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Fall Festival To Open Senior Social Season

Bill Grattan and Orchestra To Furnish Music for Dance

Fall Festival, th's season's name for the annual Senior School Reception, will take place tomorrow evening from 8:30 to 12:00 in the Lounge of Richardson Hall.

General Chairman Charles Golding, '42, describing this season's dance, states, "Our purpose in the distribution of printed tags to advertise the dance is to create a genuine interest in this annual autumn affair. We sincerely hope that this season's dance will be a great success. The entire committee has worked hard to make it so."

According to Edward Bookstein, '43, Music Chairman, Bill Grattan and his orchestra will furnish the music. The chaperones are Mrs. S. W. Wilson, Supervisor of mathematics and Miss Thelma Eaton, Librarian.

The theme of the dance will be made up of autumn decorations, gathered by a committee comprised of Harry Mosher, '44, Tom Dyer, '44, and Richard Bates, '43. It is expected that the decorations will include corn stalks, pumpkins, and fall leaves.

The dance is, of course, free to all Milne Senior High students who wish to attend. Students desiring to bring guests to the dance are to see their homeroom Student Council Representative or Charles Golding for guest tickets. The dance will be an informal gathering.

Walter Grace Names Senior Committees

Walter Grace, President of the Senior class, announces that a budget committee has been appointed to make out the Senior Class budget. The accumulation of the dues from the sophomore years has made a considerable sum to be spent for pictures in the year book, caps and gowns, Class Night, Senior Ball, class gift and a number of smaller items.

The members of the committee are: Phillip Snare, Walter Griggs, John Poole, Lillian Simmons, and Dorothy Signer.

A committee has also been formed to collect Senior dues in each homeroom. This committee consists of: Patricia Clyne—233, Corrinne Edwards—130, Robert Rinn—320, and Charles Kosbob—135.

Elect Rosenfeld Junior Staff Head

Ruth Rosenfeld, '45, was elected Editor-in-Chief of the Junior School CRIMSON AND WHITE, at a meeting of the staff on Wednesday afternoon, October 15. Barbara Arnold, '45, and Peggy Gallivar, '46, were elected Associate Editors.

Others chosen to lead the staff are Jean Bronson, '45, who will act as feature writer; Elinor Mann, '46, who is in charge of club news, and Lionel Sharp, '45, who is representative to the senior CRIMSON AND WHITE.

Reporters are: Raymond Blanchard, Eve Morgan, Marilyn Arnold, Keith Hansen, Ann Graham, and Richard Grace, eighth graders.

Mr. James E. Cochrane, Supervisor of English and Adviser to the CRIMSON AND WHITE, will act as club sponsor. Mr. Cochrane gained wide experience in school journalism while he was a member of the faculty of Hoosac School, Hoosac, New York, where he was adviser to the *Oulet*, school publication, for four seasons.

Purchaser—



Mr. Paul G. Bulger

Sayles Hall Buys C & W Mimeograph

Mr. Paul G. Bulger, Director of Sayles Hall, new men's dormitory at State College, who is also Assistant to the Principal at Milne, is completing negotiations for the purchase of the CRIMSON AND WHITE mimeograph machine for use at Sayles Hall.

The mimeograph which served the CRIMSON AND WHITE for eight years with the change to the printed form of the paper, has lost its utility.

Students to Vote At Budget Assembly Today

Wilson, MacMahon Will Preside at Meeting As Pupils Take Action on Organizations' Budgets

The Junior and Senior Schools will hear the various organizations' budgets at the annual budget assembly, today at 2:30 in the Page Hall Auditorium.

The amount to be used in appropriating money for the budgets comes from the student tax of \$6.00, which is assessed to each Milne student. From the total money received, each organization is allotted

The Budget	1940-41	1941-42
Crimson and White	\$ 221	\$ 660
Boys' Athletic Council	575	600
Girls' Athletic Council	180	236
Special School Activities	325	325
Bricks and Ivy	225	200
Murals	200	200
Senior High Parties	80	100
Junior High Parties	80	80
Miscellaneous Fund	49	43
Orchestra	40	30
Junior High Clubs	10	10
French Club	10	6
	\$1995	\$2490

Junior Council Discusses Dances

The Milne Junior Student Council held its weekly meeting on October 20, at 1:35 p. m. in Room 126. President Barbara MacMahon, '45, presided.

