STUDENT COUNCIL SECURES FURMAN'S ORCHESTRA FOR DANCE OF MAY 12TH

The Orchestra Committee of the Student Council finally announced that it had picked Bill Furman and his ten-piece orchestra to play at the Student Council Dance, to be held in the Hawley gymnasium Saturday evening, May 12, at nine o'clock. The price for which the orchestra was obtained was not disclosed, but the committees in charge are abiding by the plans that they formerly settled on, namely, that there would be no decorations. This step was taken as a matter of economy and also to enable more money to be spent on the selection of the orchestra.

Thomas L. Watkins, Jr., president of the Council, made a plea in assembly for the whole-hearted support of the student body in helping the Council to regain the one hundred dollars which was loaned to the school to pay for the library murals. He announced that tickets had been distributed among the members of the Council, and that interested and school-spirited students could obtain tickets from them.

PRIZE SPEAKERS OF JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL ADDRESS SENIOR ASSEMBLY

Miss Virginia Soper and Mr. Wilson Hume, the two winners of the Milne Junior High School Prize Speaking Contest conducted last week, addressed the Senior High School assembly Wednesday between eleven and eleven-thirty o'clock in the Page Hall auditorium. Miss Soper and Mr. Hume presented their respective selections which won for them the two prizes given annually by Miss Katherine E. Wheeling. Girls were awarded letters for excellence in sports this year.

Miss Soper presented "Patterns," by Amy Lowell. Mr. Hume gave "Correct Behavior on a Picnic," a humorous satire by Donald O. Stewart.

The remainder of the half-hour assembly period was spent in the awarding of letters to those girls who excelled in the various sports so far this year. Miss Hitchcock made the awards. Varsity letters were given to the girls on the basketball team. Those who had won swimming awards were mentioned. Girls who had secured three small letters were also awarded the large Milne High School "M".

ALBANY ART UNION TO TAKE CLUB PICTURES FOR YEAR BOOK TODAY

This afternoon the Albany Art Union will come to take the Group Pictures for the Year Book. All money must be in before the pictures are taken, according to George Cole, business manager of the "Crimson and White". The pictures of the various school organizations will be taken in the following order:

From two until three o'clock
- Entire School Body
- Dolphi Literary Society
- Boys Athletic Council
- Junior High Student Council
- Entire Dramatics Club
- Hi-Y Club
- French Club
- Crimson and White Board

From three o'clock on
- Quintillian Literary Society
- Zeta Sigma Literary Society
- Junior High Student Council
- Girls Athletic Club

Other Milne organizations who wish their pictures in the Year Book must see George Cole, business manager.

The photographer requests that the students be as orderly as possible in order that the pictures may be taken with a minimum of trouble. No pictures will be taken if the weather is unfavorable, but otherwise all students are expected to be present.

PITTIS AND WATKINS TAKE OVER POSITIONS IN CITY GOVERNMENT

Betty Pitts, '34, and Thomas Watkins, the two Milne students elected to assume municipal posts in the celebration of Youth Week, took over their respective posts of Commissioner of Public Safety and President of Common Council yesterday.

The two Milne representatives met their predecessors at 3 o'clock and proceeded directly to the assumption of their duties. The students also received a mimeographed sheet giving information concerning the essay contest. This contest is open to all students who occupied city or state positions. A cup will be awarded for the best essay on "Citizenship".
THE CHILD IS FATHER TO THE MAN.

It is but a natural thing that, at this point in their high school days, the Seniors should look back upon the past four years and try to summarize that work which they have done and the work which they have not done. It is likewise natural that they should look ahead, that they should start now to definitely lay plans for the future, and that they should make final preparations for entering that field in which they desire to try their luck.

However, although the minds of Seniors are filled with these recollections of the past and dreams of the future, they are wont to forget that that future which lies ahead of them is closely related to the past, to those school days when their character was being molded by home environment, contacts, and studies. They imagine that though they have coasted through their school days, they will be able to assume duties bearing great responsibilities on the spur of the moment, for almost every one fails to remember Wordsworth's saying, "The child is father to the man."

This immortal poet, in uttering this sentence, has proclaimed a statement which ought to be memorized and remembered by every boy and girl, for it is a challenge to every boy and girl to begin at an early age to develop himself and to mold his character for the future. It is but another way of saying that whatever traits a boy or girl has in his childhood will be outstanding in the future, that the shiftless child will always be indolent, that the industrious child will always seek labor, that the dull child will forever be slow to action, and that the alert child will forever be in front.

