Eight delegates and a faculty advisor will represent Milne at the seventeenth annual convention of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association in New York City which will take place from March 13th through the 15th. Mr. Warren L. Denomore, advisor of the paper, will act as chaperone for the following members of the staff:


The delegation will stay at the Commodore Hotel while there. A full schedule has been planned for the time spent at the convention. The delegates will attend various meetings on the work of managing and publishing a school paper as well as a radio program, the stage play, "Lady in the Dark", with Gertrude Lawrence.

On Friday afternoon at 2:30, Mr. Denomore will speak at one of the sectional meetings on the subject of "Personal Feature News versus Gossip Columns."

F.P.A. CONVENCES AT PAGE HALL

Over 1,000 delegates, representing twenty-one Capital district schools, met in the Page Hall auditorium on Wednesday, March 5th, for the Secondary School Institute, sponsored by the Foreign Policy Association.

Dr. Frank P. Graves, former state commissioner of education, presided at the meeting, the main part of which was the showing of the film "The Ramparts We Watch". Following the film, Mr. David H. Popper, of the research staff of the Foreign Policy Association, led the delegation in a "water-fire minute" discussion period.

Besides Milne, the following schools were represented: St. Agnes, Albany Boys' Academy, Albany High, Schuyler High, Bethlehem Central High, Catskill Union Free, Coxsackie High, East Greenbush Central, Hudson High, Waterford High, Lansingburgh High, Scotia High, Emma Willard, Hoosic High, Greenbriar Central, Albany Academy for Girls, Mont Pleasant High, and Fultonville High.

MAGAZINE IS MISSING

Miss Naomi Hannay, assistant librarian, has announced that the March issue of the magazine "Good Housekeeping" is missing. If anyone has it in his possession, will he please return it to the library.
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What But Not Enough Progress

The Junior Red Cross, is a vital and active part of school life in most of the secondary and elementary schools in Albany, with the exception of Milne.

Although this is only the organization's second year in Milne, we feel that it is not contributing what it should to either the student body or its parent organization.

Just what has Red Cross done in its year and a half of existence in Milne? At the beginning of its first year it collected monthly dues together with a funds raised in a September drive, only to use the money to send a representative to a national convention. It has put on an entertainment or two for homes for the aged. It held weekly meetings, at which next to nothing was accomplished. This season we congratulated the group for those very few and only enterpris: War Relief Drive, sponsorship of a knitting club, and the making of Braille Easter Cards.

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Music, Milne, Please!

Is there some branch of cultural education which Milne's curriculum fails to include? It introduces us to literature, history, and languages, but what about music?

In the past, the question has arisen concerning Milne's need of a music department. Such an addition to our school would not only advance the cultural development of each of its students, but would also enhance the opportunities of those particularly talented.

We've all admired the musical performances, and especially the bands, of other schools. Milne has excused itself from too many activities because of its size. Now let's urge our administrators to enlarge our program by adding a department of music.

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But what else have we to thank our Red Cross for?

Whether it be the fault of the student body, or the organization itself, we feel that Milne's chapter of the world's most humane and helpful institution should be of vital importance to every one of our four hundred ten students.
It really looked as though everyone turned out for the last basketball game of the season last Friday night. Marion Horton and Bob Clarke, Ethelene Gould and Marshall Danto, and Lois Amlnder with Gerry Plumett were all there.

The Sergeant's Drill was quite the thing. Glenna Smith was there with Prentice Cushing and Marilyn Potter was there with an "unknown".

Leave it to the sophomores. Shirley O'Dell and Ben Clark (C.B.A.) seemed to be doing alright.

Some of the Juniors spent Saturday night at the Madison. Marcia and Duncan, Sally and Bob, and all in all, about half the class were there.

There's nothing like variety, Priscilla. We see you now prefer Vincentian. We noticed that George "Romeo" Perkins was at the game with his latest, (Rosalyn Lann?) It is rather hard to keep track of you, George!

Saturday was quite a day for the two girls' societies. In the morning, they had a basketball game which proved to be quite interesting—for the Sigma girls. And then, in the afternoon, as most of you girls already know, Quin and Sigma had a bowling match at the famous Pladium. Everybody showed up (boys included) and bowled all afternoon. Joan Manviller was seen with Stan Swift, and at least half of the Edwards family were there.

Did you know that Elaine Fite is quite excited about the marine corps? She spends all her spare library periods in the reference room, reading up on the marines. No wonder she's so interested! In case you didn't know, that's a marine corps pin she's sporting these days.

Here's a matching test that few people out of the senior high school should miss. Try it. Can you match the names with the favorite sayings?

1. "Shabby preparation"........Miss Conklin
2. "People—"....................Mr. Allard
3. "Cool off in my office!"........Dr. Snider
4. "No talking!".................Miss Johnson
5. "Sorry, he's busy now!"......Dr. Hocoo
6. "Check!"....................Mrs. Rheingold
7. "I'm a-a-a-l"..................Mr. Bulger
8. "Remain at 3120".............Mr. Taylor
9. "Bonjour, ma classe!"........Miss Huneey

This year for Adelphi initiation, the boys had to fill out questionnaires, with the help of the girls. You've probably heard them questioning, do you smoke, chew tobacco, etc.? Some of the answers are very interesting, right, boys?

Question: Do you smoke?
Answer: No!
Question: Do you drink?
Answer: No!
Question: Do you eat hay by any chance?
Answer: No!

Well, say you aren't a fit companion for man or beast, are you?—Exchange

When do you laugh?

An Englishman, according to popular legends, gets three laughs from a joke, first, when the joke is told; second, when it is explained to him; third, when he understands it.

The Frenchman gets only the first two laughs...he never sees the point.

The German gets only one......he won't wait for an explanation.

And the American gets none at all, because he's heard the joke before.