Delegates Chosen For Scholastic Press Convention

A group of six juniors and eleven seniors, members of the staff and editorial board of the Crimson and White, have been chosen to attend the annual scholastic Press Association Convention. It is being held at Columbia University, March 11 to 13. The group, chosen by the faculty advisor, news-editor, and editor-in-chief of our paper were selected because of their present positions and their eagerness to further the progress of the paper.

Representatives

The group attending this convention representing the class of '49 are Lee Davis, Ed Segel and Marge Horton, two former class members, Lea Paxton, Nancy McMann, and Janet Kilby. The seniors attending are Dick Edleson, Bob Leslie, Bob Randies, Bob Abernethy, Clayton Besch, John Powell, Jeanne Fausel, James Cochrane, faculty advisor to Sigma and Quin, and Miss Raanes and Miss Wasley, faculty advisors to Sigma and Quin respectively, will be working hard to make it a success.

Seniors Accepted

Milne seniors, with the guidance of Mr. T. H. Fosseick, are applying for college scholarships. They are preparing for and taking examinations for college scholarships. The seniors are thrilled. We had heard about this, but we never dreamed that one day we would be asked to go. It should be lots of fun.

Since not everyone could go, the three whose chose the delegates said that it was impossible to go does not mean that the other juniors will be left out of the staff. There will be important jobs for everyone next year.

The Crimson and White is paying half the admission fee of all its delegates to the convention.

Delegates Head 14th Card Party

The fourteenth annual Milne card party will take place on March 5 at the library from three o'clock to five o'clock p.m.

Meetings Success

Nancy French, the student chairman, and Mrs. Anne Barsam, faculty chairman, called a meeting of student committee heads and their mothers on Wednesday, February 11. This meeting was a tea held in the home economics room at 3:15 and was to acquaint the respective chairman and mothers with the selections for the card party. Mr. Ralph Tibbits and Dr. Robert Fisk also attended. Joan Mosher, Caro­line Gade, and Gloria Edwards served refreshments.

Miss Ruth Wasley and Miss Mabel Jackman all aid the student chair­men who are: Doris Long, publicity; Ben Mendel, business manager; Jack Rickels, tables and chairs; Sue Pelletter, refreshments; Pat Connors, floor sale; Caroline Herrick, candy; Joyce Wilkins, oysters; Jean Fausel, hostesses; Bob Randies and Shirley Tainter, clean-up; and Henry Bonner, wash-up.

Food Contributions Asked

Milne mothers will be phoned for food contributions which will go to the food table to be sold at the card party. A table will be placed in the third floor hall so that Milne students and teachers will be able to purchase food also.

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Cast Announced For Annual Senior Play

"Dear Ruth" Scheduled For March 23

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Comments On Play

Featured in this hilarious comedy is Mary-Jane Fiske who plays Ruth Wilkins, an attractive, vivacious girl. In commenting on the play Mary-Jane says "I certainly hope the audience gets as much fun and enjoyment out of the actual production as we are getting from the rehearsals. Miriam, Norm, and Ethel are all playing their parts very well. Doris Einstein. Her comment is, "Rehearsals are going smoothly and I think we could be a good production." A handkerchief is required, William Seawright is taken by Sherwood Kerner. His role is "Everyone is working hard to make it a success." The part of Albert Kummer, Ruth's undeserving boy friend is played by Gordon Kilby. He says "We're having a lot of fun practicing, everyone hopes it will all go well." Judge Harry Wilkins, an easy going forty-five, is played by Bob Hardy who comments "Why should the girls have all the fun? I hope it will be a good production."

Sophs Get New Rings

The Sophomore class rings were ordered in April and arrived the week following mid-term examinations. The rings, as usual, are unique and are rectangular in shape with the traditional Milne emblem on them. Black onyx was the most popular stone, but others ordered ruby, mother of pearl and all gold.

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TOO LITTLE NOISE

Well, here we are again. Win, lose, pick ourselves up and win again. Yes, that’s the way our basketball season has gone. Now we have another game ahead of us. Are we going to let the team down again?

How many times have you sat on the Milne bleachers at a basketball game while the opposing school rocked the gym with their cheers of encouragement? Our weak yells sound pretty sad along side some of the other schools.

There’s only one way to solve that problem—start yelling when the cheerleaders go out for the welcome cheer (printed on page four), and don’t stop until the time clock clicks off it’s very last second. Of course it’s not necessary to yell constantly. It’s your job to back them up. If you have an irrepressible desire to pretty sad along side some of the other schools. There’s only one way to solve that problem—start yelling when the cheerleaders go out for the welcome cheer (printed on page four), and don’t stop until the time clock clicks off it’s very last second. Of course it’s not necessary to yell constantly. It’s your job to back them up. If you have an irrepressible desire to

TOO MUCH NOISE

The irony of life; Milne makes noise everywhere but where it’s needed! Perhaps the time that excessive noise is most noticeable is during assembly programs. A variety on selection of themes and types of programs has been produced by the assembly planning committee. They realize that it is not possible to please all of you. But is it necessary to show your boredom by making it uncomfortable for those who are interested?