The dance which was held Saturday, October 18, in the State College Lounge, was discussed. Students enjoyed the dance greatly. The music, which was heard over a public address system, did not echo as it does in the gym.

The Council is sending a special committee to see Dr. Robert W. Frederick, about having more dances in the Lounge. The committee consists of Jeannette Price, '46, Scott Hamilton, '46, and Ruth Welsh, '45.

Junior High homerooms are to vote soon to decide if they want four dances and whether each person in the homeroom should pay five or ten cents extra, or have three dances and no extra money in the treasury. Last year there were four dances and money added to the Junior High parties for the extra dance.

Many students would like to have a few square dances at the next party. The council is going to see if Coach Kooman Boycheff and Miss Beth Hitchcock would collaborate with them.

as much as is deemed necessary by the Student Council and the student body as a whole. The original itemized accounts of each organization in Milne were presented to the Council at a joint meeting of the Junior and Senior Councils on Friday, October 17. At that time, the different budgets were either approved or changed. These final budgets will be presented to the student body today in the assembly.

Dr. Robert W. Frederick, principal, Alton Wilson, '42, and Barbara MacMahon, '45, Senior and Junior Council Presidents, will preside at the meeting. At the close of the assembly, all students are to return to their respective homerooms to vote for or against the budget. The voting will be handled by the homeroom representatives to the Student Councils.

Each organization included in the budget will be represented by various students. The students who are to speak are as follows: Robert E. Lee, '42, CRIMSON AND WHITE; Sanford Golden, '42, Boys' Athletic Council; Gerald Plunkett, '42, Special School Activities; Marilyn Potter, '42, Girls' Athletic Council; Charles Golding, '42, Bricks and Ivy; John Poole, '42, Murals; Edward Bookstein, '43, Senior High Parties; Ruth Welsh, '45; Junior High Parties and Clubs; Phillip Snare, '42, Orchestra; Rita Figarsky, '42, Miscellaneous fund.

The CRIMSON AND WHITE asks each student to save the budget to use in the assembly.

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Milne, A Democracy

This afternoon, in assembly, representatives of the school's extra curricular organizations will appeal to the student body for appropriations from Student Association's active fund.

If the students are in favor of granting the appropriation, they will have the opportunity to say so, and if they feel otherwise, they will still have the privilege of voicing their opinion.

If the Association's budget is not ratified by the students, in the ballot conducted after the assembly, the Student Council, representative legislative group of students from every grade, will meet to discuss means of altering the budget to suit the student body.

When we stop and think that our student life is not dominated by our faculty, when we stop and think that our student leader is our choice, when we stop and think that our extra curricular program is planned, operated and controlled by a council of students elected by ourselves—not a group of faculty-picked pupils, or faculty members themselves, when we stop and think that we, the students, are allowed to say whether we want our student tax fee raised or lowered, when we stop and think that we are the ones who have the final say, as to how student tax shall be apportioned—only then do we realize that through our school democracy are we being prepared to face the future.

May I Have This Dance?

Ever since we can remember, the whole student body has always asked for increases in the budget for parties and dances. Every year they try to get an increased appropriation for better decorations, orchestra and refreshments. Committees are chosen, they work hard, and what happens? The boys don't ask the girls to go, and those that go stag are afraid to ask the girls to dance; and when the orchestra plays a fast number, the floor clears as if by magic.

Tomorrow night is the Senior High dance. Let's try to have a large attendance. Ask the girls, boys; they won't refuse you. . . If you go stag, ask them to dance; they'll be glad to accept you. Let's make it a good dance, so reverse your tags so they say, "I'm goin' to the Fall Festival."

