be held on May 15 at 6:15 in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church.

Miss Lydia K. Murray, Physical Education Instructor, will present the highlight of the evening, which is to be the announcement of the new officers for next year, and the granting of athletic awards to the girls who have fulfilled the requirements in the various fields of sports. The officers were voted upon in a recent election by the active members of the G. A. A. The Junior girl or girls who have received the highest credit in the Junior Class will be given a white blazer, which is the highest honor given to any girl.

Following the dinner, the Milnettes will sing two of their concert numbers, "Invocation to Life" accompanied by Miss Beverly Cohen, and "Salangadou" with Joan Clark as pianist. Ellen Fletcher will play a piano selection and Sue Pelletier will sing "I Talked To God Last Night."

Nancy Simmons was in charge of sending out the invitations to all the mothers and the faculty members, while Sue Pelletier headed the entertainment committee.

Hi-Y to Sponsor Meeting at Milne

Wednesday, March 23rd, a special committee made up of members from Milne's Hi-Y met to discuss plans for future Hi-Y meetings and activities. This meeting was under the direction of Mr. Long, the Hi-Y Supervisor of the city. The committee consisted of Don Jarrett, Hi-Y president; Al Meskil, Ken Seifert, Tris Coffin, Bob Abernethy, Lane Johnson, and Art Walker.

Many different ideas were brought up for discussion. Among these was a suggestion by Mr. Long, that the Milne Hi-Y sponsor a meeting of all the Hi-Y groups in and around Albany. This would include the Albany High Hi-Y and Bethlehem Central. It was proposed that this meeting be a supper with entertainment by the different Hi-Y's, or have some type of entertainment that everyone could take part in. Another suggestion was that it just be a plain meeting with some sort of entertainment, then some refreshments at the end. It was also proposed that the meeting either take place on Milne's regular meeting night, which is Wednesday, or have it on a Friday night.

Program Planned

Another item of importance that was brought up at the meeting was that Milne should start to plan its meeting so they will have speakers and entertainment. Mr. Long suggested that Al Alston give a demonstration of bait casting. This was given the following week, April 30. He showed what, and what not, to do while baitcasting. During the demonstration, he demonstrated accuracy, among other things. Mr. Long asked for a volunteer to try his hand at casting.

Luncheon Climaxes Area Youth Week

On Wednesday, April 30th, students from the area schools more or less took over this city. This was the climax of Youth Week.

Highlighting this particular day was a luncheon sponsored by the Exchange Club for all students who were to hold offices for the day.

Milne was represented by Don Jarrett, who was Traffic Commissioner; he inspected the traffic files at the City Hall.

Also representing Milne was Student Council President, Ken Seifert, who acted in the capacity of Comptroller. Ken went to the Capitol to meet Governor Dewey, but to his surprise the Governor had left the city for a day. Apparently he knew he had left matters in good hands.

The boys agreed that they had enjoyed the day and had learned a great deal.

Super Concert Planned By Music Department

Bricks and Ivy Elect Officers

The 1948 Bricks and Ivy will be sent to press by a most capable staff. At the helm, as editor, is Janet Rabineau, '48. Working with her will be Art Editor, Jack Henkes '49; Literary Co-Editors, Cynthia Robinson 48, and Lee Dennis '49; Business Manager, David Siegal '49; Photography Editor, Nancy Simmons '49; Associate Editor, Alice Cohen '49; Junior High Editor, Dale Christie '51; Junior High Art Editor, Ruth Saunders '51; Junior High Literary Editor, Doris Wise '51; Secretary, Eleanor Peters '48.

From a list of all volunteers, this year's faculty advisors and editors composed a nominating list, which in turn was presented to the publications board. This board consisted of Dr. Fisk, Mrs. Thomas, Miss Conklin, Lois Prescott, Ken Seifert, and Bob Clarke.

Many of the new staff are well acquainted with the tricks of the trade, having been right in the front line on this year's book. Already they have discussed new policies and new ideas aimed at improving your Bricks and Ivy.

