Student Teacher Tea Attracts Large Crowd
Cookies Highlight Semi-Annual Affair
By NAN BIRD
The fifth Student Teacher Tea was held Tuesday, October 5, in the lounge of Richardson Hall. This semi-annual affair is sponsored by the G.A.A. Council with the cooperation of Mrs. Barsam and the entire Home Economics department. Approximately 155 attended the tea, including new teachers and the faculty of Milne. Mr. Fossieck gave a short welcoming address.
When talking to Miss Murray after the tea, she remarked that this was the best tea so far, "They seem to improve every year," she said, "and so do the cookies."
Home Ec. Serves Cocktails
There were twelve different varieties and over 1,000 cookies, even after all the samples had been eaten. Despite the great number, the supply was exhausted before the end of the tea.
Joan Horton, Janet Kilby, Barbara Dewey, and Barbara Leeie poured. The members of the G.A.A. Council with the aid of Gloria Edwards, Marion Siesel, Joan Mosher and Nancy Simmons served during the afternoon.
Junior High Plans To Hold Reception
Milne's annual Junior High School Reception will take place October 15, in the Page Hall gym from 7:30 to 10:30.
The reception is held each year so that the new junior high students may become acquainted with the junior high socials and also their teachers.
Eldridge Hopes for Success
Tom Eldridge, Junior Student Council President, is quoted as saying, "I hope it will be a successful reception and that all the students will come."
He has announced that plans for refreshments are being made by Bunny Walker and Bill Wade.

Student Tax Oddities
The first in line this year to pay his student tax, was David Brown, class of '50. Numbers two to five were Doris Metzner, 51, Harriet McFarland, 53, Allis Parker, '53, and Carole Foss, '53. Richard Walker '49, was the unfortunate soul who landed No. 13. The holder of card No. 100 is Janet Sutherland, '55.
Those who have not yet paid their student fees may be interested to know that they have until October 19. Show your school spirit by being a prompt payer!

Bricks and Ivy Sponsors Production At Playhouse, Evening of October 19
Assembly Begins New School Year
The annual inaugural assembly in Page Hall on Monday, September 27, officially opened the 1948-49 academic year in Milne. Short talks by Mr. Fossieck, the new principal, the Student Council presidents, and the school's publication editors marked the program.
The program opened with the singing of the Alma Mater. Mr. Fossieck welcomed the students back to school from their extended vacations, and then introduced the new faculty members to the student body.
Arthur Walker, Senior Student Council President, brought before the student body the problem of having a $10 student tax assessment for the coming year. He asked upon Lee Dennis, editor of the Bricks and Ivy, and Lea Paxton, editor of the Crimson and White, to explain further the proposed increase in the student tax.

Senior Class Holds Meeting
The senior class held meetings on September 28, and October 5, to discuss plans for the year's activities.
Mr. Theodore Fossieck came to the first meeting to discuss senior privileges, and then granted the class the use of the senior room. He stated, "The senior room is to be used for the educational purpose of having students learn how to spend their leisure time to the best advantage." A committee consisting of Nancy Betham, Robert Douty, Nancy Simmons and Peter McDonough was immediately appointed to enforce the accepted statutes. The provisions adopted were the same as those used last year in governing the use of the room. A rule was passed by the class in favor of giving the senior room a fresh coat of paint, and permission to do this was obtained from the faculty by Joyce Ruso, Jack Henkes, and Warren Rickles.
Planning for Play
Plans for the annual senior play are being made under George DeMoss, Bob Kelly, Joyce Ruso, and Lea Paxton, who are being advised by Mr. Richard Montgomery. The committee has chosen the comedy "Spring Dance" by Philip Barry, to be presented on November 19, and scheduled try-outs for the week of October 19.
Daniel Westbrook, president, said, "The early progress of these various committees will help make this year a successful one."

Players Give Short Preview
The Playhouse will be the scene of a bricks and Ivy benefit performance of "John Loves Mary" on Tuesday, October 19, at 8:30 p.m.
Sponsorship of the production by the Milne yearbook is one of the organization's plans to raise the money needed to publish the 1949 yearbook. Tickets for the play are being sold by David Siegal, business manager, of the Bricks and Ivy, in front of the Art room before and after school until the day of the performance.

