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## Speakers Compete for Honors Friday Evening

At 8:15 Friday evening, the local prize speaking contest will be held in the High School auditorium. At that time the six contestants chosen by a faculty committee from among the twenty-two candidates will compete for oratorical honors. A team, consisting of one girl and one boy will be chosen by the judges to represent Port in the North Shore Interscholastic Contest to be held here Friday, the 25th.

Great effort has been made to find new material for use in the contest. "Candle in the Wind" by Helen Carpenter, will be given by Mildred Erb. "If I was a Bloomin' Peer," by Llewellyn Hughes, will be given by Doris Hiller. May Evans will use as her selection, "The Happy Landing Ground," adapted. "The Price for Peace," by Dexter Perkins, is the oration chosen by Dave Clarkson. John Davis has an original oration on "Abolition of War," and William Newland will present a culling from K. Weeks' vigorous discussion of the subject "A Criminal in Every Family."

## Prom a Success

Last Friday night the Flower Hill Gym was transformed into an old fashioned garden for the annual Junior Prom. The Juniors gave the Seniors a good party making the last dance a great success. The entrance was through a "little

The entrance was through a "little white gate" and upon entering one could discern behind the comfortable wicker chairs the border of flowers that were lining the walls. Overhead there was a roof of streamers. The music was provided by the Rainbow Serenaders. Their music was good and consistent.

To add to the picturesqueness of the scene, the punch was served by from a well. Ice cream and cake were served.

The committees worked hard to give the Seniors their party and they are deserving of the thanks given. Bill Peyser had charge of the whole affair. The decoration committee was made up of Mary Willets, Evelyn Avery, Doris Chase, Carlton Bauer, George Crandal, and Dorothy Tench. The orchestra was secured by Tom Williamson and Hugh Gilbert. Tickets were managed by Stanley Kurejwo, Edward Capra, Marjorie Carmichael, and Katie Zurlis. Jane Bird, Dorothy Williamsen and Beulah Guilford had charge of the refreshments.

winamsen and bedian Guilford had charge of the refreshments. The dance was well chaperoned by Miss Chisholm, Mr. Lyons, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill and Mrs. Guilford.

## The Purple Dream Presented

The assembly program which was held Monday afternoon was a very entertaining one. As an introduction, Kathleen Grady read an article entitled "The Audience Can Do No Wrong" by Roland Young. Michalina Yorio announced "The Purple Dream," a play which was given by the Dramatic Class. The characters were as follows: Mrs. Carver Blythe, Emily Wilson; Isobel, her daughter, Marion Birkel; Mary Ellen, the maid, Maria Smith; Atkins, the butler, Tommy Moore; the Dream, Sir George, David Stone, and the Real Sir George, Harry Erb. As in "Jazz and Minuet," this play began with the present and then showed a dream. This dream gave a servant girl's idea of a Prince Charming. The three short scenes were very well done. Each character played his part with very good in-terpretation and was received with hearty applause by the audience.

## "Hoddam" What I Like



Designed and cut by J. Macke

## **Fratry Watches Races**

Last Thursday evening the Fratry held its weekly meeting but as there was no quorum present no business could be transacted. At seven thirty the majority of the members present had convened around the front entrance and entertained themselves by romping on the lawn or watching Lem and "Coot" Williamson race around the block in their cars. Grunt had an old Ford truck that he was using to cart furniture for the Prom. He didn't seem to have any respect for the internal organs of the aged "Cement Mixer" cause he sure gave her the gun.

The meeting started late because of more than one reason, including the nicety of the day. Fay gave a report on the Minstrel Advertisements, and proved to be very favorable. Several suggestions were made on different subjects but none could be discussed. The meeting adjourned at 8:15.

## Pupils Win in Poster Contest

Port Washington pupils were awarded fourteen prizes and honorable mentions in the Annual Health Poster Contest for Long Island schools. The contest was held at Mineola last week. The medals will be received and awarded in the near future.

The c on t e st was divided into groups. Posters dealt with such subjects as Milk, Sleep, and Vegetables. In the high school section, Ralph Thomas was given 4th place with a poster on Milk and Jacob Rogo received 4th place with a poster on Sleep and Vegetables. In the section for Milk posters by eighth grade pupils, Amelia Weinberger, Flower Hill, was awarded 1st place. Willard Cornwall, Main Street, 2nd place, with honorable mention to Herbert Hortsch, Main Street, and Muriel England, Flower Hill. In the section for Sleep posters by eighth grade pupils, Jennie Zareniba, Main Street, received 2nd prize and Clarence Miller, Main Street, 3rd prize. In the section for seventh grade pupils, Elsie Salerno, Main Street, won 1st prize and Martha Reed, Main St., won 2nd prize for Sleep posters. For Vegetable posters, Camilla Teta, Main Street, won 2nd prize, Evelyn Sands, Main Street, won 3rd prize, Muriel Gross and Audrey Freeman, Main Street, received honorable mention. Of the 44 prizes and honorable mentions awarded, Port Washington pupils received 14

Washington pupils received 14. We expect to have the winning posters from the contest on exhibition in the High School building some time during the coming week.

