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As Milne Goes, Seniors Announce Nation Does Not Class Essay Topics

In every presidential election, Milne has accurately predicted the results—only in reverse. Picking Dewey as the favorite by a total of two hundred and sixty-six to one hundred and five they upheld their reputation. (With an incidental 9 for Norman Thomas.) Milne also picked Wendell Wilkie in the last election. And has consistently picked the losing man in all other mock elections. So far as the national election is concerned, Mr. Dewey was overwhelmed by the President to the tune of 3,000,000 votes. The electoral majority was even more astounding, as he took 437 out of a possible 528 electoral votes. The whole election showed a distinct Democratic trend, as the Democrats gained 18 new seats in the House, and lost only one. They also gained three new senate seats and eight new gubernatorial places.

National Results Not In

All national results are not yet in because of the soldier ballot. In some states these are not counted until November 26, and of course they play a major part. However, most of the majorities are large enough so that the absentee ballots will not alter the results drastically.

Milne also imitated their elders in the field of debate. In an assembly held on election day, two speakers attempted to convince the members of the student body to choose their candidate in the straw vote. Lois Friedman spoke first for Mr. Dewey, after an introduction by Ted Carlson, president of the Senior High Student Council. She used almost all of the campaign propaganda used by Dewey's committee. Her speech was obviously sincere and her manner of delivery excellent.

Bob Kirker Shy

Bob Kirker spoke next. He seemed a bit overawed by his audience, but his speech lost nothing of its quality by this obvious shyness. He managed to inject humor, wit and cleverness in his speech. The opening words "My friends" set the key of the whole speech. In reply to Miss Friedman's remark that the President had said it was just plain dumb to have a two ocean navy, he pointed out that the President had in reality said "A two ocean navy is just plain dumb; what we need is more than that." But the logic of Bob's arguments did not, apparently, convince the student body, as they gave Mr. Dewey the largest majority he got in the whole election.

Junior High

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Roosevelt	51
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Senior High

Dewey	134
Roosevelt	54
Thomas	8

The senior class has begun work on their essays. It has taken quite some time for them to decide on topics for these essays, but now all of them are definite. Some of the topics follow:

General Pershing; Influence in World War I, Barbara Arnold; History of West Point, Lee Aronowitz; History of the U. S. Coast Guard, Bob Baldwin; Contribution of the Negro to American Music, Audrey Blume; History of Baseball, Outstanding Players, Jim Detwiler; History of Jazz, John Farnan; Influence of George Gershwin on Modern Music, Barbara Friedman; The Taj Majal, Greta Gade; Gardening Is My Hobby, Bob Hotaling; Horses and the Art of Horsemanship, Norma Johnson; The Alhambra, Lois Meehan; Growing Plants Without Soil, Ed Muehleck; Forest Conservation in America, Ed Rickels; Wilke's Ideals, Lionel Sharp; Contributions of Langston Hughes to Contemporary Literature, Betty Stone; Hypnotism, Janice Hauf; Edith Cavell, Nurse, Laurel Ulrich; Harry James and His Orchestra, Zelda Weinberg; The Flying Tigers, Jim Magilton.

This list is far from complete, but it is a good representation of what the seniors are doing this year.

Council Plan Activities For Remaining Year

The Senior Student Council held its weekly meeting Thursday, November 2, at 12:27 in Dr. Fredrick's office.

Two main things which were debated and finally passed by the council were: sending a girl representative to the Inter-Society Council, previously attended by boys only, and electing Scott Hamilton, '46, chairman of the Alumni Ball.

Other topics discussed were the possibility of a 12:27 dismissal on Tuesday, due to the election day football game and a mention of an assembly featuring Dewey vs. Roosevelt, both which have already taken place successfully.

The Junior Student Council held its meeting this week on November 3 at 1:45 p. m.

There is a startling cleanup committee headed by Orison Salisbury, '48. Those on the committee are: D. McDonald, Paul Wolfgang, and Robert Lawton, '50, Fred Cooke, Peter Ball and Roger Hagerty, '49, Gordon Kilby and Arnold Laven-thall, '48.

The Junior High Council has decided upon December 9 for their informal dance. Refreshments are to be sold and there will be record music. The money collected will be used to buy records which the Junior High will own.

