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### SENIOR NEWS

MISS HELEN HYLE ADDRESSES
ASSEMBLY WEDNESDAY MORNING;
TALK CONCERNS EDUCATION

Wednesday morning in a joint assembly at 10:00 c'clock, the main speaker was Miss Helen Hay Hyle of the State Education Department.

Miss Hyle outlined the three daily essentials in the accomplishment of happiness, as outlined by Alice Freeman Palmer: learn something new each day, look upon something beautiful each day, and do something for someone each day.

She also said that we should try to have a better understanding of people and also our parents. A tolerant understanding of people is important because it is the knowledge behind this present state in society.

Miss Hyle outlined the various kinds of schools in the state and the subjects that they teach by giving examples of the life of the students. In conclusion, she asked this question, "As you look back upon your high school work, what is the most important thing that you have learned?"

### CARD FARTY TO BE MAY 22; MOTHERS AND FRIENDS INVITED

A card party, sponsored by the Milne student council will be held Friday, May 22, at 2:30 o'clock in the library, for the purpose of raising money for the murals. The mothers of Milnites and their friends will be invited to attend. Tickets are fifty cents a piece; light refreshments and prizes will be given.

### TENNIS TEAM TO OPEN SEASON AGAINST BETHLEHEM CENTRAL

The Milne tennis team will open its season Wednesday afternoon when they play against Bethlehem Central High School, at Ridgefield Park.

The team remains the same as last year except that it lost Jerry Keller by graduation. Keller previously held down the No. 2 position. Captain Bill Tarbox will again lead the boys into action with Ed Walker and Paul Munson at the No.'s 2 and 3 positions respectively. The No. 4 position has not as yet been filled but there are several candidates for that job.

MILNE FACES STIFF BATTLES; C. B. A., RENSSELLER, AND V. I. TO BE MILNE'S VICTIMS

After having already played one hard game this week, the Milne baseball nine will play Rensselaer this afternoon. They played Philip Schuyler last Wednesday and have two stiff encounters this coming week. On Tuesday afternoon, at Ridgefield Park, our boys will meet Vincentian Institute. Thursday afternoon, our boys will encounter Christian Brothers academy in what is expected to be a stiff battle for the Crimson and White bat slingers.

The team showed up pretty good in Wednesday's game but still are lacking a little extra punch. Milne gave the State varsity a trimming last week and looked pretty good. Last Tuesday, they met defeat at the hands of Albany Business College but only due to errors and a bit of sloppy playing.

The C. B. K. team is very strong this year and is built mostly of veterans. They have a good pitching staff and have turned in a fine performance against St. Joseph's.

The following men will probably see action in today's and next week's games: Captain Feldman, MacHarg, Rosenstein, Norvell, Dawes, Sipperly, Carvell, Ely, Thompson, Winslow, and McKean.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Because the State College is having Moving-Up Day on that date, there will be no school on Friday, May 15.

## THREE MILNE CRITICS RECEIVE LEAVE OF ABSENCE NEXT YEAR

Three of Milne's supervisors have obtained leave of absence for next year. They are Miss Helene Crooks, supervisor of French, Miss Helen Halter, supervisor of social studies, and Miss Grace Martin, instructor in art.

Miss Crooks intends to study either abroad or in this country for her doctorate. The rest of her plans are not definite. Miss Halter will study in New York City for the same purpose and then will travel abroad, especially in Germany and Switzerland. Miss Martin has not yet made definite plans.

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### CONCERNING THIS PAGE

Last week, the editorial page in the Crimson and White carried two editorials concerning education. This week, there are two others, which attack the subject from a different angle. One of these two editorials was written by two of the staff for the Capital District Scholastic Press association convention in Sharon Springs last week. The other is written from a statement made by one of the speakers at that convention.

We are not quite sure why we have run this series of editorials in the last two weeks unless it is because we have just realized that there are just thirty-four school days left before graduation, not counting today. That means there are just twenty-nine days to the beginning of Regents' week.

Thus, you see that there is very little time left in school and every little thing has a greater value than it may seem to have at first glance.

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Do well in your studies, for there are only thirty more days until Regents? week.

#### MORE THOUGHTS ON EDUCATION

At the recent press convention in Sharon Springs, Professor Bristow Adams of Cornell University made the following statement: "The world stands aside for the man who knows whither he is going." There is a lot of truth in that statement and also a lot of good advice.

The only way to find out where you are going is through education. By studying in school, by not fooling around and wasting much valuable time, one can start in his life work almost immediately instead of having to hang around while trying to decide what to do.

More and more young people are going places in this world today because they know where they are going. Politicians, lawyers, business men, doctors, and many other types of professions and businesses have young blood in them. And do you think that those young successful men wasted their time while in school? Not at all! They studied, they worked hard, they began when they were young to prepare themselves for what they are now doing. In order to succeed in the world today, it is necessary to start young. Jobs are comparatively scarce in proportion to the number of applicants. The best prepared will succeed and the others will be out of luck.

