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## SENIOR CLASS PRESENTS LARGEST NUMBER TO ROLL OF MONTHLY HONORS

With the hearty approval of the faculty, the Crimson and White publishes the honor students of the Senior High for the marking period which just closed. These honor students are those whose marks average ninety and above. The Senior class has the highest number of honor students of the Senior High.

The honor students follow:

Twelfth grade	
Florence Herber	95.2%
Evelyn Wilber	94.25%
Elizabeth Candlyn	92%
Shirley Baldwin	91.75%
Jean Ledden	91.75%
Jacquelyn Townsend	91.2%
Robert Meghreblian	90.75%
Robert Zell	90.75%
Doris Holmes	90.25%

Eleventh grade	
David Mack	92%
Robert Schamberger	90.6%
Mary Sexton	90.6%
Mary Baker	90.4%

Tenth grade	
Blanche Packer	94%
Ethel Baldwin	92%
John Poole	90.2%

## MARGARET CHASE ANNOUNCES TRYOUTS FOR CHEERLEADING

Final tryouts for cheerleaders will take place next Monday afternoon at 3:20 o'clock in room 129, Margaret Chase, head cheerleader for the coming season, announced Wednesday. Miss Chase urged the boys to tryout for cheerleading, stating that other high schools have boy cheerleaders, who help to increase the volume of the cheering section.

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## DR. SAYLES URGES SUPPORT OF MILNE HIGH BOOK FAIR



FORMER PRINCIPAL DREAMS  
OF MILNE HIGH LIBRARY

"The Milne Book Fair is one of the finest features of our high school's extra-curricular activities," Dr. John M. Sayles, acting president of State College, recently stated. "It deserves the wholehearted interest and cooperation of the Milne student body, as well as that of State College.

With the Milne Book Fair just around the corner, the week of November 13, Milnites are appreciating anew the advantages of the Little Theater, for the fair will occupy that room. Two teas, one for the State College faculty, and the other for mothers of Milnites, will take place in the Milne library.

These rooms were two of Dr. Sayles dreams for Milne. His aim for years was that the Milne library be the center of the school life.

Twenty-five years ago Dr. Sayles became associated with Milne. He has since that time brought it from a small practice school to an institution known throughout the state, and, indeed the United States, for its high standards and the creative thinking and teaching skill of its faculty. Dr. Sayles, though busy at State College, will forever live in the spirit of Milne and the thoughts of her students.

## STERNFELD ANNOUNCES FAIR'S POSTER CONTEST

Inspirational ideas for posters are the "go" these days, for the advertising committee for the Milne Book Fair is sponsoring a poster contest, Edward Sternfeld, chairman of the committee announced today.

The winner of the contest will have his choice of any book from the Giant Modern Library of the Co-op bookstore in State College. The judges of the contest will consider the neatness, originality, and attractiveness of the posters. Students participating in this contest will leave their posters in Miss Wheeling's office on or before Wednesday, November 8, with their name and homeroom on the back.

Sternfeld stated as a help to contesters, "Remember that the Book Fair theme is a county fair. A race track, live stock show, and ferris wheel, all connected with books will feature."

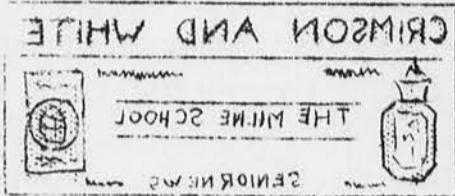
HOCKEY TOURNAMENT TO BE AT BETHLEHEM CENTRAL

The Northeastern Field Hockey Tournament will be played on Saturday and Sunday, November 11 and 12, on the Bethlehem Central field. Miss Margaret Hitchcock, gym instructor for girls, has placed Doris Mochrie in charge of the ticket committee in Milne. Anyone who desires to purchase a ticket may get in touch with Miss Mochrie. General admission is \$.35 and \$.25 for G.A.C. members.

This association is so that girls who have graduated from high school and are still interested in taking hockey may continue with it. The Girls' Athletic Council is a member.

POSITION ON STAFF OPEN

Carl French, managing editor of the Crimson And White, today announced that a position on the staff is open. This opening is in the print shop, and is under the direction of Harlan K. Raymond, supervisor of this department. All boys who have a study period and are interested in printing should report at once to French. The person chosen for this department is eligible for the C.S.P.A. trip to New York in March.