Youth Show Draws Milne Students

The second annual "Youth Show" will be held in Philip Livingston Jr. High School auditorium, May 21st and 22nd at 8:30 P. M. General admission is \$1.20 and the reserved seats \$1.80. This year the show is being sponsored by the American Veterans of World War II, and is being managed by Tom Sternfeld. A few of the schools represented in the show are: Milne, V. I., Albany High School, and Girls Academy. It's going to be a variety show with chorus lines, roller skating acts, like that in skating vanities, and skits. Tickets can be purchased from any of the kids in the show. Taking part in the show are: Sally Grace, Winnie Hauf, Carol Boynton, Nat Woolfolk, Doris Long, Jean Fausel, Sue Pelletier, Betty Pfeiffer, Deanie and Nancy Bearup, Joan Whitercraft, Margie Norton, Ruth Ambler, Doris Einstein, Marlene Cooper, Bob Randles, Bob Clark, Bob Abernethy, Dave Duncomb, Clayton Besch, Charlie McNutt, Greg Angier, Bob Leslie, George Ball, Allie Meskil, Grant Talbot, Gordon Kilby, Jess Barnet, Franzel Mohling, John Taylor, Neil McNeil, and Nancy French. There's lots more too.

Annual Event Features Colorful Backgrounds

After practicing for the past year, the Music Department will present its work to the public at a concert on May 28. The dedication of the concert, Mr. Roy York Jr.'s first public one since his return from service, is to go to Dr. John M. Sayles, recently retired president of State College.

The concert is to be characterized by three dramatic scenes. The first will have a sunrise background, with the white robed choir standing in the formation of a cross and singing a group of four religious selections. The accompanying soloist will be Sue Pelletier and a group consisting of Winifred Hauf, Laura Lea Paxton, Adele Porth and Cynthia Robinson. Nancy Shaw will give a reading with the choral background.

This will be followed by a group of lighter selections by the band.

After that, the Junior Choir will present the second scene. Arrayed in formal clothes, they will sing in front of a rainbow backdrop. The Junior Milnettes will accompany the choir in several of the numbers.

Milnettes Enter

The Senior Milnettes will then sing a group of songs, including a solo by Sue Pelletier, and one by Joyce Russo, accompanied by the Junior Choir.

The final scene will be that of a sunset backdrop with the Senior Choir seated in front of it. The Milnettes and Male Ensemble will join in variations of several familiar melodies. The scene will be climaxed by the blending of the Junior and Senior Choirs in "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." Bob Randles and Al Meskil will carry the combined solo in this final.

Under the supervision of Mrs. Grace Martin Thomas, the backgrounds for the three scenes were designed by Marge Norton, John Henkes and Arlene Blum. They were assisted in the actual construction of them by an art staff consisting of Doris Long, Natalie Woolfolk, Nancy Simmons, Deanie Bearup, Doris Kaplan, Joyce Russo, Marie Schmidt, Jean Minnock, Larry Coffin, and Norma Singer. Mrs. Anna Barsam and Mr. Harlan Raymond have aided with the background and the tickets, respectively.

Grads Return To Help

Three Milne graduates are coming back to give their assistance in the orchestra pit. Elaine Sexton Houck '45, and Robert Foster '45 will aid in the band, while Beverly Cohen, also '45, and Joan Clarke '47 will cooperate on the piano.

"A concert to climax all concerts," is the description Mr. York captions the endeavor.

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HERE WE GO

A new staff has taken over the **Crimson and White**. It consists of students like yourself, who are willing to spend their afternoons working for your benefit and pleasure. We want the paper to be a success and hope to improve its high standards. We want to please you.

