MILNE WELCOMES NEWCOMERS

The eighth grade has added six names to its roll of members. These new Milnettes are Marcia Hartman, Jacqueline Thompson, Wesley Jenkins, Thomas Ezell, Ralph Ohrwall, and Richard Thomson.

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Mary O'Connell, Allen Jennings, and Russell Peck are the new arrivals to the freshman class.

Three Join Sophomores

All three of the new boys in the sophomore class—live in Albany last year. Alan Gusse and Walter Ruth both attended Philip Livingston junior high school previously. Diagon Wells was a member of Vincent Institute before he transferred to Milne. On a biology field trip a few weeks ago, Diagon found out what type of water amebas live in by trying it out himself. All three boys like Milne very much, and nothing has dissaured them so far.

Peter Russell is the lone entrant in the junior class. He lives in Glenmont, N. Y., and says, "I like this school—especially the girls."

New Seniors Welcomed

The twelfth grade has been honored by the presence of three new seniors. When Edna Brady lived in college, and she had a choice of girl say, "Gosh, I'm cold," it will yet! This gal hasn't been over to Eddie's yet! The teachers' friendliness is the rival school B.C.H.S. She thinks Glenmont, N. Y., she attended our school was connected with a junior high school previously. Dixon Welb was a member of Vincentian Institute before he transferred to Milne. On a biology field trip a few weeks ago, Dixon found out what type of water amebas live in by trying it out himself. All three boys like Milne very much, and nothing has dissaured them so far.

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The Inquiring Reporter

By CRESSY and JIM

Question: What question would you like the Inquiring Reporter to ask?

Larry Berman: "Do you think football should come back to the school and why?"

Doris Perlman: "Is Eddies' here to stay?"

Nancy Redden: "What are you going to do on Hallow'en?"

Margaret Moran: "What goes on in the senior room?"

Bob Horn: "Do you think there would be enough support in the school for football?"

Vctor Hoffman: "Who will be the top football team in the country?"

Peggy Shultz: "What do you think of the cafeteria situation?"

Gene Redden: "Who do you think will win the presidential election?"

Mary Lou Delricht: "What would you like in your assemblies?"

Nancy Tripp: "What's your favorite funny book?"

Renee Rapowitz: "What do you think the new Supermen show?"

Benett Thomson: "What improvements would you like to see in the school?"

Judy Behymer: "Who's a fink?"

Bob Richardson: "What features do you like in a student teacher?"

Arline Sussar: "Who do you think was the most valuable player in the world series?"

Edward Schwartza: "Who do you think will be the next president?"

Know Your School

By BOB BULLIS

This is the first of a series of articles written to acquaint you with the organizations in Milne and their functions.

Hi-Y is a nation-wide high school youth movement working for a Christian democracy. The purpose of Hi-Y is to create, maintain, and extend high standards of Christian character in the school and throughout the community.

In 1934 the first Hi-Y club was formed in Milne. The club successfully put on two dances and held a gala bazaar and the preparation of a bill to be presented before the Student Council. The club also plans to assist in the Hi-Y projects as it has done successfully in former years.

Any sophomore, junior, or senior boy who is interested in Hi-Y is welcome to come to the Hi-Y meetings and to see how the club functions. He is also welcome to membership at any time.

This year the Milne Hi-Y is under the leadership of Dr. Snyder and Mr. Tibbetts.

Some of the kids that were having fun at Nancy Bellin's open house were: Bedford Sanderson, Diane Bunting, Isabel Ure, Mary James, Cressy McNutt, Doris Perlman, Judy Behymer, Gene Redden, Louise Snyder, Bennett Thomson, Bob Albert, and Alan Requa.

Shirley Wagoner went to an R.P.L. dance recently. A group of Milnites named Donald Smith, Mary McNamara, Dave Clarke, Allison Parker, and Donald Coombs raided the Strand Theatre.

Wishing the Academy football team best Philip Stovall up to see the Brown-Yale football game. The Madison Theatre had "standing room only" on Friday night recently. Freddie Brunner, Margaret Moran, Toby Stone, Pat Canfield, Sally Simmons, Toby Scher, Toby Goldstein, John Wiltrout, Tommy Sternefeld, Bob Vankleek, Tom Nathan, Marty Silberg, Evan Collins, Henry McNell, Alma Becker, Brud Snyder, Brender, Fred, and Louis Snyder had a slumber party for some seniors. Mary McNamara; Dave Clarke, Allison Parker, and Donald Coombs.

