From these sheets the Victory Council will decide which students deserve membership in the Corps. Those who are chosen will be awarded insignia at an assembly program which will take place at a date in the future.
milne merry-go-round

Our one day vacation passed and now everyone is looking forward to Thanksgiving vacation which starts next Monday. The Milnites went to the movies and shopping. We hope that the Minis will go on Armistice day. Our own John Morrison did his part by marching with the Boy Scouts. The girls were surprised to see Sigma Chi and Alpha Delta Psi playing basketball with the Minis. There's something about a uniform... The senior girls took a trip to Schenectady on their day off and they're still giggling about it.

Last weekend the boys gave the annual Theta-Nu-Adelphi in the lounge. Dick Lawyer was home on leave and looking very handsome too. Marion Mulvey seemed in seventh heaven. Other couples looking very happy were Joan Connors, Nicky Mitchell, Shirley Atkin, Morton Swartz, Audrey Blume, Marvin Hecker, Ruth Taylor, Dick Bates, Meg Hunting, Royal Heide, Henry Mullineux, Bill Soper, Suzanne Rhoades, Chuck Cross, Ruth Walsh, Harvey Holmes, Ramona Delahant, Corny Heindrich, Dottie Hoopes, Stan Heideman, Shirley Cohurn, Jack Casser, Marcia Leake, Chuck Hopkins, Barbara MacMahon, George Edick, Helen Huntington, John Mosher, Laurel Urrich, Tom McCracken, Joan Mandelbaum, Sandy Bookstein, Betty Mullan, John Morrison, June Bailiff, Dick Stckney, Eileen Legge, and Harry Culp. Hal Game and Russ Langwwich were here with Barbara and Doris from the Girls' Academy.

The weather was cold last weekend, but some Milne representatives were at the big two football games—C. B. A. and Y. L. with C. B. A. coming out on top. Albany High versus Academy. It was an upset when the squad from the rival Albany High School was our next door neighbors... Frozen at the Union—Hamilton football game were the Milne "prom trotters"... Gerry Carlough, Janet Taylor, Nat Mann, and Marie Edwards. It was the Inter-Fraternity weekend at Union. They dined to Halillet's orchestra Friday night. Eileen Legge joined them the following formal Saturday evening.

The seniors are now eating in the little gym so there's elbow room in the cafeteria and annex. Everyone's happy about the arrangement except the senior boys since they wonder why there's an invisible line between the boys and girls. Someone should do something about it.

There are some very snappy styles around Milne these days. The boys wear shirts with Milne High School in red letters on them—and they're very dapper, too. Boys. Girls have been wearing boys' shirts for a long time, now, but Lucas Swift hit a new high with her red plaid one. It certainly looks flashy... The girls' societies are having their rushes now... Sigma Gamma and theirs last week and very successful it was too... It might be a good idea for someone in Milne to start a Date Bureau for the "lonely hearts." Quin's will be next Tuesday. There's a rumor the theme is "Queenie."

In gym, the girls are having obstacle courses which is the female version of Commando courses. They climb ledgers, walk planks, etc. They are now prepared for any emergency... Everyone is doing his part in the war effort in Milne. Some of the kids belong to the War Council, Retail Selling Club, and the like. The girls are good in their knitting and Red Cross work outside of school, and the boys volunteer their services in many ways.

Cuyler Thayer, new addition to the senior class is joining the United States Marines. He expects to leave the 23rd of this month. Bill Parr is also joining Uncle Sam's service... Among our alumni who are in the service is Roy Smith, former basketball player, who is joining the Flying Tigers... The new plans for the annex and cafeteria are on Dr. Sayles desk. All he has to do is put the OK on it, and plans will start... Small talk: the junior high newspaper club might visit some local newspaper plants. Sounds like fun... The cheerleaders were appropriated times. Also in 1941–42, he played the drums in the Milne Band. Outside of school, George is a member of the Men's Basketball team.

The Boys' Athletic Club is another Milne organization in which George has a part. He spent two years on the Junior Varsity and this year will be his second on the Senior Varsity squad of Milne's basketball team.

When George graduates, at the end of this year, he plans to join the Marines or Navy; preferably, the Marines. His ambition is to become an officer in one of these branches of the service.