This is not meant to be discouraging to those who realize their weaknesses, for two reasons: (1) because no man is expected to be perfect; and (2) because we, in high school, are both legally and psychologically adolescents and immature. We still have several years to devote to the broadening of our character and to the smoothing over of our rough points. We can still better ourselves through our environment, our contacts, and our studies, but it is high time that we do so, for the time approaches when we shall be called upon to assume our responsibilities.

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JOKES, OLD AND NEW:

Jo: Give any good example of nothing.
Bo: A bladeless knife without a handle.
Jo: No, you're wrong. It's a bung-hole without a barrel around it.

Gill: I thought I told you to notice when that coffee boiled over.
Brenenstuhl: I did. It was just ten-thirty.

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"Never is too late to begin."
SOCIETY NOTES

SIGMA:
The first part of the meeting was devoted to the Literary Program. The biography and works were taken from Thomas Macaulay.

It was announced that the pictures would be taken this Friday afternoon. Emily Buchanan and Jane Ogsbury were appointed to make the Sigma Banner.

Madeline Lettpert was made chairman of a committee whose purpose it is to devise means of earning money. Bette Conklin and Beatrice Keneston will assist her.

Virginia Hall reported concerning Society Day and urged attendance at the rehearsals.

QUIN:
Quin meeting was opened with quotations from Jean Gresset. The meeting was taken over by Christine Ades, vice-president, in the absence of Betty Pitts, president. There was no literary program.

Much time was spent in discussing the possibility of having an outing at Betty Pitts' camp at her invitation. There was much difficulty concerning the date that this would fall on, and the possibility of changing the date of the banquet was discussed. However, it was decided to defer the decision until more concerning the outing was found out.

It was voted to have a picture of Quin in the Year Book as usual; everyone was requested to be there Friday afternoon. It was also voted to help the Crimson and White by putting in a complementary advertisement in the Year Book.

ADELPHOI:
The new gavel, purchased by Adelphi, was used for the first time at the meeting which took place on Tuesday at 11 o'clock. The society voted to buy a base for it.

A discussion concerning the write-up in the Year Book took place. It was also voted to put an advertisement in the Year Book to help the Crimson and White. Arnold Davis delivered a literary report. After this Samuel J. Smith brought up the subject of Adelphi jackets which several members plan to buy.

G.A.C.:
The meeting was used to discuss three plans. For awards for proficiency, by which the securing of awards will be made more difficult.

BASEBALL TEAM OPENS SEASON
AT TROY COUNTRY DAY THIS P.M.

The Milne baseball team, representing the Milne Senior High School, will open its season this afternoon when it meets Troy Country Day School on the Troy diamond.

Coach Oscar Brooks has been stressing field practice throughout the week, due to the apparent weakness on the defense. Each day the Milne squad has been meeting either State College or the Albany High School Junior Varsity in practice tilts. The coaches have used these practice games to find the weaknesses of the team and have the squad shifted around in order to find the best possible combinations.

The probably line-up for today's game is: Ed. Sickler, pitcher; Rosenstein catcher; Mac Harg, first base; Ely, second base; Stutz, shortstop; Feldman, third base; Collins, left field; and Watkins, right field.

The team will not leave for the opening game of the season until three o'clock or later since the coaches have consented to allow the members of the team to remain in school in order that they may have their pictures taken with the rest of the school.

ADVANCED DRAMATICS CLUB BEGINS EXPERIMENTAL WORK ON NEW PLAY

The Advanced Dramatics Club began experimental work on "The New World" by J.M. Barrie, Monday. Tryouts were held for the four parts during the club time. Mary E. York, Jean Graham, Duncan Cornell, and George Cole were selected for the parts. The play will only be used for practice for the various members of the club in acting and directing. It will not have a public performance.

The Intermediate Group acted out scenes at their last meeting.

JUNIOR GIRLS DEFEAT SOPHOMORES IN BASEBALL GAME: SCORE IS 21-3

Monday afternoon the Junior girls defeated the sophomores at a baseball game up at Beaverwyck Park. The final score was 21-3.

The winning Junior team was composed of the following: Ethel Fromm, captain; Helen Gibson, Olle Vroman, Jane Ogsbury, Christine Ades, Isabelle Simpson, Sara Kessler, and Elizabeth Roosa.

NOTICE:
Don't forget CRIMSON AND WHITE pictures tomorrow!