Peggy Shultz had a slumber party for some seniors. The sleepy ones were Sandy Baird, Harriet McFarland, and Nancy Tripp.

Watching an ex-Milinite make touchdowns at the B.C.H.S. game, Meechamsville's team name was Carole Jean Foss, Sue Crane, Allison Parker and "Beez" Sternefeld.

"Bunny" Walker and Mike Meyers traveled to Vermont for a weekend.

Evelyn Jasper had a party for Judy Webber, Mary Killough, Bob Jackie, Torner, Paul Howard, Bruce, and Barry Fitzgerald and Harvey Schleifstein.

Enjoying the football season, Bob Dennis traveled to New Haven to see the Brown-Yale football game.

Ruthe Dyer wanted to see the ocean but she had to be contented seeing the Broadway show "South Pacific" during her weekend visit to New York.

The movies seem to attract the Milnite kids. Alice Erwin, Bill Hoffman; Diane Davidson, Bill Bullion; Harriet McFarland, Bill Wade; Adelia Lather, Jerry Hanley were some of the kids that went to see "Bathing Beauty." The 9th grade also went to see this movie as a class project.

ALUMNEWS

Wedding bells rang for many ex-Milnites this past summer. Suzanne Laven '51 married William Freedman. Barbara Leslie '46 is now Mrs. Theodore Lindstedt. Carol Boyanoff married Nelson Pike, and Mary Jane Fiske '48 married Philip Stoughton. Two Milnites, Lorraine Webber '45 and Larry Clarke '46 were wed in June. They are now living in Tampa, Florida.

Among those seen around Albany the past summer were Barbara Tomlinson, Barbara Steeman, Marion Siedel, George McNell, John Honick, Lois, Edith Cross, Beverly Ball, and Doris Metzner, all of '51.

Bob Mull '51 and Chuck Kritzler '50 visited school this fall. Chuck, a marine, is back from Korea and is now stationed in Connecticut.

Many of last year's graduates have entered college this fall. Joan and Janet Sutherland and Mary Phillips are attending Boston College. Beryl Tracy and Penny Thompson are attending Purdue and Lasell junior college respectively. Sheldon Snyder, Gerry Lazz and Sheldon Cooper are all studying at Syracuse, while "Dee" Parker is at Princeton. Both Bill Brady and Bob Norris are attending Morrisville.

"Annie" the '52 is now in a U. S. Naval hospital with pneumonia.

—Nancy 'n Sue.
Is Football Worth It?

Learn the Facts!

The following article is an attempt on my part to present the facts concerning the renewal of football at Milne. It is not written with the idea of discouraging or encouraging football, but merely to present the issue as clearly as possible. That was my goal, and if reached no one will feel that he did not know the whole story.

Before we study the immediate problem let's get the story up to date. Last year the Milne football team was discontinued because the equipment which had been used in previous seasons was worn out. There had not been enough funds allotted for repairs and replacements.

When the original equipment was no longer usable there were but two choices; either to completely re-outfit the squad or to discontinue playing football. The student body decided to stop football, although there was enough money in the Sinking Fund to purchase the necessary equipment.

In the 1952 and 1953 New York State Budgets the Legislature requested funds for the renewal of football. Unfortunately both requests were refused. No one can assume therefore that the money must come from our pockets. The Sinking Fund still contains a usable outfit. However, when the 1952-53 Student Council budget was passed, over one-half of the entire budget was indicated for their individual ballots that the Sinking Fund should be allotted for football.

Now that we are up to date, I would like to present the following approximate estimates of the cost of outfitting an 18 man football squad.

- **Helmet** $252.00
- **Shoulder Pads** $252.00
- **Hip Pads** $162.00
- **Shirts** $126.00
- **Rib Cap** $72.00
- **Pants** $324.00

Total Cost $1,188.00

It must be understood that this is only sufficient equipment to outfit 18 men, not including practice suits or smaller miscellaneous items. The equipment listed here would be of good quality.

Here, then, is the big question. Can we afford the $1,188.00 a year beyond the $1,000.00 allotted to the M.B.A.A. Let's take a closer look at the $1,000.00 at the $1,000.00.

Five Minilites With County Champs

Five of Milne's varsity baseball players saw action with the Blanchard Post American Legion team of Delaware this past summer. The Milne players who held down first team positions were: Dave Clarke, first baseman; Art Mielus, outfielder; Bill Wade, second baseman, and Doug BillIon, short stop. Jud Lockwood also saw much action as utility outfielder and infielder.