'Round Town With Lo-Lo

Now that the youngsters have had their fling and first get-together of the year, the way is clear for the older sophisticates to show their talents. It seems that the Junior High reception was an unusual success with everyone tripping the light fantastic, including the chaperones. Dottie Hoopes was seen attempting a sort of "ring-around-the-rosy" game, with not one, but two beaus. Haven't heard how she made out. From all hearsay the seventh graders were warmly accepted into the halls of Milne, and no doubt they now very definitely feel a part of it. Since the old standby, Wager's, is closing earlier, they must have had a hard time finding a place to guzzle their sodas.

The newest things seen around the halls are small cards with "I'm Going to the Fall Festival" on it, but more likely you will see the reverse sides of these cards which say, "I wanna go to the Fall Festival." The purpose of these cards is to create a more amiable feeling between the boys and girls, and try to persuade the boys to ask the girls to the dance so that there would be more cards with "I'm going to the Fall Festival" on it, or something to that affect. It's rather complicated, but it has created interest in the dance, and was an excellent idea. It was Mrs. Wilson's idea.

Some of those people going are: Francis Morah and Harry Mosher, Janice O'Connell, and Bob Beckett, Ruth Rosenfeld and Henry Oppenheim, from the tenth grade. Marcia Bissikumer and Duncan Crook are going together, as is Lois Ambler, and Bob Ball, and Sally Hunt, and Fred Detwiler. Priscilla Smith is also taking Bill Wiley. Barbara MacMahon is going with George Edick and Marian Mulvey is going with Dick Lawyer. Of course, you'll see Jean Chauncey and Walt Grace there. Janet Taylor and Billy Leng will also be present. This is practically a complete list of those going, which is a very poor percentage, considering it takes in the whole upper school of about 280 pupils. A few people have asked outsiders to the dance. It would serve the boys right if the girls would strike and not go, but since everyone is going stag, we know that a good time is being planned for all.

The Juke Box

By "Book"

Nothing and Record Session — Harry James — This disc is done in the typical James fashion with *Record Session* being the better of the two sides. The piano, bass, and sax work is solid, and little need be said for the performance of that ace trumpet man, Mr. James. Newest addition to the James roster is Corkey Corcheron, sensational sixteen year old saxophonist, formerly featured with Sonny Dunham. The James ensemble is beginning to plug a tune called, *All or Nothing At All*. It's a romantic ballad sung moodily by Dick Haynes. That song should be a real hit!

Fifty Million Sweethearts Can't Be Wrong, and *That Solid Old Man* — Tommy Dorsey — *That Solid Old Man* gives the Dorsey vocalists and crew a chance to show off to a good advantage. It's a catchy tune with some good solo spots and a cute vocal refrain. The reverse side is from Penn's Mask and Wig show. It's strictly a fill in number, but Penn's show does turn out some hits and this may be it.

Hi Spook, and *Yard Dog Mazurka* — Jimmy Lunceford — Lunceford has a great colored band that actually feels their music. Both of these cuttings are done in the typical Lunceford manner. The "gutty" lowdown sax section, and soaring trumpets in the band pace the arrangement, which has a driving beat in it. His music is distinctive for you can recognize his steady punch.

Woody Herman is the most recent artist to cut the *Piano Concerto in B flat Minor*, and has done a swell job with it. Many more big name bands will no doubt wax this in the future.

Important!

This afternoon at the Budget Assembly you are asked to use this copy of the CRIMSON AND WHITE as a guide to the business of the assembly. There will not be special programs distributed, so if you want to know what's going on, it is advisable that you keep this paper, and bring it with you to the assembly at 2:30 today.

Pass The Bread—

The younger generation is informal to say the least, and a few hints on the art of "getting the food down there" never hurt anyone. First, there's the matter of tools. Fingers used to be enough and sometimes are even proper, but at a table almost everyone can afford some kind of cutlery, so see if it isn't easier to use them. If you holler "gimme the bread" that puts you in the "throw me an olive" class, which is nothing to be proud of. If the butter happens to be resting at the opposite end of the table from you, and you want a slice, catch the person's eye nearest to it and between chews ask him to please pass the bread. He'll oblige you willingly.

