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CHARLES GOLDING IS
MILNE NSVC DELEGATE
AT WASHINGTON D.C.

JESSIE DORAN NAMES

The National Capital School Visitors' Council is sponsoring a 1941 institute of national government for secondary school students. This institute will be in Washington D.C. from March 7th to March 11th.

COMMITTEE ADDITIONS

Many schools all over the United States have been invited to send a representative. This representative will have an opportunity to learn more about student government by seeing a democracy at work in Washington. Milne is the only school in the capital district with an invitation. Because of the vital importance of student government in Milne a junior class member has been chosen, by the Student Council, to attend this institute.

GAC TO CONDUCT ANNUAL BANQUET

In the G.A.C. meeting last Wednesday, the girls planned their annual banquet which will be in the Wellington Hotel on March 21st. Awards in the form of bracelets, will be presented to the three girls who have earned the highest number of letters.

Jessie Doran, chairman of the annual card party which will be on March 7, from 3 to 5 in the library and in the Little Theater, announces the following additions to the committees:

Marilyn Potter is Mistress of Ceremony and the committee working with her includes Lois Ambler, Margie Wright, Josephine Wilson, Laura Ann Lyon, and Miriam Boyce.

Donation; Betty Miller, chairman, Beatrice Raab, Lois Wilson, Rita Figarsky, Alice Van Gaasbeck, Ellen Willbeck, Marion Mulvey, and Margie Wright.

MILNE RED CROSS MAKING BRAILLE CARDS

Charles Golding will be the Milne representative, and when asked about his proposed trip, he said, "I am greatly interested in this project and am looking forward to the trip to Washington. It will be thrilling and exciting to view our own federal government at work."

The biggest project that Milne's Red Cross has now, is the making of covers for braille Easter cards which are to be sent to a school for blind children. These covers are to be made of simple designs, in bright colors, and raised from the background. The work is fun, easy, and cheerful. Anyone interested in doing this work is requested to get in touch with Elaine Drooz.

Catherine Morrison and Sally Hunt are new additions to the refreshment committee.

The mothers' committee had its first meeting on last Tuesday at 2:30 in the home economics rooms. Mrs. Frederick J. Doran is chairman, and some of the mothers on the committee are: Mrs. Clinton A. Reed, Mrs. James E. Tinscher, Mrs. Simeon Einstein, Mrs. Randolph Martin, Mrs. Albert E. Stuart, Mrs. Bordon Miles, Mrs. Percival Ball, Mrs. Ernest Ketler, Mrs. Frank I. Langwig, and Mrs. Fletcher.

ASSEMBLY WILL FEATURE PLAY, "THE MINUET"

Other committees are as follows:

"The Minuet" is the play which will be given in assembly on Wednesday at 2:30. It is directed by Leah Einstein, and the cast consists of Joan Manweiler, Jerome Levitz, and David Conlin. This play is in a much more serious vein than most of the plays presented in assembly, but it should be appreciated by the senior high students.

French Club

The French club is now ardently searching for new members, and invitations have been sent out to quite a few members of Milne High School. A special program for each week will be planned for the remainder of the school year, for example, French movies.

Candy--Leah Einstein, Chairman, Catherine Morrison, Lillian Simmons, Margaret Hodecker, Shirley Atkins, and Jean Douglas.

Card tables--William Willey, chairman, David Davidson, Stanley Swift, Charles Kosbob, Robert George, George Edick, Kenneth Langwig, and Martin Edwards.

MILNE CONCURRENCES
INTERMURAL PROGRAM

Each grade in Milne now has an intermural basketball team. The schedule for the games has been arranged by Charles Kosbob under the supervision of Mr. Bulger, assistant principal.

This schedule allows the teams to play each other before all the home games of the varsity team. It has been in effect since the first home game.

The teams and winners of each are as follows: sophs beat the juniors, seniors beat the sophs, and the eighth grade beat the seventh grade.

In the next two games the seniors will play the juniors and the eighth grade will play the ninth grade.

The players have asked for time to play on Sundays as the big gym is entirely used up on other days. They are willing to meet any demands asked of them in connection with the granting of this privilege.

Charles Kosbob says, "Come early to the varsity games and help your grade team win. They need your support. It will help keep intermural sports in Milne."

QUIN SIGMA PLAN
BASKETBALL GAME

Quin and Sigma are going to have a basketball match at some time in the near future. Those on the Quin team are as follows:

First team: Hunt, Ambler, Baldwin, Selkirk, Wogatske and Doran.