The new staff would like to set forth as one of their objectives the appearance of YOUR name in YOUR paper. We realize that the upper classmen do more newsworthy things and, therefore, deserve more news space. Approximately 50 percent of the names which appeared in back issues belong to seniors and another 25 percent belong to juniors. The remaining quarter was given over to the four lower grades. Everyone likes to see his name in print. We shall attempt to publish more of them with less duplicates. The addition of two junior high reporters will aid us in our coverage of the lower grades. An inquiring reporter will get the opinions of YOU, and Student Body. Our goal is a **Crimson and White** which satisfies everyone.

THE LAST LAP

We're in the home stretch! Another year of hard work is rapidly drawing to a close. Summer vacation is just ahead. It's a nice thought, but don't let it throw you. We can't stop now. We've got to hit those books and make the finals count or we might waste a good year's effort. It takes willpower. And when the sun is shining outside your window and the guy across the street wants to go fishing with you, that pile of books on your desk can look simply gruesome. Don't run away from them. It won't be long and those summer schools aren't any picnic. Keep at it now, and enjoy your vacation.

Milne
MERRY
go ROUND

Along with the Milnettes and the Male Ensemble many of the Milne students have attended the Youth Show rehearsals. With such a large turnout from our school it's bound to be a success.

At Ann Carlough's party, which numerous sophomores went to, the main event of the evening seemed to be "playing handies."

Christine Brehn has returned to school after undergoing an operation.

Bob Kelly (Sr.), Dick Eldridge, "Zeke" Gade, Jack Rickels, Don Talbot, and many other Milne fellows opened the fishing season (by fishing, naturally!)

Mona Bloomberg has a colt.

Peter Dunning recently celebrated his 13th birthday.

When asked what he did Peter said, "We had a rowdy time shooting spitballs; in other words, it was terrific!"

Barbara Van Dyke, Faye Keller, Helen Kohn, Nancy Bogart, and Cynthia Tainter were the sleepless girls at a party given by Ellen Siegel.

Margie Bookstein, Ann Silverman, and Ruthie Weil are planning to attend a Union dance next week-end.

A recent hen-party was given by Doris Long. It was rumored that 8 "chicks" had a fine time.

Many Milnites turned out to the gala Teen-Age Dance and helped to make it the success that it was. Some of those we saw tripping the light fantastic were Barbara Leslie, Bill Byrnes, Carol Boynton, Don Talbot, "Bev" Rinebold, Bob Clarke, Gloria Edwards, Len Johnson, Ruth Staley, Judy Ostrander, Lois Levine, Kay Duffy, Bob Abernethy, Lorraine Walker, Jack Rickels, Nancy McMann, Bob Leslie, Winnie Hauf, George Erwin, Barbara Betham, Ed Myers, Ben Mendel, Shark Kerker, Margie Norton, Jack Keal, Art Walker, Jim Clark, Lane Johnson, Lee Paxton and Ann Carlough.

While spending the week-end in N. Y. C., Arlene Blum went to a dance at the Waldorf-Astoria.

Attending the Albany Country Club May Dance Friday night were June Hauf, Charlie Barnes, and Henry Bonsall.

Saturday afternoon Warren Rickels and Don Becker went up to Bob Douty's Camp at Burden Lake. What's this we hear about a speed-boat, Warren?

Seen at a recent St. Agnes dance was Clayton Besch with Beverly Brown.

Roller skating Friday night were eighth graders: Margery Salisbury, Sue Laven, Doris Wise, and "Bev" Ball.

Bill Smith went to Lake George and met the richest man in France (so HE says). Also at Lake George, Frank Coburn, Don Jarret, and Ed Lux were seen cruising around.

"Rosie", Joan, and "Do-Do" are going to a three day society convention in the Big City. Have fun kids.

"Spring has sprung, the grass is riz,

We're your new writers, and darn glad we is."

Jeanne, Deanie, and Pat.

