Seniors Prepare For Graduation at Commencement

The fifty second annual commencement of the Milne School will take place in Page Hall Auditorium on June 22, 1942 at 8:15 P.M.

Dr. Herman Cooper of the New York State Education Department will be the principal speaker. Blanche Packer will give the valedictory address, and Walter Grace will present the salutatorian. The Nite Choir and Quartet will sing a few numbers between presentations. This will be the first commencement at which a Milne music department contributes.

Dr. Robert Frederick will preside over the commencement exercises, and will introduce the speakers.

The highlight of the graduation exercises will be the presentation of awards and scholarships. Marilyn Potter will receive a special award, and Corinne Edwards will be presented with an award from the Daughters of the American Revolution. Special awards for students who worked on the Navy plane building program will be given Mr. Harlan Raymond. This, as well as the Q.T.S.A. scholarship will be presented by Franklin Steinhardt, chairman of the Milne School. Steinhardt was presented with an award from the Navy.

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The Staff

Outgoing Class Entertains School

Griggs, Signer to Manage Class Night, Senior Ball

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Eight Candidates Appear With Managers Just Before Students Vote

Marking the climax of a spirited election campaign, the eight junior and senior school candidates for president and their campaign managers will address the student body today in the Page Hall Auditorium at 2:30. Their speeches will be followed by the actual voting of the student body.

The campaign has been underway since the nominees for the senior class were chosen by the junior class and the eighth graders for junior high.

Candidates and Managers

The candidates and their managers are: Edward Bookstein, Charles Cross; Benjamin Van Acker, Royden Rand; Richard Bates, William Soper; Jean Chauncey, Russell Langwig of the senior school; and Frank Bellville, Jeanette Price; Peter Hincliffe, Edward McEwan; Richard Grace, Eve Morgan; Alan Reagan, Eleanor Mann of the junior school.

Campaign Speeches

The candidates and their campaign managers will speak first, followed by their candidates. Then the Senior School campaign managers, Cross, Soper, Rand, and Langwig will make the most important speeches of the day. There is some speculation that the candidates themselves will make longer speeches than usual, contrary to precedent.

After all the speeches have been made, the candidates will leave the assembly and the floor will be open for discussion. All students will have a chance to express their views before the meeting is adjourned.

Students to Vote

After the adjournment of the meeting, students will retire to their individual rooms. The ballot box will be conducted by the homeroom representatives to student council.

The seventh and eighth graders will vote for the junior school nominees. Freshmen will vote in both elections since they will be in the senior school next year. Sophomores, juniors, and seniors will vote only for the Senior Council president.

Voting will be counted after school in the office by both Senior and Junior School Student Council members. The counting is expected to take less than an hour. Any student wishing to know the results may wait until the counting is finished.
The End of A Perfect Year

Another day, another week, and another year has passed. Once again the time has come when school like Milne has made this year, 1941-42, one of its most progressive. There have been many new additions and ideas in the school, and these new improvements are noteworthy.

It might be appropriate to begin with the music department. This certainly is a credit to Milne, and to Albany. A recent news article concerning the musical concert put on by this new department stated that the choir was one of the best ever heard. All over the city much acclaim has been given Mr. Roy York for his fine job of conducting the school music.

The printed paper has been another valuable addition to Milne's achievements. Few people realize the difficulty of making such a large change as from a mimeographed paper to a printed paper. Considering that this is the CRIMSON AND WHITE's first year, it is also easy to see that it has developed a feature of which Milne can be proud.

About the most popular addition to Milne is in the person of one Kooman Boyce, director of boys' athletics. He has greatly enlarged the boys' physical education department, and has developed athletic teams which have made other school teams take notice. He has created an interest for the younger boys and has secured greater game attendance.

On the humorous but practical side is the fountain on the first floor. After many years of campaigning and petitions, the water fountain was installed this year. According to the great demand for it in previous years, this must have been a necessity, and since Milne has it this year it shows that this is a banner year.

All these new additions are of major importance. They help to characterize the fine school that Milne is. This is the end of a very successful year.

Senior Spotlight
Blanche Packer

Blanche Packer, our valedictorian this year, has been one of our most active senior girls. She has held several responsible positions which include president of the Red Cross, co-editor of the Bricks and Ivy, and a member of the class night committee. Blanche spends most of her spare time playing the piano. At Class Night she will play. Besides her other work, she accompanies the seventh grade glee club. Eating cherry pie and listening to Nelson Eddy or Benny Goodman are other favorite past times. When asked what movie actor and actress she preferred, she immediately replied, Ray Milland and Olivia de Havilland. Playing tennis and dancing are her favorite sports. It's heard that she is very good dancer. As for her dislikes, the only real one is Guy Lombardo.