Maybe you're one of those suction eaters, where food disappears like dust into a vacuum cleaner. If you are, slow down, for there's no race. Everyone else chews each mouthful about fifty times, which means you're through hours before they are. This is a sad state of affairs, for consequently you're tempted to eat more while waiting, which is both bad for your figure and indigestion. Try to come out even with the others at least.

Perhaps it makes you feel important to be called away from dinner to answer the phone, but it also interrupts the meal. You know how you and Susie just gab and gab and never seem to stop. Without being rude, you could inform her or Billy that you're in the midst of a plateful of mashed potatoes and steak and could she call later! Jumping up and down out of your chair, spilling a glass of water and then squeezing in again is bad for everyone's digestive system.

Even though Rags is a sweet dog, and you love him to pieces, let him sit in the corner, or under the table if he likes, during the meals. There's nothing more annoying than to be filled with that fear that any minute your food may be grabbed from right under your nose. It's pretty hard to keep peering around you, hanging on to your food, trying to keep up the conversation, and getting the wee morsels to your mouth all at the same time. It would wear anyone out!

Things To Come

- Saturday, October 25—**
8:30-12:00—Senior High Reception.
- Monday, October 27—**
3:30—Junior Student Council Meeting.
3:30—B.A.C. Meeting, Room 130.
3:30—G. A. C. Meeting, Room 321 or Hockey Game—9 vs. 11.
- Tuesday, October 28—**
9:10—Faculty Meeting, Office.
- Wednesday, October 29—**
9:10—Senior High Assembly.
3:30—Traffic Club Meeting, Room 121.
3:30-8:00—Quin Mother-Daughter Tea in the Library.
- Thursday, October 30—**
8:30—Red Cross Meeting, Room 224.
9th, 10th, 11th, 12th grade reports.
- Friday, November 1—**
2:35—9th Grade Assembly.
3:35—Inter Society Council.

Figarsky Girls Play Host To Portland Hoffa

"Hello, Mr. Allen", is the weekly Wednesday night greeting of Portland Hoffa, wife of radio comedian Fred Allen. Mrs. Allen was recently a guest of two of our Milnites, Rita and Jean Figarsky. Accompanying Mrs. Allen on her visit was Mrs. Tugend of Hollywood, Calif. Mrs. Tugend is the wife of the screen author who recently wrote "Caught in the Draft" and other well known films.

Portland has a part on the weekly broadcasts of the Texaco Co., and speaks in a very high voice. This voice is not hers naturally, but is obtained by speaking at a much higher pitch and very much louder. Her job is usually to introduce the guest artists on the program.

She and Mr. Allen live in an apartment in New York City during the winter and they spend their hard-earned vacations at Old Orchard Beach, Maine. Portland is not a sports enthusiast, but they spend their summers lolling in the sun on the beach "because Fred likes the salt water," said Mrs. Allen.

Her Hobbie Is Cooking

Portland likes to cook very much and she is continually copying recipes. While she and some other guest were making candy in the kitchen one night, someone in another room called in and chided, "I don't want any candy. Can't you make anything like a good turkey sandwich?" Mrs. Allen merely laughed at the time, but after she returned to New York, she sent the gentleman a turkey sandwich by express with a note saying "Would you like a pickle, too?"

Named After Birthplace

Mrs. Allen's family all have rather odd names. Hers, as you all know, is Portland because she was born in Portland, Ore., one of her sisters is called Lebanon because she was born in Lebanon, Pa.; another sister is called Laston because she was "supposed" to be the last child; the youngest of the four is called Dr. Augustine, after the doctor who attended Mrs. Hoff.

Mrs. Allen is very sweet and plain and has not gone "Hollywood" as the saying goes. She wears tailored simple styles which become her very well.

As Portland always says, "Tally Ho."

Entire Seventh Grade Pays Student Tax

Mrs. Sarah Rheingold, Secretary to the Principal, announces that the entire seventh grade class has paid their Student Tax, and is the first class in the school to do so.