Alumnews

By Queenie and Nat-Lea

Elizabeth Stone, '45, the past girls' sports writers for the **Crimson and White**, a sophomore at Pembroke College, was one of the 12 members of her class to be chosen for ushering at the Junior Prom . . . Ann Graham, '46, Janet Paxton, '46, and Harvey Holmes, '43, had a rip-roaring time at Colgate University over the week-end . . . Jeanne de Prose, '45, is soon to be married to Ned Aker. (As yet the date is not set) . . . Alice Rasmuson, '46, was married to Walter Hill on May 1. Congratulations! The lucky one to catch the bridal bouquet was Nancy Abernethy. Well—???

. . . Don Christie, '46, Scott Hamilton, '46, and Dave Volmer, '46, were home for the week-end from their respective colleges . . . Dick Grace, '46, was also home wearing one of his many Scottish hats, after singing in a concert in Pennsylvania . . . Stogie De Moss, '43, is to be wedded to a Carolina girl in the near future . . . Janice O'Connell Carr, '44, is the happy mother of a baby girl . . . Marty Edwards, '42, was in port in New Orleans for about ten days . . . "Moe" Morgan, '46, had a party a short time ago for a few ex-Milnites.

The Inquiring
Reporter

Betsy Dunning

Plans are now being considered for a Milne canteen. Those two energetic sophomores, Joyce Hallett and Pat Costello, suggested the idea to Dr. Fisk, principal, and a committee has been set up to investigate the idea and its problems. If these plans are successful and approved, it is hoped to initiate the canteen next fall. The proceeds from the dances could possibly be used to avoid a rise in the Student Tax.

Your reporter wondered what the Student Body thought about the subject. In answer to the question, "Do you think a Milne Canteen would be successful?" we received the following results:

Nancy McAllaster: More people would come if they had it every week, especially Friday nights.

Ed Segel: It was a success once before and therefore should be a success again!

Judy Horton: I don't think it would be. There are too many other canteens in competition.

Don Mapes: Yes, if they would cut out the other small dances.

Joan Doling: It will bring the kids from other schools closer to Milne.

Tom Eldridge: All the students would enjoy listening to a Milne swing band.

Nancy Gotier: I think there is enough going on without a canteen.

Charlie Kritzer: It would be fun for everyone.

Bill Rockefeller: A canteen might help our financial problems.

Barbara Sandburg: It would be a new idea.

Ruth Houck: The last canteen was a success. Why not try it again.

Bill Lucas: I think so, if they had the backing of the students.

Ann Silverman: The kids would like to come where they knew their friends were.

Nancy Bearup: Yes, if we had the backing of the rest of the school. It would have to be different from attendance at the basketball games.

Donald Mayer: It would be a place for the kids to come and have a good time.

Bill Smith: In my opinion, it would be, but not during the basketball season because there are too many other interests.

Lorraine Walker: No, all the canteens have the good bands.

Dan Westbrook: If they charged to get in, it would be successful.

Glada Appleton: Naturally, the Milne kids go to other canteens, so they would come here.

Paul Oppenheim: The kids would go to make it a success.

Norman Stumpf: The students of Milne won't support it. Not enough interest.

Peter Ball: I think it would be because there aren't enough dances.

Margie Bookstein: It would be a very good idea if the Milne students would support it. It takes people to make a dance good.

Stanley Beeman: I think that it would be a good idea because the student body would cooperate with such an idea.

Jimmy Brennen: Yes, I think it would be a good idea. Everyone would like to have something like that to do.

Cathedral Edges Milne In League Opener 4-3

Four Run Outburst Sews Up Contest

Sending nine men to bat in the third inning, Cathedral came up from behind with four runs, and shaded Milne 4-3, in their inaugural contest. Stubborn Stan Golembielski, winning pitcher, bore down in the clutch, and stranded eight on the bases.

Milne was the first to score, when they tallied twice in the third frame. Walker draw a pass, and took second on Angier's line single to left. Lane Johnson, in an attempt to lay down a bunt, struck at a high pitch and popped up between short and the pitcher's mound. Both Golembielski and Joyce, however, permitted the ball to drop untouched. On this queer play Walker scored, and Angier romped around to third. Ed Segel then hit safely to right. Angier scored easily, but Johnson, after having stopped momentarily at third, was thrown out at the plate.

