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JUNIOR NEWS

VALENTINE ASSEMBLY PRESENTED BY CLASS

An assembly was presented yesterday by the seventh grade class which meets at 10 O'clock. The play, "Lonely Heart" was written by the class teacher, Miss Helen Foley. Those who took part were:

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| Queen of Hearts | Shirley Baldwin |
| Ringley Bell | Doris Holmes |
| Smiley Lips | Millicent Murphy |
| Lonely Heart | Robert Wheeler |
| Pretty Eyes | Estelle Dilg |
| Announcer | Armon Livermore |

TRAFFIC CLUB DISCONTINUED

The Student Council opened for the second semester with the announcement by Martin Creesy that the Traffic Club had broken up. After this, order will be kept by certain dependable people, appointed by him, who will receive five service points. This will not be a club.

A list of full club petitions was read by Wilson Hume. The petitions not yet filled were voted upon.

John Hawkins announced that there are ten dates still open. The programs presented by homerooms will be given the full thirty minutes, but clubs will be allowed only fifteen minutes in which to present their programs.

It was decided that the Junior High School should have a correspondent to an Albany newspaper. This person will be appointed by Miss Moore.

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

The Capitol District Press Association is holding its spring convention tomorrow, February 16. Each student who attends must pay a registration fee of ten cents. It will be possible to bring your own lunch.

Transportation should be arranged by groups who attend the convention.

EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS MAKE USEFUL ARTICLES

The eighth graders are making articles which their mothers can use at home such as hot dish holders and tea towels. Some of them are making clown suits which will be used in the Annual Antics.

MILNE JR'S BEAT ACADEMY 21-9

Last Friday night the Milne Jr's beat Academy 21-9. This is Milne's third consecutive victory of Academy. Davis and Hawkins were high scorers with seven points each. The line-up for Milne was as follows: Hawkins, L.F.; Davis, R.F.; Taft, C.; Game, L.G., and Funk, Harding, and Walker, R.G. Milne is expected to play next Friday before the senior game. The line-up for Academy was McCarthey, Slingerlands, Judson, Boche, and Cohn. Boche was Academy's high scorer, making 8 out of 9 points for them. Because of illness, Martin Creesy was unable to play.

The senior game will follow the junior, challenging Mohawk. The players will be Simmons, C.; MacHarg, F.; Blocksidge, F.; Norvell, G.; Rosenstein, G.; Smith, F., and Dearstyne, F.

Dancing will take place after the game.

THIS SEMESTER'S CLUBS

| Club | Room | Sponsor |
|-------------|------|--|
| Art | 336 | Miss Rich |
| Airplane | 130 | (undecided) |
| Boys' | | |
| Cooking | 327 | Miss Fillingham Miss Kehler Carl Coulter |
| Advanced | | |
| Dramatics | 228 | Miss Delaney Miss Doconing |
| Beginners' | | |
| Dancing | 121 | Miss Hodges |
| Advanced | | |
| Dancing | 129 | Miss Kearney |
| Newspaper | 135 | Miss Bishop |
| Photography | 126 | Miss Staehle |
| Girls' Shop | Shop | Mr. Bloomsberg |
| Tap Dancing | 320 | Miss Dexter |
| Typewriting | 235 | Mr. Raymond |
| | | Miss Logan |
| | | Miss Hotchkiss |
| | | Miss Daniels |

Did you ever hear the little saying, "A woman always gets her way?" That proved itself true right here in Milne when the girls won from the boys the right to use the shop during club period. And so we have a girls' shop club. Here's to you, ladies! Long may you live!

NOTICE

The Annual Antics will be held Friday, March 9, in the Page Hall Gym.

Editors-in-chief

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Girls' Sports Editor Virginia Mitchell
Club Editor Hazel Roberts
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Fred Regan

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TRAFFIC SYSTEM CO-OPERATION

What is the matter with the students of this school? What is the cause of the great lack of co-operation with the most essential club of our school which is the Traffic Club, under the leadership of Martin Creesy.

When matters come to such a crisis that a club under capable hands must be disbanded, it is time for the students to "wake up." It is now time for the pupils of this school to show some respect and courtesy to the efforts of others.

We have reasons to believe that the laws of the Traffic Club were made for our benefit. They were meant to prevent an untidy looking school and to stop the daily disturbance of candy eating and gum chewing during class periods.

Through lack of consideration for the efforts of the members of this club and through lack of co-operation with the president, a new plan has been introduced. With the efforts and planning of the Student Council and with your help the plan should and will succeed. Let's all "pitch in" and help to make up for our recent mistakes.

CHARACTER SKETCH

This week we find a seventh grader "sound awake."