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There will be four girls and two boys as regular leaders this year, with the same number of substitutes. Miss Chase, Virginia Jordan, and Betty Schreiner who cheered last year, will again lead.

This year the leaders' uniforms will be the reverse of last year's. Skirts will be red and sweaters white.

SOCIETY DAY

Whether societies will undertake to present another Society Day or not was the topic of discussion in the last meetings.

In previous years, this event has been in the Spring, but it is probable that this one will take place sometime in the winter.

Society Day has been passed by three societies.



WHEELER SELECTS COMMITTEE

Robert Wheeler, president of Dramatics Club, appointed Florence Herber and Gilbert Dancy to serve as a committee to select one-act plays which the club will vote on. Two plays are to be used for production at Christmas. Although the Christmas Plays have long been a tradition in Milne, this is the first year that students have been allowed to aid in the selection of the plays.

Miss Jane Wilson, who has recently been elected State College Campus Queen, began her duties as coach of Dramatics Club last Friday.

SCRAP BOOK WORK STARTS

The Junior Red Cross is now making scrap books to be sent abroad. One is on women's and girl's clothing, and the other, on boy's sports. Those working on them are Laura Ann Lyon, Joan Manweiler, Edward Bookstein, and George Gordon.

ANNOUNCEMENT

All members of G.A.C. who wish to order pins should see Gretchen Phillips, home room 320, as soon as possible.

COUNCIL ORGANIZES DANCE REGULATIONS COMMITTEE

In order to prevent any more trouble at future Senior High dances, the Student Council organized a "dance Regulations" committee at their last meeting. The committee is composed of Arthur Bates, John Fink, Gifford Lantz, and Armon Livermore. Its purpose is to work with the faculty in solving any problems which arise, or have arisen, at school dances.

President Arthur Bates also appointed Warren Monthie, representative of homeroom 333, chairman of the Senior High bulletin board. Persons desiring to post notices should see Monthie for permission.



CLASSES START CALENDARS

Miss Grace Martin, art instructor, has started her classes on work for the Christmas calendars. Last year, there were no calendars due to lack of interest, but, since the students missed them, the custom is being resumed. The art students design the block prints, and Mr. Raymond's students print them in shop.

Orders for them can be made through either department. They will be filled just before Christmas vacation.

DORIS WELSH MAKES TEAM

The University of Vermont News Office announces that Doris Welsh '39, a freshman at the University, was recently selected to play on the second hockey team. Miss Welsh played varsity hockey and varsity basketball in Milne last year.

While in Milne, Miss Welsh was an active member of the Zeta Sigma Literary Society, Dramatics Club, and G.A.C. She was also a feature editor of the Crimson and White.

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## MILNE MERRY-GO-ROUND

DID YOU LIKE IT?

As this week's hours have melted away, and a careful inventory is taken, we find that the 7th graders have scored their first hit in the Senior high when homeroom 329 presented their play before the Senior high assembly. Three cups of coffee go to that songstress from Hawaii for her cutting loose with "Blue Hawaii" before these Senior critics. We also give one cup, with sugar, to the strip tease man, he was a killer. Free moo-ing lessons will be given this afternoon by Daisy, (the cow) for those who are interested.

## TAKE THE GIRL

"Drums Along the Mohawk" now a motion picture, is enjoying its World Premier at the Palace Theater in Albany. Henry Fonda is co-starred with Claudette Colbert and they prove their ability in the setting of old Albany and the Mohawk Valley in 1777. This destined hit was produced by 20th Century Fox and is adapted from the novel of the same name, written by Walter D. Edmonds. For a good evening's entertainment see "Drums Along the Mohawk".

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Dear Milnites,

The Bricks and Ivy magazine staff has chosen a theme which seems particularly significant at the present time- "World Friendship".

We in school cannot think of ourselves as in a private little world, immune to the hostilities of the universe. Doesn't youth have something to say about this question of race prejudice and war? The magazine will try to show how basically alike young people in all lands are.

Have we been guilty in the recent rush of events of misunderstanding, perhaps hating, the inhabitants of another land? Have we forgotten that they, too, have interests common to ours? -that the German boys and girls have school dances that mean quite as much to them as our Q.T.S.A. does to us?-and that the French, English, Dutch, Italian, and Spanish young folk cheer quite as lustily at their sports as we do.

You undoubtedly have your own ideas on this widely-discussed subject of World Friendship. The staff would like to be able to publish your written opinions in the literary issue of the Bricks and Ivy, but if you would prefer to use another subject for your essay, story, or poem, that, too, will be welcome. This is your magazine- we want you to like it!