Class of '43 Plans Reunion After Complete Victory

Dramatic Clubs To Give 2 Plays

The Senior High Dramatics Club is planning to present two one-act plays at some future time during the month of December. The plays have been selected by the group and copies to be used in the production have been sent for.

The plays chosen for presentation are: a farce entitled, "She Was Only a Farmer's Daughter," and a comedy entitled "Of All Things."

The Junior High has chosen one short play to add to the planned program. Their decision is "Six Who Pass While the Lentils Boil."

Later on in the year the club plans to present a long three-act play on which the club will work most of the second semester.

They have asked for time for one or two assembly programs on the theory that the school enjoys dramatized programs.

Frankie Kirk, president of the club, says "All club members will have a chance to participate in at least one of these plans if not more. Those who don't take part in one, will surely take part in another."

Theta Nu Sponsors "Bringing Up Baby"

This year, Theta Nu, one of the Milne boys' societies, sponsored a movie to raise funds. This program took place last Friday evening in the Page Hall auditorium and was very successful as to attendance; the program itself proved very enjoyable.

"Bringing Up Baby," a very humorous movie starring Cary Grant, Katherine Hepburn and Charles Ruggles, was the main feature.

Sale of War Bonds and Stamps

Although the supply of war saving stamps was depleted last month, stamps will be available every month from now on, it was learned from Dr. Edward Cooper, head of the commerce department. So far, the sale of war bonds has amounted to only \$125.00 and the sale of stamps to \$50.00.

The staff of the CRIMSON AND WHITE want to tell Jess Barret how much he is being missed and we all hope he will come back from his recent appendix operation soon.

Desire for Post-War Meeting, Enhanced by Six Years at Milne

The following are "The Plans of the Class of '43 for a Reunion After the War." It was sent to the Crimson and White staff for publication in the CRIMSON AND WHITE, by Dick Bates, and is considered the most wonderful idea that has been heard yet.

Sixteen Months Past

"Nearly sixteen months have passed since that memorable evening in June of 1943. Memorable indeed! Instead of the normal peace-time graduation, and the casual 'good-byes,' and 'See you at Christmas vacation,' etc., the boys of this class found themselves, and for the first time, by the way, a solemn and unhappy group. Supposedly, it could all be brushed aside as a part of the 'war-time restrictions,' BUT NO, we wouldn't (couldn't) have it that way. We had been far too happy during those six years at Milne. More than just a high school, Milne takes on the added significance of being both 'college and high school' combined. Only a few of the fellows were fortunate (young) enough to actually experience a few months at college. As a result, 'the little school on Western Avenue' stands alone, in representing to us, those things which we can hardly wait to get back and see once again.

Gang Still Intact

"As I sit in this USO, watching countless soldiers, sailors, and marines file past, I wonder how many of them are as fortunate as I? You see, it's 'something' to have 25, or so, 'brothers.' Yes, the Gang is still very much intact, by way of contact, via the mail sack. It's the same 25 who used to file into Miss Martin's Art Room during the lunch hour. It's a fact, we were compact, and she knows best, how we used to act. Getting back to the mail, however, we do manage, as time permits, to keep the letters flowing back and forth to all four corners of the earth. By the way, they sure did a 'zoot' job of separating us. WAR IS HECK!

"For the past six months, we've been contemplating by letter which December 7th we would once again make our presence known back at the Alma Mater. (We chose December 7th for obvious reasons). You see, the very first Pearl Harbor anniversary, following COMPLETE VICTORY, will find the same happy

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Give and Give Now!

This year the Junior Red Cross is asking for a donation of 15 cents and up from all students. This is different from other years, because before they have asked for only 10 cents and whatever else each wanted to give. There are a number of people that will feel that this amount is entirely uncalled for. We feel that this is not the case, in fact it is entirely the opposite. It is extremely necessary to give as much as you are able, in order to speed up the return of our boys and possibly have helped to save a life. When you look at it this way, you cannot truthfully say that you could not possibly give a measly fifteen cents. Before you say no, think about it carefully and make yourself realize what your fifteen cents may do; then give what you can. That's all we ask of you, and it is your patriotic duty to do this little bit, if nothing else.

Why Not Better Societies?

The requirements to get a bid to a boys' society are tough enough, why aren't they worth the work and money?

In the invitation it says that there will be outings, basketball games, and bowling matches, etc., and that you will profit from your membership. But do you actually? No!

