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SENIOR NEWS

STUDENT COUNCIL TO HOLD
TEA DANCE NEXT FRIDAY
RYTHM RANGERS WILL PLAY

The student council will sponsor another tea dance next Friday afternoon, January 22. It will start at 3:30 and will continue until 5:00 o'clock. The Rythm Rangers, hired by Foster Sipperly will furnish music for the dancing which will take place in the small gym. The admission will be 15¢.

TIME MAGAZINE SPONSORS CONTEST

Time magazine is sponsoring a capital district contest open to all pupils of those schools who are members of the CDSPA. As Milne is in this association, all Milnites are eligible. The contest consists of from 150 to 300 words on any current news taking place between October 15, 1936, and January 15, 1937. The stories must be suitable for dramatization, since the first prize story will be dramatized at the spring meeting at Hudson High School.

Plain white letter size paper must be used, 8½ x 11 inches. The story must be written either with black ink, or typewritten with double spaces using a black ribbon. Only one side of the paper should be used; on top of each sheet your name, address, age, school, school address, date, and name of your story must appear.

All papers will be judged for:

- a) Neatness, correct spelling, and punctuation.
- b) Following all contest rules as described above.
- c) Content
 1. Type of news story
 2. Coherence of the story
 3. Style of writing.

On February 15, 1937, the paper must be handed in to Miss Wheeling, the Faculty Adviser, who will select the winning paper in Milne, and send it to the Contest Chairman, who in turn forwards the papers to the Contest judges. The judges' decision is absolutely final. They will select the five best papers, which will be sent to N. Y. and rated by Time magazine for the final selection of the winners. All schools participating will be notified on March 15 of the results.

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SENIORS TO ATTEND PARTY
IN GUISE OF OLD CLOTHES
AT 8:00 O'CLOCK TONIGHT

Tonight at 8:00 P.M., a Depression Party will be held at the Recreation Center. A Galaxy of prizes will be awarded, beginning with a \$2.00 door prize. Everyone must come dressed in costume, and as an added urge for unique dress a prize will be awarded to the best attire.

The party will continue until 11:30 P.M. with variety dances and Bingo games under the supervision of chaperones Miss Cushing, Miss Wheeling, Dr. Fredericks, and Miss Hayes.

VARSIITY ELECTS CAPTAIN; TO EXPERIMENT ON FRIDAY

The girls' varsity basketball squad at practice on Tuesday night elected Virginia Soper as captain. She will lead the team throughout the season, beginning on Friday afternoon when the team will try an experiment at practice.

Miss Hitchcock and Virginia Soper stated that they would choose the girls most probable to play in the games from the following: Forwards: Soper, V., Knox, Kpewich, Levitz (seniors), Tripp, Simmons (juniors), Newton, Nichols, V., (sophomores); Guards: Potter, Kosbob, Hausman (seniors), Charles, Winshurst, D. Winshurst, M. (juniors), Eckelshymer (sophomores).

SIPPERLY SENDS IN ORDER

The school ring and pin committee has sent the first order in, according to Foster Sipperly, chairman of the committee. A second order will be made for those who want pins and who were not decided when the first order was made. If anyone wishes to place an order, they should see Foster Sipperly on or before Monday, January 18.

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The Five prizes will be presented to the winners at the Spring meeting, April 24. First prize is a 2-year subscription to the Time magazine. Second prize, a 1-year subscription, third prize, a 6-months' subscription to the same magazine.

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 COME ONE - COME ALL

Tonight the seniors, juniors, and sophomores of Milne will have their first big get-together of the new year. The old gym will assume gala attire, but not so the spectators. Old clothes will disguise the illustrious students of Milne so that they can forget their dignity and swing around in barn dances in the good old style.

The orchestra will also provide music for modern dancing and Paul Jones and novelty dances and almost everything you can imagine that makes a party go over big. Jane Weir and Foster Sipperley have planned a swell party, all right, with lots of fun for everyone.

If you really want a better time than you could have at an ordinary or even a formal dance, come around tonight and enjoy yourself. You all remember the great time we had last year, so why not come to the Senior High School Party tonight and duplicate it?

