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Musical Group Plans Festive Xmas Assembly

The annual Christmas Assembly is scheduled to take place this afternoon in the Page Hall auditorium at 2:30 P.M., under the supervision of Mr. Roy York, the band instructor here in Milne. A program has been planned which will include participation of the Senior Choirs, the Male Ensemble, the Milnettes, the band and the participation of the audience.

Male Ensemble Opener

The Male Ensemble and band will open the program with "Adesite Fideles," and "Silent Night." The Junior Choir will continue with "Adeste Fideles," and "Silent Night." The Milnettes, the band and the Senior Choirs, the Male Ensemble, the Milnettes, the band and the participation of the audience.

Senior Class Select "A Little Honey"

The Senior Class has decided on their choice for a Senior play. At a meeting held in the music room, December 13, the class approved the choice of the Play Committee, who favored the comedy, "A Little Honey," by William Davidson.

The Play Committee, including Barbara Betham, chairman, Sally Cooper, Joan Clark, and Beverly Cohen, has announced that Lois Prescott will direct the cast. Lois Prescott was chosen from the Senior class as an example of their ability and leadership. Miss Conklin, English supervisor and Senior Class advisor, informed the class of the play's discussion. The play, in the first choice, "A Little Honey," was four male characters. The second choice, "Joan of Arc," has been chosen by the Milne Cola Company to present them at the school's annual Christmas Assembly, which will be held January 14, 1947.

Casting Bogun

Casting has started this week under the direction of Miss Conklin and Arthur Soderfeld, a veteran member of the Dramatics Class. Mrs. Soderfeld begins actual direction of the play very soon. Miss Conklin has expressed her interest in the play and has stated, "It has been very nice to work with the play committee and help them make their choice. I am very pleased with their selection. In my opinion, the class will have a lot of fun doing this play."

Abernethy Heads Dance Committee

The sixth annual Alumni Ball will be held on Saturday, December 21, in the Eagle Room of Pierce Hall, State College, Girls' dormitory, from 9:00 to 11:00 P.M. The dance is to be semi-military, and Fred Gillespie's Band will furnish the music.

The Junior Class has been given the responsibility of planning the dance and dance committees of all dancing should be handled according to the rules. General Chairman is Robert Abernethy. Junior Highs have been sent to the members of the last six graduating classes. The committee in charge consists of Jean Fausel, Sue Pelletier, Sally Gaas, Marie Schmidt, Jess Barret, John Thompson, Frank Mohling and Neil MacIntosh. Those who are nominated will be chosen—February 14, 1947.

Decorations Omitted

No decorations committee is necessary this year, said Mr. Abernethy, due to the fact that the Engle Room has been completely decorated.

Refreshments at the ball will be handled by the Adelphi Literary Society. The idea originated last year in the committee headed by Alan Mestik, Barb Leslie is in charge of registration.

Abernethy Expresses Thanks

Mr. Abernethy, when recently interviewed, stated, "I wish to take this opportunity to thank the members of the committee for their help. Let's all turn out and make the sixth annual Alumni Ball the best yet."

Pul-o-e-e-e!

As a special request from the faculty, students have been asked not to leave their books on the mural walls in the first floor and the stairway. These books are very apt to be lost or knocked to the floor and damaged. The interest of good looks and the safety of your possessions please refrain.
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Has Anyone Seen Christmas?

Of gosh, I don't see Christmas anywhere. I've looked just about everywhere and only see those wreaths and some holly that looked kind of droopy, and some awfully expensive presents that used to be so cheap, and there were lots of them then too. I wanted Christmas badly this year 'cause everyone says that the war is over now and holidays ought to be different. This really isn't Christmas, is it? People are not playing the Christmas carols in their houses. Joe and I have been to several parties and only once did we hear the Christmas carols. I guess people are not putting up Christmas trees anymore. What use is it to put up a Christmas tree when there is no one to enjoy it? Everyone is too busy working to enjoy Christmas. I think that Christmas is really beginning to lose its meaning.

