Secret May Queen Will Rule Over Q.T.S.A. Dance

The twenty-sixth annual Q.T.S.A. dance, sponsored by Quin, Theta Nu, Sigma, Adelphi, and Phi Sigma, will take place Saturday, May 24, from 8:00 to 1:00 o'clock in the Engle Room of Pierce Hall. The chairman of the dance is Dean McGee and the1947 Committee is composed of Mary Jene Ragsdale, Mary Jene Ragsdale, and Arlene Blum.

Hi-Y to Sponsor Meeting at Milne

Wednesday, March 23rd, a special committee made up of members from Milne’s Hi-Y met to discuss plans for future Hi-Y meetings and activities. This meeting was under the direction of Mr. Long, the Hi-Y Superintendent of the city. The committee consisted of Don Jarrett, Hi-Y president; Al Mesikl, Ken Seifert, Tris Coffin, Bob Abernethy, Nancy Shaw, and Sue Pelletier.

Many different ideas were brought up for discussion. Among these was a suggestion that the Milne Hi-Y sponsor a meeting of all the Hi-Y groups in and around Albany. This meeting was to include the Albany High Hi-Y and Bethlehem Central. It was proposed that this meeting be a sup­pressed meeting by the different Hi-Y’s, or have some type of entertainment that everyone could enjoy. The meeting was to be held on a Friday night, with some sort of enter­taining event at the end. It was also proposed that the meeting either take place at the Milne School, or held in a local community center.

Program Planned

Another item of importance that was brought up at the meeting was the possibility of having a variety show with chorus lines, roller skating acts, like that in skating vanities, and skits. Tickets can be purchased from any of the kids in the show. Taking part in the show are: Sally Grace, Winnie Hau; Carol Boynton, Nat Woolfolk, Doris Long, Alene Blum, and Senior Choirs in “The Battle Hymn of the Republic.”

Super Concert Planned

Bricks and Ivy

Elect Officers

The 1948 Bricks and Ivy will be presented by the Music Department. The concert will feature a variety of performances, including soloists, small ensembles, and the full choir. The concert will also include a reading with the choral background.

Annual Event Features Colorful Backgrounds

After practicing for the past year, the Music Department will present its work to the public at a concert on May 26. The dedication of the concert, Mr. Roy York Jr.’s first public one since his return from service, is to go to Dr. John M. Hoyt, recently retired president of State College.

The concert is to be characterized by the dramatic sound. The first piece will have a sunrise background, with the white robe choir standing in the front and singing a group of four religious selections. The accompanying soloist will be Sue Pelletier and a group of dancers, including Winifred Hauf, Laura Lea Paxton, Deanie Bearup, and Sylvia Robinson. Nancy Shaw will give a reading with the choral background.

Youth Show Draws Milne Students

The second annual “Youth Show” will be held in Philip Livingston Jr. High School auditorium, May 6th and 7th at 8:30 P.M. General admission is $1.20 and the reserved seats $1.50. This year the show is being sponsored by the American Veterans of World War II, and is being managed by Tom Sternfeld. The show will include a variety show with chorus lines, roller skating acts, like that in skating vanities, and skits. Tickets can be purchased from any of the kids in the show.

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Milnettes Enter

The Milnettes will sing a group of songs, including a solo by Sue Pelletier, and one by Joyce Russo, accompanied by the Junior Choir.

The final scene will be that of a sunset backdrop with the Senior Choir in front of the “Republic.” The Milnettes and Male Ensemble will join in variations of several familiar melodies. The scene will be climax­ed by the choral arrangement of the Junior and Senior Choirs in “The Battle Hymn of the Republic.”

Appointed to the committee were: Anna Johnson, Tris Coffin, and Norma ginger. Mrs. Maria Schmidt, Jean Minnock, Larry Verdy, and Norma Ginger have set the stage for the entire show.

Luncheon Climax Area Youth Week

On Wednesday, April 30th, students from the area schools more or less took over this city. This was the climax of Youth Week.