Next year Blanche plans to attend Julien Mandell in New York. Someday she'll be teaching public school music.

—Philip Snare

Philip Snare, Milne's contribution to the musical world, has been a very prominent member of the senior class, and has held several positions this year. As president of HI-Y, treasurer of his class, and a member of the Class Night committee, he has kept very busy.

"Archie," as he is called by his special friends, is primarily interested in music, which is very well known for its ability throughout the school. During this year he has been the president of the music council and assistant conductor of the band and choir. The band and quartet could not have gotten along without his talent in the bass section.

Although Phil is partial to opera, he does not dislike swing. His favorite opera is Wagner. After graduation, he is going on with his study of music at the Eastman School of Music in Rochester. The Ehning Quartet is shown by his liking for roast beef, Yorkshire pudding, and Thomas Mitchell. His favorite sport is swimming and his favorite reading Gone With The Wind.

Things to Come

Monday, June 1—College Commencement, Tuesday, June 2—Baseball, Milne vs. BCMS, Ridgefield Park

Wednesday, June 3—Baseball, Milne vs. CBA, Bleeker Stadium

Thursday, June 4—Junior School Classes Over

Friday, June 5—9:00—Baseball, Milne vs. BCMS, Ridgefield Park

Saturday, June 6—9:00—Eleventh Grade Exams

Friday, June 12—School Dismissal

Monday, June 15—College Commencement, Friday, June 18—Regents Week

Monday, June 22—5:15—25th Commencement
Jean Chauncey

Jean L. Chauncey was born in Pittsfield, New York, on September 29, 1925. She has lived in several small towns in New York State, but before moving to Albany in August, 1940, she lived for eight years in Penn Yan, and attended Penn Yan Academy. There she gained recognition for herself as a leader. In her sophomore year at Penn Yan Academy, Jean was vice-president of the class and student council representative. Besides being a member of the Tri-Y, a branch of the Y.W.C.A., she was elected to Alpha Sigma Eta, which is the school honorary society. This is only Jean's second year in Milne, but she has proven herself worthy of an office such as president by her co-operative spirit and her willingness to take responsibilities. She has been very active in Zeta Sigma Literacy Society. During her sophomore year, Jean was a member of the class, and this year she is vice-president. The latter position has had many duties attached to it. She has been appointed Associate Editor of the Crimson and White Staff for next year.

Jean has been elected Secretary of the Albany City Youth Council. This is a very responsible position for she must keep a record of all the young people's societies in Albany and Delmar. She is also secretary of her own young people's society.

This year she represented Milne at the Student's Institute of National Government which was held in Washington, D.C. Many schools from all over the United States sent delegates. The students planned a publication which recently came out, and Jean was chosen as Associate Editor. She made three speeches to the conference concerning the publication while there. Many excellent ideas for better understanding of government were learned by the students who attended this conference. Ideas of this kind could be put into practical use here in Milne if you gave Jean a chance to lead your student government for next year. If you cast your ballot for Jean, you will be assured of an eventful, and successful year. You will have much to look forward to with her as president.

Belleville For President

Think It Over—Then Vote For

Jean Chauncey

Ben VanAcker

Benjamin Van Acker, son of Benjamin and Mildred Van Acker, was born on May 5, 1926 in Albany and has resided in Clinton Heights. He attended the district school there until the eighth grade, when he entered Milne.

He immediately became a popular member of his class. That year he was a candidate for the presidency of Junior High Student Council. In his freshman and sophomore years he was vice-president of his homeroom. He has belonged to many different clubs; at present he is a member of Le Cirque Francais (commonly known as the French Club). Last year he joined Theta Nu and has been an active member of the society since that time.

Ben likes to play softball and tennis, enjoys reading historical novels and listening to Bob Hope, and enjoys Milne to any other school. He has studied piano for many years and his main hobby is music. He has had business experience, banding a bookkeeping job for several summers and also part-time work during the winters. Although occupied by his many interests, Ben's school marks have consistently stayed in the high 80's.