Sections who have paid, are: Homeroom 333, Mrs. Anna K. Barsam; Homeroom 329, Mrs. A. May Fillingham; and Homeroom 226, Mr. James E. Cochrane.

"All students who have not yet paid their student tax or tuition for the first semester are urged to do so immediately," stated Mrs. Rheingold.

Bookstein Captures Tennis Crown

In the tennis singles final match, Ed Bookstein defeated Walter Grace 6-4, 6-0, to win the tennis singles championship of the senior school.

This match concluded the intramural tennis season. Coach Boycheff was completely satisfied with the way these matches were run off. He plans to have them again next spring along with the tennis team he expects to form. All fellows who are interested in tennis should read up on the fundamentals and practice forehand and backhand strokes during the winter so they'll be all set to go next spring.

Game, Hecker Play For Golf Crown

Marvin Hecker and Hal Game defeated Sid Stein and George Myers respectively to become the two contestants slated to compete in the intramural golf finals.

The two golfers will decide who shall walk off with the crown this Saturday at the Municipal Golf Course. This match marks the conclusion of the Milne intramural golf tourney.

Sigma Girls Enjoy Annual Bacon Bat

Twenty Sigma girls cooked hot-dogs and steaks Saturday at Beach Grove on their annual Bacon Bat. The pavillion was open and everyone danced to recent recordings played on the nickelodian.

Perhaps you have heard the girls talking about that trick gum with pepper pressed in it, that June Brookman passes around. Marilyn Potter collected nickles from the girls on a bet that she wouldn't go swimming. To the surprise of all, she jumped in, while the others looked on, astonished. "I can't see why that water doesn't have ice on it," she said as she came out dripping. The nickles were given without too much hesitation, as Marilyn warmed herself by Rita's car heater.

Sigma anticipates many other events, and hopes they will all be as successful, according to Miriam Boice, '42, President.

Horseback Riding Club Resumes Weekly Classes

The Horseback Riding Club of Milne has resumed its weekly classes at the Fort Orange Riding Club on Western Avenue on Tuesday afternoons at 3:45 p. m.

Those participating in the classes are as follows: Lois Prescott, Joan Lehner, Betty Jane Flanders, Jean Thompson, Laurel Ulrich, Caryl Ferber, Doris Spector, Nancy Park, Diana Ostrander, Ann Graham, Norma Singer, Ruth Rosenfeld and Zelda Weinberg.

Sporting 'Bout Milne

by "Bang" and "Bob"

From the way things are going in the sports program, it looks as though we've put the right foot forward in having Mr. Kooman Boycheff as the coach of Boys' athletics. He certainly deserves a lot of credit for the fine way he is carrying out his newly planned program Congrats to Ed Bookstien for coming through as winner of the tennis singles contest

Last week, Team A of the seniors intramural football league defeated Team B in two successive games. The score of the first game was very impressive for Team A, the score being 33-0 in their favor. The second game was much closer with Team A coming out on top by the score of 18-6. After watching Bob Weiss' men perform, we can say without much doubt, that team A will come out on top of the senior high championship after succumbing the Baggas of the junior class, which we are quite sure will happen.

Hi-Y Completes New Constitution

Milne Hi-Y completed a new constitution last week, which was presented to the Hi-Y by a committee and was unanimously approved. The committee consisted of Chairman Charles Cross, '43, Stanley Ball, '42, Harvey Holmes, '43, and Ted Demoss, '43, Faculty Adviser, Dr. Hartley, met with the boys and helped them to draw up the constitution.

Membership to the National Hi-Y organization is approaching, and each boy was to bring a quarter so the Hi-Y could obtain their new membership cards.

It also was decided that all new members should receive a formal induction. Chaplain, Joe Hunting, '42, was put in charge. His assistants are Alton Wilson, '42, Robert Ball, '42, Phillip Snare, '42, and Chuck Cross, '43.