There are some who are working to make their society good, but there are some who "just don't care."

They can't seem to get time for meetings either. Why not have each society have a set meeting after school, or some time each week? When they *do* have a meeting there is little or no order and not much is accomplished.

I want my society to be a good society! So that when it comes time to send out bids we will really have something to make the fellows *want* to join. Maybe we need a little faculty supervision!

A SOCIETY MEMBER.

milne merry-go-round

Here we are again with this week-end lineup of the social highlights.

Friday night saw the forming of the R. L. D. P. composed of Ann R. Robinson, Ann Graham, Janet Paxton, and Shirley Champlin at the latter's house. As to what it means, your guess is as good as ours.

Elaine Bissikummer, Pete Mudge, Baggie Weinberg and Jack Cohen went out stepping last week-end while Jack was on furlough.

The newly formed Friday night club had a successful opening with Walt Wilkins, Vera Baker, Ruth Welch, Janet Wiley, Barbara Schamberger, Lois Meehan, Barbara Bogardus, Norma Johnson, John Bulger, Ted Carlson, Herb Lucas and Bob Baldwin attending.

Carolyn Cullen and Jim Fogarty spent their time a week ago Saturday by making the rounds at Osterhout's and Troy.

Quite a few couples turned out for the Theta Nu movies Friday night. Junie Hauf, Art Walker, Lorraine Walker, Bill Glavin, Eve Morgan, Tom Dyer, Bogie Bogardus, John Bulger, Jean Pirnie, Bob French, Nancy Bonsall, Dick Grace, Diane Brehm, Dan Christie.

The Sophomores had a party Friday night at Diane Ostrander's house. They had planned a hay ride, but rain was a bottle neck that time.

Caryl Ferber, Carol Jacobs and Lionel Sharp were Milne representatives at a dinner dance at the Shaker Ridge Country Club Saturday night.

Johnny Knox spent the week-end at Scott Hamilton's house. He'll have to pay rent soon.

Beta Delta Nu rushed twenty of Milne's senior girls Tuesday night at the Ten Eyck. They're all waiting eagerly (?) for the invitation. Speaking of initiations, Hi-Y had one to remember last Wednesday night. The boys still aren't back to normal.

Larry Clark and Eugene St. Louis, with a group of junior boys, picked carrots at Al Levie's farm.

Sunday, Ronnie Bowers went duck hunting, but had no luck. Ann Graham and Jim Detwiler went bowling. Johnnie Knox spent the week-end at Scott Hamilton's house. He'll have to pay rent soon. Saturday night they joined up with Keith Hansen and say "Bluebeard." Don't get any rong ideas, boys. Some of the junior girls were out with Siena freshmen over the week-end. Caryl Ferber, Carol Jacobs, and Lionel Sharp were Milne's representatives at a dinner dance at the Shaker Ridge Country Club Saturday night.

Junior girls will soon be sporting their snappy Milne blazers.

Alumnews

by Shummy

Joseph E. Ledden was one of twenty students awarded advanced degrees at Brown University. He received the degree of Master of Arts in Philosophy.

George Myers, '44, home from boot training at Sampson, is now in San Francisco.

Lieut. Robert L. Stevenson, '40, pilot of a Flying Fortress operating from an Eighth Air Force field in England, has been missing in action over Germany since October 2. He is a holder of the Air Medal and had flown 9 combat missions at the time he was reported missing. He has been overseas for four months.

Home last week was Lennie Jones, '44, a V-12. He is being transferred from Dartmouth to Muelhenburg College, Allentown, Pennsylvania.

John C. Poole, '42, was commissioned an Ensign at recent ceremonies. He was in the twentieth class to graduate from the U. S. Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, Columbia University, New York City. Following the graduation, he was home for a short time.

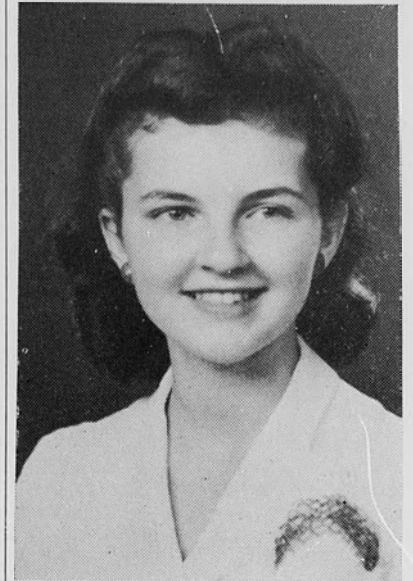
Ruth Taylor, '43, has been elected secretary of the Syracuse University traditions group to perpetuate pre-war campus customs. Ruth is a sophomore in the College of Fine Arts and plans to major in illustration. She is a member of Alpha Phi.

