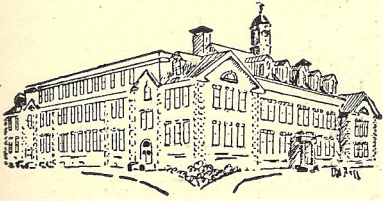


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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Seniors, Ho! Do you all remember the class that last year stood in the place that we now occupy? Do you remember that they practically won the dramatic cup for us, that they captured the rhetorical contest, and produced players of the greatest quality in all athletic undertakings? On each of last year's teams, it was the Seniors who really held the foremost positions. Moreover, consider how they excelled in scholarship. Worthily indeed did they play their part as Seniors. Now it is high time that we, as Seniors, attempted to fill this position,—or even more than fill it. Difficult indeed will it be to replace that renowned class of '26, but that is our purpose, and hard must we strive to accomplish it. We have made a good start in this high school, but we must clinch our place. We must prove that we have the necessary spunk and ability to follow the class of '26, which was among the foremost in athletics, dramatics, yea, even in scholarship.

Hear me also, you Freshmen, Sophomores and Juniors! Look ahead to the rapidly approaching time when you, too, will hold your dignity as the highest and most important class in the school. Be prepared, for you will have a similar task, unless you are the sort who can not follow the example set by the class of 1926.

The Junior High School held their first assembly last Wednesday morning. The program consisted of music and a little playlet entitled "A Word Strike." It was a good English play and was ably presented by some members of the 7B class.

Awards to the Seniors of 1926

The last Commencement of the Port Washington High School was a noteworthy one because of the large number of prizes and scholarships awarded.

Three scholarships are available to our graduates each year. The awards were made by the Bogart Committee of the Board of Education after recommendation by the high school principal and according to the conditions as published in the school manual.

1. The Washington Square College scholarships for New York University was awarded to John Moore.

2. The first Bogart scholarship was awarded to Edith Baikie.

3. The second Bogart scholarship was awarded to Charlotte Wackwitz.

The Circle, the High School honor society, has provided a silver cup on which is to be engraved each year the name of the pupil who, in the entire school, has earned the highest general average in all subjects. The honor of being the first to win this distinction went to John Moore.

The Alumni Association medal for excellence in English was awarded to Edith Baikie, whose average for the four years of English work was 93 per cent.

A \$10 prize for excellence in foreign languages was awarded to John Moore, whose average for four years of Latin and three years of Spanish was 90.4 per cent.

A \$5 prize for excellence in Virgil was awarded to Emma Coles.

A \$10 prize for excellence in history was awarded by the Syracuse University alumni of Port Washington to Edith Baikie, whose average for two years of history was 92.5 per cent.

A \$10 prize for excellence in mathematics was awarded to James Burns, whose average for the four years of mathematics was 96.1 per cent.

A \$10 prize for excellence in science was awarded to Gervase Border, whose average for the three years of science was 95 per cent.

The Chamber of Commerce of Port Washington gave a \$10 prize which was awarded to the graduate from the Commercial course who had the highest average in all commercial subjects. This prize went to Joanna Lillis with an average of 85 per cent.

A prize of \$10 was awarded to the member of a girls' athletic team who had the highest scholastic average for the year. This prize was given to Charlotte Wackwitz.

The Lions Club of Port Washington provided a \$10 prize which was awarded to that member of a boys' athletic team who had the highest scholastic average for the year. This prize was given to Abie Raff.

The members of the Board of Education, fully appreciating the honor brought to the school by the fact that our dramatic team won the Washington Square Players' Secondary School Dramatic Contest, presented medals to the members of the winning cast. These medals were presented to Helen Duer, Frank Gilliar, John Linkfield, Dolores Mallon, Edith Nielsen, Walter Persson, Thelma Tipson, and Miss Viola Gaylord, director.

During the summer, John Moore and Emma Coles were awarded State scholarships, thus winning greater honors for Port High by capturing two of the five scholarships available in this Assembly district.