Second team: Mann, Signer, Bailey, Tincer, Spector and Patatsky.

No date has, as yet, been set for the event.

SOCIETIES INDUCT
NEW MEMBERS

New members invited to Theta-Nu Literary Society are as follows: Stanley Heindrick, Harold Game, Harry Culp, Edward Lookstein, John Camp and Benjamin Van Acker, who are all sophomores. The following boys were also admitted: Walter Grace, Bernard Golding, and Walter Austin.



Adelphoi Literary Society invited the following boys as new members:

Sophomores: Royden Rand, Russell Langwig, William Soper, Theodore DeMoss, Marvin Hacker, and Dick Bates, Juniors: Sanford Golden and Charles Kosbob.

This year all boys had to pass all subjects every month, and be a full-fledged member of his class with regard to Regents and school credits, in order to be eligible for membership.

SIGMA TO CONDUCT
ANNUAL LUNCHEON

Zeta Sigma Literary Society will conduct its annual installation affair in the form of a luncheon at Howard Johnsons Restaurant on February 22.

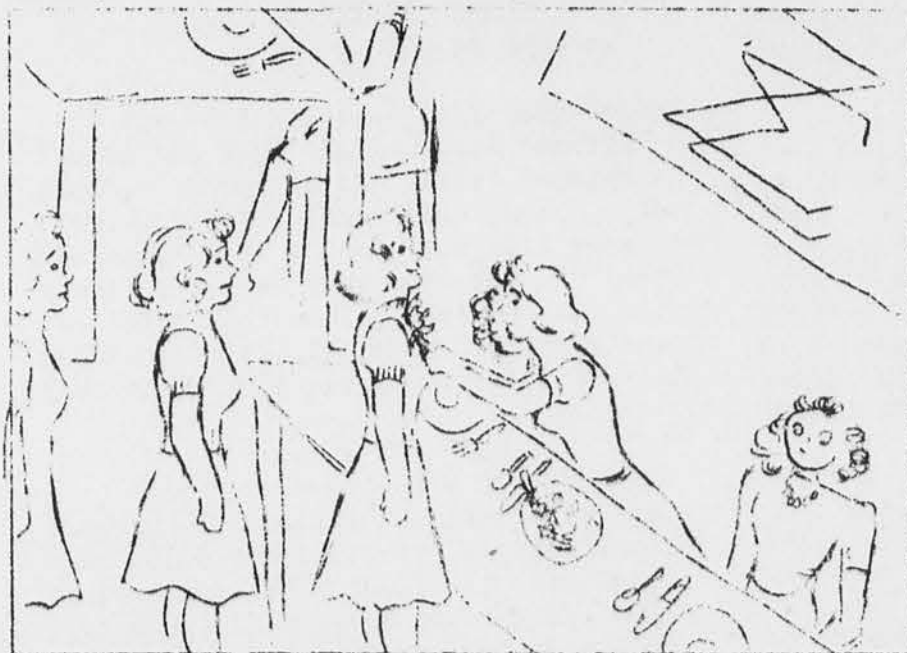
Ruth Van Gaasbeck is Mistress-of - Ceremonies. Members of her committee are Shirley Smith, Mary Baker and Corrine Edwards.

Jean Chauncey gave a literary report on Heindrick Van Loon, The meeting ended by the singing of the Sigma song.

HISTORY B CLASSES
HEAR LECTURE

Dr. Watt Stewart, Professor of History 2 in State College, spoke on Latin America and Peru to the 9:00 History B class. Dr. Stewart lived for several years in Peru and consequently knows a great deal about the country. This is Dr. Stewart's second address in Milne.

All history classes in Milne are observing Bill of Rights Week with a special study of the national and state constitutions, it was announced by Miss Elizabeth Shaver, supervisor.



MILNE GIRLS ENJOY
PLAYDAY AT DELMAR

Last Saturday 12 girls on the basketball varsity attended a playday at Bethlehem Central. It turned out to be a very exciting day and a good time was had by all. Basketball filled up the morning program and our girls (with 4 schools represented - Cobleskill, Albany High, Delmar, and Milne) came in second place for the day, after over-scoring Cobleskill 10 - 8. Delmar captured first honors. Jean Selkirk had high score on our team and the other forwards, notably Mary Baker, Helen Cooper, and Sally Hunt, made a fine effort toward making the scores very close. Good guarding was needed and Ruth Martin, Laura Lyon, and Ethel Baldwin amply provided it.