These players along with several others from Bethlehem Central high school, won 16 out of 18 league games to capture the Albany County Championship. As a result of winning the county title the Blanchard Post represented Albany in the state finals.

In the District finals at Hawkins Stadium, they whipped Collekeill twice by scores of 2 and 13 to 1. From there they ventured to Schenectady Stadium and came out on top with a final score of 8 to 2. The Blanchard team then headed into the state semi-finals against White Plains of New York City. The Blanchards fought hard but lost 3 to 0, and were eliminated from the state finals.

The Blanchard Post was rated as the second best team in New York.

Juniors Unbeaten

The Milne junior class "pick-up" football squad, captained by Judson Lockwood, is undefeated thus far. In their first game of the year they easily whipped a team from St. Joseph's school by a score of 36-0. Following the first victory, the squad played against V.I.-Albany High club 21-0. Contest number three was a 86-4 whipping of an Oak Hill school. The juniors have racked up a total of 137 points this season, while their opponents have notched a grand total of six.

Intramurals Start

BY DON SMITH

The suggestion of having intramural football was brought before Milne's three literary societies and the vote cast was in favor of adopting football. A general committee was chosen when the societies unanimously elected Peter Meyers as commissioner, with Bob Seiter, Larry Moyer, and Marty Wolman as assistants.

A bulletin was received from Commissioner Peter Meyers' office which indicated that Theta Nu was victorious over Theseum by the score of 18-8 in the first game of the 1952 season.

The strong and aggressive Theta Nu squad elected to kick off to the Theseum "eight," as the game officially began. Theta Nu's outstanding passer, Bill Wade, forced him to throw passes wide of their mark. After four incomplete passes, Theta Nu took possession of the ball and marched all the way for their first touchdown on a long pass from quarterback to left end Don Coombs. Theseum retaliated with their lone touchdown on a well executed run by Bill Wade.

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Cheerleaders

The basketball season is almost here and the varsity squad for this year consists of Joan Canfield '56, Judy Jenkins '56, Ginny Dyer '56, Jackie Torner '56, and Jackie Marks '56. Instead of electing a captain, the 1952-53 squad will take turns being captain at each game to give them all a chance to call the cheers.

That's all the news from the gal's corner for now.

Ruthie Rites

According to the weatherman it's almost time to put away the volleyball nets and take out the hockey sticks. Since the opening of school the "girls in blue" have been playing volleyball in gym classes and after school intramurals for the senior high started September 30, and for the junior high October 1. Every Tuesday evening you can see the "big girls" engaging in this sport after school, and if you look hard enough on Wednesdays and Fridays you might even be able to see the "little girls" serving and returning the ball over that high net.

Before I leave the subject of volleyball, I'd like to say "hats off" to "Sandsie" Cohen's team. They really are a great bunch. So far they've won every game!

Hockey and Soccer

With Jack Frost just around the corner now, it won't be long before the girls are complaining of stiff limbs and bruised shins. The reason of course—hockey and soccer.

Yes, with the coming of cold weather the senior high will turn to hockey and the junior high will take up the rough sport of soccer. This year let's try to keep those hockey sticks on the ground instead of on our classroom desks.

Student Faculty Tea

Wednesday, October 8, the M.G.A. sponsored the annual student faculty tea. It was a great success as usual. "Sternfield acted as hostess, while Judy Behymer, Allison Parker, Sally Simmons, and Beryl Scott poured tea. I was glad to hear that none of them spilled any. The rest of the girls on the council served cookies to the faculty and the student teachers. This event was held in the Milne library.

Horseback Riding

Stallholders Rites
Milne Opening Causes Chaos To All Students

By JERRY HANLEY

Along with the turning of the leaves, the extraction of long forgotten jackets from mothballed closets, the roar of monstrous behemoths madly chasing a piece of pigskin, there has come the time American youth, called, "When Schools Starts Again." This happy occasion took place in these ivy-covered halls, as everyone is no doubt aware, on September the eighteenth. Ever since that time life has been one mad turmoil for the majority of our student body.

Seniors Affected Most

This mad activity has especially affected that group which has recently been transformed from mild mannered juniors into the slightly mad species known as seniors. Some of the members of that class were hurled headlong into the maelstrom of confusion on the first day of school by a meeting, the purpose of which was to determine what play would be used for the annual class production. This then led to two nerve-wracking days of casting and, eventually, to several hectic rehearsals. The forming of committees for the play, with the nearly immediate acquisition of the senior room and the beginning of a long afternoon of work, served to draw the rest of the class into the mounting mass of activity.