Highlighting this particular day was a luncheon sponsored by the Exchange Club for all students who were to hold offices for the day. Milne was represented by Don Jarrett, who was Traffic Commiss­ioner; he inspected the traffic files of the city. Also representing Milne was Student Council President, Ken Seifert, who in the capacity of Com­missioner, Ken went to the Capitol to meet Governor Dewey, but to his surprise the Governor had left the state for a day, apparently he had no idea of the meeting.

The boys agreed that they had enjoyed the day and had learned a great deal.
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H ere WE GO

A new staff has taken over the Crimson and White. It consists of students like yourself, who are willing to spend their afternoons working for your benefit and pleasure. We want the paper to be a success and hope to attain its high standards. We want to please you.

The new staff would like to set forth as one of their objectives the appearance of YOUR name in YOUR paper. We realize that the upper classesmen do more newsworthy things and, therefore, deserve more news space. Approximately 50 percent of the names which appeared in back issues belong to seniors and another 25 percent belong to juniors. The remaining quarter was given over to the four lower grades. We shall attempt to publish more of your names in print.

THE STAFF
JENNY FANEL, DEANIE BRAVE, PEDRO CASTILLA, DORSI LONG, NATALIE WOODSPEL, LES PAXTON, ARLENE BLUM, CLAYTON BESCH, BETTY DUNNING, CAROL BOYNTON, and JANIE HALL.

THE INQUIRING REPORTER

Betsey Dunning

Plants are now being considered for a Milne canteen. Those two sophomore, Joyce Hallett and Pat Costello, suggested the idea to Dr. Flak, principal, and a committee was formed to investigate the idea and its problems. If these plans are successful and approved, it is hoped to initiate the canteen next fall. The proceeds from the dances could possibly be used to avoid a rise in the Student Tax.

Your reporter wondered what the Student Body thought about the subject. In answer to the question, "Do you think a Milne Canteen would be successful?" we received the following results:

Nancy McAllister: More people would come if they had it every week, especially Friday nights.

Ed Segal: It was a success once before and therefore should be a success again!

Judy Horton: I don't think it would be. There are too many other canteens in competition.

Don Mapes: Yes, if they would cut out the other small dances.

Jean Drolle: It would bring the kids from other schools closer to Milne.

Tom Eldridge: All the students would enjoy listening to a Milne swing band.

Nancy Gotti: I think there is enough going on without a canteen.

Charlie Krizler: It would be fun for everyone.

Bill Rockenfelder: A canteen might help our finances.

Barbara Sandburg: It would be a new idea.

Ruth Houtch: The last canteen was a success. Why not try it again.

Bill Lucas: I think so, if they had the backing of the students.

Ann Silverman: The kids would like to come where they knew their friends were.

Nancy Bearep: Yes, if we had the backing of the rest of the school. It would have to be from all different grades and other games.

Donald Mayer: It would be a place for the kids to come and have a good time.

Bill Smith: In my opinion, it would be, but not during the basketball season because there are too many other interests.

Lorraine Walker: No, all the canteens have the good bands.

Dan Westbrook: If they charged to get in, it would be successful.

Glada Appleton: Naturally, the Milne kids go to other canteens, so they would come here.

Paul Oppenheim: The kids would go to get the food if there was no other competition.

Norman Stumpf: The students of Milne won't support it. Not enough interest.

Peter Ball: I think it would be because there aren't enough dances.

Margie Norton: It would be a very good idea if the Milne students would support it. It takes people to make a dance good.

Stanley Beeman: I think that it would be a good idea because the student body would cooperate with each other.

Jimmy Brennen: Yes, I think it would be a good idea. Everyone would like to have something like that to do.
Cathedral Edges Milne
In League Opener 4-3

Four Run Outburst
Sews Up Contest
Sending nine men to bat in the third inning, Cathedral came up from behind, ran away and shaded Milne 4-3, in their inaugural contest. Stubborn Stan Golembieski, winning pitcher, bore down in the center, and stranded eight on the bases.