DICK FRENCH

For: It looked like Old Hame Nite last Friday, and we were sure to glad to see the gang back. Loudly rooting for M.H.S. were: Carl French, '40, Bob Ball, '40, Bill Baker, '41, Franklin Leeds, '41, Chuck Cross, '43, Ed Kelemen, '43, Frank Blake, '43, Mac McDonald, '45, Bill Weed, '46, Ann Graham, '46, Frankie Argle, '46, Dick More Morgan, '46, and George Brown, '46. It was another great evening, and we sure enjoyed it. We hope to see you all back next year.

win 'n Ohio

AL MESKIL

Yes, it's another basket for the senior class's diminutive varsity forward, Aliee Meskil. Alliee's prowess is not only in basketball however, since he has been on the baseball varsity for two years. In his sophomore year he entered Hi-Y and Adelphoi. Ouch! Aliee was also a member of M. B. A. that year. He is now the hard-working treasurer of that organization. Alliee made it in the all-star team from all reports and seems to be one of the best. This year he was elected by his classmates to the office of vice-president of the Senior Class.

The Senior Class as a whole will miss Alliee's smiling countenance and friendly character after they have graduated. His dislikes include eggplant and brussel sprouts, but he attributes his lack of them to his strawberry pie and girls in general.

Alliee's reply when queried about the ideal woman included that she be about 5 ft. 3 in. or 4 in., preferably blonde, brunette, or redhead and must be easy to look at from all angles.

After he graduates (?) he plans to attend Union College.

(Dick French besides the basketball, "Red" was one of the outstanding members of the football team. Turning back to the school year, Dick French, we find him a member of Hi-Y and also joining the Theta-Nu fraternity. Dick French also enjoys society. Advancing a year, he was elected by his class to the office of Hi-Y and also joining the Theta-Nu fraternity. Dick French also enjoys society. Advancing a year, he was elected by his class to the office of Hi-Y and also joining the Theta-Nu fraternity.)

Win 'n Ohio
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As Team Drops Opening Tilts

Squad Locks Reserve Strength

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Ring-Stock hockey has now been added to our long list of intramural G.A.A. activities. The turnout has been so tremendous that there have been enough girls for ten teams. Every Monday and Wednesday afternoon these teams play off matches with one another. A team consists of three forwards, two guards, and one goalie. The idea is to penetrate the "enemy line" and ring into the goal by means of a stick. It takes quick thinking and accuracy of movement to move the puck into the goal.

Each team is comprised of representatives at every grade so that they are evenly divided. The ten teams are: Gay Appleton, Jane Simmons, Sarah McCarthy, Judy Horton, Lorraine Walker, Barbara Leete and Lydia Stein. There are also two classes in Senior Life Saving, which take place at Tuesday evening and the other is on Thursday evening from seven until nine at the Jewish Community Center. You must attend just one of the classes each week.

The riding class met two weeks ago as usual and Mr. Moynihan, riding instructor, sent them off on a long ride. At the junction with the Washington Avenue trail, after riding for about an hour, the class arrived at Germania. Mr. Moynihan, arriving before them, had built a bonfire, prepared hot dogs and cocoa for all. See what you're missing by not joining in!

The "Jarrett Raiders" continued their schedule last Saturday afternoon with another basketball game.

By the half, Milne started to roll, making a few points, but Arny High still held the limelight with the score shaping up at 23-20. The third quarter seemed to be the third quarter, having the Milne team ahead 33-20. The Milne five was able to do only single tricks so far. Despite Ozzie Seifert's claim that it scores more than the Milne five, the Milne team is better, being taliy untilded. The win was a real high for Milne.

Bobs Wyant was high for the Garnet and Gray, a boy who is making himself widely known in the area for his athletic ability. Bob tallied 11 for the winners. On the loser's bench, there was some competition for Bob Clarke, Milne's rangy junior center, was credited with twelve points, the afternoon's high.

The main weakness displayed by the Milne boys was their lack of skill in the conversion of foul shots.

The Jayvee lost also, thus completing the picture. Final score was 27-23. Don Talbot paced the losers with four points.
MYER'S NEEDS MORE OF THOSE SILVER-MAN SMILES!

SENIOR SENSATIONS - HUBBA!

NO WONDER FLAIR'S MAKE A MILLION!

CAREFUL, THEY MIGHT BE FOUR, SIZES TOO BIG, KIDS!

THE ALUMNI BALL COMMITTEE - ANGELIC, AIN'T THEY?

BY THE WAY, MARGIE SOLD THE TIE!

ENJOYING YOURSELF, MR. BAUER?

THE 'IRRETRIEVABLE ONE' RACKS OFF!

WIM, WIGOR AND WITALITY - PLUS!

WELL, IF IT ISN'T OUR LITTLE JUNIOR ACCOUNTANT!

EVEN THE SENIORS ENJOY THEMSELVES

BUT 'PROFESSOR, IT CAN'T BE THAT DULL CAN IT?'