As if these social and extra-curricular activities were not enough, several members of the class had also decided that, as graduation and possibly, college were near at hand, they had better start paying more attention to school work. All except a few of the seniors soon abandoned this idea though.

Rest of School Hit Too

The whole school certainly have no monopoly on the confusion business. The Seventh graders, it is to be imagined, suffer them in the close second. The confusion which reigns over this class, though, is the opposite of that in the seniors, served to draw the rest of the class into the mounting mass of activity.

Sigma-Quin To Sponsor Annual Rushes

The Zeta Sigma Literary Society will hold its annual rush Thursday, November 6, at 3:00 p.m. in the little gym. The purpose of this rush is for all sophomore girls including new girls in the senior high to become acquainted with the seniors. Although the theme is held secret until November 6, the committee chairmen have been appointed by the junior Jean B. Bennett, president of Sigma. "Buzz" Sternfeld is in charge of the entertainment, while Allison Parker is planning decorations for the little gym. Shirley Wagoner is head of the invitation committee.

At this time the theme cannot be disclosed, but it will be known when the invitations are sent out.

Quin Girls Are Hard At Work

The committee chairmen are hard on the Quin rush which is held every year for the sophomores, new and old seniors. This year is being held in the little gym on Tuesday, October 28.

The heads of the committees are as follows: Judy Beihymer, chairman of decorations; Alice Erwin, chairman of refreshments, and Doris Perelman, chairman of entertainment. Sally Simmons is in charge of the invitations.

With the opening of the school year the senior Student Council has been extremely heavy. One of the main features that has taken place is the passing of the budget.

One of the committees being formed is the Constitution committee to revise some of the statements contained in the school Constitution. Also an assembly committee is being formed.

The traffic squad members have been appointed, and will take their place on October 21, 10:30 in the little gym. At the present time it is not known who the chaperones will be.

Woolschlager Gets Doctor's Degree

Congratulations go to Dr. Woolschlager who completed her doctorate in teacher education at Northwestern University. It was completed in August of 1952. The topic of her dissertation was "Student Personal Problems in the Eleven State Teachers Colleges of New York."

Dr. Woolschlager worked for three years during the school years 1946 and 1947. She also worked for it during the summers of 1948 through 1952. Her B.A. degree came from New York State Teachers college in Albany and was earned in business education and history.

Sophomores Elect Officers

The sophomore class has elected ten girls for their class officers for the school year. The meeting was held in the little theater.

Ed Fitzgerald, president, and Sue Crane is chairman of refreshments. Carole is the chairman for the little gym. Shirley Wagoner is head of the invitation committee.

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FHA Girls Attend Granville Meeting

Four of our girls, Judy Beihymer, Shirley Wagoner, Sally Simmons, and Sue Crane are crowded with chairs. There are two or more people on each chair and some students standing up while others are sitting. The kids are through eating, the tables are left with refuse, glasses, and silverware.

This nerve-wracking situation is already causing concern. The class of 1953 is proud to introduce to you its own "Lebanite," Carole Jean Foss.

Carole started her climb to success in the arts following the path which she became treasurer of her class and student council representative. She handled the money in her sophomore and junior year. Her class was proud of her when she was chosen editor of the Crimson and White, president of Sigma and vice-president of MGAA. Carole then hung her way into the Milneities and became vice-president of the choir. Heaven's there's more too! Carole was the QRTA representative, graduate usher, and attended the CSFA conference—all in her junior year.

As do most successful people, Carole has her likes and dislikes. Carole likes cats, Martin and Lewis, parties, dancing, pizza (food in general), a certain Nash convertible, and last but not least HBT. Her goal is to be remembered in individual, crowded booths, fast drivers and writing editorials. What do you think, what do you think she doesn't like to write editorials? If we used Carole's favorite saying we might say "How come?"

BENNETT THOMSON

Pictured above is your senior Student Council president. "Kinda chokes you up, doesn't it?"

The first sentence tells you of Bennett's position on Student Council, the second, his favorite saying. Here are more facts about him.

Bennett has held many offices since entering Milne in the seventh grade. He is president of the dramatics club, member of the Music Council, and vice-president of his class. He was a graduation usher, and is a member of the cast of the senior play. Just call him Tony.

"Tony" likes open houses, C.J.F. and bowling. He loves junior high girls. He dislikes girls who wear too much lipstick. Bennett hopes to enter "show-biz" after college. His goal is to own a jacket the color of egg-plant.

Here's bad news for the Milne gals. Bennett plans to marry an eighty-year-old widow with a bad cough.