Milne was the first to score, when they loaded the bases in the third frame. Walker drew a pass, and took second on Angier’s line single. Joyce, however, permitted the ball to drop untouched. On this queer play Walker scored, and Angier took second on Angier’s line single. With runners on first and third, Dwyer moved to third. Ed Segel opened Milne’s half of the third, stole second, and took third as Walker hit to the left. With runners on first and third on Rosenstein’s miscue, stole second, and promptly stole third. At this point Farnan was replaced in favor of Don Miller. Miller retired the side by fanning Moore.

Rain Proves Foe
Of Tennis Squad
Milne’s netmen had their first experience and skill lacks depth,” says Mr. Joyce, their head coach, as he watches the team progress. Early practice sessions have shown much enthusiasm on the part of the junior members, who are new to the game, but who promise to make the squad a success.

Academy Hands
Diamond Squad
Second Defeat
Lacking power at the plate, Milne bow to Albany Academy, April 26, by the score of 8-3. The non-league affair at Ridgefield Park was played under threatening skies. Sorely missed from the regular lineup was Derwent Angier, veteran right fielder.

Academy salvaged seven runs at the outset, Bill Parnan’s wildness, which paved the way for Cadet tallies, eventually brought about his retirement in the third frame.

With one gone in the Academy second, Conners walked, W. Smith reached first on Walker’s bobble, and got third on Ed Segel’s double. Smith dropped in an attempt to pick the latter off. Bauer reached first on Balk’s infield cut, stole third, and Smee hit safely to right. Angier placed in favor of Don Miller. Miller’s infield cut, stole third, and P. Smith drew passes and scored on Conners taking third. P. Smith dropped in an attempt to pick the latter off. Bauer reached first on Balk’s infield cut, stole third, and P. Smith drew passes and scored on Conners taking third. With two away in the third, Conners and W. Smith drew passes and scored on P. Smith’s double to left. Rosen­stein walked, stole second, and followed with a double to right. Bauer, then hit safely to right. Angier reached first on Balk’s infield cut, and took third as Walker hit to the left. With runners on first and third, Dwyer moved to third. With runners on first and third on Rosenstein’s miscue, stole second, and promptly stole third. At this point Conners was replaced in favor of Don Miller.

If It Doesn’t Rain
Milne opened its half of the fifth by singling on a line to center. He moved to second on Miller’s infield cut, stole third, and dented the plate as Paul Smith committed a balk. This completed the scoring.

With Miller hurling fine relief ball in the final four innings, Academy was stymied. He struck out ten batters, while giving up only one hit and one pass.

BASEBALL SCHEDULE — 1947

CATHEDRAL .............. APRIL 28 .................... RICHPFIELD
ACADeMY ................ APRIL 30 ..................... RICHPFIELD
RENSSELAER ........... MAY 5 .......................... RICHPFIELD
B. C. H. S. .............. MAY 7 .......................... ACADEMY
ACADeMY ................ MAY 15 .......................... DELMAR
B. C. H. S. .............. MAY 20 .......................... DELMAR
CATHEDRAL .............. MAY 22 .......................... RICHPFIELD
RENSSELAER ........... MAY 28 .......................... COYNE FIELD
Young Wife: A tramp is at the back door and I'm going to give him one of my pies. I feel sorry for him.

Young Husband: So do I. Man from Florida: Now, in my state we can grow a tree that size in about a year. How long did it take you to grow that one?

Lancet: Three cents an ounce. It's first class mail.

King Arthur: How much wilt thou take for that suit of armor, Young Husband? Thou shalt not take for that suit of armor, Sir Lancelot.

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Critic: Well he has a lantern jaw and his cheeks flamed; he gave a scorching rebuke.

Employer: Are you speedy on the typewriter?

Applicant: I'm so speedy I work on a water-cooled typewriter with asbestos ribbon.

Teacher: Very good. Now give me the name of one.

Pupil: Mickey Mouse.

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Catcher "Catches" Stunning Dunning
By Bob Randles
The time: Monday afternoon, April 28, 1947.