Cathedral retaliated with four in their half of the third. Ball erred on Dwyer's grounder. Joyce went out pitcher to first. Dwyer taking second on the play. Kelly got a life when Segel booted his roller. Dwyer moved to third. Carpenter singled sharply scoring Dwyer, as Kelly stopped at second. Miller then picked up Sweetser's bouncer and threw Kelly out at third. With runners on first and second McGraw singled over second scoring Carpenter, and moving Sweetser to third. Parker was walked, and then Alvaro doubled, scoring Sweetser and McGraw.

Milne Scores

Milne narrowed the two run deficit in the top half of the fifth, when they squeezed in their final tally. With one out, Bob Clarke walked, pilfered second, and took third on Carpenter's bad throw. Talbot also strolled, and then George Ball laid down a perfect bunt to the left of the pitcher's mound, which scored Clarke.

Golembielski struck out 15 and walked 7, while Miller fanned 11 and passed 3.

Cathedral			
AB	R	H	
Dwyer, rf.	4	1	0
Joyce, ss.	4	0	0
Kelly, cf.	2	0	1
Carpenter, c.	3	1	1
Sweetser, lf.	3	1	0
McGraw, 1b.	3	1	1
Parker, 2b.	1	0	0
Alvaro, 3b.	3	0	2
Golembielski, p.	3	0	0
Totals	26	4	5

Milne			
AB	R	H	
Meskil, cf.	3	0	0
Bauer, c.	3	0	0
Walker, ss.	3	1	0
Angier, 1b.	4	1	1
Johnson, lf.	2	0	1
Clarke, if.	1	1	0
Talbot, rf.	2	0	0
Ball, 3b.	2	0	0
Segel, 2b.	3	0	1
Miller, p.	2	0	0
Totals	25	3	3

May 21 Brings Fourth Father-Sons Banquet

Tentative plans have been drawn up for the annual Father and Sons Banquet. The committee reports that it will be held at the Westminster Presbyterian Church on May 21, from 6:30 to 9:30 P. M.

The purpose of the banquet is to introduce the fathers to the faculty, present athletic awards, and generally have a good time.

Mr. Walker is trying to get "Eppy Barnes" head baseball coach at Colgate University to be the guest speaker of the evening. Mr. Barnes has turned out some fine baseball teams at Colgate and we would certainly like to have him with us for the banquet.

The second important event of the evening will be the presentation of awards to those Milne boys who have made varsity and junior varsity teams and to those who have managed those teams.

The tickets for the banquet will be sold by Art Walker and Dan Westbrook. Tickets are \$2.00 each. We hope that all Milne boys will come with their fathers and make the evening a big success.

Rain Proves Foe Of Tennis Squad

Milne's netmen had their first struggle with the weather and due to persistent showers have not been able to get in much practice. This year's squad is not as large as previous ones but plans to give all opponents a good scrap. The courts at Richfield Park are the home grounds for Milne, where they plan to play a home and home series with Vincentian Institute, Albany Academy, Bethlehem Central High School, and Nott Terrace High School.

If It Doesn't Rain

Bob Abernethy, manager, has arranged a tentative schedule for this season's play. Early practice sessions have shown much enthusiasm and an effort to learn the game is apparent.

"We don't expect to burn up the league, but we do hope to win our fair share of games although our experience and skill lacks depth," commented Mr. Fink, faculty director of the tennis team.

Those who will stand up for Milne's name on the tennis courts are Ben Mendel, '48, who took third place in the city championships last Spring; Norm Stumpf, '48, and Dick Eldridge, '48, members of last year's squad. Don Meserve, '48, Don Mapes, '48, and Lee Dennis, '49, are this year's recruits.