Ben has always been a respected and well-liked member of his class. He has a pleasing personality and has always proved capable when the opportunity has arisen. A sense of humor is necessary in any responsible job. Ben certainly has one, as his friends will know.

Thus, Ben has all of the qualifications of a good president. Remember this when you are voting today!
Every day, every week, all year, the same sights are seen in the corridors of Milne, and around the campus: couples walking in the halls; teachers kicking out pupils; supervisors peeking in doors; all these things are familiar sights. A few of these things are listed below.

Our own May Queen of '42
Is usually in the halls talking
To her beloved, Lois H. Voss.
Running around the bases
You'll find "Ket."
The best athlete
To hit Milne yet!
Walking down the corridors
Peeking in the doors,
Miss Shaver catches lots of kids
In the midst of spit ball wars.

There was a time when the soccer team
Would meet up with the baseball team
And play a friendly game.
But now, they play only against
Themselves in the gymnasium.

And now, for the last time,
Let us remember all the fun
We had at Milne this year.
We hope to see you all again
Next year in the halls.

Saying good-bye to our friends,
We wish them all the best.
And to those who are leaving,
We hope you have a good life.

Elinor Mann

Richard Grace—
Richard M. Grace, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Grace, was born in Albany. Dick, as he is known to all his classmates, has moved around a lot in the past years. He attended School No. 16 and the Voorheesville school before entering Milne in 1940.

He is very fond of scouting and now holds the position of Star Scout of his troop. In the future Dick hopes to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest standing in the Boy Scouts.

An appreciator of music, Dick spends much of his spare time in collecting records or playing the piano. He also enjoys swing music and likes Harry James. Baseball and basketball are his favorite sports. His main interest is journalism at present, and he hopes to work on a large newspaper someday.

Dick Grace, friend of all and with eyes always toward the future, is your man for president of the Junior Student Council.

Eve Morgan

Peter Hunting—
Peter Hunting is a member of the famous "Hunting Clan." He has been preceded in Milne by five other Huntingtons and there is one more to follow. But this has not been his only claim to fame, for Pete has made himself known in all Milne activities.

His main interest has always been in sports. He is a good swimmer and has won many diving contests. He likes to ride horses and to read books by Zane Grey. He likes big dogs, ice cream, and Helen O'Connell. Glenn Miller's is his favorite band, and he thinks Bob is tops.

Last year Pete was the president of the game club. This year he belongs to the record club. He is captain of the athletic teams of his class and has been vice-president of his homecoming committee the past two years.

Pete has won the respect of his fellow classmates by being a swell sport and he holds to those same rules of sportsmanship to the leadership of Milne's student democracy.

Edward McEwan

Frank Belleville—
Frank Belleville, candidate for the senior high presidency is a likeable chap, has been the holder of many official positions in the two years he has been a student of Milne.

Frank has been president of his homecoming for two years, and now is president of the cooking club. He is an excellent cook, brownies being his specialty.

A friend of every one. Frank has a gift for brightening up the dark face of life. Frank is regarded as a little brother, and to the boys, he is a swell fellow.

Frank's marks are good. He is sound in his opinions and a good thinker, which is always good qualities. For getting along with and staying there, Frank Belleville is your man. Everyone will agree that Frank is small, but his heart is big.

Jeanette Price
Milne Loses to Schuyler In Ridgefield Park Game

Milne Gets Only One Hit Off Falcon Pitcher

Milne was beaten at Ridgefield Park Tuesday, by a not too superior Schuyler team, 4-0. Though Simons, the pitcher and Ryan, the catcher were quite good, the remainder of the team was not sensational. On the Milne end of the lineup was Tom Dyer pitching and "Dutch" Ball catching. Tom held the Falcons down to six hits, striking out four men.

Schuyler Leads
In the first Schuyler garnered 2 runs on a single, three errors and a wild pitch. It all happened with two out. In the fifth the Falcons got another on a triple by Simmons. In the second inning, Len Jones made a one base hit, Milne's only hit of the game, reached second on a steal and tied on an error of the Trent, Schuyler's second baseman.

Short Rally
In the fifth Milne had a short rally, when Len Jones struck out, "Dutch" Ball and Tom Dyer all got on base. However, nothing came of it.

There was an interesting diversion in the fifth inning when a rabbit Milne fan suggested sending an eye chart to Urn Bartsin. In the last inning John Brown, Bob Ball were put out on an assist between shortstop and the first baseman. Joe Hunting walking to first, and "Dutch" Ball flied out to the left field ending the ball game.