Class of 1926, we're proud of you!

Seen In Our Trophy Case

Standing conspicuously in one corner of the Port Washington High School library is the new trophy case, which presents to the admiring eye, the spoils of conquest. What tales of adventure its thirteen silver cups could tell. And each stands as a token of loyalty to the school and an inspiration to the students of the present and the future.

One of these trophies is the Circle Cup, presented to the school by the Honor Society. Each year there is to be engraved upon it the name of that student who has attained the highest all-round average for the year.

The Washington Square Dramatic Cup was won last spring when Port Washington High School presented the one-act play which was judged to be the best of the eight plays entered in the contest held at New York University.

Every one is familiar with our speaking contests. In the case are three cups, one the girls' cup upon which is engraved each year the name of the girl who wins first place in the local contest, one boys' cup which records the name of the winning boy, and most important by far, the Amherst Cup which, after thirteen years of rivalry with the schools of neighboring towns, Port Washington High has won as a permanent possession.

The Alumni Association of the High School has given two very handsome cups for the Port Washington track meet.

A cup of which we are especially proud is the Ninesling Great Neck Track Meet Cup won by our school in 1925.

The Girls' North Shore Basketball Cup was earned last year by our girls' championship team. The North Shore Baseball League Cup was won by another victorious team. The Cup for the Baseball Championship of Nassau County for 1923 is also there, as well as the Invitation Track Meet Cup for 1924-1925, and the annual Field Meet Cup for 1920. The Inter-class Meet Cup bears the names of winners in local class meets.

Thus stands the trophy case. Though there are many cups there now, there will always be room for one more. Let us hope then that each student body will strive to add as many, if not more than any preceding group, and soon our enlarged trophy case will occupy one end of the library, not one corner.

Omission Corrected

The staff regrets that the name of its energetic editor-in-chief, Douglas Miller, was omitted from the list of staff officers published last week.

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Port Heads off with 22-6 Victory

In the early part of the first quarter in the game with Huntington, Port fumbled a punt and Huntington recovered the ball but failed to gain. Port then tightened up and brought the ball within one foot of the goal line where in the next play Port fumbled behind the goal and Huntington again fell on the ball, thus making a touchback. Towards the end of the quarter Port again threatened and in the second quarter Enscoe crossed the goal line. Thoman drop kicked for the additional point. Port then let loose a number of long runs by Erb, Thoman and Enscoe, who again tallied, but Thoman missed the try for point. In the next few plays Wilkes received a long pass and raced for Huntington's lone score, ending the first half with the score 13-6.

In the last half, after a few exchanges of kicks, Port edged the ball to the five-yard line. Erb then carried the ball over for Port's third score, after which Thoman drop kicked the ball between the bars for the point. In the last quarter Neusel was substituted for Erb and Tin for Miller. During the last few minutes of the game a Huntington man in an attempt to forward pass was tackled behind his goal. This meant two more points for Port since the last play was a safety. Thus our initial football game with Huntington ended with a 22-6 victory.

Port (22)	Huntington (6)
Leyden	r.e. Gardella
Chambers	r.t. Oakley
Miller	r.g. Wolfe
Newland	c Fleet
Bruce	l.c. Irwine
MacVicar	l.g. Moore
Stone	l.e. Moison
Thoman	q.b. Cook
Erb	l.h.b. Wilkes
Evanosky	r.h.b. Monroe
Enscoe	f.b. Spalir
Referee—Purvere, Columbia.	
Umpire—Barclay, Columbia.	
Linesman—Hockstaff, Cornell.	
Subs.—Port, Roethgan for Leyden; Neusel for Erb; Tins for Miller.	
Huntington — Monroe for Wilkes; Wilkes for Gardella.	

Now a chance comes for those who have been harboring a hope to imitate Nurmi or Priteola. A plan is afoot to hold a cross country run between halves of one of the November games. Practice will be held at the Flower Hill gym after school, beginning today. At least fifteen entries are required. The event will be open to all members of the High School. The first five to finish will receive the class numerals.