Preview's Performance
On October 13, Mr. Malcolm Atterbury, owner of the Playhouse, will bring some of the cast of "John Loves Mary." The actors present will give the school a preview presentation of the successful Broadway comedy-romance in an assembly.
In the Playhouse production, Peter Adams and Gloria Foye are being starred in the article.
Play Stars Comedy, Romance
John is a soldier overseas who is engaged to Mary and who plans to marry her as soon as he arrives home. He meets another soldier who becomes his buddy and who saves his life. The other soldier is in love with an English girl but is returned to the States before he has time to marry her, and the girl cannot come to this country since she is not a war bride. Thinking no favor is too great in return for saving his life, decides to marry the girl, have her come to America, and then divorce her so she can marry his buddy and he can marry Mary. Too late he finds out that his buddy married another girl. Complications set in and add up, and things are not solved until the final curtain.
"For an enjoyable evening, as well as the Bricks and Ivy let's all get our tickets to see John Loves Mary" on October 19.

Fossieck, Tibbetts Get New Positions
Mr. Theodore Fossieck has been named principal of Milne. Mr. Fossieck graduated from Shurtleff College in 1927, with a bachelor of philosophy degree. He then taught English, history, and Latin for five years in a private school near St. Louis. In 1936, he received his master's degree from Washington University. During the war he served in the army, doing (Cont. on Page 4)
These things we did last summer! Who'll ever forget about the time they were trying to get a room in the Yale Club in New York, or Joyce Roberts being serenaded by bagpipers in Thatchter Park?

Bob Mull, Jo Milton, and Carolyn Miller wandered all the way to California - on one of the Thousand Islands we found Martha Fee and Neil Brown. Up Canada way we heard from Sandra Cohen and Mike Shatraw, and "Mike" Haight, Don Wilson, and Allan Schramm. Lakes, lakes, lakes! On the good Champus, Carol DeRouville, Jay Eisenhart, and Bill Butten invited themselves. Nancy Betham went to Glass Lake, Jane Lockwood to Lake Sacandaga, and Dot Blessing to Lake Placid. Beef Ball and Joan Siester went a week with Pat Ashworth at Skaneateles Lake, while Ed Butler and Don Coons had a time at Lake Dunmore. Ray Guerin and Paul Huprich spent their summer swimming at Little's Lake. Lake George prospered as much as ever. There we found Ed Lux, Anne and Jane Carrol, Chuck Gotier, and Gay Blades, Dick Baun and many others. B.J. and Bennett Thompson, Margie Potter, Joan and Judy Horton, Ronnie Vanderburgh, Nancy Shaw, and Sonia Melius are all back from Lake St. Catherine.

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Red Raiders Drop Opener;
Lux Gets 2 Touchdowns

61 Yard Runback
Highlights Contest

By EDWARD SEGEL

Displaying a good running attack and an effective air assault, Columbia High School turned back a spirited Milne six-man team by a score of 28-12. The game was played on the winner's field at East Greenbush last Friday, was played throughout a constant drizzle of rain punctuated with frequent downpours.

Milne won the toss and received as Fred Lindeman, Columbia's big center, booted to Ed Lux on his own 10 who ran the kickoff back to Columbia's 28 for 42 yards. Lux crashed through center on a handoff from Art Walker, Milne signal caller, to the 24. Bill Shupe, Columbia's halfback, blocked an attempt to recover on a recovered live ball on the 27.

Key Tackles Help

As a result of tackles by burly center, Jim Clark, and elongated Linus O'Connell, in the left end, Lew Carr, Columbia lost five yards in two successive downs. Then, Shupe, a veritable pin, punt on Milne's 39. With fourth down and three to go for a first down, Shupe, a veritable pin, punt on Milne's 33.

Gaining only four yards in three downs, the Red Raiders went into punt formation but a bad pass from center to halfback permitted the home team to take possession at the midfield stripe. They gained no ground and Shupe was forced to kick out of bounds on the Milne 15 on fourth down.

Columbia Scores First

An offside penalty moved the ball back to the 10 and Lux kicked on first down to the 40. It took Columbia more than 10 minutes to score their initial touchdown. Shupe plunged to the 32 and Pete Ashby, fleet-footed end, skirted the end zone for a 22-yard touchdown. The conversion was set up by a 33-yard pass from Walker to Ashby. The Milne 15 on fourth down.

