ROCKEFELLER WINS WITH 70% IN POLL.

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By SALLY BUTTON

Republican Governor Nelson A. Rockefeller received an astounding 79% of the 321 votes cast in the C&W Election Survey. Democrat Frank O'Connor, 18%, and Liberal Franklin D. Roosevelt, 10%, trailed Rockefeller considerably. Conservative candidate Dr. Paul Adams received one vote.

Administration Endorsed

Rockefeller's present administration (Republican Attorney General Louis L. F.owitz, and Democratic-Liberal Congressman Arthur Levitt) garnered a 77% vote of confidence. Seventeen per cent of the Milne student body voted for a straight Republican ticket, including Charles T. Lanigan, candidate for Congressman. Only 6% voted a straight Democratic ticket to support Levitt and Frank Sedita for Attorney General.

Patent is Merit Semi Finalist, Ten Win Commendation Letters

Senior Steve Patent has qualified as a semifinalist in the National Merit Scholarship program.

Ten other seniors, Abe Anolik, Naomi Arison, Carol Cohen, Albert Helzinger, Naomi Zochnowitz, Tim McNally, John Margolis, Carol Michaelson, Anne Miller, and Phyllis Rickman received letters of commendation for their performances on the National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

Given to students in the spring of their junior year, the test consists of multiple choice questions in five categories: English, Mathematics, Science, Social Science, and Language. A semifinalist must substantially exceed the NMSQT scores by equivalent grades on the Scholastic Aptitude Test of the College Entrance Examination Board, and also submit other proof of his qualifications. Ninety-seven per cent of all semifinalists become finalists.

Patent Active in School

In addition to being Chess Club president, and Home Society VP, Steve has been on the bowling team, and was a member of the Milne Little Red Schoolhouse in both his sophomore and junior years. Steve plays the folk guitar, and plans to apply to Princeton, Amherst, and Brown.

Radio Club Wishes Good Reception

Open to all students interested in amateur radio, the purpose of the Radio Club is to make sure that many members who have just taken up amateur radio obtain amateur radio licenses. The club utilizes educational materials put out by the American Radio Relay League.

Mr. Donald Pruden of the science department is the club's advisor.

Club members have a radio set in the back of Room 420 which they intend to operate their own station. Any licensed member may sell hot dogs at basketball games.

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Homemakers Busy with Paraphernalia

Vibrating with music taped with The Revolutions, Future Homemakers Ellie Ainspan, Liz Bartlett, Ann Boomsalter, Paula Boomsalter, Margaret Contompasis, Mary Contompasis, Roz Hohenstein, Sue Hohenstein, Julie Paul, plus Bob Elanton modeled clothes from Paraphernalia, a shop specializing in youthful fashions, at an all girls' assembly, October 26.

In addition to sponsoring this fashion show, the Future Homemakers of America (F.H.A.) are also busy with the election of the incoming of nine ninth grade members.

F.H.A.'s annual International Dinner will be November 22. Features foods, decorations, and speakers from other lands.

17 Students Visit Plattsburgh

Valery Abrams, Pam Auerbach, Jane Barker, two weeks, Carol Fila, Dorrie Ganels, Roz Hohenstein, Sue Iselin, Sandy Babour, Pen, Treasurer of the Home Economics, and Debbie Barbour accompanied Miss Barbara Quayle, home economics teacher and F.H.A. advisor, to the S.U.C. Plattsburgh campus recently.

Miss Quayle attended a meeting of the Eastern District Home Economics Association on the campus, while the rest took in a program presented by S.U.C. Plattsburgh Home Economics majors.

"Current Trends in Home Economics," an address by Dr. Jo S. Pahopin, Director of Home Economics, was the highlight of this orientation program.

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Parents Probe Parents' Night

Ten-minute class sessions for parents, during which teachers told their aims and expectations for the year, were a part of this year's experimental format for Parents' Night.

In previous years, parents stood in line to meet each teacher individually. Many parents did not get to see all teachers and their children, because of the lines. Under this new system, parents were able to hear from all of the instructors.

At the conclusion of the evening, parents filled out evaluation sheets on the new system. Fifty-four per cent of the 144 evaluations received preferred the new type, while thirty-four per cent were in favor of the former. The remainder had no preference.

Literary Societies Rush Into Activity

Book reports, talks by foreign students, a literary contest, and a literary magazine are among the plans of Zeta Sigma, one of Milne's literary groups.

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**Regression?**

Last year the student body amended the Constitution to unite the Junior and Senior Student Councils. The members of both Councils approved the change because the consolidation of the student councils was meant to overcome the stagnation of the junior high, and to give all the students an opportunity to participate in the Milne Senior Student Council, which represents more responsibility and power and more activity than most student councils in this area.

The actual form of the re-unification plan, however, varies greatly from this original idea. Artificial and totally unnecessary restrictions were placed on the junior high for no apparent reason. Whereas the seventh and eighth grades were once “competent” enough to elect their Junior Council officers, they suddenly become irresponsible children who aren’t old enough to decide who should govern their unified council. The hopes of rescuing the junior high from inactivity vanished when it was decided that they should have no vote in council, except in financial affairs and matters left up to the President’s discretion. Their representatives would be on the council for the sole purpose of making up a Junior High Social Committee—to plan junior high record hops!

