LEAD IIT SCHOLARSHIP

With the hearty approval of Dr. Sayles, the Crimson and White will publish an honor role after each marking period. Students on this honor role will have attained an average of 90% or over in their subjects for the past marking period.

The highest average for this marking period is 96.75 and is credited to Evelyn Wilber, a junior. Next in order are two more juniors, Alora Beik and Shirley Baldwin, and a sophomore, Carroll Boyce with 94.5, 94.25 and 92.5 respectively. The other students who make up the honor role for this marking period are as follows:

**Post-Graduate**
- Herbert Harz 92

**Senior Class**
- Mirian Freund 93.25
- Betty Barden 91.6
- Esther Stulmaker 91.4
- Benjamin Douglas 91

**Junior Class**
- Evelyn Wilber 96.75
- Alora Beik 94.6
- Shirley Baldwin 94.25
- Florence Harber 93.7
- Robert Maghrebian 93.6
- Robert Wattell 93.25
- Suzanne Roberts 91.5
- Estelle Dilg 91.25
- Jacqueline Townsend 90.35
- Joan Ledden 90

**Sophomore Class**
- Carlroll Boyce 92.5
- Ruth Martin 92
- Joan Hunting 91.7
- David Wond 91.2
- Edward Langvig 91
- Elaine Gallup 90.7
- Robert Schnaberger 90.6
- Marianne Adams 90.5
- Joan Mancolle 90.3
- Mary Baker 90

**Eighth Grade Presents History Of Elsmere In Xmas Program**

The eighth grade will present the annual Christmas assembly today at 1:30. Miss Wheeling's homeroom will take charge, assisted by homeroom 126 and the Art Room.

This costume drama concerns the historical aspects of Elsmere over a period of about 250 years. Richard Smith will act as narrator. In the course of the program, the Christmas baskets will be brought in.

**Senior Class Decides To Have Sweater Dance**

In their meeting in the Little Theatre last Monday the members of the senior class planned to have a sweater dance for the purpose of raising money with which to buy a portrait of Dr. Sayles. They will place this portrait in the library as their gift to Milne High School.

Vice-President Robert Gardner, who was in charge of the meeting, appointed a committee which will take suggestions and arrange the details. Joseph Loden will be the chairman of this committee and Joan Lawryan, Mirian Freund, Mildred Mattice, Bob Gole and Jack Crawford will assist him.

**Magazine Wants Name**

The Milne magazine and yearbook will conduct a name contest on January 3, the Tuesday after Christmas vacation. The newspaper and the yearbook are having difficulty in keeping accounts straight; a new name for the magazine will complete the separation of these two organizations.

Every Milnite is invited to enter the contest. On January 3, drop your suggestion in the box on the second floor bulletin board. The magazine staff will act as judges and the winner will receive a special pin for his prize.
CRIMSON AND WHITE

COMPLETE LIST OF PLAY COMMITTEES ANNOUNCED

Miss Conklin has announced the following list of committees for "Maker of Men," which helped with the Christmas Plays:

Sets: Shirley Baldwin, Edward Langsdon, Jerome Levitz, Robert Hopcroftian, Seth Weather, John Schramberger, and John Van Acker.

Costume Design: Shirley Baldwin, June Black, Alma Brown, Barbara Congar, Janet Fletcher, Marilyn Potter, Susanne Roberts, Joan Havener, Elizabeth Hoyt, Laura Lyon, Elizabeth Mann, Virginia Nichols, and Hazel Phillips.

Costume Sewing: Joan Hunting, Catherine Morrison, Florence Horber, Beatrice Bank, Marilyn Tinch, Leah Einstein, Helen Hutchinson.

The committees for the play "Trifles" were:

Costumes: Jean Bushe and Ardelle Chadardson.

Props: Chairman, Jacqueline Townsend, Martha Freytag, Helen Hutchinson, Ruth Martin, Florence Horber, Marjorie Wolberg, Mildred Specter, and Sally Levine.

Make-up: Estelle Dill, Bryna Ball, Miriam Freund, and Jean Best.

Ushers: Bette Tinch, head usher: Ethel Corvin, Leah Einstein, Elaine Gallup, Florence Horber, Helen Hutchinson, Joan Hancewellor, Catharine (cont’d in column 2)

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QUIN PLANS BANQUET FOR ALUMNI AND SENIORS

The Quintillian Literary Society is making plans for its annual Alumni Banquet to be conducted December 28 at Jack’s Restaurant.