Sophomores Defeat Freshmen 2-1

Monday afternoon the Freshman intra-mural hockey team fought the Sophomores in a close battle. The final score was 2-1 in favor of the Sophomores.

Patricia Peterson and Sally Hunt accounted for the two sophomore goals. Sally Hunt subbed for the sophomores.

Milne Plays State Today at 3:30

The girls' Varsity Hockey Team will play its first game this afternoon against the State College Frosh on the State campus at 3:30.

The team will be made up of the following girls:

Harriet Hockstrasser, '43; Marjorie Wright, '43; Iris Smith, '42; Sally Hunt, '42; Lillian Simmons, '42; Patricia Forward, '42; Miriam Boice, '42; Patricia Clyne, '42; Patricia Peterson, '44; June Brookman, '43.

Golden Predicts Fine Season

Sanford Golden, '42, new basketball manager for the coming year predicts a good year for the Basketball team under the leadership of Coach Kooman Boycheff. Milne lost only four of its varsity members this year from last year's team.

Considering the strong holdover from last year and the new coach, who can devote all his time on the Milne team and also longer practice periods, Milne should have a successful season.

With the help of students to back the team with a lot of school spirit, the season will be successful. This new drive for more attendance will help the school spirit considerably.

"You pay for student tax, so why not come to the games and cheer our team to victory. Last year the attendance was not very good considering the enrollment on the school records," stated Golden.

The team plays away as well as home, and all students are asked to attend both home and away games.

Swimming Classes Resume November 7 at YWCA

Girls swimming classes will begin on November 7 at the Y. W. C. A. on Lodge Street.

There will be a class for beginners at 4:00 p. m. At 4:45 p. m., a Life Saving Class will be conducted. Any people having completed their Red Cross Swimmers' Test are eligible for this class. If they have not taken this test previously, they must be able to do the crawl, breast stroke, side stroke, a surface dive, and be able to swim $\frac{1}{4}$ of a mile.

Due to the infantile paralysis epidemic, this class was postponed until this date.

Intramural Football Semi-Finals Near

This Thursday the Hawks, champions of the seventh grade, and the Termites, eighth grade victors, will battle on the Page Hall gridiron to decide who will play with the ninth grade champs, the Cardinals, for the junior high championship.

The same afternoon, the Hoboes of the tenth grade and the eleventh grade winners, the Baggas, will compete on the other half of the field to decide who will play the senior class champs, who have not yet been decided. These final games will be played next week to decide the champions of the junior and senior schools.

Ambler, Smith Announce Senior Cheering Squad

The Senior School cheering squad as announced by Priscilla Smith and Lois Ambler is as follows: juniors, June Welsh and Muriel Welch; and sophomores, Janice O'Connell, Jean Dorsey, and Sue Hoyt.

A joint practice of the entire squad will take place Monday, October 27, at 3:30 p. m. in room 130.

Knitters Join Red Cross Club

Knitting for the Junior Red Cross has been resumed in Milne this year and all students interested in knitting in the Junior School are eligible to join the Knitting Club.

This club which was formed last year, started an afghan which the club will finish as their first project this year. Anyone in Junior High that is interested in joining should contact his homeroom representative or Miss Naomi Hannay, adviser. If there is anyone in Junior High that would like to knit and is unable to join the club she can obtain yarn and directions from her representative.

Senior Girls Knit Afghan

Homeroom 130, consisting of half the Senior girls, plans to make an afghan for the Red Cross. Every girl in the homeroom will knit squares. When enough squares are completed they will be collected and made into the afghan. Any other homeroom interested in making an afghan can obtain material from its representative.

Seven sweaters and three beanies have been started this week. Marion Mulvey, '43, Ruth Rosenfeld, '45, Dorothy Signer, '42, June Welsh, '43, Barbara Rosenthal, '42, Margaret Keck, '42, and Corinne Edwards, '42, are knitting the sweaters. Miss Elizabeth Shaver, History Supervisor, Glenna Smith, '42, and Ethelee Gould, '42, are knitting beanies.