This is a new year, a new council, and there is a new opportunity to amend the Constitution to give all six grades equal representation. If we fail to change the status of the junior high in this school, the unification of the council will have been a meaningless and useless step backward. —S.B.

**A Great Race**

You walk up the stairs, and slowly enter Page Hall. You have officially begun your senior year, and from this moment on nothing is “slowly.” This year will be, for you, one wild carousel ride.

A typical senior specimen starts out cheerfully determined to succeed, and ends up in utter confusion. Applications to colleges are submitted; either you’re accepted or not, anyway, who cares? You’re too tired!

Only one thought keeps you going: the thought of senior rights and privileges. Of course you can’t be too nice to actually make use of your “divine right of seniors” on those younger children.” Besides, you’re too busy to bother—you have so many important meetings that you are rushing here, there, and absolutely nowhere!

There is no doubt about it; the senior year is the most chaotic bedlam ever invented by man. It’s also the most rewarding (the most tiring, I did!) year that anyone goes through.

**Letter**

To the editor: October 14, 1966, used to have no special significance for the average Milnite.

Dr. Fossick, through his presentation of an assembly program on the Battle of Hastings, showed the importance of this day nine hundred years ago.

There should be more of such programs, put on by one or more departments to inform the student body about a particular aspect which doesn’t get much coverage in the regular curriculum. Through these, the student might become more aware of the world about him.

—Mary Moore

**Orchids**

... to the person who suggested the gate in the fence.
... to all those involved in anything.
... to whoever put the extra ten minutes on lunch period.
... to the guidance office for trying to solve everyone’s problems.
... to teachers who listen to their students.
... to the cross country team.

**Would You Believe?**

The average Milne student ascends or descends approximately 490.7 stairs each school day?

—S.H.
Basketball Commences

In preparation for their season 23, Milne’s JV and varsity basketball teams began practice last Tuesday. The one month conditioning period prior to official practice, both teams begin their basketball schedules against Coxsackie, November 23. As yet, final team rosters have not been completed.

Coach Comments

The following is an interview between the reporter and Coach Robert Lewis.

Question: Which teams on the schedule should provide Milne’s greatest opposition?

Answer: Of course, every team on the schedule should provide more than adequate opposition. However, at this time, I would say St. Joseph’s will be the strongest team we meet. Catskill and Waterford should be the strongest league teams we will face.

Question: Will the Raiders’ speed overcome their deficit in height?

Answer: I hope so. We will have to depend on our experience, our speed and aggressiveness to offset our lack of height. Taller teams do not necessarily out-rebound the shorter team. Quickness, positioning, desire, and jumping ability are the keys to good rebounding.

Question: Do you believe the lack of varsity experience will hurt the team?

Answer: No. We have four boys returning with varsity experience. This is a much healthier situation than a year ago. It is a big jump from junior varsity to varsity and we will have some boys who will have to make this change. However, we have enough experienced varsity boys returning so that the new boys will be able to adjust gradually.

Question: Last year’s team played “run and shoot” basketball with an inconsistent defense. Do you think this year’s team will play a similar brand of ball, either through choice or necessity?

Answer: Last year’s team was the best shooting team I ever coached. However, we were weak defensively at one or two positions and we did not rebound well. We will definitely be a running team, and we will try to rebound. However, if we can’t rebound well, we will have to slow down to the tempo of the game.

Question: What do you think will be the greatest effects of the pre-season training? 

Answer: Our team will be physically stronger. This means we will jump better, run longer, hold on to the ball better, and (it) should help our defense.

Additional comments: There is no doubt in my mind that this is a better team than last year’s team. However, we will be up against some teams which are also improved. Also, last year’s J.V. team did not have the depth that the previous year’s team had. The experience and skill of the varsity level is much more advanced. Most J.V. players need two years of varsity experience before they are ready for varsity play.

"Therefore, one word of caution to all players and spectators. Let’s look ahead and hope for improvement and not rest on past accomplishments.

Attention Milnites

On the day of the first basketball game, November 23, the initial pep rally of the year will be held. The event is scheduled for hometeam period. Of special interest will be the conferring of the Spirit Jug on the class exhibiting greatest vocal support.

Color Day will also take place November 23. All persons are requested to wear a red article of clothing in observance of this spirited day.

What’s the word? ... Victory!

What’s the other word? ... Hustle!

Girls’ Sports Whirl

Field hockey highlights the girls’ athletic scoreboard. On October 18, in the first match of the season, the varsity succumbed to Troy High in Troy. Linda Lockwood scored Milne’s only tally in this 6-1 defeat.

The Milne hockey team journeyed to Bethlehem Central High School, October 22, for a play-day. Milne’s mightymites defeated Troy Public School, Mary Moore, and Diane Herkowitz (2) scored for Milne in the 3-0 victory. The rest of the day was not so successful. The girls from Milne showed identical 4-0 matches to Troy High and Niskayuna.