Home from college this past week were June Brookman, Nat Mann, Melba Levine, and Lucille Swift, all in the class of '43.

First Lieutenant John R. Gulnac, '39, was awarded the second Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal at an Eighth Air Force Bomber Base in England.

Senior Spotlight

By Barbara MacMahon



ELAINE CLAIRE SEXTON

Center of attraction this week is a little girl that is 5' 4", has brown wavy hair, green eyes, and goes by the name of Elaine Claire Sexton. Born in Albany, Elaine has lived here all her life, but has traveled quite a bit. She took a trip to Washington, all alone, but of course she had company upon her arrival. New York is her weakness, taking many trips there when she was small. This fall she had her best trip yet. To quote Elaine: "I had a positively heavenly time."

Music Fills Time

Music fills quite a bit of Elaine's extra school time, being a member of both the band, the choir and the music council. Just being a member is not the extent of Elaine's interest. She is president of both band and the music council. She also serves as a member of the Student Council as its vice-president. A member of Sigma, and the newly formed "usherettes," are on Elaine's activity list.

Music Council President

Last year Elaine was president of the Music Council, treasurer of the band, and secretary of the band. She was treasurer of the class in her Junior year as well as president of the Spanish club.

Her well-rounded program includes activity in Milne sports. She has been captain of basketball, baseball, and hockey. She has played as varsity pitcher.

Few Dislikes

Being a very agreeable person, Elaine has very few dislikes. Lima beans and soft boiled eggs are the main foods she won't eat. Some pet peeves are Kay Kyser, snippy store clerks and bus drivers, the combination of red and purple, and radio announcers that talk with marbles in their mouth.

Next comes 5' 11" tall, brown wavy hair, green eyes, sweet, polite, thoughtful ways, and a nice family; all this adds up to her ideal man; lucky fellow that fills it—lucky Elaine to find it.

Upon graduation, Elaine is hoping to go to college to continue her study of languages.

Basketball Tryouts Begin; Coach Pleased With Turnout

Muehlick and Aronowitz First String Hold-Overs

Finally basketball season has started. Milne certainly waits very restlessly for November 1 to come. Coach Hathaway was very much pleased by the way the fellows from the ninth grade and up piled into the Page Hall gym for the first tryouts. Sixty boys were down there to greet him at the opening day of practice. All the boys trying out are very keen on making the squad, and Mr. Hathaway expects some stiff competition to make the teams.

Lettermen Return

Back from last year's Varsity team are Ed Muehlick, Captain, and Lee Aronowitz, who played first string. Jim Detwiler, Don Christie, Al Mendel, and Bob De Moss also saw a little action with the Varsity last year. With these players plus some very capable Jay Vee's of last year, Hathaway has hopes of whipping together a "number one" ball club.

Boys from last year's Jay Vee who looked good in the early season are Bill Kelly, Dick Grace, Pete Hunting, Bob French, Larry Clark, John Knox, and Scott Hamilton. Mr. Hathaway stated that last year's appearances will bear no standing on this year's ball club. He goes on to say if a freshman is good enough to play Varsity, he will.

Boys Get in Condition

Our new coach is stressing conditioning for the first couple of weeks. He says you can't play ball when you aren't in condition. So, if you see the fellows doing laps in front of school, even if there is more snow, don't laugh at them; they are doing it for our basketball team.

This year there will be no league, but the MBAA plans on playing the same teams that we did last year. Jim Magilton, '45, manager of basketball, says that he expects the competition just as exciting as last year and that he hopes to have the schedule made up by next week.

Morale Boosts Team

In order to have a good team, with a lot of spirit, the fellows must have good backing. One sure way of having that good backing, according to Magilton, is to bring your friends and parents to the games. "Try to sell as many season tickets as possible," he adds. "These boys playing basketball are representing Milne and anyone connected with Milne, so don't let them down, and I am sure you will see them in there fighting until the last whistle blows."