GONE WITH THE WIND

BY MARGARET MITCHELL

The book Gone With the Wind shows the southern view-point towards the Civil War. The author awakes ones sympathy for the south and not only surprise but also a feeling of shame because of the damage the north did, unnecessarily, to the south.

It is the story of Scarlett O' Hara, the belle of three counties. She has three husbands and finds love too late.

The story of the south; its sureness of our cowardice -- which turns later to doubt and then to grudging admiration for our bravery; its courage and unfaltering hope which grows stronger in the face of certain defeat; the hardships they suffered, lack of food, clothing and necessities of life--those they had were the worst of their kind; the burning of the beloved homes and land; their flight from town to town in front of the northern soldiers; their offers of the youth of the south, then the younger boys until the only men who weren't fighting were those who were unable to move, for even the very old went; the women had no protection and their courage equaled if not exceeded that of the men; the way is a bright flag of courage, bravery and strength of a broken and defeated people.

After the War comes the rebuilding of a nation which brings horrors worse than the War. The formation of the Klu Klux Klan to protect their women from the outrageous attacks of the negroes.

The book Gone With the Wind is a vivid story of the destruction and rehabilitation of a strong, brave and glorious nation.

 NICE GOING, BOYS

The Milne varsity basketball team has showed us what a team can do with the proper support. The other games the team played were away with the exception of one. At the away games the home team had the advantage in more ways than one. They were playing on their own court and had more support than did our team.

The boys have proved they are the best team by only losing by one point away and winning by twenty-two points on their own court. If you all sincerely want your team to win come out to the games and cheer as loud as you can. The boys need your cheering and when they know everyone is behind them they will fight for you.

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* EXCHANGES *
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QUIN:

Proverbs opened the meeting of January 11. Members voted on the girls who the society will ask to join it.

THETA NU:

At the regular business meeting, the members of Theta Nu decided to send Roger Orton, who is ill, a card.

The club passed a motion that any boy interested in swimming may join the swimming club, if he sees Mr. Schuler and is approved by the rest of the society.

This club is sponsored by Theta Nu.

The taking of new members was discussed.

SIGMA:

Because of the voting upon of girls eligible for entering the society, the business meeting was disregarded.

ADELPHOI:

Adelphoi is going to hold a banquet Feb. 5 at Jack's Restaurant.

Mr. Carvill gave an interesting talk on the book "The Valley of The Silent Men".

The hero of this story is named Kent and is shot by a half-breed. He recovers, but the search for the half-breed is very exciting.

SUBSTITUTE FOR ANTICS PLANNED

Last Friday, in the Girls Athletic Club meeting, Miss Hitchcock spoke to the members about what would be held this year in place of Annual Antics. It is tentatively decided to have two basketball games, a girls' championship game and a boys' inter-society game. A committee was appointed by Barbara Knox to think of other suggestions.

FRENCH CLUB PLANS PLAY

As the French Club did not have much business to take care of at their meeting on Monday, Miss Browing explained a game which the club then played. The game was played entirely in French. The characters of the play which will be given in assembly have been chosen. They are Frances Seymour, Barbara Soper, Hazel Roberts and Edward Walker.

Hello everyone,--everywhere. Auntie Lucy is greeting you with another batch of witty exchanges.

From The Boulder we get this bright remark.

Forester: You notice the insects have defoliated the trees.

Betty: Yes, and they have eaten all the leaves, too.

From the Mur-Mur-Ette Nit Wits, this witty piece of literature was taken.

F. Sipperely: (Reading a Joke). Look at this, Bill! Some dumb fool here thinks that a football coach has four wheels.

Bill:--How! Haw! And how many wheels has it?

Lizzy S. What is the difference between an automobile, a sigh, and a monkey?

Ed. W. I don't know. What is it?

E. S. An automobile is too dear, a sigh is O dear, and a monkey is you dear.

From the Harvester we find that:

The Way To Get--
Trouble is to go looking for it.
Into office is to promise the impossible.
Respect is to live as if you expected it.

Lady at Almond counter. "Who attends to the nuts?"

Clerk: "Be patient, I'll be with you in a minute."

A little of History B enters here as we hear--

Mr. Hastings: "Miss Shultz, can you tell me the three classifications in which men are divided?"

Betty J.: "Rich, poor, and good looking."