Intramurals

Although the field hockey and soccer seasons end soon, the C.A.A. (Milne’s intramural program) does not. All girls are eligible to join the bowling intramurals beginning November 9. Starting time will be 3:00 p.m. at the Playdium.

The varsity cross country team exhibits their medals and trophies after winning the Central Hudson Valley League Championship. From left to right: Tom Wahl, Stu Welch, Dean Elsworth, T.H.E. Trophy, Tim McNally (holding his individual winner trophy), Rich Schult, and Brad Knives. Missing is Louis Ouellette.

B.A.A.

By BILL WACHSMAN

The Milne Boys Athletic Association is busying itself with several new projects. A fact-finding committee has been established to do research concerning a Boosters’ Club. The Boosters’ Club would be an organization based on the Milne sports program, providing guest speakers, movies, and similar sports entertainment. Milne boys, their fathers, and Milne alumni would be eligible for membership. The research committee welcomes all constructive suggestions.

In the near future, B.A.A. will publish a student directory. In addition to student telephone listings, the directory will contain athletic and scholastic schedules and various school records in sporting events. B.A.A. encourages all students to buy a directory, both for the booklet’s practical value and for the derived compensation so desperately needed to finance Milne sports.

In an attempt to offer Milne students greater sports appreciation, a special committee has been formed to investigate the possibility of Intramural tournaments. Besides promoting general sports interest, these trips would acquaint students with sports contests. The Futuro Pros squeezed past the “Birds, 20-27.

A strong running contingent from Schuylerville proved too much for Milne’s first and fifth finishers, the Futuro Pros squeezed past the “Birds, 20-27.

The minor Milnites next challenged LaSalle and Catholic Central. The Milnites won both games, 15-18 and 20-17, respectively.

C.B.A. and Shaker opposed Milne’s junior high team in the final home meet of the season. C.B.A. capped first place honors, but the Raiders tied Shaker, thereby stunning former cross-town rivals. Milne, therefore, can be proud of its younger runners and can look forward to a promising future.
To Shave or Not to Shave

Few people look at shaving as being very patriotic, but to me it is very much so. The American colors are never so brightly displayed as when I turn blue from shaving without a blade in my razor, something which, although not very effective at removing hair, contributes greatly to one's ego. This devilish attempt did not succeed, however, as I cut my hand removing the blade from the razor and could not continue to shave. (It makes you wonder why they make razor blades out of stainless steel.)

Perhaps my problem stems from the fact that I am an electric razor user. As it is difficult to prepare oneself to shave (one must be prepared while wearing spectacles, they must be removed. This leaves me in a somewhat fuzzy world and while it enables me to put the shaving cream on, it is impossible to tell on what it is placed.

After I have been sufficiently lathered, I grope for my glasses, but since my hands are wet and full of soap, they are too soapy to be of any help to my vision by the time I finally put them on. I have learned that if I take my glasses off and clean them, the lather on my face hardens to a substance which can only be removed by a pneumatic drill.

I would use an electric shaver, but it is dependent on a.c. current, while I am d.c. (definitely careless). (It makes you wonder why they make the Capitol, the Court of Appeals Hall, the Education Building, and the Alfred E. Smith Office Building into a new, larger complex.)

In addition to state offices, it will include schools, gardens, pools, large underground parking areas, facilities for public gatherings and cultural attractions, and other features.

New low-cost housing is included in the plan, replacing old and deteriorating structures (see illustration). The open landscape will provide beauty and a place for relaxation for the people who will live and work in the Mall area.

Steve Canyon at Milne

In Richardson 180, there is a small drawing of a man with a benign smile and talking eyes, the hero of millions from the syndicated comic strip "Steve Canyon," the creation of Milton Caniff.

How did it come to Richardson? In the year 1951, as in every year, the Empire State School Press Association held its annual fall conference in Syracuse. Among the principal speakers was Milton Caniff, renowned artist and author of the comic strip "Steve Canyon." Dr. James Cowan, faculty advisor for the Crimson and White that year, attended the conference with representatives from Milne. Through the ingenuity and finesse as befits only a Milne faculty member, seats near the dias were readily available for our representatives.

Milne students will soon find that Steve Canyon is a friendly and ready reflex for them to their advantage, as did the students of '51 as they beat 600 other upper students to the platform to capture the pastel drawing of Steve Canyon.

Upon its arrival at Milne, it was hung in contrast with the literary map of England in the old Journalism room, Milne 229.

Steve Canyon, now a souvenir of great sentimental value, has found its final resting place in Richardson 180.

—Margaret Diebs

how i spent my vacation

whirling, spinning crazily to zenith, things are not what they are but what they might be. fascination, imagination take me away, swaying, reeling with the sounds and feeling. behind my eyes, images appear and fade and colors flash and melt to spectrum. my mind is a part of all of me — i know it’s here, there and where and so am i, but i’m up here and i’m never coming down. i think, see, touch, love, am.

—Sue Hohenstein