The banquet is being given by this year’s seniors to the Quin girls in the classes of ’36 and ’37. Don’t Clark is the general chairman. The committees are as follows:

Mailings: Jane Phinney, Narda Wiley, Joan Best, Marjorie Sherman

Arrangements: Katharine Heyman, Dorothy Day

Place Cards: Virginia Nichols, Lillian Selyshaymer

STUDENT’S COMPOSITION PLACED AT DANCE

Last Saturday night, the Theta-Ju and Adelphoi Literary Societies conducted their annual formal dance in the State College Commons.

Music of very good quality was furnished by Clayton Albright and his orchestra. Among the selections played by Mr. Albright was Joe Ledden’s new composition, "The Two-Eyed Terror." Alpha students were very much pleased by the technique in which he presented his song.

The decoration theme was called the "penguin promenade." This was cleverly arranged by Charles MacCalloch and his committee.

Much credit is due the society for sponsoring such a fine dance.
MILNE SUBDUES DELMAR 34-21; JONES LEADS RED RAIDERS

Last Friday night the Crimson Tide of Milne won their second straight victory, 34-21, in a fast and hard fought battle with Bethlehem Central.

Delmar took a momentary lead in the first quarter by scoring on two field shots, but Milne rapidly gained by counter attack and at the end of the half led 22-11. From this point on Milne went into a lead that was never lost. In the second half the Delmar team played hard in a vain attempt to even the score, but their wild shouts and clumsy handling of the ball resulted in a 34-21 victory for Milne.

High scorer for the evening was Russel Jones, Milne right guard, who led with 13 points. Sharing court honors was "Flash" Fink with 9 points.

Individual scores:

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MILNE TO MEET ALBANY HIGH

Tomorrow night the Milne basketeers will face a new and strong opponent, the Albany High quintet.

Since the game will be played on the High School court, it will be more difficult for the Milne team. They are unaccustomed with the methods and tactics of their opponents and thus may be slightly handicapped, but with the able support of the Milne students are sure to put up a fine showing.

The Junior Varsity will play at 7 o'clock against the Albany High J.V. team and the Varsity game will begin at 9 o'clock.

AND MILNE BEAT CENTRAL

MILNE JUNIOR VARSITY DEFEATS BETHLEHEM CENTRAL J.V. 23-22

Thrills and spills were rampant as the Milne J.V. team edged out the Delmar Junior Varsity by a single point last Friday night on the Page Hall court.

Milne captured an early lead and maintained it to the first half, 8-5. Then the pace of the game was accelerated and gained considerable speed as Delmar rallied and by a swift attack gained a lead of one point. Through the final quarter both teams fought desperately, first one team and then the other gaining the lead. In the final second of play with Delmar leading 22-21, Kirk Sceming shot a field basket, winning the game for Milne.

MILNE TO ATTEND PLAYDAY

Tomorrow at 10 o'clock ten girls from Milne will go to Schenectady to participate in a basketball playday given by Roxsville High School.

Those who Milne will send are: Kay Newton, Virginia Nichols, Joyce Hardick, Doris Welsh, Dorothy Shattuck, Dorothy Boy, Ruth Reap, Lillian Eleshmyer, Jane Grace and Margaret Chace.

SENIOR HIGH GIRLS FORM INTER-MURAL BASKETBALL TEAMS

At a meeting in the large gym, the Senior High girls selected their teams for inter-mural competition.

The captains for the Senior Girls are Kay Newton and Jane Grace. Kay Newton, captain of the first team, will have on her squad: forwards, Virginia Nichols, Doris Welsh, Kay Newton; guards, Lillian Eleshmyer, Ruth Reap, and Joyce Murdick. The second team, captained by Jane Grace, is composed of: forwards, Una Underwood, Dorothy Shattuck, Nancy Glass; guards, Marcia Wiley, Dorothy Boy and Jane Grace.

The Junior girls have chosen two teams, which will be equal to each other. Betty Hahn and Adele Lazarus are the respective captains of the two teams. On Betty Hahn's squad are: forwards, Alora Belk, Margaret Chase, Betty Hahn; guards, Doris Mochrie, Martha Freytag, Suzanne Roberts and Jane Vedder. The second team led by Adele Lazarus, is made up of: forwards, Joan Terashe, Jacky Townsend, Adele Lazarus, guards, Shirley Rubin, Betty Schreiner and Barbara Thompson.

Due to the many Sophomore girls who have come out for inter-mural basketball, the class has been divided into four teams. Mary Baker, Shirley Smith, Helen Cooper and Jessica Doran were chosen as captains for the respective teams.
MESSAGE OF GRATITUDE

The Crimson and White wishes an especially hearty "Merry Christmas" to Victoria Woiciek and Theresa Hunt of State College, who have so generously helped with our stencil-typing problem. Miss Woiciek stayed until six o'clock last week, so that the paper would go to press on time. We appreciate your interest as well as your assistance.

THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Christmas is a gay lady
Robed in red and gold and pine-tree green;
Her gown drips shining baubles, but
Her necklace holds her prized gems
Of thoughtfulness and love, set
In virtue's purest gold.
Balsam scents her hair; laughter tinkles
Like the bells of distant churches;
Gracious, smiling, ever-young,
Gold poinsettias glitter in her hair—
But in her heart there shines
The Star of Bethlehem.
CHEERLEADING BASKETBALL DAYS

Now that we have two games behind us, we can not help noticing some of the queer notions of the fans, not to mention the little flashes who play.

First we wonder if the gals from the other school discuss our fellows as much as we do the opposing team. It’s quite easy to hear the other loosies saying, “Look at that scurrying tall one with the tan and the black curly hair”, and “Gee, isn’t that cute one graceful with the ball.” They’re wondering just who these boys are, but we know Johnny Pink and Dick Poland, don’t we.

We have to mention the poor cheer-leaders, trying to get a rise out of the crowd. Also the shining looks of pride on the faces of Dotie Shattuck, Annie Hunting, (who always comes back for games), and other such lucky girls. The prideful, everpresent parents of the basketball men can not be overlooked.

It is not odd at all for Eddy Hunting to be DEMANDING a basketball jacket while tending the door, just to take in tickets when you consider the fact that all the lads on the team insist on coming and sitting in them during the J. V. game. It does get one down. Neither can we forget the sight of Len Benjamin rushing around in his little crimson number just like the busy little bee that he is.

As for the rooting section, some call it spirit that inspires Ducky Dey to those ferocious yells. She is what is known as “Cheerleader’s Joy”. However, after sitting next to Duck all evening, plus seeing an ear doctor the next morning, we have another word for it. She is merely exercising her lungs, though.

The last thing that touches our hearts is Posy Fred Composing one of those gigantic cheers during the game, which she claims are so much better than the ones Milne has. They’re pretty good, too, but so wearing on Posy’s energy.

Perhaps only a few of us are aware of it, but with the Christmas spirit in the air, there is an excellent way for all of us to feel as though we have really done some good this year. Very few Milne students, if any, have ever had the feeling that it would be wonderful to have a good book to read, and NOT BE ABLE TO.

This year, a free library is being organized at the Y. M. C. A. for the young boys who spend so much of their time there. There is no doubt that this is a marvelous idea, and that it will do much for those boys who might otherwise spend their time less worthily. However it cannot be start over successfully without good support.

This is why our Hi-Y fellows are putting in a plea for help from the students of Milne. Surely all of us have some old books at home that we shall never read again, and which someone would enjoy. We can at least try to help.

ALL ARE BORED (ASHORE)

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Milne has recently received copies of the following papers: Hill Topics; Castletown Central School; Roesslerville Post; Roesslerville High School; The Sentry, Christian Brothers' Academy; The Root Owl, Cazenovia High School; Estee Echo, Estee Junior High School; The A. B. C. Spotlight, Albany Business College; and The Quill, Ellenville High School.

Question: "What is the tactful way for a girl's father to let the boy friend know it's time to go home?"

Answer: "He may casually pass through the room with a box of breakfast food."

---The Siren

Milly: What is the ideal honeymoon salad?
Joe: I pass.
Milly: Lettuce, alone.

---The Tattler

The three "R's" run all through life. At 25 it's romance, at 45 it's rent, and at 65 it's rheumatism.

---Sir Bill's Bugle

Chancellor Adolph Hitler is such a pleasant man. He's always playing games with Italy and Japan. His favorite game is Czechers, He plays against the red. No-matter if you're an export, He's just one step ahead. War games are Adolph's specialty. He has the biggest grin, And the cutest bombs and planes. Go, he has a lot of fun. He keeps France from being lazy, And England on her toes. He spreads a wakeful atmosphere Most everywhere he goes.

---Exchange

Leonard: The car is at the door.
Mrs. Benjamin: Yes, I heard it knock.

---Sir Bill's Bugle

AN EVENING IDYLL

The evening star its vapor lamps Above the west had lit
The dusky curtains of the night Were falling over it.
He seized her waist and clasped her hand And told his tale of love;
He called her every tender name "My darling, duck, and dove."

---The Vocationalite

One of our illustrious P.G. students wishes that someone would fix the clock in front of school. (s)He says that when (s)he is coming to school in the morning, the clock says 8 minutes to nine, Rushing to (her)/(his) locker, (s)he grabs (his/her) books, nearly breaks (his/her)neck running up two flights of stairs, only to burst into the L.T. at 5 minutes to nine. Now, I ask you—is that fair? NO! Something MUST be done!

Those new book-shelves outside the Art room are very handy, but usually so crowded that lots of books are still parked on the floor.