He (or she) at homeroom period runs right up the halls to Homeroom 227. It has black hair and big eyes. Likes the boys very much.

If you guess this character sketch write your solution on a sheet of paper with your name and give it to a person who comes around during the period.

NOTICE: Miss Easton requests that first semester library dues be paid at once.

DID YOU KNOW THAT

- 1. There will be no school on Washington's Birthday (February 22)?
2. Margaret Charles has joined the 9A English and biology classes?
3. "Screwy" Gardner is becoming greatly annoyed by Mr. Mattice's multitude of followers?
4. B. Holmes has a newly acquired crush on C. B.? (Who is C. B.? You guess, I'm tired.
5. The "man hating" B. Soper has suddenly taken to writing "smooth" under the names of our prominent students?
6. Shirley Baldwin is quite the "belle" of the eighth grade boys, especially Jack?

BRAIN TEASERS

- 1. Why are e, a, and u the most beautiful words in the alphabet?
2. What is lengthened by cutting it at both ends?
3. What is there which a trolley cannot run without and still is of no service to it?
4. What is a man thrown against when he is thrown out of a window?
5. Which is the smallest bridge in the world?
6. Why is a proud woman like a music book?

(Answers on Page 3)

THE STAR OF HALICH

There was a city which was named Halich. It stood on a hill near a river in Poland that overlooked the surrounding countries which were fighting for its possession. The ownership of this little country was being torn to pieces.

Into the midst of all this came a little boy to find out what the mysterious "Star of Halich" was. Men came from all parts of the world to answer the call of the golden star of Halich. The solution of this mystery may be found in the book, "The Golden Star of Halich," by Ed. P. Kelly. It will thrill you with mystery, love and adventure.

You will also probably like "The Trumpeter of Krakou" and "The Blacksmith of Vilno," by the same author.

All these books may be found in the Milne library.

HOMEROOM NOTES

A BALCONY EPISODE

Homeroom 135

Homeroom 135 has elected their officers for this term. They are:

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| P | President | Arnold Rosenstein |
| | Vice-president | Alfred Wheeler |
| | Secretary | Barbara Soper |
| | Treasurer | Robert Taft |
| | Reporter | Dick Selkirk |

Marjorie Stanton is chairman of the bulletin board committee. The homeroom is planning an assembly program.

Homeroom 124

Homeroom 124 had a meeting last Tuesday, at which they elected the following officers:

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| | President | Richard Andrews |
| | Vice-president | Betty Hines |
| | Secretary | Jack Hoedeker |
| | Treasurer | Kingsley Griggs |
| | Reporter | Herbert Marx |

Homeroom 233

At their last meeting, homeroom 233 elected officers for this term:

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| | President | Erastus Davis |
| | Vice-president | Lois Hayner |
| | Secretary | Billy Burgess |
| | Treasurer | Patricia Gibson |

They are also planning an assembly program.

Homeroom 227

Homeroom 227 is planning an assembly program and a Valentine party.

Homeroom 127

Homeroom 127 is planning an assembly program entitled "Thirty Minutes in a Street." They are going to elect officers next week.

Homeroom 121

Last week homeroom 121 played a basketball game with homeroom 127, ending with a final score of 10-4 in favor of homeroom 121. They have elected the following officers:

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| | President | Russell Jones |
| | Vice-president | Margaret Jones |
| | Secretary | Shirley Baldwin |
| | Treasurer | Arthur Bates |
| | Reporter | Gilbert Dancy. |

NINTH GRADE GIRLS
DEFEATED BY JUNIORS

The freshman girls were defeated Monday with a score of 18-2. Charles made the one basket for the freshmen. Those who played on the ninth grade team were: Seymour, Charles, Nesbitt, Pond, Hine, McDermott, M. Winhurst, and Gibson. The junior team was made up of: Birchenough, Sipperly, Graham, Ryan, Snyder, and Gillespie.

It happened the day of the Junior High party.

A girl, who for convenience sake, we shall call Mary, and her friend (Alice to you) were on the balcony. But they were not supposed to be on said balcony, and so a boy (Leopold for short) tried to chase them off. (Mind you, I said "Tried"). However these girls being firm believers in the motto, "Time wasted is well spent," proceeded to stall. And as they stalled, Mary caught sight of two glaring masculine faces peering through the grating of the door labeled (or should be, anyway):

State College
Girls
Athletic Room

Mary, having an innocent mind, was greatly shocked, and started an investigation at once. But no one would believe her except Alice. Now Alice was a true friend and believing that her palsy-walsy's honor should not be stained, she called the janitor to open the door of the mysterious room.