The first cut was made Wednesday, November 8. There are now 35 industrious fellows down in the gym every night. Coach Hathaway plans on making one more cut. Magilton and Hathaway are working on the schedule in every spare moment. They both say it is shaping up fairly well.

Coach's orders are not to eat too much turkey over Thanksgiving, so the team won't have to be reconditioned when vacation is over.



HERE ARE SOME OF THE FELLOWS mentioned on page one, as they looked in 1943. From left to right are, seated: Harry Culp, Monty Swartz, Hal Game, Russ Langwig, Dutch Ball, '44, Bill Soper, and George Edick. Standing, Jack Casner, "Hawk" Holmes, Nick Mitchell, Ted DeMoss and Chuck Hopkins, '44. The occasion was a basketball dinner.

The Rolling Stone - - -

The playday with Girls' Academy held here November 1, was really one for the books! The score was 3-3. A goal made by Milne wasn't counted, leaving the score a tie. The teams, as you see from the score, were very evenly balanced, and they played very nice hockey all the way. The first team which played this game is made up of the following girls: forwards: Barbara Smith, Marilyn Arnold, Diane Brehm, Alice Wilson and Ellen Fletcher; halfbacks: Mary Kilby, Jean Hurlbut, Barbara Richardson; fullbacks: Phebe Heidenreich, Frank Kirk; and the all important goalie, Mabel Martin. Barbara Richardson is the captain and a very able one too.

Hockey Game Good

The second team lost in favor of Academy 4-1, but it played good hockey and got some excellent experience. On the second team were: forwards: Janet Paxton, Jay Price, Ruth Ambler, B. J. Flanders, Betty Bates, Flossie Drake; halfbacks: Margie Bookstein, Carol Jacobs, Jean Pirnie, Ruth Weil; fullbacks: Joan Clark, Leona Richter, and goalie, Peg Gallivan.

After the games, we entertained the Academy teams in the lounge, serving donuts and gallons of good country cider. The cleanup committees were perfect. The girls all agreed that they always have fun playing with the Academy.

Tough Game to Come

Coming up soon is a playday with Kenwood. That should prove interesting, but also rather difficult against the tough competition that Kenwood has to offer.

The North East Field Hockey Tournament on November 18 and 19 is to be held at St. Agnes, at which a large number of girls are planning to attend. The teams playing in the tournament include two teams from New York and two from Boston, besides others. It is our chance to see some top-notch professional hockey.

The physical education classes did very well on their skill tests. Most of the classes have their written soccer and hockey tests to take. Junior Life Saving got off to a fine start last Thursday with a good sized class. They seem to be well qualified; even their first distance swim didn't leave them completely breathless. They are also beginning advanced and intermediate classes.

Riders Have Jinx

There must have been a jinx on several Milne girls last Thursday during their weekly riding class for Janet Paxton and Jean Pirnie each fell off once and B. J. Flanders had the misfortune to go off three times. Miss Dusenbury, are you trying to teach these girls the right way to fall off? If so, you don't have to make them practice to that extent.

The first snowfall has come, but hockey still prevails as the main sport. When the snow really comes, we can get ready for an exciting season of basketball.

PLEASE BRING TOYS

Dr. Fredrick has issued an appeal to all Milne boys and girls. He is asking that you bring ALL used toys possible for the Xmas Used Toy Drive.

Welsh Teaches Class On Modern Dancing

In the Little Gym after school on Tuesdays to the music of a piano played by Barbara Smith, '43, can be heard a shuffling to the beat of "step, together, slide, leap, hop, jump, lunge." This is the Milne girls learning modern dancing from Ruth Welsh, '45.

Ruth Welsh's dancing ability has been proved by a scholarship to Jacob's Pillow Dance Festival at Lee, Massachusetts for the last three summers.

The class is including music visualization, their own choreography, and at the present they are learning the alphabet of dance. The alphabet is the twenty-five fundamental dance steps on which all dances are based. They have already completed sixteen.

The girls that have attended this class are:

Ann Graham, Janet Wiley, Lois Meehan, Laurel Ulrich, Barbara Schamberger, Florence Drake, Sally Gaus, Ruth Weil, Norma Johnson, Helen Huntington, Barbara Bogardus, and Barbara Leslie. They will receive GAC credit for the class.