Mr. Edick's likes and dislikes:
he likes music, sports, social studies in school, and camping outside; hates fishing and reading; likes White Christmas, the color blue, good movies, negro spirituals and My Hero from the Chocolate Soldier. He eats baked sausages and snipped potatoes whenever he gets the chance and is against smoking and drinking. His present occupation is coating his brush cut to grow in right. He likes girls who are light-baired, have blue eyes, are understanding and who are not fussy. This is a tip for you girls.
**Milne Basketball Squad to Face Tough Opposition**

Red Raiders Open Season Friday, December 4th Against
Philip Schuyler On Hackett Court, To Meet Watervliet
High School On Saturday Night In Away Game

by Russell Langwig

"This year the Milne basketball team faces one of the hardest schedules they have ever played," thus stated Coach Harry J. Grogan. Milne opens its season December 4 against its traditional rival, Philip Schuyler. The game will be played away on the Hackett High School court.

**Basketball Schedule 1942-1943**

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Face Watervliet

The next night, the Red Raiders face another strong opponent, Watervliet. This opening weekend will indicate how the team will fare this season, since there will be no tougher opposition than that offered by these two teams. The next weekend, Milne faces Bethlehem Central and a new opponent, Albany Academy. These are both away games.

The Varsity and Junior Varsity have many difficulties to face this year. Inability to get the Page Hall gym necessitates the first four games being played away. This means that Milne attendance at these games will have to be excellent to mean that Milne attendance at these games being played away. This Hall gym necessitates the first four year. Inability to get the Page

Cheerleaders promise the team that they will be behind them in every game. They are going to have new uniforms and new cheers.

**Compares to '37 Team**

This year's Varsity is comparable to the invincible team of Bob Taft, Dick Game and other famous alumni of Milne. The boys are learning fast new tricky plays that should baffle even the best of opposition. There are several other reasons why Milne should have a good season. The team realizes that they are playing against all-city teams this year and this will be their chance to show how they will stand in comparison.

Teams that the Red Raiders didn't play last year are Vincentian, Albany Academy, Watervliet, and C.B.A. Milnites are looking forward to these games with enthusiasm. The C.B.A. tilt must be included with the best on the schedule. Russell Langwig, manager of basketball, was forced to drop such teams as Healy, Cokeskill and Kinderhook which were on last year's schedule because of transportation difficulties. Langwig was unable to get Albany High, an old rival, on the new schedule.

**Unfavorable Facts**

Several unfavorable facts also face the team. Everyday promptly at 2:30 to 3:30, the teams Milne face anywhere from two to three hours practice daily. Ted DeMoss, star varsity center, will have only a week and a half practice before the first game due to his injury to his ankle while practicing.

Last year's varsity record showed ten wins against six losses. The junior varsity record was better with 13 wins and only three losses. Of the six games the varsity dropped, the highest score they lost by was six points and they dropped several by one and two points. Returning members of last year's team are Captain Hal Game, George Edick, and Morty Swartz. There are 17 games on this year's schedule so far although a new state law allows the team to play 18 games.

**HAL GAME, '43, Captain of the Milne Basketball team, as seen in action last year.**

**Margie Wright’s**

When we see the frost on the lawn and on the windows, it's a sign that the snappy cold days are in store for us which automatically cuts an end to the girls' hockey season. The outdoor hockey and soccer season for girls has to come to a close due to the completely dilapidated conditions of the field. However, this fall a higher degree of proficiency was reached in these sports than ever before, doubtless due to the increased length of time spent on physical education.

Throughout the country, emphasis in the physical education program for school girls will be placed on developing physical fitness.

It is the aim of every physical education instructor to produce girls with endurance, strength, flexibility, co-ordination and good posture.

To achieve this result the program will include gymnastics, marching and posture corrections, emergency skills such as: climbing, dodging, landing; and as usual our program of team sports, swimming and riding.

**Girl Commando Course**

Last week Miss Hitchcock set up and organized her own commando course in the big gym which the girls had fun going through. Milne has quite a large program for team sports and the Milne girls enjoy weekly classes in swimming and riding. This shows what the Milne girls are trying to do towards the developing of physical fitness.

**First Aid Compulsory**

Miss Margaret Hitchcock, instructor in physical education, has made the official Red Cross First Air Course compulsory for junior and senior girls.

The 20-hour course will be given every Thursday afternoon during the regular gym period.

The only students who are exempt from this course are those who have already acquired First Aid certificates; they are Patricia DelRouville and Roberta Smith, seniors, and Angela Snare, junior.

**Milne Students Use SCT Commando Course**

Milne boys have started using the State College commando course under the leadership of Coach Harry J. Grogan. The students use it during gym classes. As yet, however, not all boys have been able to use it.