Red Cross Representatives

Red Cross representatives are: James Haskins, 135; Walter Austin, 328; Marcia Schifferdecker, 233; Patricia Clyne, 233; Blanche Packer, Quin; Leila Sontz, 130; Corrine Edwards, 130; Joan Clark, 333; Melissa Engle, 324; Robert Galway, 224; Helen Huntington, L.T.; Herb Lucas, Art R.; Mary Louise Paris, 227; Ruth Rosenfeld; Mabel Martin, 329; Ned McEwan, 124; Alan Meskel, 226; Dorothy Signer, 233; and Natalie Mann, 228.

Homerooms Elect Officers To Guide Through Year

The Little Theatre has elected Robert Hotaling, President; Samuel Fallek, Vice-president; Janice Hauf, Secretary; and Barbara Bogardus, Treasurer.

Homeroom 126 has elected Charles Neidorf, President, Marcia Leske, Vice-president, Greta Gade, Secretary, and Robert Foster, Treasurer.

Homeroom 129 has elected Thomas McCracken, President, Ruth Strauss, Vice-president, Anna Jane Rockenstyn, Secretary-Treasurer.

Homeroom 233 has named Priscilla Smith as Chairman.

Quin Plans Mothers' Tea

The Quintillian Literary Society made plans to entertain the girls' mothers at the annual Mothers' and Daughters' Tea on Wednesday afternoon, October 29, from 4 o'clock until five, in the Milne Library.

Committees for the tea have been previously announced.

CRIMSON AND WHITE To Move Office

After ten years in Room 233, the CRIMSON AND WHITE will move its headquarters to enlarged offices in Room 224, announced Miss Katherine E. Wheeling, Faculty Adviser to the publication since its birth.

"The change in form from duplication to printing, has necessitated the removal of the paper's office," stated Miss Wheeling.

"Increased work in the typing, copyreading, and proofreading departments have required more space, together with a room which was available all day long, continued Miss Wheeling.

"I speak not only for myself, but for the entire staff, when I say that we shall all miss Room 233," the adviser concluded.

The new office will include quarters for the members of the Board, the typing department, and will serve as a meeting place for the weekly staff gatherings.

Social Studies Class Visits Institute

The Seventh Grade Social Studies class section 3 went to the Albany Institute of History and Art on Thursday morning, October 23, from 9:30 to 11:00.

The class is studying old Albany. This trip is being made in connection with their studies. Right now they are doing Dutch Albany.

Dr. William Hartley accompanied the group. The group noticed particularly the costumes and paintings.

Dr. Hartley has taken some pictures in Albany and these will serve for all grades. He has also taken "Kodachrome." These are 2x2 slides. They are of business buildings, places of recreation, and Albany's main buildings.

The seventh graders on this trip took pictures with consent of the institute.

The pictures will be used in the other grades and in English, history, and mathematics classes.

Figarsky Attends Youth Meeting

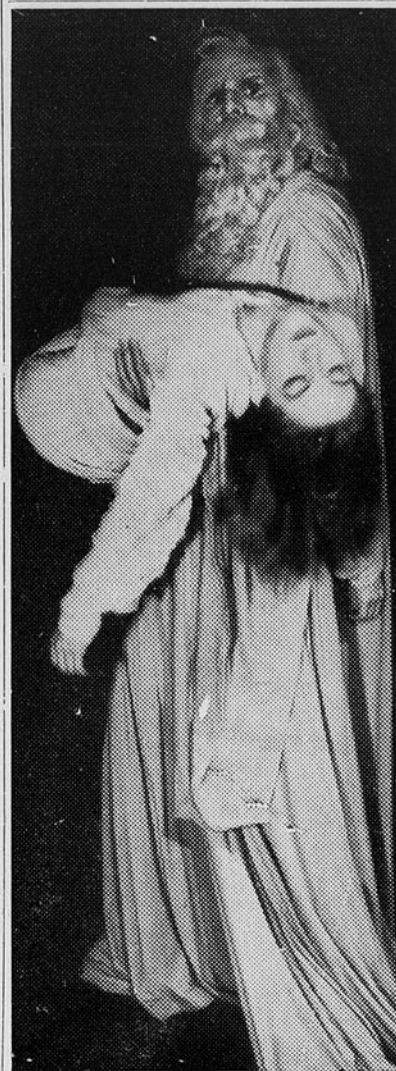
A Town Meeting of Youth from all schools of the city took place last evening, in the Little Theatre of the Y. W. C. A.