Box score:

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Three errors by the Milne team.

Golfers Start Season With Four Close Tiltts

After five long years of inactivity Milne's gold team is back to work. Marvin Hecker, '43, is captain and Mr. O'Chran of the English department is the coach. The other members of the team are; Sidney Stein, '42, Hal Game, '43, Marty Swartz, '43, Cornell Heidenreich, '44, and Lee Aronowitz, '45.

Out of the four matches the team has played they have won two. However, all of these were close games. In one of the matches with Bethlehem Central High School both teams were tied at the last hole and they had to play an extra one, which Delmar won. The other matches were with C. H. A., Mount Pleasant, and a second one with Delmar which Milne dropped. The team's home course is the Albany Municipal Links, where they practice free of charge on week days. The boys only have two more matches on this course, one with Albany High and one with LaSalle School of Troy.

V. I. Beats Milne On Diamond, 4-0

On the 18th of May Milne met Vincentian in a second diamond clash between the two teams. Vincentian won the tilt 4-0 to even the score between the schools.

Vincentian took the initiative in the first when they scored three runs. It all happened on two singles, a double and three errors by the Milne team. After this John Jansing held the Lions to only one hit. VI did not manage to get a man on in the next five innings. In the seventh they scored the final run on a walk, two errors and a wild pitch.

Jansing Pitches
John Jansing pitched for Milne and "Dutch" Ball caught. John gave up only 4 hits and walked but two men. The Milne team committed five errors which played a good part in the VI score.

Milne was unable to get a man on first by hook or crook in the first four innings. In the fifth Hal Game singled for the first Milne hit. Then Bob Ball reached first on an error as Game took second. Byrnes, the Lions' pitcher, bore down in the clutch and struck the next two players out to end the inning.

Peculiar Play
In the sixth Milne got another man on first on a very peculiar play. Jansing hit a ball that seemed to be a sure ground hit into right field. Hal Game would have been out, but with Jansing on first on a very peculiar play.

In the seventh Hal Game garnered 2 runs on a hit and a walk. Jansing hit a ball that seemed to be a sure ground hit into right field. Hal Game would have been out, but "Dutch" Ball flied out to end the inning.

Spring Sports
As this is the last issue of the paper, it will be impossible to give a full summary of spring sports. However, you will find as complete a report as we were able to compile.

To all who would like to know, a full summary of spring sports will be shown. Sunday, the Fort Orange Riding Stables sponsored a show. Those who were present said the show was great success.

Margie Wright's

Now that another school year has almost ended, it is time to look back at the successes and misses of the girls' sports. Remember the Hockey days? Milne participated in many, but mostly in various schools in this area. Whenever an all-star team was chosen, Milne was represented by three or four players. After the snow covered the ground and it was too cold to be running around out of doors, the basketball season was over. The basketball schedule was fairly well broken up. At the basketball playdays Milne seemed to do pretty well.

The Annual Antics was a great success. The freshman-sophomore came ended in a tie while the juniors defeated the seniors in the championship games. The Girls' Athletic Council was chosen at that time. M. Betty Potter, president of the organization, together with Miss Hitchcock chose the girls to represent the girls' athletics through the council.

Right after the basketball season came the softball games. In the only varsity games played were with the State College team. Both of the games were defeats for Milne. The majority of the games played were class games. The junior class took over the rest of the classes. The girls are now going over to the park during their gym classes to play tennis. The sophomores and juniors are holding their own regular tournaments. The results are not as yet complete.

This year quite a bit has been done with swimming and life saving. The lif-savers are now trying to finish the required hours. Two horseshoe games have taken place this past week. On Saturday the Milne Riding Club presented the annual show. Sunday, the Fort Orange Riding Stables sponsored a show. There were three riders from Milne participating.

Batting Averages

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* Does not include recent Schuyler game.
BOYS COMPLETE DEFENSE PROJECT

The boys of Milne have been working on the completion of model planes for the U.S. government, and hope to complete their quota of fifty planes to be sent to the Navy within the next two weeks. Outstanding work in the Junior High has been done by Sherman Kimmelblatt of the ninth grade, who has completed six models and is beginning work on his seventh. In the Senior High, John Camp has maintained the same average.

COOPER AS CHAIRMAN

Dr. Edward Cooper, as Chairman of Inspection, will award official Navy certificates according to the number of planes completed satisfactorily by each boy.