JOHN'S Restaurant

9 No. Lake Avenue

Senior Class Given Adult Responsibilities

The CRIMSON AND WHITE of November 6, 1942, carried a small item telling about the Class of '43 planning the Senior Room. The committee in charge of arrangements was composed of Chuck Cross, Ted DeMoss, Melba Levine, and Shirley Atkin.

The room was originally located in room 135, but has since been moved to 124.

The establishment of the room, which of course required faculty approval, was for a very definite purpose. In addition to providing the seniors with a place for relaxation and study, the basic idea was to help prepare them for future responsibilities.

On this subject Dr. Frederick recently said, "Our seniors have many activities—Class Night, Commencement, the senior play, etc.—and they need a headquarters for planning these functions. These students have come through five years of Milne successfully, and their room is in part a recognition of their accomplishments. Next year these students will have to adjust themselves to the changed conditions of freedom, self direction, and self reliance. They will, for the most part, be on their own, away from home. Management of the room gives our seniors valuable practice in the management of their own affairs."

The seniors often have difficulty keeping their room in proper order, but they make every effort to keep the place neat and clean as a good example to other Milnites to assist the custodial staff, and to present a good appearance to visitors.

The present committee in charge of the Senior Room is composed of Bob Baldwin, Walt Wilkins, Bill Kelly, Bob Hotaling, Ted Carlson, Barbara MacMahon, and Helen Huntington.

Soph Biology Classes Moving On Schedule

The biology classes have been going along right on schedule, stated Miss Gladys Herrick, head of the 9th grade general science and 10th grade biology departments. They have been chiefly concerned with laboratory periods in which they have been doing microscopic work. In the near future, the classes will do some dissecting of frogs and fish.

Miss Herrick commented that she was pleased with the students' work in general, and particularly pleased with an essay written by Jess Barnett in a recent examination. This ought to cheer Jess while he is recuperating from a recent appendicitis operation.

The staff of the CRIMSON AND WHITE wishes to apologize to Elizabeth Rockenfeller, who is Secretary of the Band, and not Beverly Cchen as we stated in our last issue.

Captain Welsh Names Cheerleading Members

Ruth Welsh, '45, captain of the cheerleaders, has announced the following squad for the coming year:

Senior High cheerleaders will be Barbara MacMahon, Helen Huntington, Laurel Ulrich, Janet Wiley, Ann Robinson, Frankie Kirk, Barbara Smith, and new member, Winnie Hauf. They are planning to take on one more new member, but no one has been decided upon as yet.

Members of the Junior Squad, headed by Co-Captains Laura Lee Paxton and Nancy Simmons, both '49, are: Doris Long, Janet Fishack, Natalie Woolfolk, Barbara Ross, Lorraine Walker, Anne Conneglio, and Janet Hicks.

Practices will start soon.

Milne Girls Volunteer In D A V Drive

On Saturday, November 4, downtown a number of girls stood on the street corners, and sold for-get-me-nots. This was a project taken over by the Albany Junior Red Cross Council to aid the Disabled American Veterans. This project is an annual affair and this year the appeal was made at a city meeting of the Jr. Red Cross by Dr. H. Judson Lipes, who explained the importance of this work to those that were present and asked them to go back to their schools and get volunteers for this particular work.

Those who volunteered from Milne were: Gloria Edwards, Elaine Brown, Marcia Armstrong, Nancy Simmons, Nancy Bethem, Joan Horton, Janet Kilby, Gloria Miller, Marilyn Van Alst Dorothy Blessing, Helen Hoag.

Reunion

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bunch of fellows, and gals too, (if they're not all married?), right square on your front door step.

Not merely an article to take up space in your fine paper, this 'message' has a higher purpose. We've asked the CRIMSON AND WHITE not only to print this for us, but also see to it that each one of the "gang receives a copy of this week's issue.

"We can't be sure which Pearl Harbor anniversary will find us all together again, but Nic in France, Chuck and Johnnie in England, Hal and Harry out on the ocean somewhere, George and Ray in the South Pacific, and those of us still training on this side, all of us need a 'diversion of thought' now and then. Those 'Plans for a Reunion,' whether it be December 7th, 1945, 1946, or 1947, give us just enough spark, hope, or whatever you'd like to call it, to make many a lonely night just a little less lonely.

