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ESTEE JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL  
TOPS REGISTRATION WITH 29  
A TOTAL ENROLLMENT OF 324

DR. BRUBACHER, MR. B. S. LEWIS,  
DR. FREDERICK ADDRESS C.D.S.P.A.  
CONVENTION AT MILNE HIGH SCHOOL

A survey of the registration book found in the front of Page Hall revealed a large number of students present from the various high schools, collegiate centers, and junior high schools in the Capital District.

Estee Junior High School, Gloversville, led with a registration of 29 students, followed by Washington Irving School with 28, and Mildred Elley Business College with 26. The total registration was 324.

### FACULTY CONSIDER FORMING STATE PRESS ASSOCIATION

While you were eating, the faculty advisers of your school newspapers were deciding in the next room whether the C. D. S. P. A. should organize a state scholastic press association modeled after the one in the Capital District whose convention you are now attending.

### NEXT MEETING OF C.D.S.P.A. TO BE CONDUCTED IN HUDSON

The spring meeting of the C.D.S.P.A. convention will be held at Hudson High School. This will be Hudson's first convention, so everybody will be doubly glad to go there.

Hudson High School publishes The Owl, a newspaper, under the supervision of Miss Ethyl Somers.

### DELEGATES LUNCH AT WAGARS

Lunch for the delegates of the Capital District Press Association convention was served in Wagars' Pine Room this noon.

It was planned to serve luncheon in State College cafeteria, but due to the small number of luncheon reservations received, the delegates ate at Wagars.

Dr. R. W. Frederick, of Milne High School opened the Capital District Scholastic Press Association convention on Saturday, October 3, in Page Hall, by welcoming the delegates and expressing the hope that their stay will be pleasant and their deliberations profitable.

Dr. Brubacher, president of State College, spoke at the convention on "Interpretation of the News from Russia."

Today, in Russia, there is a sharing of poverty rather than of wealth, the latter experiment being based on the theory that human nature can be changed. The Russian government educated youth so that it would devote itself to the common good.

Communism is ultimately a form of government which carries on the affairs of the people. Stalin and his immediate associates do not promise the people anything in the democratic sense. Even the news from Russia is thoroughly censored before it comes to the outside world.

In closing, Dr. Brubacher said, "I have sympathy for the Russian people under this strict government. I hope the Russians will go further than the dictatorship of Stalin."

Mr. Byron J. Lewis, of the Albany Evening News, spoke at the convention on "The Process of Making a Newspaper."

He told the type of news that editors seek, and the three kinds of news--local, telegraph, and cable. The newspaper's chief newsgathering mediums are the United Press, and the Associated Press. These "news concerns" have offices the world over, with a central office in New York. This central office receives the news and sends it out to newspapers by means of teletype.

Mr. Lewis explained the process of photo-engraving and concluded by answering questions of the delegates.

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MILNE HIGH DECLARES SHARON  
SPRINGS MEETING A SUCCESS

Last April about eight members of the Crimson and White staff attended the spring meeting of the C. D. S. P. at Sharon Springs. When we arrived at their school, we were shown where to register and ushered to our seats in the gymnasium which was appropriately adorned with newspapers and publications.

Our big moment was when we were told that the pupils of the school would serve us luncheon. We enjoyed the delicious lunch immensely. We students of Milne wish to express our appreciation for such a pleasant day. We hope to be as good hosts and hostesses as the people at Sharon Springs.

HUMOR?

Teacher: To have an equation, things must be balanced.

Simple-minded Pupil: Then I can't be an equation because I'm not balanced.

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Ginny: My little sister ate some chicken yesterday.

Bette: Croquette?

Ginny: No, but she's very sick.

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About the only person who has any use for a man with cold feet is a hot water bottle manufacturer.

FEW CHANGES IN FACULTY AS  
SOME TAKE SABBATICAL YEAR

The Crimson and White wishes to welcome the temporary critics who are substituting for our faculty members during their absence this year. Even though we were sadly disappointed to see our critics leave, we welcome their successors with renewed enthusiasm.

Miss Crooks, Miss Martin, and Miss Halter will spend this year studying and traveling abroad. Miss Crooks, our upper-class French critic, expects to reside in Paris; Miss Martin, our art instructor, will study and travel in France; Miss Halter, junior high social science supervisor, is looking forward to studying and traveling in Germany. All anticipate a very successful year.

Owing to her recent illness, Miss Bills, our junior high mathematics instructor, will be unable to return to us this year. We only hope a speedy recovery will make it possible for her to join us again in the coming year. Until then, Mr. Kroman, who is a graduate of State College, will substitute in her position.

Miss White, who is also a graduate of State College, will act as substitute during Miss Halter's absence.

Mr. False, who has taught at the University of Chattanooga, will replace Miss Martin.

We also wish to welcome Coach Hatfield, who will succeed Coach Goewey. He has been athletic coach in the Dakota Wesleyan University, University of Rochester, and Union University.

To these new critics we give our utmost cooperation for a successful year.

NOTICE

This issue of the Crimson and White is being run off while you are attending the convention.

MORE HUMOR?

Little Girl: I can make toast like Mother can.

Visitor: How do you make toast, my dear?

Little Girl: First you put it on the stove and burn it and then you put it in the sink and scrape it.

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Why are lamb chops so dear?