Lunch followed, with Delmar serving very good ice cream sandwiches and cocoa. Adjourning to the gym, skits were put on by each school and hidden talent was brought to light. Our junior varsity gave a pleasing vocal version of "I've Been Working on the Railroad". The seniors starred in a dramatic drama in which the villain reversed the procedure and won the heroine.

Following this came the big event of the day - the game between the All-Stars and the Mohawks. Twelve of the out-standing student players of the day composed the All-Stars. Helen Cooper, Mary Baker, and Ethel Baldwin represented Milne on this team. Mary had the honor of being captain. The Mohawks, a regular team, made up of gym teachers and some outsiders, were the challengers. Miss Hitchcock was Milne representative on this team. It was a fast-moving, hard-fought game, the Mohawks leading in the half 10-4 and coming out victorious with a final score of 24-11.

Dancing wound up the playday and the team returned to Albany tired but happy.

MILNE TO PLAY SCHUYLER

By Donald Summers

The "Red Raiders" will play Schuyler on the Page Hall court tomorrow night. This is the first engagement between the two teams this year. The "Falcons" have a good team this year and should prove a very hard foe to beat. The Milne aggregation lost by only a few points to a highly favored Vincentian five and should prove very hard to beat.

Come To The Game

This year has been a disastrous campaign financially so far. We are about \$100 short of our expectations. As you know basketball is the only source of income for our entire athletic program so let's try and pack that gym in our last two games.

MILNE LOSES TO V.I.
By David Conlin

Unable to cope with the terrific height advantage of the Vincentian quintet, a fighting Milne team dropped a close decision. The game was hard fought, and it was not until the closing moments of the third quarter that V.I. assumed a definite lead.

Charley Locke got Milne off to a fast break in the opening quarter when he dropped in two field goals in rapid succession. V.I. came surging back to tie it up and scored again so that at the end of the first quarter, V.I. led 7-4.

Bob Clark opened the second stanza with a long set shot, but V.I., not to be denied, went still farther ahead 11-6. Locke sank another, and Dyer tallied on a foul shot, but V. I. made two more set shots and led at the half 15-9.

The third quarter was the turning point of the game. Clark and Saunders led the attack for Milne as both teams hit a fast pace. The "red raiders" were trailing 18-17 as the third quarter drew near a close. Then let up. V.I. took advantage of the lull and scored 12 points, Milne behind 30-21, bought right down to the wire but was unable to overcome the V. I. lead, and the game ended with V. I. winning 37-28.

BOWLING MATCH

The juniors have challenged the senior boys to a bowling match to be played at the Paladium this Friday after school. The seniors have a strong team and according to Martin Edwards, veteran bowler, they'll win with ease.

SENIORS ON VARSITY

Your sports department will attempt to give you a short sketch of each of the seniors on the Varsity. We will give you two members this week and two next.

CHARLES LOCKE

Shifty, elusive and a "deadeye". These are Charley's main characteristics in basketball. Charley played J.V. basketball in the ninth grade and has played Varsity ball for three years since then. He is Captain of the Varsity and with 94 points so far, he has proved to be the team's star.

BOB SAUNDERS

Speedy, tricky and a good ball handler. That's Bob! This is his second year of Varsity ball. He has had an on and off season thus far. He was high scorer against Wappinger Falls and Coeymans scoring seven and eleven respectively.

Features

HEARD ABOUT TOWN.....

Seen at the movies Saturday night were June Black and David Mack. Also there was Lois Ambler and one of the Golding twins. (We don't know which one either.)

Beatrice Raab had quite a time at the Siena formal about a week ago.

Priscilla Smith is quite the attraction for one Bill Grattan. Or did you know?

That's a flashy ring that Ruth Martin is sporting around her neck. In case you don't know, it's Ed-ex Albany High.

Gone With The Wind was at the Palace this past week, (as if you didn't know), and the larger part of Milne showed up to welcome it.

If two certain Senior boys are missing (Austin and Phinney, to be exact), just look in the Paladium, and you'll find them, unless they have a change of heart.



Doris Wegatske was torn between two fires one day this past week. It was at a basketball game down at the YMCA, and Ambrose was on the Rensselaer team, and her other big moment, Bill, was on the Albany team.

Elaine Callup plans to attend the R.P.I. formal this Friday.