**MAKE IT
MYRON'S FOR
MEN'S APPAREL**

Academy Hands Diamond Squad Second Defeat

Lacking power at the plate, Milne bowed to Albany Academy, April 30, by the score of 8-3. The non-league affair at Ridgefield Park was completed under threatening skies. Sorely missed from the regular lineup was Derwent Angier, veteran first sacker. Replacing him was Ed Lux, an Academy transfer.

Academy salvaged seven runs at the outset. Bill Farnan's wildness, which paved the way for Cadet tallies, eventually brought about his retirement in the third frame.

With one gone in the Academy second, Conners walked. W. Smith reached first on Walker's bobble, Conners taking third. P. Smith backed Westbrook up against the fence for his long drive, and the second out. Rosenstein then singled, scoring Conners and Smith. He stole second and tallied on Muhlfelder's hit. Moore walked, but Hollender struck out to end the inning.

Miller Takes Over

Once again Farnan had trouble getting the third out. With two away in the third, Conners and W. Smith drew passes and scored on Paul Smith's double to left. Rosenstein walked; stole second, and followed Smith across the plate as Bauer threw wild past third base in an attempt to pick the latter off the bag. Muhlfelder was given a free pass, and promptly stole second. At this point Farnan was replaced in favor of Don Miller. Miller retired the side by fanning Moore.

On the short end of an 8-0 score, Milne garnered two runs in its half of the fourth. Bauer reached first on Rosenstein's miscue, stole second, and took third as Walker hit to the third baseman, who threw low to first. Bauer scored on Ball's infield out, Walker proceeding to third. Walker then tallied on Westbrook's outfield hoist.

Segel Singles

Ed Segel opened Milne's half of the fifth by singling on a line to center. He moved to second on Miller's infield out, stole third, and dented the plate as Paul Smith committed a balk. This completed the scoring.

With Miller hurling fine relief ball in the final four innings, Academy was stymied. He struck out ten batters, while giving up only one hit and one pass.

THE G.A.A.'S CORNER

By "Taint"

This year the girl's physical education classes have started a new unit, modern dancing. Under the able direction of Miss Turnbull, the girls are learning the basic steps of this type of dance. Their first experience coordinating these steps together was when they did simple, original routines to music, and later to the rhythm of a nursery rhyme. Soon, the steps they learned will be put together to form some dance composition.

A modern dance club has been formed which meets every Wednesday and Friday afternoons. The girls belonging must attend three-fourths of the classes in order to receive G.A.A. credit. This unit isn't quite as simple as it seems, especially when you have to balance on only four toes (the other one is too small to count), while the music slowly counts out six beats.

Cheerleaders Practice

From Monday, April 21 through the following Wednesday, girls from grades eight through eleven practiced for the cheerleading squads. Grades eight and nine were eligible for the junior squad, while tenth and eleventh grades were eligible for the senior squad.

Winnie Haut, Nancy Bearup, Ruth Weil, and Diana Ostrander worked with the girls for those days, so they would be fit for the finals on Thursday. When Thursday afternoon rolled around, the girls were told to go to the big gym where the tryouts would be held. Finally they were lined up facing the judges, who were the four above mentioned, Miss Murray and Mr. Fairbanks. There was a lot of whispering and a few nods among the judges, and here is what they came up with in the way of two squads. The junior squad members will be: Lorraine Walker, Barbara Leete, Mona Bloomberg, Judy Ostrander, Barbara Tomlinson, Lois Tewell, and Susan Armstrong as alternate. The senior squad members will be Deanie Bearup, Doris Long, Carolyn Herrick, Betsy Dunning, Janet Kilby, Nancy Simmons, Margie Norton, with Mary Jane Fiske as alternate.