At first Coach Grogan showed the boys the best way to surmount the obstacles and then the potential commandos tried for themselves. Most of the boys were able to get through the course without much trouble. Several got slightly hanged up in the affair. A general consensus of opinion showed that the eight foot wall was hardest to conquer and agreed that it was built to toughen anyone up.
Senior High Clubs

Commence Season

The Navigation Club is off to a good start under the sponsorship of Dr. Daniel W. Snader, supervisor of mathematics. The main purpose of the club is to study the mathematics of marine and air navigation. The club consists of about ten members. The text now being used is "Mathematics of Air and Marine Navigation" by Bradley. The main topics to be given this year are as follows:

Geometry on the Earth

The Sailings and Dead Reckonings

Piloting

Special Problems of Air Navigation

Spherical Trigonometry of the Earth

Nautical Astronomy

Opportunity for Seniors

Celestial Navigation; the Summer Line according to Dr. Snader, all of the senior boys should avail themselves of the opportunity to learn the mathematics of navigation since they may soon be called into the armed forces. Then too, after this war much of our commerce and communication will be done by air. Those who are prepared for this new field of work will probably be in a position to get better positions in some commercial airmail service.

This course should be taken along with or after the course in aeronautics and radio communications.

Creative Writing Club

"People who like to write need not necessarily belong to the Creative Writing Club," according to Miss E. Wheeling, who teaches English for the school and sponsor of the club. While the club does not meet formally, students from both the senior and junior schools have brought some fine writings to Miss Wheeling who has consulted with them personally.

Miss Wheeling thinks that most of the students are shy about showing their writings to people; they should not be. If pupils have produced some writing in the form of poetry, essay, story, or play, which is pleasing to them, they should bring it to Miss Wheeling to criticize and help them.

Most of the writings brought in so far have been poetry.

Conklin Postpones

Annual Milne Plays

The annual Milne plays, scheduled for November 28, have been postponed due to the lack of interest on the part of the students. Miss Mary Elizabeth Conklin, in commenting on the situation said, "The reason may be that the students are giving a great deal of their time to their work this year."

The plays presented last year, under the able supervision of Miss Conklin, were very successful. Said Miss Conklin, "It is unfortunate that we will not have plays this Christmas, especially when we have Miss Marian O’Brien who is talented in dramatics, and Milne has an ample supply of money to back the plays. We supervisors have the time to help with the plays, also."

It is possible that the plays may be presented second semester, according to Miss Conklin. She stated, "We are not closing the door to the students. If the school wants to do plays, we will surely do them."

Brick & Ivy Yearbook

Appoint ’43 Staff

The new co-editors of the 1943 edition of the Brick & Ivy are Marian Steinhardt and Elizabeth Mapes, heading the literary and art departments respectively.

Lois Prescott, ’44, will cover sports and.Bytes and Pack, boys’ sports. Other staff members are: Arnold Baskin, ’44, Red Cross; Barbara Hewes, ’43, honorary; Robert Blum, ’47, student council; and Betty Stone, ’45, clubs.

The staff this year is striving to make the yearbook of equal interest to both the senior and junior schools. It is undecided as yet whether all of the senior students will and prophecy is to be included, but there will be no class for those students who are requested to submit any good snapshots of Milneites for publication. In addition, Dr. Henrickson will take pictures at important school affairs for use in the yearbook.

Seventh Grade Students

To Visit State Museum

The seventh graders will venture on their first class trip, this week to the New York State Museum in connection with their social studies. They will concentrate on the exhibits of different tribes of Indians such as the Mohaves, Iroquois, Seneca, Onondago, Oneida, and Cayuga.

The purpose of the trip is to further the knowledge of the students about Indian life and also to teach them how to travel in a group.

The class will be divided into three sections, one making the trip on Wednesday, November 18, and the other two on Thursday, November 19. If the weather permits, the group will walk to the museum. A guide will accompany each group to explain to them the meanings of the different scenes.

Senior Students

Compose Essays

Members of the senior class are now preparing their English essays. Many of the students are using their essays to enter contests, to win scholarships, or to impress their English teachers. Some are writing about "The Importance of American History in our Educational System." Dorothy Rider and Betty Vail are entering state contest, the subject they are writing about is "How New York Changed From a Colony to a State."

Interesting Topics


Many Biographies

Dick Bates is writing his personal experiences on a trip to Chicago. He is based on a trip from Chicago to Albany. Eleanor McFee and Elaine Fite are each doing the genealogy of their respective families.


Things to Come

Friday, November 20

3:30—Interresolution Council Meeting

Monday, November 23

8:30—B.A.C. Meeting

Tuesday, November 24

3:30—Quin Rush, Lounge

Wednesday, November 25

11:00—Thanksgiving Recess

Monday, November 30

10:10—Senior School Assembly

Tuesday, December 1

7:00—Basketball, Milne vs. Schuyler, away

Saturday, December 5

7:00—Basketball, Milne vs. Water-vliet, away