The three candidates for the Mayorality of Albany, Erastus Corning, Democrat; Benjamin R. Hoff, Republican; and Morris Zuckman, American Labor Party, spoke to the group of future voters, and presented their campaign platforms for this term.

The meeting was sponsored by the Youth Groups of the Young Women's Christian Association, the Young Men's Christian Association, the Booker T. Washington Community Center, and the Jewish Community Center.

Rita Figarsky, '42, who attended the meeting, stated, "I enjoyed the Forum immensely, and I gained an excellent picture of the mayorality campaign in Albany this season."

Long Haired Chekhov Players Amaze C & W Interviewer



CHEKHOV PLAYERS In A Scene From "King Lear"

Hobart Announces College Open House

The Annual Open House of Hobart College, Geneva, New York, will take place tomorrow at the college, from 9:00 to 5:00, announces Dr. Ralph B. Kenny, Director of Guidance in Milne.

"Those Juniors and Seniors who wish to attend are asked to see me sometime today," stated Dr. Kenny.

Following registration in the morning, a series of conferences with faculty members will take place in Coxe Hall. Those members of the faculty who will meet interested students from high schools all over the east are: Dr. H. Newton Hubbs, Division of Humanities; Dr. Ralph H. Bullard, Division of Sciences; Dr. Henry C. Hawley, Division of Social Sciences, and Dr. Walter H. Dubee, Dean of the College.

Following these conferences guests of the college will witness Hamilton play Hobart in freshman football.

After luncheon in Coxe Hall, guests will attend the Hobart-Washington and Jefferson football game at the college stadium.

The entire college plant will be open to visitors all day long.

by Rita Figarsky

While the Chekhov Players were busily preparing for their production of *King Lear*, your CRIMSON AND WHITE reporters asked for an interview. We were introduced to Miss Beatrice Straight, an extremely pretty actress, who asked us to come backstage away from the noise and bustle. We sat on the steps and as each member of the cast would come rushing past us, she would introduce us to them.

Twenty-two In Company

Miss Straight told us that the entire company consists of twenty-three persons. Although they travel all over the country, the players regard Albany as their patron city because here they made their first appearance in the United States, and here they are giving their entire repertoire and their first performance of *King Lear*. The company is composed of young men and women (the oldest is 31 years old) from all over the United States and abroad.

"I Beg Yaw Pawdon"

While Miss Straight was giving us all this information, the male thespians were all rushing past us, saying, "I beg yaw pawdon," in a very heavy Shakespearian accent. You probably noticed them walking around school with their long hair falling down into their eyes. The purpose of the long bobs is to eliminate the wearing of wigs in their performances.

The cast makes all the props and scenery themselves. Also, because of the large number of the available players, they take turns acting on alternate nights.

P. S. Your CRIMSON AND WHITE "scoopies" waited around for the evening performance and were admitted free.

Zeta Sigma Designs New Society Seals After Its Insignia

At the meeting of Sigma Literary Society on Tuesday, October 7, the idea of having seals for each girl was introduced. These seals, in the form of the Sigma Society pin, will be made up in felt, combining the two Society colors—sky-blue and greygreen. The seals are suitable for wearing on sweaters and jackets.

The committee has been selected to see Mr. Louis Lundy of the Collegiate Specialty Company comprised of Priscilla Smith, '42, and Betty Vail, '43. This committee will report to the society as to the exact character of the seals and when they may be purchased.

Distribute Reports Oct. 30

Freshmen, Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors will receive their report cards on Thursday, October 30, and eighth graders, report cards will be distributed to the seventh and eighth graders on November 13. No percentage grades will appear on their reports.