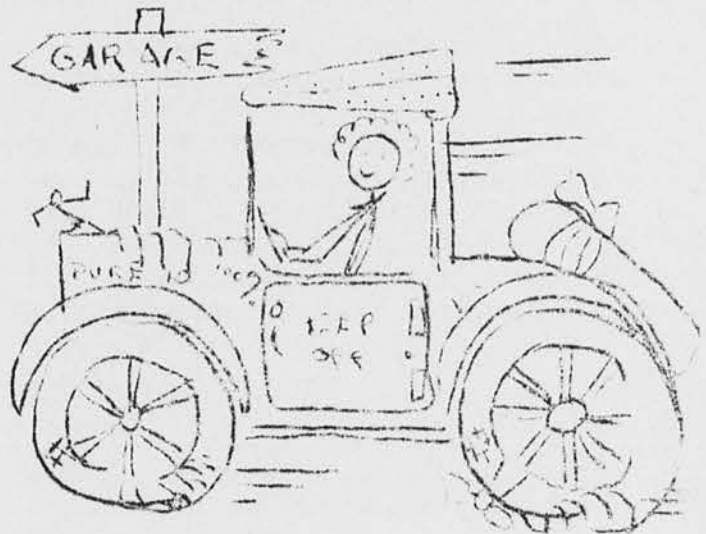
I suppose you've all noticed that new double attraction seen around the halls these days.....Joan Manweiler and Stan Swift.

Everybody appreciates the grand job that our manager, Mart Edwards, is doing this year with the team.

Bob Clarke and John Jeusing just sat and sighed Sunday at the Madison when Second Chorus was being shown. They seem to think that Paulette Goddard has that certain something. (But who doesn't?)

OH, FOR A CAR!

Have you noticed the daily lineup of cars and vehicles behind school these days? Some of us have outgrown the bicycle stage, and have advanced to the jalopy, a class all its own. (Mind you, only some of us.)



Every morning at five minutes before nine, you hear, then see, Jane Davis whizzing down Washington Avenue, in a super de lux, Model A. A little on the breezy side, but it gets there.

That smooth, green number belongs to Art Phinney. (Who else?)

And of course, this little article wouldn't be complete without the beautiful tan job of Preston Robinson's.

MILNE THEME SONGS

- Crosstown. Dave Davidson
- Gone With The Draft. Jane Stuart
- I'd Rather Dream Marcus Meyers
- Night and Day. Levitz and Hochstrasser
- My Gal Don DeHure
- Scatterbrain Duncan Crook
- Blow The Smoke Away. Marilyn Potter
- Beat Me Daddy, 8 to the Bar. Bob Austin
- My Gal Sal Bob George
- Did Your Mother Come From Ireland. Dave Conlin
- I Hear A Rhapsody. Ed Langley
- Chatterbox Elaine Crook
- What Have You Got That Gets Me Lois Ambler
- Our Love Affair. Scharberger and Smith
- There I Go Senior Class in June

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LET'S CONSIDER THESE---

The drinking fountain on the first floor has been a topic for Student Council election campaigns for many years. Why doesn't the Senior Class elect a committee to look into this? If the cost is reasonable, why not have the fountain as the Senior gift to the school?

Why do Milne students allow the opportunity to voice their personal opinions in this paper, pass by? If you do have something to say, put it in a letter and give it to one of the editors.

Why hasn't the Milne Varsity played the State College Frosh in the last few years? It was always an exciting game. Why not try to arrange it, Manager Edwards?

Why can't members of boys' societies be more adult concerning their initiatives?

Why do students continue to eat outside the Cafeteria and Annex? This alone
(Continued in next column)

Talking of —
..... TALKIES

SEEING THE NEW MOVIES
with BERNIE

Bernie's Review for this Week:
* * * MR. AND MRS. SMITH

Robert Montgomery and Carole Lombard in the title roles of this new film make it one of the best comedies of the year.

In the story, Montgomery and Miss Lombard are married for several years, when they find out their marriage isn't legal. She throws him out of the house when he comes home after finding out about their marriage, and thinking she does not know about it. The entire picture is extremely funny with most of the action centering about Montgomery's attempts at reuniting himself with Miss Lombard.

Any student who wants to laugh heartily and see a really enjoyable film should include "Mr. and Mrs. Smith" on his "must" list.

B. R. G.

Key to Rating:

- * Poor
- ** Good
- *** Excellent
- **** Outstanding



LET'S CONSIDER THESE---

(Continued from column one)
is bad enough, but students also insist on leaving crumbs and papers in the halls and locker rooms.

Why don't the students appreciate the basketball team more? Winning is not everything, you know. Good sportsmanship and hard fighting are always present at our games. Why not more students?

Why don't Milne students take advantage of the essay contest mentioned about four weeks ago on this page? It is a fine way to win cash or a college scholarship.

Let's put some thought on these ideas