The place: Ridgeland Park; and the girl was Betsy Dunning. Well, our story begins about two weeks ago when two nonchalant, sweet, Milne girls were watching with great enthusiasm the baseball contest between Milne and Cathedral. It was in the later innings and our home team was at bat. Then before we knew it, the batter swung, and the ball rose. At this point, the eyes of the spectators and the feet of the opposing pitcher followed the ball, but it seemed no one's eyes followed the catcher. Now, one of these nonchalant, sweet, Milne girls just happened to be directly in the path of the catcher and didn't see the approach of the "willian." To save weak stomachs and hearts, I'll just say that Betsy got "scratched" on the top of her head, and all of a sudden she realized something was wrong. Ouch!!! In a split second Don Jarrett had his car upon the field and in what was left of the second, the group was on their way to the Albany Hospital Emergency Room where the "scratch" was attended to. There it was revealed that it was really nothing serious. However, Betsy got a shot for tetanus and a cute little bandage, not to mention quite an exciting afternoon to boot! Well, that's just about the finish of our story except to say that the "willian" didn't catch the ball, but I'm afraid that another story is in the making now. I hear Betsy has the hives as a result of her tetanus shot, but that, as I said, is another story.

These are a few of the "gang" enjoying themselves at the C. & W. Canteen. Were you a part of the gala evening?

New Books Added
To Milne Library
During the Easter vacation many new books were added to the Milne Library. These books are on a wide variety of subjects.

Five books for the baseball fans are, "Detroit Tigers," Lieb, and "Chicago Cubs." These books tell the history of the two baseball clubs. There are a few books about horses, "A Touch of Greatness" and "Golden Sovereign." Books of adventure, "Smoke Jumper," which is a story about fire fighting in the mountains. Those who want to understand and enjoy good music will read "Make Way for Music," Skolsky, selections which can be taken out only by Juniors. These new books which have been placed on the Library shelf will give added reading pleasure to Milne students.

Eighth Grade Visits
Hyde Park Mansion
May 19th, 14th, and 15th will find Milne halls empty of a great number of eighth grade students. Under the supervision of their instructors they have planned a trip to the late President Roosevelt's home in Hyde Park. This trip is a Social Studies expedition.

Mr. Fink, Social Studies supervisor, is in charge of the project. He feels that it will be both an entertaining experience and of educational interest to the students.

The three sections of the eighth grade will go separately and all sections will leave in the early morning. The pupils expect to be back by the end of the school day. A picnic lunch is being planned. If time allows, the students hope to see the Vanderbilts' Mansion, not far from Hyde Park, thus climaxing their expedition.

Clayt 'n Arlene
Our spotlight of this issue does not appear quite large enough to include the many accomplishments of our retiring editor, Jess R. Barnett. It may suffice to say that along with other great men born in the month of February, such as Washington and Lincoln, he has left a trail which will long be remembered.

Jess Barnett
Jess entered Milne in the eighth grade, prior to which he had attended V. I. Immediately his presence became felt as he became an active participant in various school functions. In his freshman year he was elected president of his home room and appointed fresh basketball manager. A result of his keen interest and cooperation with the Crimson and White staff, he was named Junior Associate Editor, and in his senior year he secured the coveted position of Editor-in-Chief. His pet peeves include prunes, Latin class (he's the only boy), clothes that don't fit, and that song "I Want To Thank Your Folks." The girl of his dreams stands 5', 4", sings first tenor, is not possessive and likes a guy just as he is. After graduation Jess plans to attend Syracuse University where he will study Journalism. Good luck!

Neil McNeill
Neil McNeill is "the busiest man in the senior class. He entered Adelphoi in his sophomore year and is now secretary of that society. That same year he was appointed basketball manager, a position which he held for two successive years. His junior and senior years found him on the track and football teams. His desire to handle money was fulfilled as he became treasurer of Hi-Y this year, and also assistant manager of the Crimson and White. His ideal girl is "either blonde or brunette, personal plus, and be free from other entanglements (or is it too much to ask for?). The song he likes best is "If I Had My Life To Live Over."