Say, how about joining that riding club? Just think, you will be out in the warm spring sunshine all morning with nothing to do but to stay on the horse. If you stay on long enough, you will get G.A.A. credit. For information concerning this wonderful offer, see B. J. Thompson.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE — 1947

CATHEDRAL	APRIL 28	RICHFIELD
ACADEMY	APRIL 30	RICHFIELD
RENSSELAER	MAY 5	RICHFIELD
B. C. H. S.	MAY 7	ACADEMY
ACADEMY	MAY 15	DELMAR
B. C. H. S.	MAY 20	DELMAR
CATHEDRAL	MAY 22	RICHFIELD
RENSSELAER	MAY 28	COYNE FIELD



Young Wife: A tramp is at the back door and I'm going to give him one of my pies. I feel sorry for him.

Young Husband: So do I.

Man from Florida: Now, in my state we can grow a tree that size in about a year. How long did it take you to grow that one?

Californian: Can't say for sure, but it wasn't there yesterday.

King Arthur: How much wilt thou take for that suit of armor, Lance?

Sir Lancelot: Three cents an ounce. It's first class mail.

Bride: I made this cake all by my self.

Hubby: Splendid, but who helped you lift it out of the oven?

C. & W. Reporter: What shall I say about the two peroxide blondes who made such a full at the game?

C. & W. Editor: Why, just say the bleachers went wild.

Critic: You have made your hero too hot-headed, I'm afraid.

Writer: How do you mean?

Critic: Well he has a lantern jaw to begin with; and his whole face lit up, his cheeks flamed; he gave a burning glance; then, blazing with wrath, he gave a scorching rebuke.

Employer: Are you speedy on the typewriter?

Applicant: I'm so speedy I work on a water-cooled typewriter with an asbestos ribbon.

Teacher: What is a comet?

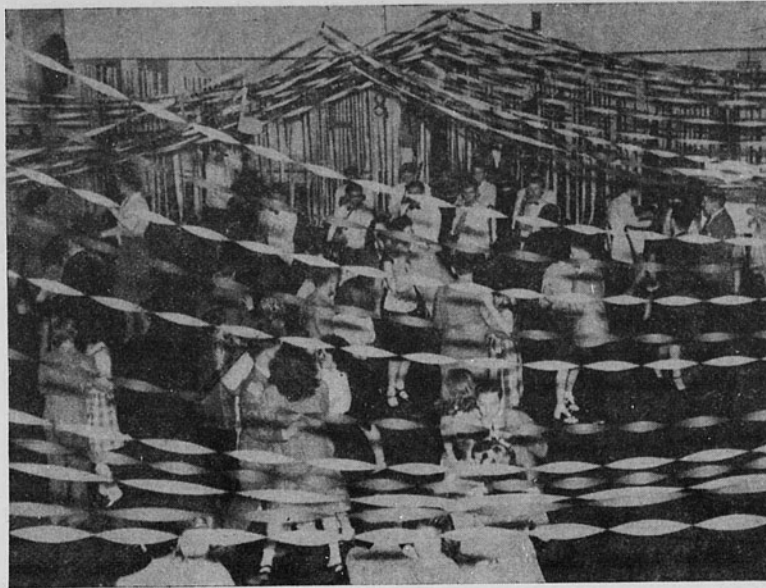
Pupil: A star with a tail.

Teacher: Very good. Now give me the name of one.

Pupil: Mickey Mouse.

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GOOD LUCK
SENIORS
—FROM—
The Cafeteria



These are a few of the "gang" enjoying themselves at the C. & W. Canteen. Were you a part of the gala evening?

Catcher "Catches" Stunning Dunning

By Bob Randles

The time: Monday afternoon, April 28, 1947.

The place: Ridgefield Park; and the girl was Betsy Dunning.

Well, our story begins about two weeks ago when two nonchalant, sweet, Milne girls were watching with great enthusiasm the baseball contest between Milne and Cathedral. It was in the later innings and our home team was at bat. Then before we knew it, the batter swung, and the ball rose. At this point, the eyes of the spectators and the feet of the opposing pitcher followed the ball, but it seemed no one's eyes followed the catcher. Now, one of these nonchalant, sweet, Milne girls just happened to be directly in the path of the catcher and didn't see the approach of the "villain." To save weak stomachs and hearts, I'll just say that Betsy got "scratched" on the top of her head, and all of a sudden she realized something was wrong. Ouch!!!

