MILNE GOES RUMANIAN IN MOCK U.N.

Milne and eight other area high schools participated in a mock United Nations Security Council meeting at Brubacher Hall on December 7.

Participating from Milne were Martin Begleiter, Karen Giventer, Mary Grear, Carole Huff, Gail Kelch, Lorraine Maynard, Darwin Bruce and James Vaughn. This year Milne represented Rumania.

The guest speaker was Dr. Bruce Schiele, from Albany State Teachers College. He has done extensive work and traveling in Central and South America including flying over Cuba and South America.

Five resolutions were presented, dealing with the following topics: the problems between India and China, the racial problem in South Africa, and the abolishment of the United Nations.

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Alumni Ball: Stairway to the Stars

The annual Alumni Ball will be sponsored by the class of 1934 on Wednesday, December 19, from 8:00 p.m. to 12 midnight at Brubacher Hall. The theme of the dance will be "Stairway to the Stars." Milne seniors and members of the graduating classes from the past five years will be invited to attend.

The junior class has made many preparations for this dance. Committees were set up under the supervision of their sponsors' direction to take care of the many phases of preparation. The co-chairmen of the decorations are Mary Hamilton and Bill Sheldon. The heads of the committees under Mrs. Losee's supervision are: Bea Schubert, Dave Kermani, Decorations Committee; and Sue Gerhardt, Clean-Up Committee. Committees under Miss Jackman's supervision are: theRefreshments Committee, headed by Nancy Button; and the Invitations Committee, headed by Mary Ballek. Mr. Andrews will advise the Band Committee, headed by Andy Siegel, and the Public Relations Committee, headed by Larry Pellish.

The Decorations Committee is planning to set up a stairway along one of the walls of the Brubacher lounge. All decorations will be in keeping with the theme. The Band will have a 15-piece quintet to play at the dance.

Five sophomore girls, Doris Hafner, Bonnie Losee, Judy Monague, Mary Ballek, and Sherry Press, will assist with the serving of refreshments.

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Dear Students:

Do you have something against me? For the past seven issues I sat at my desk waiting for some—no, any correspondence from the Milne student body to come flittering by. What have I gotten? Absolutely nothing. Why not?

Probably the main reason is that you don’t care what happens with the C&W unless some editor makes some drastic change that does not work out for the good. Then, if lucky, the editor gets one letter, as was the case last year when the two-page newspaper was tried out. One letter.

This is your newspaper, you know. Any letters that are written to us will probably be put in, and comment will be made by the editorial staff and by anyone else who cares enough to write about a certain facet of the Milne School.

No topics? There are certainly enough topics to write about in Milne. Do you like the policies of the school? Do you agree with the Student Council’s review of extracurricular activities? If you don’t, then write. Do you, then write. Pan it! Praise it!—but do some thinking on the subjects at hand.

No paper? That is easily settled. The cost of paper isn’t a great deal, but if you insist, we might even provide the paper upon which you can write.

No time? Bah. We find time to put out a four-page newspaper every month or less. You should be able to find time to write a thirty-line letter.

This newspaper should be an organ through which the student body expresses its sentiments on the topics of the day. Is it? Don’t be ridiculous. All this newspaper is now is a bland, non-descript sheet, in which none of the sentiments of the student body are reflected because they don’t care about the paper, and, indeed, about the school. There is a possibility, however remote, that one day a Student Council will remove the charter of the C&W, because of the lack of any opinions of the students in the paper. Will you care then?

Your apathy appalls us. Why don’t you do something about it?
Cagers Take First Game; Beat Greenville 77-53

The Red Raiders opened their season on November 20 when they trounced Greenville 77-53 on the winner's court. During the first quarter, Tom Bennett gave Milne an early lead, and the score was 12-4 before the visiting team decided to catch up. Lansingburgh then pulled the tally up to 14-12 in their favor by the end of the quarter. They increased their lead to 19-13 in the second stanza but Brian Carey and Terry Thomas tied the score. The game continued close, and at the end of the half, Milne was ahead 30-27. The Raiders' advantage increased to 51-36 in the third quarter. After that, Milne maintained a comfortable lead of approximately 20 points, finally winning the game 77-53.

Tom Bennett was high scorer with 26 points, and Brian Carey and Terry Thomas were second and third, with 17 and 14 points, respectively. Coach Lewis said the team played very well. He commended Tom Bennett for showing great improvement, and said Terry Thomas, a transfer from Cobleskill, played very well. He commended Terry Thomas were second and Mount Upton's cheering section.