It might be worth while to remember that you are representing Milne wherever you go. So let’s save some of that excess energy for ball-games—not assemblies!
### Milne Edges Academy In Overtime Session

By DON MILLER

Milne defeated Albany Academy last Friday night, 41-37, in a thrilling overtime game by virtue of a foul point registered by Bob Clarke in the fading seconds of the regulation time. Clarke and Don Mapes each dropping in field baskets for Milne in the overtime session.

Tight contest of the night Milne overtook Academy, 36-35, in the final minute, then relinquished the lead with just second left. He d b e r g scored on a tap in. With mere seconds left, Clarke was fouled as he came down with a rebound of the defensive basket. He sank the charity throw to send the game into overtime. Just previous to this he had failed in another free-throw attempt.

Overtime Tight

After the two quick field goals in overtime, Milne froze the ball for the remaining seconds. Starting fast Milne boasted a 7-2 lead, after which Academy called for a time out. The Cadets then picked up and set the pace at the quarter, 8-7. Academy continued its spurt, and at intermission was 20-11.

The man-for-man is Milne's type of defense. As the teams switched from a zone to a man-to-man, pressure steadily mounted on the players as both refs were Miller of Milne, and Anderson of Academy. Lack of accuracy on the foul line was not prevent Milne and Watervliet from getting fouls. At first Milne's Red Raiders, 47-42, as a home team emerged the victor over the Albanians.

Clarke and Cardell, Cioffi's teammate, also added ten to their club's total. Sharing the scoring honors with Lux was Lou Cioffi, Watervliet's center, but was still in pursuit as the third stanza ended, 30-25.

East Siders Victorious

Aircraft pulled away in the closing minutes of the contest on the Page Hall court. Watervliet shot into a quick lead after an 8-8 deadlock at the end of the first period, building up a 12-point advantage midway in the third quarter. The Milne team got hot at this late stage with Ed Lux and Bob Clarke spearheading the offensive drive, but the time ran out.

Sharing the scoring honors with Lux, was Lou Cioffi, Watervliet's five foot ten inch center. Both players racked up 17 points apiece, and which came after the intermission. Both players racked up 17 points apiece, and which came after the intermission. The East Siders bowed to Van Rensselaer, 60-54 in a high scoring contest on the Page Hall court.

The East Siders shot into a quick lead, maintaining a 31-18 edge at the half and soon increased the margin to 23 points. Trailing 42-19, Milne rallied in the closing minutes of play to tie the game for the second time. Perry, a reserve center, excelled for the losers with 17 points. All of his scores came in the second half, in which Perry hooping the nets with consistency.

Spirited Rallies

On January 21, Milne's newly formed Varsity Club took its first trip as an organization. The club attended the Polio Benefit basketball game at the Washington Ave. Armory. The club went as a body with the boys sitting together in the bleachers, and the fathers together in the reserved section. The games were interesting and thrill packed, and a good time was had by all.

Arrangements for future trips are being made now.

### Milne Rifle Club N. R. A. Member

The Milne Rifle Club has finally been accepted as a member of the National Rifle Association. Under the membership the Rifle Club plans on applying for free ammunition and targets.

The Rifle Club holds its meetings once a week on Wednesday nights. The meetings are held on the twelve-point range of the Washington Avenue Armory. At present there are twenty-five members. The officers are as follows: Bob Abernathy, president and captain; Lee Dennis, vice-president; Marjorie Rumsey, secretary; and David Siegal, treasurer. The club is under the direction and supervision of Louis A. Sumberg, a senior at State College.

Up to this date, the Rifle Club has not held any matches with other teams. A schedule is being drawn up for future matches. It is hoped the matches will start sometime in March.

An award has been offered by Mr. Sumberg to any member of the Rifle Club who shoots a perfect score or shoots ninety-nine out of one hundred. So far David Siegal is the only winner.

### Club Takes Trip

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### Milne Absorbs Defeat Despite Spirited Rallies

Even a severe snowstorm could not prevent Milne and Watervliet High School from playing their scheduled basketball game. The home team emerged the victor over Milne's Red Raiders, 47-42, as a last quarter rally by the visitors fell short.

Await 'til March

Basketball for the senior high will begin March 3. It will be held every Wednesday and Friday afternoons at 3:30. Even though the season will be quite long, it will be necessary to come both days in order to get credit. It is impossible for you to come both times you will not complete the number of days to get credit.

On February 19, the Stunts and Tumbling classes came to a close. On February 23 will be the beginning of Junior High Trampoline, the only way you can get credit. It will be offered every Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. Trampoline will be offered to the senior high near the end of their basketball season.

### Cortland Sends Another

Our blonde-haired gym instructor is Miss Pettes. Before entering State College for three years at Cortland, she lived in Champlain, N. Y. At Cortland she is a member of Theta Phi. She is very interested in dramatics.