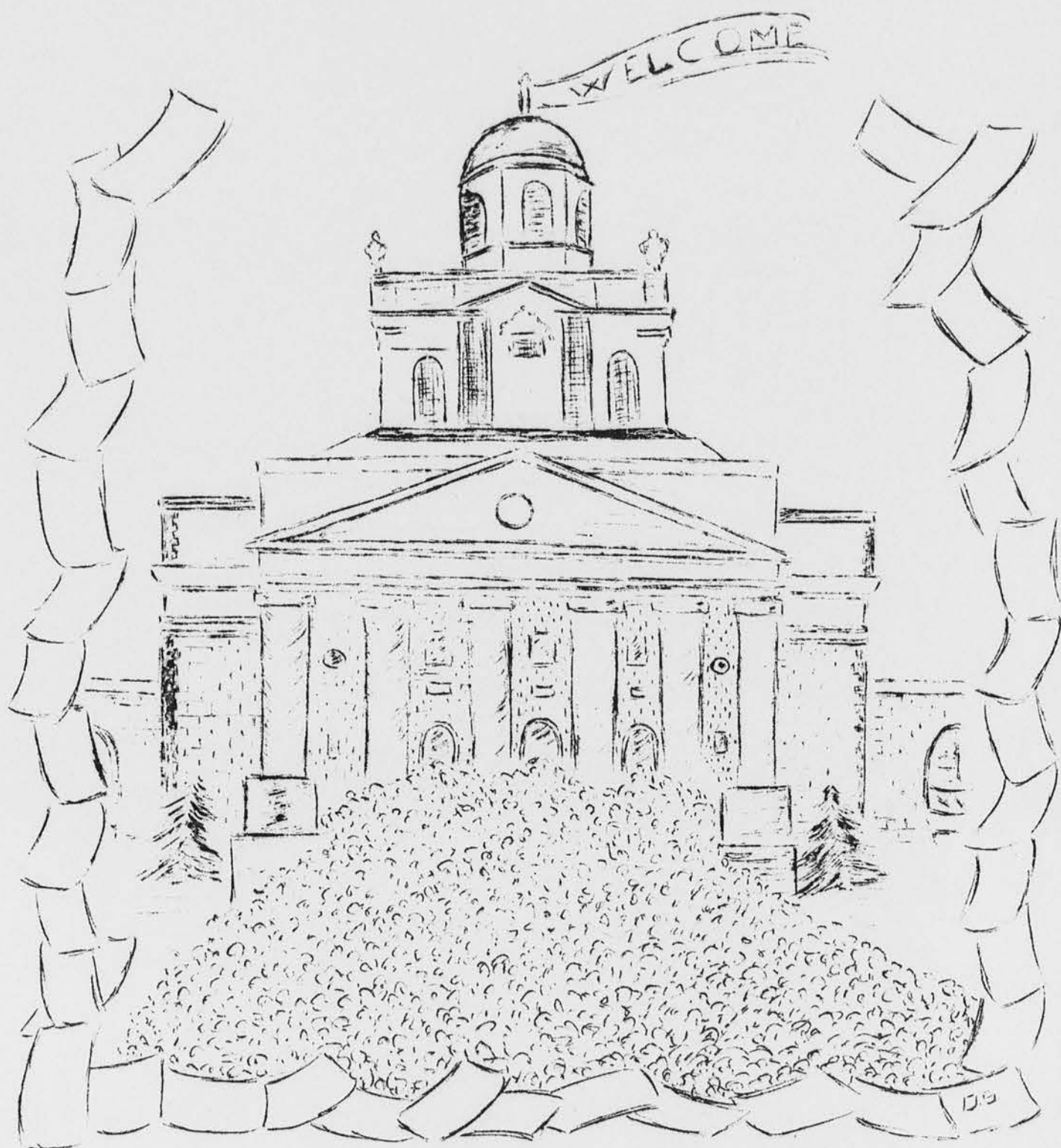
There's a scarcity of sheep.

Nonsense! I counted two million in bed last night.

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What is the cause of Vi. Benjamin's fondness for (John) Graham crackers?





#### WHAT IS MILNE?

When is a high school different from all other high schools? Why, when it's Milne High School, of course. For Milne is neither a public school, a private school, nor a boarding school. Milne is a practice school, with rather limited classes. You have to be one of a fortunate seventy to get into Milne, and if you do not get in the seventh grade you must wait for a vacancy.

Milne is taught by practice teachers, seniors from State College, who are supervised by critics. The teachers change every semester, as a rule.

Milne has a good basketball standing, but she plays no football, as it is considered too dangerous. The girls play hockey with other schools a little, and hope to win more games this year.

#### CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

The press convention this afternoon is being divided into four groups. After the roll call and a short meeting, the delegates will divide into these groups:

- 1 Business Management of School Papers - Milne, room 253  
E. N. Moot, principal of Sharon Springs High School
- 2 Radio and Sunday Page of Knickerbocker Press - Richardson room 20  
Miss Ruth Green of Hackett Junior High School  
Mr. Christman of Knickerbocker Press
- 3 Production Problems of School Publications - Milne, room 228  
Mr. Adolf Schabel of Philip Schuyler High School
- 4 Vitalizing the News of School Publications - Milne, room 227  
Mr. Keith Blake, Gloversville