"We of '43, thank you for your 'contribution' to one of our fondest post-war goals. Be see'n you."

One of the Gang.

P.S.—Latest information tells us that "Hawk" and Morty are now on foreign soil. Best of luck fellows!

Sigma Holds Rush In College Lounge

Last Friday afternoon at 3:30 the members of Zeta Sigma Literary Society held their annual rush in the State College Lounge.

All the girls of the sophomore class were invited, and all new upper classmen, according to custom, and the afternoon proved a very interesting and well planned one, indeed.

Lois Meehan, who is Mistress of Ceremonies, had charge of the whole program. The theme was a Hawaiian Night Club which proved very picturesque. The lounge was arranged with tables around the room for the sophomores, with a bar at one end of the room and a stage effect at the other.

The program consisted of a Hula-Hula scene, singing and also a "Drunk" scene which was to portray the life of the night club.

Barbara Smith was chairman of the food committee. The food was plentiful.

Phebe Heidenreich was head of the invitation committee and Barbara Schamberger had charge of decorations.

Lt. Taylor Speaks At Senior High Assembly

On Friday, November 10, the senior high had the privilege of hearing Lieutenant Jackson Taylor, who is the brother of Wallace Taylor, former social studies supervisor in Milne. Lt. Taylor spoke of the work the army is doing for the men in the hospitals while they are convalescing.

After he finished telling of this work there was a film shown that gave the whole program in a very interesting and detailed way. Milne was the first place that the film had been shown to the public. It showed how the men in the hospitals are trained straight through from the beginning of their injury until they are ready to leave the hospital. This Therapy gives them a control over the injured muscles of their body so that their physical condition will not lapse during their long stay in the hospital.

7th Graders Have Hallowe'en Party

On Monday, October 30, the seventh grade staged a Hallowe'en party in the music room. The seventh grade ate their lunch. When finished, they had cider and donuts.

Betty Jane Thomson of 233 played a piano solo. The girls then sang "A Czech Folksong" and "Alleluia" by Mozart. Following the girls' performance the boys sang "Anchors Away" and "Down the Field," the Yale marching song. Don Barvoelts and Al Pirnie did the drumming for the boys. Some members of Mr. Harwood's home room did magic tricks. The three were Rosliff Jenney, Guy Miller, and Ed Butler. The group was under the order of the three seventh grade home teachers, Miss Brown, Miss Wheeling, Mr. Harwood.

Down Beat

- by Marcia

At last a new Ink Spot recording has been released. "I Making Believe" is the title of a very pretty song and being done by the Ink Spots makes it even better. Get this recording by all means; it's a hit.

Another recording of merit. Kay Kyser's "There Goes That Song Again" from his latest picture "Carolina Blues." This has a very haunting melody and is already being asked for by juke boxes.

The incomparable Jo Stafford has a recording entitled "Tumbling Tumble Weeds." This is a swell number even though it's old. Jo does herself proud on this one.

Another old song coming back in popularity, "The Very Thought of You." Columbia has a neat recording by Ray Noble, which does this song justice.

"I'll Remember April" by Charlie Barnet is a good one for Barnet's many followers. He does very well by it.

There have been a lot of neat albums issued during past week.

The sultry siren, Dorothy Lamour, has an album with songs all taken from her "Sarong." They are good.

'Hitchie' Now In Women Marines

Second Lt. Margaret Hitchcock, former Milne Physical Education Instructor and riding instructor, is supervisor of beginners lessons at the new riding academy for women marines at Camp Pendleton, Ocean-side, Calif.

Only a month old, the academy is believed to be the first of its kind in Marine history. According to a Marine Corps release it has proved the most popular recreational program ever conducted at Camp Pendleton.

Miss Hitchcock left Milne in 1943, to enlist in the Woman's branch of the Marine Corps. She was replaced by the present gym teacher, Mrs. Merle Tiezan.

Barbara Brookman Elected President of French Club

In a recent meeting of the French Club, which meets every Wednesday at 12:27, Barbara Brookman was elected president. Other officers are: Vice-President, Lorraine Webber; Secretary, Ralph Manweiler; Treasurer, Bill Bull.

The club has not as yet planned any specific program for the year, but their meetings have been made very interesting by their campus adviser who has directed activities such as the singing of French songs, French movies, and also listening to French records.

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