Two mornings a week she goes to Public School 23 where she teaches the same kind of work that the physical education class in Milne are having now. After her college work she would like to go into the field of recreation or teach physical education. She is teaching the same kind of work that the physical education classes are offered to the senior high now. After her college work she would like to go into the field of recreation or teach physical education.
Mid-Term Honor Roll

The following mid-term honor roll has just been released by Dr. Robert S. Fisk. Dr. Fisk prefers that the students not know their numerical grades, but the names are arranged in order of scholastic standing.

12th Grade
Bible, Joyce
Berritt, Carolyn
McAllaster, Nancy
Abernethy, Robert
Mondel, Benjamin
Pryor, Mary
Fiske, Mary-Jane
Fellerer, Suzanne

11th Grade
Blessing, Dorothy
Betham, Nancy
Horton, Joan
McMann, Nancy
Carlough, Anne
Cohen, Alice
Klimper, Hans
Kilby, Janet
Propp, Lawrence
Simmons, Nancy

10th Grade
Gross, Janet
Bird, Nan
Pigors, Helen
Congio, Ann
Dewey, Barbara
Jacobs, Eleanor
Orrett, Beverly
Bennett, Stanley
Lawton, Robert
Potter, Marjorie
Bishop, Mira
Lee, Barbara

Many Events Are Scheduled For Milne Hi-Y

"Hi-Y is to strengthen and broaden the minds and bodies of the youth in preparation for the jobs of tomorrow," says Bob Randles, the president of Milne's Hi-Y Club. Founded near the turn of this century Hi-Y has advanced from a small group to a nationwide organization set up to benefit both boys and girls.

Recently in an assembly, Ted Trost, New York State Hi-Y presi­dent, addressed the school.

Hi-Y Projects
This year Milne's Hi-Y started out under the supervision of Mr. T. H. Fossieck. In October, Hi-Y put on its annual dance. Later the group pledged $30 to the budding YMCA Building Fund. Money for this pledge will be raised by selling do-nuts at basketball games and checking coats at the coming spring concert.

Safety Bill
A bill was presented in November by Don Talbot to the State Hi-Y Legislature on the inspection of automobiles before the granting of licenses.

Recently Lee Dennis attended the local Northeastern Hi-Y Are­ea Council in Amsterdam where the fundamentals of Hi-Y were discussed.

Future plans for Hi-Y include a banquet in the spring. Also coming up in the future are some athletic contests with some of the other societies.

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Miss Mary E. Conklin Assumes New Duties

As a result of the expansion of the State College teacher training program, Miss Mary E. Conklin, head of the Milne English department, has assumed the supervision of State College cadet teachers within the Albany area. Mrs. Merton Hathaway has been added to the Milne English department to supervise English 9 and 11.

When asked about the new plan and her subsequent duties, Miss Conklin said, "Even though I dis­like the cold weather and I do miss Milne classes, I find my new work very interesting and informative. It is always fun to start a new plan and I am also obtaining new ideas for Milne from experiences in other schools."

WELCOME CHEER
Hi (name of visiting school)
Step right in!
Here's good luck, boys.
Let's begin!

SCORE CHEER
Yea Team!
We want more,
So come on Raiders,
Score, score, score!

HEY RAIDERS:
Look at that score!
That's not enough,
We want more!!
(To be yelled at any time)

HUDDLE CHEER
M-I-L-N-E, that's the way you spell it,
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Thanks
The editors of the Crimson and White would like to take this opportunity to thank all the members of the staff who have been so cooperative in helping us put out this issue without the aid of our editor, Bob Abernethy. We hope to see him back soon.

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Donald F. Miller
Jack Rickels

Donald F. Miller was born in this fair city on June 24, 1890. He at­tended School 33 and entered Milne in the seventh grade.

Sports are high on Don's list. He has played varsity baseball since his freshman year and basketball for two years. He was also all out for football this year.

Important Man
As a senior, Don is vice-president of Homeroom 324, a member of Theta Nu and on the traffic squad.

Another office that he holds is Sports Editor of the Crimson and White. On the Press Convention in Syracuse he promptly got lost. It was a long cold walk back to the hotel.

Don is amicable and has more likes than dislikes. Among his likes are loud ties, Eddie's, cute little blondes, and one-set plays in the senior room. He dislikes girls who pretend to act big-time and is impatient about waiting for someone or something.

Born on August 5, almost eighteen years ago, Jack Rickels has proved himself to be a good worker anxious to get ahead. Since his entrance to Milne in the seventh grade he has held many positions too numerous to list. This year, however, he is president of his homeroom, treasurer and member of the band, president of Theta Nu, chairman of Hi-Y, and member since twelfth grade, member of the Crimson and White staff and also of the Inter-Society Council. Assisting George Erwin, he is the vice-president of the senior class.

He Has His Likes

He mentions among his likes, "good food," but failed to mention what he considered good. Also, he spoke of week-ends and dances. He expressed his dislike for homework, stuck-up people, and women drivers (where have we heard that before?). Hunting and fishing are outstanding in his interest in sports.