The door was opened and out walked specimens of Milne's finest - six Fresh. Perhaps you know them. Just look around the room and any boys who are giggling or blushing (oh, girls) probably were inmates of the room. What were those dear little boys doing in that room???

At any rate, children, you have heard the tale of Mary, Alice, and the six freshmen.

Note: This story is entirely true and proof may be had from any of the girls' parties.

ANSWERS

1. Because there can be no beauty without them.
2. A ditch.
3. Noise
4. Against his will.
5. The bridge of your nose.
6. She is full of airs.

NOTICE

Now that the second semester is well under way, everyone knows his schedule. Be sure the office knows it! If your schedule has been changed, go to the office and the library and see that your schedule cards are correctly made out.

Miss Nicos has keys of every kind and description in the lost and found box in the office. She also has pens and pencils and other articles which you may claim by identifying them. They will be sold at auction in the spring, so if you want them claim them now!

CLUBS START NEW SEMESTER

The ninth grade dramatics club has started the new semester by electing the following officers:

President- Lois Nesbitt
 Vice President- Kenneth Lasher
 Secretary- Lois Hagner
 Sergeant-at-Arms- Erastus Davis
 Paul Munson

The Typewriting Club has also elected new officers. They are:

President- Herbert Marx
 Vice President- Betty Holmes
 Secretary- Shirley Rubin

The officers of the new ninth grade Party Club are:

Hostess- Betty Smith
 Waitresses- Marjorie Stanton
 Janet Crowley
 Ann Hunting

The members of this club will take turns in giving parties at each others houses. The first party will be at Betty Douglas's house. They will pay five cents a week to cover expenses.

The Dancing Club will start next week. The following officers have been elected:

President- Margaret Charles
 Vice President- Althea Wallace
 Secretary- Jean McDermott
 Treasurer- Dania Inshurst

The newly organized Top Dancing Club for seventh graders has elected the following officers:

President- Marilyn Smith
 Secretary-Treasurer- Shirle Baldwin
 Reporter- Alma Brown

The Photoplay Club has also elected officers. They are:

President- Charles McCulloch
 Vice President- Virginia Jordon
 Secretary- Luana Starkweather
 Treasurer- Susan Poole

The sewing Club under the supervision of Mrs. Barsom elected the following people as their officers.

President- Jane Grace
 Vice President- Janet Clark
 Secretary- Marcia Wiley
 Sergeant-at-Arms- Miriam Freund

Five new clubs were organized on short notice Wednesday, during club period. They are: Girl's Cart Club, Girl's Bridge Club, Boy's Game Club, Scout Club, and Recreation Club, Miss Halter an organizer.

LOST AND FOUND

A brown zipper traveling bag containing a pair of riding breeches and a dark blue sweater has been found. It is in the locker of Mrs. DeRo, on the second floor near 253.

ENGLISH CLASS TAKES PROJECTS
NINTH YEAR

The English Class which meets at 10 o'clock has been working on projects which are characteristic of the days of 1866. They got their inspiration from "The Hite Company" by Doyle which they have recently read in class.

Wilson Hume and Robert Milke have made a shield that simularizes those that knights used to carry. It is supposed to represent "Arion Wilson Hume". On it is a gavel which tells that he is an officer of some kind. Also, a machine gun, train, and a radio. It has been said that our president indulges in the liking of warfare and the making of radios. He also, delights in a king and repairing small electric trains.

Betty Douglas and Frances Seymour are on the committee to paint the shield.

Patricia Gibson and Elizabeth Simmons have been appointed on a committee to take care of the bulletin board. Betty Douglas made some original drawings of 14th century costumes which are on the bulletin board. This is in room 228.

SOCIAL SCIENCE CLASS
HELD DEBATE

The Ninth Year Social Science Class which meets at 1:00 o'clock has been studying the acts of the Supreme Court. It has also been studying how it may "wipe out" the laws which Congress has made and the President has signed. A great discussion arose over the matter so they decided to settle the question by a debate.

The question was, "Resolve that the Supreme Court is right in having the power to declare the acts of Congress unconstitutional."

The affirmative side was represented by Betty Douglas, first speaker, and Betty Holmes, rebutter. Wilson Hume was first speaker for the negative side with Herbert Marx as rebutter.

The negative side won 2 to 1 by decision of the judges, Virginia Tripp and Elizabeth Simmons.

TRAFFIC RULES

1. Students are not allowed to run in the halls.
2. Students are not allowed to shout in the halls.
3. All candy must be eaten in the annex.
4. All lunches must be eaten in the annex.
5. All papers should be placed in containers in the halls which are provided for them.