Behind by 13 points, Milne made a desperate attempt to catch up in the last quarter. An outburst of energy by the Milne team and fast action by the visitors took the initiative, scoring more than twice as many points as the visitors and were ahead 32-24 at half-time. Milne continued its rally during the third quarter, scoring twenty points to the visitors' eight, and conserved its lead during the final period. The two highest scorers on the Milne team were Jeff Rider, who is now on the varsity, and John Mellen. Each had 14 points. Jim Nelson, Pete Dreschsel and Ed Spath contributed 10 points each, while Buddy Marshall had nine.

The next jayvee game was held in Page Gym on Friday, December 14, when a rampaging Lansingburgh team beat Milne 78-47. At the end of the first quarter, the visitors had nearly twice as many points as Milne, and their lead continued to increase throughout the game. Highest scorers for Milne were Jim Nelson and John Mellen with 17 and 14 points respectively.

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The Mount Upton basketball team drove 100 miles from Binghamton to Albany to stay the weekend, see the sights, and to hand the Raiders a 62-48 victory on December 8. The visitors quickly jumped to an 11-2 lead. Brian Carey and Terry Thomas decreased the Knights' advantage to 13-8 at the end of the quarter. Afterwards, Lansingburgh's accuracy shot up (65%), paid off and the scores for the second and third periods were 31-22 and 46-33. Behind by 13 points, Milne made a desperate attempt to catch up in the last quarter. An outburst of energy by the Milne team and fast action by the visitors took the initiative, scoring nearly twice as many points as the visitors and were ahead 32-24 at half-time. Milne continued its rally during the third quarter, scoring twenty points to the visitors' eight, and conserved its lead during the final period. The two highest scorers on the Milne team were Jeff Rider, who is now on the varsity, and John Mellen. Each had 14 points. Jim Nelson, Pete Dreschël and Ed Spath contributed 10 points each, while Buddy Marshall had nine.

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SUPPORT YOUR TEAM
Mr. Thomas Atkinson, a recent addition to our Science Department in Schenectady, where he received his M.S., then took a graduate course in Radiation Biology offered through a cooperative program. He was then president of the Hi-Y Club in Schenectady, on Saturday, November 3. The induction of 14 new members took place on Friday, November 9, at the Atomic Energy Commission on December 8.

The students with the highest marks concludes Mr. Atkinson aren't those who are always the most successful. But those who are willing to express their ideas and opinions are really the successful ones.

Paul Feigenbaum

One of the present associate editors of the Yearbook is Paul Feigenbaum. A gift from School 19, Paul entered Milne in the seventh grade. He has since accumulated a fantastic amount of extra-curricular activities. He has been a member of the C.W., Chess Club, Assembly Committee, Student Faculty Committee, Junior Red Cross, Teen-Reporter Committee, M.B.A.A., and the Yearbook. He is president of his class during his junior year. Paul has played junior varsity basketball and varsity tennis. He is a member of the Math Club (vice), and the Alumni Ball, and was Grand Marshal for last year's commencement.

Paul's dislikes? Pizza, 2:22, Arnold Schoenberg's musical (?) composition, Pierrot Lunaire. He is applying to Princeton, Yale, and Hamilton. He plans to major in political science.

Marc Kessler

Marc Joseph Kessler was not born in Albany Hospital, nor in St. Peter's Hospital, nor in Trinity Hospital. It would appear, then, that Marc would have had a pretty rough time if he was born in Albany. Which he wasn't. The place of his birth was Ann Arbor, Michigan, and his birth date was September 18, 1945.

Marc, while very young, moved here and spent his grammar-school days at P.S. 19. He entered Milne in the seventh grade.

During his six years at Milne, he has left an unmistakable imprint. He is in the Advanced Placement Math program, has been in the Music Appreciation Club ever since eighth grade, was on the tennis team in tenth grade, and has been in the Music Appreciation Club ever since.

He also won a Letter of Commendation, and as of his junior year was an Honor Student. Presently, he is literary editor of the yearbook. His likes: travelling, reading, ping-pong, movies, and folk music.

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The Club Crowd

Tri-Hi-Y

Milne's Tri-Hi-Y sponsored a bill, written by Sue Tafer, in the area of free medical clinics for all school children in New York State, successfully passed and was then presented at the state-wide bills convention on December 8. The induction of 14 new members took place on Friday, November 9, at the Y.M.C.A.