Every morning around 10 o'clock, someone, somewhere in the building plays a piano. At first it sounds something like "LazYT BEETS" or "I LOVE A PARADE", but after the first few bars it sounds like hash. Listen for it.

Hat's off to Bill Burgess! He's taking the stiffest course ever heard of. How would you like to take Solid Geometry, Physics and Chemistry all at once? Bill is.

ANNUAL WAYS JOKES

Why can't Miss West and Santa Claus get in a phone booth at the same time? 'Cause there ain't no Santa Claus!

RIDDLES

1. To what island should hungry people?  (Answer: The Sandwich Isles.)
2. Why is a policeman like an airplane?  (Answer: Because he takes people up.)
3. Why are watches like grasshoppers?  (Answer: Because they move by springs.)
4. What tree is nearest to the sea?  (Answer: The Beech.)
5. Why is charity like an umbrella?  (Answer: Because it is most useful when widely extended.)
6. Why is the eye like a very severe master?  (Answer: Because he has a pupil under his lash.)
7. What flower is most likely to be found in the shop of a shoe-maker?  (Answer: Lady's slipper.)

ANSWERS:

(1) The Sandwich Isles. (2) Because he takes people up. (3) Because they move by springs. (4) The Beech. (5) Because it is most useful when widely extended. (6) He always has a pupil under his lash. (7) Lady's slipper. (TIME TO ZAFF)

JOKES?

JUDGE BOYCE: Officer, place this man in a dry cell.

JUDGE BOYCE: Have you noticed one odd thing about blunt people?

JUDGE BOYCE: Moe; Yeah—they're the ones who generally come to the point.
NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

WE MAKE THEM AND BREAK THEM

Dot Shattuck: A resolution permanently nice to chew gum.

Robert Stevenson resolves not to play any more practical jokes.

Evelyn Wilbur resolves to make her report card marks higher. (They range between 96-100 now!)

Harriet Gordon: To chatter less.

Anita Hyman resolves to collect no more movie stars' pictures and to cease her locker-room warbling.

The Milne Orchestra: To swing and sway in tune.

The Basketball Team: To come through all the games with victory and flying colors for Milne. (We hope, we hope.)

Brynia Ball: To do all her homework every night!

Dr. Simpson resolves to grow.

THE "MAG" WITHOUT A NAME
(Respects to the author of the Man Without a Country)

Breathes there a magazine so dead,
That never to itself hath said,
This is my own, my very name I
Whose readers have its pages turned,
Then cast aside and lightly spurned,
Because this year-book has no name.
If such there be, go, mark it well!
For it no parents' praises swell;
Good though its English, clear its type,
Splendid its pages with interest ripe—
Despite its merits, renown, and rank
The wretched mag, with name a blank,
Tho' living, shall forfeit fair renown,
And, doubly dying, shall go down,
To the poor dust, from whence it sprung
Unwont, unhonored, and unsung.

Oh Santa Claus, by hook or crook,
Get us a title for our book!
We want not beauty, wealth, or fame;
Dear Santa, please find us a name,
"Posy" Freund.

SPECIAL REQUEST

To Santa — At North Pole —
Please give Dr. and Mrs. Sayles a pleasant Christmas journey down south.

The Crimson and White Staff

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Milno High School
December, 1938

Dear Santa:

I am a (student) pupil at Milne High School in Albany, N. Y. I have spent all year long being a good boy.

Now to get to the point, Mr. Claus.

I want a Lone Ranger suit. At heart, I happen to be a real drug-store cowboy. I do not collect any souvenirs. Most important of all, I should forever appreciate you if you could get me a real, live cheerleader, Sorta "Snooky."

Just to show that I don't want everything, I have some personal requests for the Milnites who can't write.

Please send Al Hets a new brother or another telegram. Al would so much like a real car.

Ship Miss Jansing a plunger; she has a new elbow she wants installed.

Robert Spack wants some goat's milk. He thinks that is the way to grow a mustache, and he wants to look like Clark Gable.

Miss Conklin wants a perfect English paper.

George Scovill needs a haircut.

Preston Robinson really could use a Devereaux Doll, with dark eyes.


Last and most important of these is to see that Milne has no Christmas homework.

So, in closing, may I thank you in advance and wish you a Happy New Year.

Your most faithful helper,

Joe.

THE YOUNGER GENERATION

The following is a composition by a young Albanian on the Birth of Christ:

It seems there was a baby to be born, and the men watching the sheep had no way of getting to the baby, so they took a taxi. Then they saw a star —oh, just a star. When they found the baby where the horses slept, he was king —king of the United States.
VACATION PREVIEWS.

HAPPY NEW YEAR

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JINGLE BELLS

MERRY CHRISTMAS.