"Mama," said little Virginia, "If there are any men up in Heaven, why is it that we never see any angels with whiskers?"

"Well", replied her mother, thoughtfully, "I guess it's because most men get there only by a close shave."

Well, another day passes, and I again resume my deep concentration on-the finals.

COMMITTEE WORKS ON PLAY

Monday at the joint meeting of the groups of the dramatics club, they decided to give a three act play probably some time in April. The president appointed a committee of Frances Levitz, Barbara Knox and Virginia Kelsey to find a suitable play.

THRU THE KEYHOLE

THE COMMENTATOR

...By Hide and Seek

We're in again, trying to attempt what is practically the impossible. And that is, to tell you Milneites something you don't already know. As your various teachers try to find out the extent of your knowledge through questions, why, we'll do the same. To start with--

What Junior boys, prominent on the basket-ball team, rushed a pretty little eighth grader at our last basket-ball game?

Wonder how Jan Bremer feels being a divorcee? We know we wouldn't mind--not if we collected the alimony she did.

Why are Lowell and Barbara always together? Well, we wouldn't know either. But, they should be more careful--even if it is after school hours. We never knew that the Page Hall steps had that "certain atmosphere"--did you?

Why is it that Brud Davis doesn't seem to realize what a really swell kid Lois Nesbitt is? Before he knows it he is going to find himself out in the cold--if he isn't already.

Although it's rather in the past--How did Jean Ambler like her New Year's Eve date from Princeton? Was he blond?

Look out for "Flash" Carvill and Janet Cole at the party tonight. They will be there (together) unless we're gravely mistaken.

Late nights seem to suit our basket-ball players or does the De Witt Clinton sooth their nerves? At any rate 8 of our boys..were there last Friday night and were two certain junior girls mad!

Verna knocks for admittance to Warren's heart. Or is it vice-versa? Anyway, a tall, dark, and handsome man and a cute, blond, girl do look neat together.

Why, Fran Seymour! You're not getting to be chiseler, are you? You'd better keep off Pond's territory or she will Skip away.

Shall we send a committee to read Jimmy's and Margaret Charles' correspondence? Or shall we just let them peacefully go their way?

Is that rumor 'bout the invincible Bob Taft really true? Or--Weren't he and Ginny McDermott together at Wagar's last Satdee nite?

well--what's your average? We hope that your mark isn't very good. Then we can hope that you enjoyed this column.

Happy New Year is right! 1937 gave us a grand start last Saturday night when our "Crimson Five" triumphed over Bethlehem Central High 40--18. "Ace" Sipperley led the field with 13 points, making some of them from the middle of the floor. He did a grand job shooting the ball like a bullet right through the old basket.

Did you notice that this victory gave us a picture on the front page of both of Albany's sport pages? This is exactly what we needed and the boys deserve the credit.

With a new spirit in Milne, we look forward to this Saturday night when we play host to Rennselaer High and show them how we really play. You remember they took us the last time by one point, but we're going to make them sing "You Turned the Tables on Me" by repeating the Delmar game.

We couldn't kick about the crowd at the Delmar game, it certainly was the real support the team needed.

Oh, yes, I almost forgot our Junior Varsity. They lost to Delmar 18-11, but don't let that fool you because in proportion they've done better than the Varsity. Milne doesn't have to worry about a team for the next one or two years because this J. V. team will take hold as soon as the Varsity graduates.

GIRLS TRAVEL TO DELMAR FOR BASKETBALL PLAYDAY

The Milne girls' varsity attended the Bethlehem Central High School Playday last Saturday from 10:15 to 4. They played five games with Delmar, Cobleskill, the teachers, Mount Pleasant, and Cambridge.

The girls ate their dinner in the school cafeteria where they sang songs, and had a real get together. The Principal made a speech, and also some of the coaches. Favors were small basketballs with the schools' colors, designating where the members of each team were to sit.

After lunch there were more games, and then the entertainment which was presented by the various schools. This was followed by dancing to the music of the Rhythm Rangers.

The girls who went are Virginia Tripp, Elizabeth Simmons, Kay Newton, Margaret Charles, Marion Kosbob, Lillian Eclichymer, Norma Kapewich, Virginia Soper, Bette Potter, Carolyn Hausmann, Barbara Knox, and Frances Levitz.