Sincerely,

*Jan Liddon*

Heigh-ho! Come one! Come all!

Place your bet on a winning book at Best-Seller Derby of Milne's Book Fair. This year's Seniors think that the good old days are perhaps best after all, because they are planning an old-fashioned county fair. There will be fun for the whole family, from the ferris wheel of the well-rounded reading program to the livestock exhibits. Girls, win a prize with your recipes for spending leisure time; boys, try out the new inventions which you don't have to buy. Christmas isn't so far away. Bring Mother to pick out books for the family this year.

(Thanks to Miss Brown, head of the Book Fair, for the above editorial.-Ed.)

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## MISCELLANEOUS

Well, Marilyn Smith is back (famous now). A picture is on the front page of the school paper this week.-- Report cards are out --The Dodgers trimmed the Yanks again, in typing class - Basketballs bounce in Page hall gym once again-- Somebody lost a football bet--School Monday--Finished and thirty.

# FEATURE PAGE

## HIGHLIGHTS IN THE GIRLS' GYM SCHEDULE

Monday--riding at the armory.

The beginners patiently endure what would otherwise be regarded as a sound flogging. Later at home, they proudly request mama to notice how "horsey" they smell.

Tuesday--the hockey field.

Although the "hole" is only a few blocks away, there is always a mad scramble for the few coveted seats in Miss Hitchcock's car. The unpopular, but famed, black stockings make their seasonal debut. As the weather becomes more wintry, ski pants, ear muffs, mittens and scarfs are dragged from the moth balls to complete the field costumes and warm up the dear old game.

Wednesday--the small gym

Here the Milne belles learn to appear flexible and boneless. For an incite on what was stylish last summer, observe the garb of these girls sometime. As butterflies light upon flower petals, they patter, barefooted, over the stony floor. One thing all the dancers are certain of is that there are numerous muscles in the human body. And how!

Thursday--back on the hockey field

This is the day when every senior lass learns more about hockey technique, the feeling of a gentle (?) ball on the leg, and the wack of a hockey stick.

Who knows, maybe they'll all turn professional after all of Milne's training along this line.

Friday--the day of all hockey days

The ultra-spirited get their chance in the limelight on Friday; it is the varsity hockey day. What fun! For some tips on how high school hockey should be played, come out and watch them some day.

Don't think this is all that's offered in the Milne sport collection; tossed in somewhere are swimming, diving and, soon to be, basketball.

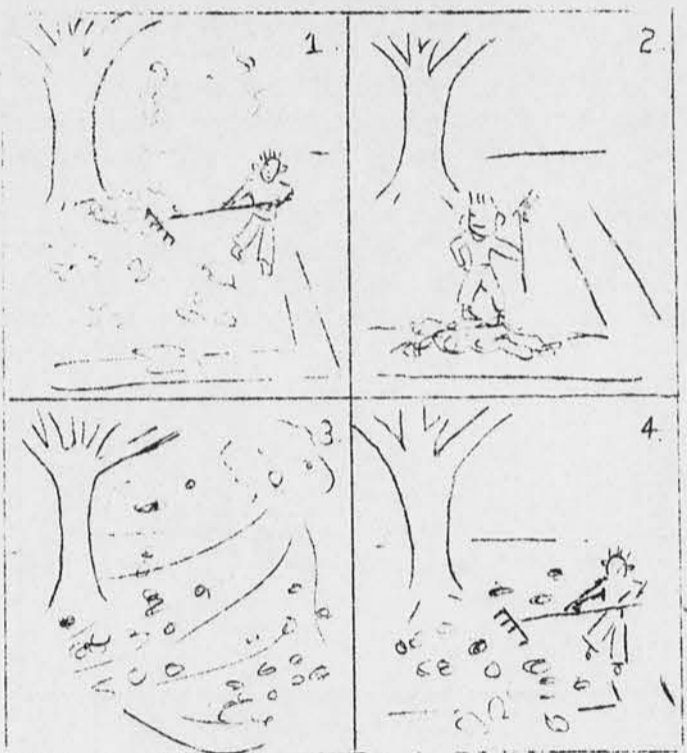
## CHARACTER SKETCH

This is about one of our more-reserved Milnites. Now in his Senior year, he could easily be classed as tall, dark and handsome, if he were a little bit taller.