The various members of the Art classes have, during the past week, been working on a design for the merit slips. Peter Bruce is the designer of the one that was selected for the month of October. There will be a different one for each month, so why not start thinking now about the November slip and perhaps your's will be the winner.

This Year's Activities of Seniors of 1926

Allen, Evelyn,
New York University.
Ambler, Helen,
New Paltz Normal.
Avitabile, Sally,
Manhasset, New York.
Baikie, Edith,
St. Andrews, Scotland.
Bethge, Max,
Cornell.
Border, Gervase,
Stevens Institute.
Bruce, Randolph,
University of Virginia.
Burns, James,
Cooper Union.
Clock, Audrey,
New York University.
Coles, Emma,
Working in town.
Cornwell, Gladys,
Presbyterian Hospital.
Costello, Grace,
Savage School.
Covert, Adele,
Working in town.
Crooker, Catherine,
Port Washington, New York.
Deegan, Alice,
Cortland Normal.
Dimeo, Michael,
New York University.
Dillenback, Arthur,
Tome School, Maryland.
Ellis, Dorothy,
Broadfield, Real Estate.
Fay, Jane,
Hunter College.
Fonda, Douw,
Mercersburg Academy.
Frankfort, Alice,
Lenox Hospital, New York.
Frost, Everett,
With Manhasset Isle.
Gilbert, Henry,
With Latham Brothers.
Gilliar, Frank,
Columbia University.
Greet, William,
Bucknell.
Hamn, Wendell,
Bucknell.
Horowitz, Robert,
St. John's Law School.
Indence, Tony,
Working in Town.
Jenkins, James,
University of Virginia.
Jenkins, John,
Georgetown University.
Jenkins, Saveria,
New York State College for Teachers.
Kaplin, Abraham,
Columbia University.
Keshishian, Armene,
New York University.
Langley, James,
L'Ecluse, Erna,
Mary Lyons School.
Lee, Mary,
Bank of North Hempstead.
Lillis, Joanna,
Working in Town.
Larkin, Francis,
Columbia University.
Linkfield, John,
Pawling.

Mackie, William,
Bucknell.
Mallon, Dolores,
Keystone Lubricating Company,
New York.
Mallon, Raymond,
J. C. Penny Company, Inc., New York.
Moore, John,
New York University.
Mullon, Florence,
Working in Town.
Munson, Howard,
Pratt Institute.
Nielsen, Edith,
New York University.
Nolan, Margaret,
Working in Town.
Paddock, Cheston,
Washington and Lee.
Parrot, Pheobe,
Cornell.
Persson, Walter,
Hamilton College.
Petruskie, Anna,
Water Office, Port Washington,
New York.
Picone, Mari,
New Jersey College.
Porter, Wilbur,
Dartmouth.
Raff, Abie,
St. John's Law School.
Ray, Dorothy,
New Jersey College for Women.
Rice, Helen.
Rose, Francilia,
Middleburg College.
Russell, Ella,
Cheney Normal, Pennsylvania.
Ryeck, Jesse,
Georgetown University.
Sandy, Catherine,
Port Washington Free Library.
Ski, Margaret,
New York Training School.
Terzi, Angela,
DeLux Market.
Tipson, Thelma,
Mary Lyons School.
Wackwitz, Charlotte,
New York Training School.
Whittemore, Daniel,
With Manhasset Isle.
Wyman, Ivan,
Columbia University.

Miss Frances Greene, a member of our Senior class, has had the good fortune of taking one of those unusual trips often spoken about. Frances spent the summer touring around Panama and Cuba. She brought back with her many interesting "snapshots" of the scenery and of the important places of interest.

The Girl Scouts enjoyed a hike on Saturday, September 25. They covered about five miles and lunch was eaten by the Plandome brook. Miss Farlinger accompanied the girls.

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