MEMBERS


NINE ENTRIES


Dr. Cooper has said of this project, "I feel that the boys are all to be commended upon the fine workmanship shown, and the patience it must have taken to obtain such admirable results." I certainly wish that the entire student body could have seen these models, for I am sure they would have been as impressed as I with the display as a whole.

JUNIOR SCHOOL EXAMS

7th Grade, Friday, June 5
9:10—Math—123, 124, 125, 126.
9:10—English—123, 124, 126, 135.
11:10—General Science—123, 124.
126, 135.

8th Grade, Monday, June 8
9:10—Math—123, 124, 126, 135.
9:10—English—123, 124, 126.
11:10—Commerce—123, 124, 126.
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All exams that are not listed above will be taken during the class period.

COMPLETE RIDING HABITS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

ARMY AND NAVY STORE

90 SOUTH PEARL

ALBANY, N. Y.

Open Evenings: 5-9:30

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FACULTY OK’S HOLIDAY

Monday morning, June 1, 528 State College seniors will slowly and tearfully receive their graduation diplomas. I hope that Milne students will cheerfully enjoy a holiday. After much discussion and deliberation the faculty agreed to give the students an extra day for their weekend.

FRESHMAN STARS IN 7TH HORSE SHOW

Barbara Brookman, ‘45, was the star of the seventh annual Milne Horse Show last Saturday, May 23, at the Fort Orange Riding Stables. It began with a drill and different classes followed. Those riders who did ride were as follows: 1st hands (beginners)—1st, Lois Mosher, ‘45; 2nd, June Brookman, ‘43; 3rd, June Brookman, ‘43, and Barbara Brookman, ‘45, in threes and pairs. The results were as follows: 1st, June Brookman; 2nd, June Brookman and Miriam Stienhardt, ‘45; 3rd, Barbara Brookman, ‘45, and Eury Perfer, ‘45.

MUSICAL CHAIRS GAME

Harry Mosher, ‘44, Jumping Class (advanced)—1st, Miriam Stienhardt, ‘43; Barbara Brookman, ‘45; and Harry Mosher, ‘44, 3rd, June Brookman.

ANOTHER HORSE SHOW

Sunday the Fort Orange Riding Stables conducted a horse show. Milne was represented by Marjorie Wright, June Brookman, both ‘43, and Barbara Brookman, ‘45. In threes and Barbara and June Brookman in pairs. The horses took second place and the pairs, third place.

This is the first show sponsored by the Fort Orange Riding Stables and Milne proved herself "tops."

MILNE NETMEN BEAT SCHUYLER ON HOME COURT

by Stanley Ball, ‘45

With over half of their schedule already played, the Milne Tennis Team faces the remaining of their opponents practically assured of a highly successful season, the first such season in the history of the team. The year’s schedule includes double matches with Rensselaer, Columbia, Bethlehem Central, Schuyler, and Albany High Schools.

In the opening match, the team broke a two year losing streak by swamping Rensselaer High, 5-0. With co-captain John Poole, ‘42, playing first singles, and Lee Aronowitz, ‘45, Edward Bookstein, ‘43, and co-captain Fred Stutz, ‘42, playing successive singles, the team took all the singles. Stutz and Bookstein teamed up to take the doubles match and make the victory complete.

The boys showed no signs of weakening for their next trial saw them whitewash Columbia High, 7-0, without the efforts of co-captains Stutz and Poole. In this match Aronowitz, Walter Grace, ‘43, Bookstein, Harry Culp, ‘43, and Allen Kendell, ‘42, captured all the singles successively. Aronowitz and Bookstein then took the first doubles, while Culp and Grace took the second doubles.

In their next match with a powerful Albany High squad, the fellows suffered a severe 7-0 setback. This was repeated with an even stronger Bethlem Central squad. The double setback was what the boys didn’t expect, however, for they soon came back to play a thrilling and heart-breaking match with Albany High. The store finally stood 4-3 but that didn’t tell the story.

After taking a 3-2 lead in the singles, the team dropped both doubles, and the final match. The boys were undaunted by this, however, and faced Schuyler High last Tuesday determined to try. The result was a 6-1 victory for the Milne netmen. Aronowitz won a very hard first singles while Poole lost an equally almost first singles. Grace, Stutz, Bookstein, Culp, and Mendel took the rest of the singles.

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