Last year, he taxed his brain to keep a class's budget in order, and is now serving as the president of one of the clubs.

Among the extra-curricular activities enjoyed by this individual are riding and, weather permitting, skiing.

Know who it is yet? If not, one more tip is that he's among the few jeun-hommes to possess a car.

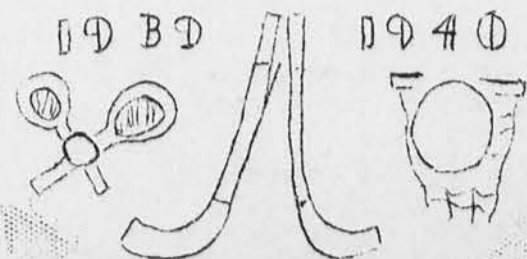


AROUND THE TOWN  
or  
ALL THE NEWS THAT'S FIT TO PRINT

Gosh, have you noticed that Townsend woman? There's a gal that's certainly busy now-a-days. I guess I'm not the only one that admires "Jackie". You know she's the new Quin "Mistress of Ceremonies", and she really has done wonders with Quin's social aspect. The new literary programs which feature noted speakers are her doing. Then too she was general chairman of the Quin tea last Monday and will again show her ability as general chairman at the Quin Rush today.

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## GIRL'S GYM



★ MILNITE - ACTORITE ★

Milne should certainly be proud of their students that studied the drama this summer. Bob Wheeler spent his vacation at the Nell Gynn Theater at Malden Bridge. There he studied under the direction of Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Bishop, the two directors of the theater.

The season began in the first part of July and ended at the end of August. During that time, Wheeler worked in every production and appeared in numerous plays. Among them were, Winterset, The Royal Family, Idiot's Delight and A Slight Case of Murder in which he had supporting roles. The apprentice group also put on some plays, in which he had the leading parts. These were, He and She by Rachel Crothers and Big Kate.

The Theater group is composed of five apprentices and fifteen professionals. There are three performances each week.

An average day for Mr. Wheeler would be as follows: classes in the morning in voice, diction, repertoire, posture, make-up, sets, the study of play construction, and body. That is alignments of body for various emotions, and graceful movement. In the afternoon, he would attend rehearsals, build sets for the professional productions, and study directing methods while watching professional productions.

Wheeler has been in the Christmas plays for several years, and this year he was elected President of the Dramatics Club.

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Well, I hear the French Club arguments have not ceased as yet. The constitution has been amended and that may mean more of us will be eligible to join. I hope they ask me in. I understand they have a swell organization this year. Well anyway, everyone liked the "open meeting" where Monsieur Gordon gave an illustrated lecture on Tahiti.

Have you noticed all the "dolloed-up" senior girls around school this week? Besides "socials" one reason for this may be that many of them had their yearbook pictures taken. Many a young man's Christmas present has already been planned.

Gee, I wish there was another dance real soon, don't you? We have so many dances in the spring but no one ever thinks of giving a dance in the fall. All we ever have is the reception.

By the way have you seen our returned star Marilyn Smith? Now we have a Grade A number 1 "glamor girl".

Well that's all for today,  
Amy

WISHING WELL

They say "wishing will make it so". For this reason we are going to do some real wholesale wishing.

We wish for another foot of height or a pair of stilts for Ardelle Chadderdon.

For David Wilson we wish we could have a new pipe. And now!!!

We do wish we could have more hair for Bob Barden, and that goes for all those other Milnites that have brush cuts.

To help our teachers we wish the State budget enlarged. The lack of chalk is very disturbing, to say the least.

We wish Van Varner was back in Milne and we know he wished he was too. It's just a shame that there's a population limit.

Our plea for the sophmores is another hay-ride like the last one.

Perhaps if we wish hard enough we can improve the spelling ability of the seniors for English Four tests.

We wish Mr. Densmore could win a Bingo game without having to have Fred Regan and Carl French cheat for him.

Not forgetting ourselves we wish that Armon Livermore, our business manager, could find the pot of gold at the end of the rain-bow. Boy, how we need it!!!



Exchanges

This item appeared in the Terrace Tribune of Nott Terrace high school.

All people in the school who are interested in belonging to an organized cheering section for our games come to the auditorium today after school.

There will be a discussion of the type of organization you would like and then some cheers and songs. Freshman who don't know the cheers are also welcome.

Once you could foretell a change in the weather by the pains in your joints. Now you can tell by the agony in your radio.

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