DEAR SANTA: I WANT A GREAT BIG BLONDE - PLEASE!

MYERS NEEDS MORE OF THOSE SILVER-MAN SMILES!!

THE SOPHS APPARENTLY LOST THEIR SHOES.
Resolutions Reveal How We Feel!

Ho hum! New Year’s around again, so we kind of thought we’d make a few promises, sooo—

Betsy Dunne swore off strawberry-coated Dixie cups—taffy red.

Jack Gade has promised to do all work and no play from now on! (You’re kiddin’!)

Sally Greer is to pass History; or should it be, make History.

Ben Mendel will gain mighty muscles so he can be as strong as Eddie Long.

June Norton will work to make a few promises, sooo—

Frank Coburn’s giving up the back seat from January 1 until June.

Margie Norton will grow 10 inches; she wants to see the light.

Judy Hunting will make a few promises, sooo—

Carol Spence will work to make a few promises, sooo—

Joe’s Book Shop
27 Steuben St.
Wasley Announces Coming Assembly

In accordance with the precedent established through the years, the French Department in Milne has planned a French Assembly for February 7, 1947, under the direction of Miss Ruth Wasley, French Supervisor. Quite a number of the students from the French II and French III classes are participating and have started rehearsing their various parts.

Sketch Planned

A sketch is planned to open the entertainment with Sally Gaus, Margie Bookstein, Barbara Betham, and Roger Gross participating. The sketch is intended to be humorous and will deal with some phase of French life. Following this, Jess Barnet will play "Clair de Lune" by Debussy, a French composer.

A patriotic pageant is also planned for the program. This will feature the entire class singing in French. Some of the songs to be included are: "My Buddy," "Keep the Home Fires Burning," "Mademoiselle from Armentieres," and "Aupres de Ma Blonde."

The finale is to be a candle lighting ceremony, and will show the liberation of people to their great leaders, who liberated them from their oppression.

Miss Wasley Pleased

Miss Wasley has been doing a good deal of work on the project and hopes to make the assembly an especially outstanding one.

Season's Greetings

The Little Folks Shop

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Clancy Releases Xmas "Presents"

Christmas comes but once a year, but the offices manages to supply the student body with many doubtful "presents" throughout the year, numbered and recorded. Thus they are out again with the brains listed below.

Walked John

Congliola Ann

Gros, Janet

Tally, Eleanor

Pizas, Helen

Deeman, Stanley

Lente, Barbara

Devey, Barbara

Suter, Charles

Givens, Marlene

McMullin, Theodore

Krahmer, Hans

Batham, Nancy

Kaplan, Don

Siegil, David

Horton, Joan

Larson, Grace

Lawrence, Mary Jane

Hendle, Ben

Mayer, Donald

Odd, Mary Jane

Barnet, Jess

Richter, Lena

Jansen, Mabel

Schlicht, Marie

Dek, Grace

Bemath, Barbara

Goewey, Elizabeth

Gladis, Janet

Levick, Leslie

Gaus, Sally

Gross, Roger

Lerner, Joan

Hi-Y Welcomes New Members

The annual Hi-Y initiatives take place Wednesday night, December 4, in the small gym of the YWCA. It was announced by the organization's president, Don J., and sponsored by the Milne High School. The initiates into the Milne Hi-Y Club include Sophomores, Pete Ball, Ray Patin, J. R. Conniff, Jim Sink, George DeMoss, Jane Buken, Lane Johnson, and Pete McDonough.

The initiation, supervised by Mr. McGovern, included such antics as ice cream, punch, and a dance. A prize was awarded to the group with the most enjoyable program for the evening.

Dear Joe and Josie Milnite:

You probably are now in the midst of whirling Christmas shopping. Well, here’s a bit of suggestions to please almost anyone on your Christmas list.


Capitol has put out an arrangement of the hit of Fibber McGee and Molly, "The Night Before Xmas." It contains renditions of the famous poem. The King's Men and Billy Mills' orchestra lend the background.


For a good grapple of songs for dancing try "Cavalier's" latest album. It contains "Dancing in the Dark," "The Very Thought of You," and "Body and Soul," all excellent songs done in that irresistible style.

Something new in the way of albums is the one done by Vaughn Monroe. It's called "Dreamland Special" and for a very good reason. All the songs have the word "dream" in their title. Some of them are "My Dreams Are Getting Better All the Time," "Dream," "Isle of Golden Dreams," and others to delight the Monroe fans. Priced at around $5.00.

Merry Christmas, kids. See you next year!

Forever—Ambler.

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