Kick Backfires

Columbia increased their lead to 20-0 at the outset of the second quarter when Pete Ashby fashioned a brilliant 61 yard runback of the ensuing kickoff.

The halftime score was Columbia, 20; Milne, 6.

After an intermission in which the rain poured long and hard, the two mud-soaked clubs battled back and forth with an exchange of punts until Columbia capitalized on a fumble in the Harry Grogan coach's backfield. Using this break to their advantage, Columbia peved the way to its final six points as Ashby knuckled over from the eight-yard line for his second touchdown. The ball was hit by a host of tacklers on the one but bulled his way over the goal line.

Walker intercepted a short pass by Lux on his own 25. Pete Ball, his replacement, took to the air and threw two short heaves to Carr and Lux for a first down. Ball changed hands as the stout Columbia linemen held.

Paces Count

In 15 minutes of playing time remaining in the fourth quarter, Milne took over on their own 25. At this point, Walker re-entered the game and began to pitch accurate passes to Lux and Clark gaining much needed yardage to midfield. Lux gathered five more on a plunge. Walker threw a 24-yard pass to Dick Bauer, who slipped on the muddy turf as he caught the ball on the 6. A fumble placed the pigskin back on the 22. Lux caught a short pass from Walker in the flat and raced across the field into the coffin corner of the end zone for a touchdown. The Milne 15 on fourth down.

The ball was hit by a host of tacklers to make the final score of 20-12.

Discussion Marks
M.B.A.A. Meeting

On Thursday, October 7, the Milne Boys Athletic Association held its first meeting in Coach Grogan's office. The representatives from their respective classes were, Bunny Walker and Billy Wade from the eighth grade; Frank Parker and DeForest Parker from the ninth grade; Dale Christie and Jack McNeil from the tenth grade; Ted McNiel and Ed Scott, eleventh grade; while Pete McDonough represented the senior class. As yet, the seventh grade has not elected representatives. Ed Segel and Jim Clark, football and basketball managers respectively, also attended.

The first portion of business was the electing of the head manager and the treasurer. Pete McDonough was elected to the head manager's post while Hans Kramer was elected treasurer.

From voting, the trend of business turned to business at hand which was the request that is to be submitted to the Student Council. After a long discussion which probing deep into the functioning of the organization, it was decided that the M.B.A.A. would have to ask for a raise over what they were allotted last year. At this point the meeting was adjourned.

Pep Assembly
Opens Season

The assembly of Friday, October 8, was held in Page Hall auditorium as a pep rally for the opening of the Milne six-man football team's initial game that afternoon.

Ed Segel, '49, varsity football manager, addressed the student body. He stressed the fact that the M.B.A.A. would have to ask for a raise over what they were allotted last year. At this point the meeting was adjourned.

M.G.A.A. for Campus Teachers Was a Huge Success

The M.G.A.A. for Campus Teachers was a huge success. Many student teachers and faculty members attended the assembly to which there will be games and races of all kinds.

We never knew volleyball could be such fun! Well, it is and we're enjoying every minute of it in classes and after school. Until the cold weather sets in, volleyball will be played in all gyms and offered after school on Wednesday and Friday for Senior High and Wednesday and Thursday for Junior High.

Intramurals Began

Archery has been postponed until the sport of archery is changeable and Miss Murray doesn't want any frostbitten hands, legs, etc. so you can plan on archery as a spring activity.

As soon as volleyball intramurals begin October 8, the Milne Boys Athletic Association will begin for the Senior High on Wednesday and Wednesday and Friday for the Junior High. There will be 20 teams in all, 10 for the Senior High and 10 for the Junior High. There will be two hockey play days on October 16, and one about November 6 sponsored by the Mohawk Association at Emma Willard.

The council has been planning get-togethers for the entire school. After school, Larry Walker, '50, has been named senior cheerleading representative on the M.B.A.A. A spring activity.

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The squad will cheer at all basketball games. Larry Walker, '50, has been named senior cheerleading representative on the M.G.A.A.

Get-Togethers Planned

The council has been planning get-togethers for the seventh grade girls in the upper classes. Tentatively, the program consists of a roller skating party some time this month, and a picnic held in the spring for the girls in the upper classes. Tentatively, the program consists of a roller skating party some time this month, and a picnic held in the spring for the girls in the upper classes. Tentatively, the program consists of a roller skating party some time this month, and a picnic held in the spring for the girls in the upper classes. Tentatively, the program consists of a roller skating party some time this month, and a picnic held in the spring for the girls in the upper classes.