Therefore, if you have any idea of success, please don't loaf through your high school years. While four years may seem like a long time, when you look back upon them, they are very short. So, start working now toward a goal in life and attain that goal. Then set a new goal, one which will require more striving until at last you reach the top. Remember—if you don't know where you are going or what you are going to do by the time you graduate your chances are very slim of ever getting anywhere.

### A WILL TO SUCCEED

Written for C. D. S. P. A. By Virginia Tripp and John Winne

Examples of people who have become great tend to show that success more often depends upon taking advantage of opportunities than upon good luck. People who have the will to succeed are usually successful.

Today, at a special assembly called by Superintendent J. J. Jones, the speaker was an example of one who succeeded because of continuous effort. Henry J. Smith, an alumnus of Maryville High School, spoke on "Why An Education?" Stating that he never dreamed that a special assembly would be called in his henor, he continued: "Take advantage of your high school work. It is your foundation, no matter what the superstructure may turn out to be. Build a good foundation and you never need werry about the house falling down."

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QUIN:

Quotations for Quin last Tuesday were from Cicero. A discussion was held on the Q. T. S. A., and it was announced that all tickets or money are due next Wednesday. The constitution was read by the president, Leslie Sipperly.

The annual Quin banquet was held at the Wellington Hotel last Saturday night at 6:30. Jean Graham, as mistress-of-ceremonies, introduced several speakers. They included all the officers and a representative from each class, Sally Ryan, Barbara Knox, and Elizabeth Simmons, from the senior, junior, and sophomore classes, respectively. Mrs. A. K. Barsam and Miss Audna Clum were the guest supervisors.

THETA NU:

The report was given by Mr. Charles Griggs on Ethiopia. He told about the conditions that exist there today.

The new members voted to buy pins.

At the banquet Friday night at Keeler's, they enjoyed a speech by Mr. Nelson on "Historical Albany." Mr. Raymond also said a few words to the members about the society.

SIGMA:

The Zeta Sigma literary society was called to order at 11:05 by the president. The roll was called, and the minutes were read and approved. Quotations were from Louisa M. Alcott.

A letter from Lucille Armstead was read by the secretary.

Quotations for next week will be from Edgar Allen Poe.

A discussion was held on the coming Sigma banquet.

ADELPHOI:

The Adelphoi literary society was called to order Tuesday noon by the president, Raymond Hotaling. Robert Dawes, the master of ceremonies, opened the meeting with the formal Adelphoi ceremony.

Mr. William Bates spoke to the society on the article "The Man Who Won The War," from the atlantic Monthly. It was the story of a young German sentry, who, by sleeping at his post, caused the defeat of the German army in Belgium.

The plans have been completed for the annual Adelphoi outing. It is to be held this Saturday evening at Thatcher Park about 6:00 p. m. The members will

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What little senior girl is now on her way, boyond the city limits? Up around Dartmouth, we hear. Something about a "Green Key" prom, or maybe we're wrong.

Puzzling question No. 245638:
Does Doug MacHarg like Betty Boop's dresses or what was in 'em? Does Doug need glasses or just doesn't he care?

Barbara Birchenough doesn't mind going places these days! Have you gotten a load of the new crate that has been totin' her around? It looks like something the cat dragged in! (The last remark was added just to make Ray sore.)

Walt Simmons is going to have to trek a long way to see his girl these days. She has moved out to Loudonville, you know.

Art Thompson seems to like the rollerskating out at Mid-City. At least, he likes the floor, we hear.

Bob Feldman has been wearing a little gold pin lately--it couldn't belong to Ginny Soper, Oh no: We wonder whether Willy Hotaling is next in line. Come on, Bette, don't be a piker!

ADELPHOI (Cont.)

play softball after which they are to have a campfire get-together.

Refreshments will also be a feature of the outing. A program has been arranged by Mr. Feldman and his committee. At the same time the formal initiation ceremony will be conferred upon Mr. Creesy.

C. D. S. P. A. EDITORIAL (Cont.)

Mr. Smith, when in Maryville High, was editor of the school newspaper, and as such was called on the carpet for one of his editorials. Now, however, he is columnist for the New York World-Telegram and his column is syndicated by two hundred other newspapers.

Why is he so successful? Mainly because he has built himself a firm foundation of education and has a will to succeed. He met drawbacks and still went on toward his goal.

"Maryville" today offers its students even better educational advantages than fifteen years ago. What our names shall stand for fifteen years hence depends largely upon what we do with our opportunities today. Undoubtedly, those of us who accomplish worth while things will be those who have an indomitable will to succession.