C&W Wins Top Rating at N.Y.C.

Milne's Crimson and White has for the third year in succession been awarded a first place in its class in the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. The official announcement was made at the Press Association. The official announcement was made at the Press Convention in New York.

The honor is appreciated more than ever this year as the competition has been much more keen than ever. The reason for this is that many of the schools have more money now due to the war and are therefore able to put out a better qualified scholastic paper.

The presentation was made at the Hotel Astor where the banquet was held at noon Saturday, March 25. The dining room, one of the largest in the country, accommodates 1,800. There were, however, 2,100 delegates trying to dine. The Milne representatives fortunately were able to secure a table that afforded a fine view of all the proceedings.

Junior School Entertains

The Junior High dance on March 31, in the Lounge, was changed from a couples dance to a stag dance. However, couples did attend.

Don Jarrett, vice-president of the Junior Student Council, stated, "There was a fine crowd and the affair was a complete success."

The chaperones were Miss Evelyn Welles, Miss Gladys Herrick, Dr. Robert W. Frederick, Jr., Daniel W. Santer, Sanford Bookstein, and his brother Nickelson.

Retiring Editor and Successor

Sanford Bookstein  Editor, '43-'44
Herbert Lucas, Jr.  Editor, '44-'45

Milne Girls Prepare Annual Sport Night Demonstration

New Staff Named At C&W Banquet

War Themes Stressed In Patriotic Program

Basing his choice upon newspaper work, Sanford Bookstein, former editor-in-chief of the Crimson and White, in collaboration with Miss Katherine M. Muehlick, named the new staff for the coming year. This is the way this article should read. But our beloved "Beaver" was held up in New York for the completion of his V-12 tests, which he passed of course.

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The awards are to be presented at the annual Banquet, held at Wellington Hotel last Tuesday evening. The banquet was held for the purpose of naming the Editorial Board. I will tell you who was named in case you don't want to read further. Herb Lucas is editor-in-chief. Jack McGrath is assistant editor, and Caryl Ferber is junior associate editor. Helen Huntington is feature editor and Barbara MacMartin is senior editor. Lee Aronowitz, the new sports editor, will have Jesse Barnett as his assistant.

With this work done, the time for fun and Part II arrives, and off the girls go to the carnival merry-go-round furnished by the merry-go-round department. After a fun-filled ride, everyone will want to watch the Russian Dancers from the Junior Class stamping around prudently in their black boots. Comes the time for that touch of mystery we all crave, and the fortune tellers certainly have it. Don't tell anyone but it's those juniors again.

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**SERVICE LETTERS**

**March 14, 1944**

Hello Pat,

I see by the Crimson and White's that I have been receiving lately, that you are the Alumnus Editor. You're doing a swell job, Pat, and this note is sort of half "thank you" and half news report on my recent doings.

I was in Kansas, in the Horse Cavalry, I was accepted for the ASTP and went to the Univ. of Nebraska for their summer term. Kindly, I think, and I was sent way back east—CCNY, here in New York. The two months I have been here, have been wonderful—seeing things I had almost forgotten existed. And we have a few week-ends was the best.

We were restricted—and now awaiting shipment back to a "Line look-out". You may have heard that ASTP is closing down. Now, my only hope is to get back to my outfit in the Infantry, and head for the Admiralty Islands. The Infantry will probably grab us, though.

The news seems as usual concerning you and "Kosie." Hope things continue for the best for both of you, and all your "toys".

You will see that this is sort of a private note—but please thank Bix and White for sending me the paper. It was truly appreciated, believe me.

Sincerely,

Gerard (Plunkett),
Charles E. Harding

MSN 32714782
MPO 127571-A

Postmaster
San Francisco, Calif.
March 3, 1944.

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**Betty Blubs**

Tonight is the big event. Our annual gym carnival, the "Spring," will be held in Page Hall beginning at 7.30 P.M. The girls and Mrs. Tietem have all worked very hard to put a great deal of time into it. So it's have a good attendance. Encourage your parents to come, girls, because we know you have something to show for our efforts.

Our traditional grand march will be first on the program in which all the girls take part. The rest of the program is as follows:

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**Part I—Victory Gardening**

Spring conditioning ................ Grade 8
Spading the ground ................ Grade 5
Raking ................................ Grade 5
Planting the vegetables ............. Grade 8
Scrubbing ............................. Grade 11

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**Part II—Work Done—Off the Carnival**

Merry-Go-Round ...................... Grade 10
Russian dance ....................... Grade 7
Fortune Tellers ..................... Grade 11
Tumblers ............................ Grade 9
The Builders ........................ Grade 8
The Skaters ........................ Grade 10
Fire Dancers ........................ Grade 12
Country Dancing .................... Grade 10
Finale ............................... Grade 11

The basketball game between the juniors and seniors will follow immediately after the final in the gym. The second half of the freshmen sophomore game will also, the first half being played Friday.

It seems the eight graders were slightly defeated because of their loss to the seventh graders. The score was 16-14. Nancy McMahon was high scorer for the day and a great time was had by all.

Lt. Dick Paland is Guest

At School Assembly

Lt. Dick Paland, of the class '43, was guest of honor at an unexpected assembly on Thursday, March 30, at 3:45 p.m. Lt. Paland has been in the Navy Air Corps for 20 months and for 7 of those months he has been in actual combat area. He is a pilot of a Grumman Avenger, torpedo plane, and he has seen action at Hattieville, Truk, Nauru, the Marshall Islands, Truk, and Salpan. His closest action was when on the way to Truk he had to leave a B-25, which had been damaged by German flak, and head for Tarawa when a 20 mm. shell smashed his cockpit. Lt. Paland is home on a 39-day leave after being wounded and recovering from his accident and receiving the Purple Heart. He is also being recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross.

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Things to Come
Tuesday, April 4
12:27—Senior High School Assembly
12:57—Junior High School Assembly
7:30-11:06—Girls Sport Night—Gym—Mrs. Tiesen
Wednesday, April 5
12:27—Spring Recess Begins.
Monday, April 17

Milne Girls
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then be played in the gym with a half of the Freshmen-Sophomore team between its first and last halves.

Among those that worked behind the scenes are Helen Huntington and Beverly Cohen. Beverly is ticket chairman and fills the position efficiently. Helen heads the ushers of the evening who are: Barbara Schamburger, Elaine Sexton, Barbara MacMahon, Gretta Gade, Shirley Mekell, Ruth Welsh, and Lois Meehan.

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