On Friday, November 30, Tri-Hi-Y held a bowing party for the members at the South End Lanes. Joan Griffin, high scorer, bowled 157.

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Quin's banquet took place at Herbert's on December 10, at 6:00. The dinner was a smorgasbord.

JUNIOR HIGHLIGHTS

By OLIPHANT and CRAINE

"'Tis the season to be mitzvahed, tra la la la, la la la la" We notice that after mitzvah, class marks drop approximately 22.619745328103762% These rough figures should prove that mitzvahs have a definite effect on academic studies. We will say no more, because the last writers to touch this hot subject were literally tra la la la, la la la la, "Upperclassmen deserve some special privilege." Others don't think so. Like us.

Are We Coddled?

"Yes," says Assistant Feature Editor Joe Michelson.

"Today we are the subjects of a number of articles concerning 'coddled kids.' Scrutiny and understanding resolve that we are coddled in an adult opinion. Most of us don't have to work to help support the family as our parents did. We have the responsibility of having to work, and everyday chores of our parents' adolescence were considered factors in the development of one's character. But many of the problems of our parents' childhood are either nonexistent or much easier today. Because of mechanization, the problems that faced our parents no longer factor in the same challenging manner.

Athletes Provide "Manual Labor"

But even as our parents developed themselves physically through manual labor, we also have athletic activities that supplement our lack of exertion in this mechanized decade. Many students fail to see the school-athletic programs by placing too much emphasis on their academic endeavors. School athletics offer character-building essentials, but some students just don't care. Even today, the old spartan philosophy of a "sound mind in a sound body" is still practical. A complete and well-rounded individual strives for physical development, mental achievement, and good character.

Products of Space Age

Today we are products of the space age. Much emphasis is placed on youth and their peer culture. This influences people today so that they are concerned with beneficial use of leisure time. We are brought up under the influence of our parents, who, naturally, are under the influence of the space age.

Then, are we coddled? Yes. Down through man's evolutionary history, he has become more coddled. It is inevitable that man should strive for something that will give him his strength, less necessary, and for that reason, we must say that we are coddled.

Ed. note: We would be most happy to hear from anyone who disagrees with this article.

Thank You

The Technical Staff of the All-School Play would like to express their appreciation to Karen Juriewicz and to Harry Guy for their valuable assistance to the crew of the play.

Faculty Felix

By SUSAN KRIMSKY

"A chemistry student should avoid contact with non-metallic oxides to prevent making an acid out of himself," advises Mr. Thomas Atkinson, recent addition to our Science Department.

Mr. Atkinson received his B.A. and his M.A. from State Teachers Colleges, then attended Union College in Schenectady, where he received his M.S. He then took a graduate course at both the University of Maryland and the University of Hawaii. Mr. A. then took advantage of a two-month course in Radiation Biology offered to him by the Atomic Energy Commission. Before coming to Milne, Mr. Atkinson taught at Hudson, Waterford, and Bethlehem Central high schools.

"Milne students," Mr. Atkinson comments, "should realize that they are part of an education program to train future teachers, and that both the teachers and the students profit through a cooperative program."

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SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

By MARTY BLEGLEITER and SUE WEINER

Maureen Glasheen

Students of Milne, rest assured. Moe Glasheen, co-editor of the Bricks and Ivy told me, and I quote: "The yearbook will definitely be out!" (When?) Moe also stated that the yearbook will contain a surprise for all students.

Who is the female co-editor of the yearbook, and what is she like? Moe is a busy, active, creative member of the Senior Class. Aside from her yearbook duties, she is presently president of the Club. She was technical director of the All-School Play, and last year, played one of the leads. She was Homecoming Queen at R.P.I. One of the best students in the school at Oral Interpretation, Moe enjoys public speaking and dramatics. I found, along with 99% of the school, that Moe is an interesting conversationalist, able to speak on many hot topics, and quite pleasant to talk to.

Next, we must talk about Moe's immediate future plans. She has applied for admission to the State College at Albany, Syracuse, and Northwestern. She expects to major in either Law, Education, or Dramatics.

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Elegant and very academically, he is taking Advanced Placement Math. He is a member of the National Society and was a Letter of Commendation winner in the N.M.S.Q.T.

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