In a split second Don Jarrett had his car upon the field and in what was left of the second, the group was on their way to the Albany Hospital Emergency Room where the "scratch" was attended to. There it was revealed that it was really nothing serious. However, Betsy got a shot for tetanus and a cute little bandage, not to mention quite an exciting afternoon to boot!

Well, that's just about the finish of our story except to say the "villain" didn't catch the ball, but I'm afraid that another story is in the making now. I hear Betsy has the hives as a result of her tetanus shot, but that, as I said, is another story.

New Books Added To Milne Library

During the Easter vacation many new books were added to the Milne Library. These books are on a wide variety of subjects.

For those who enjoy reading novels "The Thresher" by Krouse, Hillyer's "Time Remembered," and "Forever Possess" by Philipps are typical of the new books received by the library.

Two new books for baseball fans are, "Detroit Tigers," Lieb, and "Chicago Cubs." These books tell the history of the two baseball clubs. There are a few books about horses, "A Touch of Greatness" and "Golden Sovereign." Books of adventure included "Smoke Jumper," which is a story about fire fighting in the mountains. Those who want to understand and enjoy good music will read "Make Way for Music," Skolsky, selections which can be taken out only by Juniors.

These new books which have been placed on the library shelves will give added reading pleasure to Milne students.

Eighth Grade Visits Hyde Park Mansion

May 13th, 14th, and 15th will find Milne halls empty of a great number of eighth grade students. Under the supervision of their instructors they have planned a trip to the late President Roosevelt's home in Hyde Park. This trip is a Social Studies expedition.

Mr. Fink, Social Studies supervisor, is in charge of the project. He feels that it will be both an entertaining experience and of educational interest to the students.

The three sections of the eighth grade will go separately and all sections will leave in the early morning. The pupils expect to be back by the end of the school day. A picnic lunch is being planned. If time allows, the students hope to see the Vanderbilt Mansion, not far from Hyde Park, thus climaxing their expedition.



Clay 'n Arlene

Our spotlight of this issue does not appear quite large enough to include the many accomplishments



Jess Barnet

of our retiring editor, Jess R. Barnet. It may suffice to say that along with other great men born in the month of February, such as Washington and Lincoln, he has left a trail which will long be remembered.

Jess entered Milne in the eighth grade, prior to which he had attended V. I. Immediately his presence became felt as he became an active participant in various school functions. In his freshman year he was elected president of his home room and appointed frosh basketball manager. As a result of his keen interest and cooperation on the **Crimson and White** staff, he was named Junior Associate Editor, and in his senior year acquired the coveted position of Editor-in-Chief.

His pet peeves include prunes, Latin class (he's the only boy), clothes that don't fit, and that song "I Want To Thank Your Folks."

The girl of his dreams stands 5', 4", sings first tenor, is not possessive and likes a guy just as he is.

After graduation Jess plans to attend Syracuse University where he will study Journalism. Good luck!

In the lower right hand corner we find Neil McNeill tipping the scales at 145 lbs. and measuring 5', 9½".



Neil McNeill

Neil was born in Albany many years ago. His early childhood was spent in harassing the teachers at good old School 16 until the 7th grade, when he decided to try his luck at Milne where he heard that in such efforts he could easily get A plus.

As for achievements, Neil is one of the busiest men in the senior class. He entered Adelphoi in his sophomore year and is now secretary of that society. That same year he was appointed basketball manager, a position which he held for two successive years. His junior and senior years found him on the track and football teams. His desire to handle money was fulfilled as he became treasurer of Hi-Y this year, and also business manager of the **Crimson and White**.

His ideal girl must be about 5', 5", either blonde or brunette, personality plus, and be free from other entanglements (or is it too much to ask for?). The song he likes best is "If I Had My Life To Live Over."

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