For the benefit of the new girls in Milne, here is a list of M.G.A.A. officers. Larry Walker, '50, is president, ably assisted by Barbara Leete, '50, and Judy Dietrich, '52, office manager.

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Mr. Popolizio Heads Art Dept.

Mr. Popolizio, the new supervisor of the Art department, introduced to the school by Mr. Theodore H. Fossieck, principal, in the formal assembly on September 27.

Replacing Mr. Tibbetts in the Science department, Mr. Hemmett supervises both the biology class and eighth grade science.

Mr. Fossieck received his Bachelor of Fine Arts degree at Yale in 1937, was in the army until 1943. He received his Master of Fine Arts degree at Yale in 1946. Since then he has taught at the high school in Connecticut, and New Haven School.

Mr. Clinton Roberts, social studies supervisor, for the seventh and eighth grades, comes from New York City. He taught economics and American history at Hempstead High School.

Mr. Gerald Snyder is the only new supervisor who has no student teachers in Milne. His job involves student teachers working off campus. He is a graduate of Hamilton College and did post-graduate work at Syracuse University. He has taught economics at Syracuse University and taught at Lions High School.

The English department has two new supervisors, John R. Newton and Richard W. Montgomery. The latter is a graduate of the University of Washington.

Dr. Newton comes to Milne after appointment at Milne. She attended Barnes Central School two years previous to her appointment at Milne. She attended Canajoharie Central School, to become Assistant Provost at Columbia University Teachers College.

Mr. Robert S. Fisk, former supervisor of supervision, counter-sabotage and counter-espionage work. He was overseas in Ireland, England, France, Germany and Austria from 1942-1945. Honorably discharged from the army in 1947, he came to Milne as guidance director in the fall of that year. He has now completed the requirements for a Doctor of Philosophy degree at Columbia University.

Succeeding Mr. Fossieck, Mr. Richard McAllaster is guidance director of Milne. Mr. John Tibbetts graduated from New York State College for Teachers, to become Assistant Provost at Columbia University Teachers College.

The Inquiring Reporter

By "JEFF" and "C.B."

What is your opinion of the new marking system?

By "48 Graduates"

What is your opinion of the new marking system as having marks in the music department's program?

Mr. Roy York, director of Milne's Music department has stated that the department will put on two concerts and participate in a third this year.

The biggest coming event for the Loudonville grade school was Sigma Rush, to be held on November 4, with the Sigma rush following on November 9.

Mrs. Bush, the new librarian, was advertised by Anne Carlough, president; Bettie Carothers, secretary; Nancy Simmons, treasurer; Marjorie Norton, chairman of ceremonies. Janet Kilby heads Sigma as president; Joan Clark, vice-president; Marilyn Van Ost, treasurer; Nancy Shaw, secretary; Joyce Hallett, mistress of ceremonies.

Societies Plans for Rushes

The Quin club is to be held on November 4, with the Sigma rush following on November 9.

The English department has announced two concerts and participate in a Christmas Concert, December 17.

This will be composed of Easter music and highlighted by the Hal­ leujah Chorus from Handel's Messiah.

Graduates of last year have been placed in many colleges throughout the country, the guidance office has announced.

Many graduates seen around town have numerical grades.

Jane Lonergan: "I don't like it, with A's, B's and C's you can't get any average for college."

Alice Irwin: "I think the Loudon­ ville marking system was better (percentages)."

Pete Ball: "It would be fine if E meant excellent, F was for fine and D for dandy!"

Jane Carothers: "Oh no! Then there won't be any honor roll!"

Ed Butler: "For scholastic standing, I think a percentage would be better than A, B and C."

Jane Lonergan: "It's terrible, you don't get the full benefit of your marks."

Benjamin Thompson: "This system is just clamping down on the kids that fail around in class."

Buz Sternfeld: "I like it better because it gives a more accurate picture of what the student does in school."

Barbara Tomlinson: "It reminds me too much of the junior high marking system. I think we should have numerical grades."

Bob Kelly: "The old way is bet­ ter."

Dick Briggs: "Don't mind it only I don't like the conduct part of marking."

Christine Brehm: "I think this system is entirely too general."