## The Port Weekly



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## **Editorial Comment**

#### Education

Many learned people disagree on a definition for the word "education." Mr. DuPont says that "education should train the individual to be able to earn his own living." Another man claims that education should awaken in students a desire "for nontechnical knowledge, for something that might be designated as culture."

After reading the two statements, there is a feeling, (to some degree at least,) that the two statements clash. However, both in a large measure, are a good definition for the word "education".

For instance, it would be difficult to call a man "educated" who could not earn a living. On the other hand, many, a man, although earning his own living, could scarcely be called educated.

Supposedly, we are in school to become educated. Let us hope that we are acquiring, in a reasonable degree, non-technical knowledge as well as knowledge that will enable us to earn a living.



Don't mistake your girl friend for a Fratry member now that the new Fratry pins are soon to admire.

Since O. Hammer has two assist-ants he'll have more time to be a gentlemen with the blonde.

She saw Harry struttin' his stuff at the Fratry banquet and dance. Perhaps Bill Newland broke that

window in his car on purpose. She wishes to know if the two plants on the floor gave the Glen Cove Gardens its name.

#### **Requirements** Defined

With the coming of fine weather there seems to have been a slight misunderstanding as to just who is required to attend the assembly exer-cises of the high school each week. It is hoped that the following ruling secured from the principal's office, will answer any questions that may arise:

Any pupil who is scheduled for a class or study period for the period in which assembly is to be held or who is scheduled for a class or study period the period immediately preceding the assembly period is expected to be present at the assembly.

#### Alumni Prominent in Sports

In the Brooklyn Daily Eagle last week there appeared an article about a former student of the P. W. H. S., John Linkfield.

You all remember John. He was a four letter man when he was in school. He was an excellent pitcher and backfield man.

The article in the Eagle sets John up as one of the most valuable men on the freshman nine and states that he has an excellent future in baseball.

John was elected to an organization composed of the most outstanding The organization is callfreshmen. ed the Druids.

We feel proud that one of our alumni has made such a name for himself and we wish him the best of luck.

Al Beach, who is attending Renesselaer, has made the Varsity Track squad there.

#### An Antique Football Game

It was the witching hour of midnight and everything should have been quiet in the huge old house, filled with antique furniture. Yet in the living and dining rooms, all was pan-demonium. For antique furniture is nearly human, you know, and during the hours when fairies are said to run rampant, they indulge in all sorts of sports. Tonight, was to be held the great football game between the dining room and the living room. The hall to be later the scene of the battle, was all prepared for the clash. At one side stood the hall table, cool and blase, ready to referee the game. On the stair landing solemnly ticked the grandfather clock, for he was the timer. The hat rack stood on the other side holding water pail, tape and helmets. On either side were arranged the spectators, the pictures from both rooms.

The huge dining room seemed strangely dismantled with the side-board wildly rushing about in a mad search for his leg protectors, the dining room table surrounded by an admiring group of chairs, the highboy and china closet chatting companionably side by side, and, above all, the accusing tones of the Thomas Moss clock, encouraging and admonishing by turns.

In the living room the antiques seemed to feel themselves too dignified to rush madly about. The radio gave a solemn squeak which was drowned out by the more forceful tones of the

chiming clock on the mantel. By twelve-fifteen, the teams were ready and solemnly marched forth into the cleared hall. The substitutes seated themselves on the stairs and the teams lined up on the field. "Brr...ing," went the telephone bell and the fight was on! Thrice the piano carried the ball triumphantly through the melee, only to be met by the center rush of the china closet. Struggling, fighting and swaying, the huge mass of antique furniture accomplished nothing, moving neither backwards nor forwards, left nor right. Before it could be realized, the half had ar-rived! Back to their respective rooms they discouragedly paced, worn by the struggle. Again the accusing tones of the Thomas Moss clock and the forceful tones of the chiming clock broke the silence.

"It looks like a draw," murmured the hat rack apologetically to the telephone table. "Yeh" was

was that antique's laconic reply.

Great grandfather Robinson, from his portrait on the wall, frowned continually through the game. Was he displeased or no?

The second half began and again a wrestling mass of antiques made no progress. In vain were the clearly uttered signals of the radio; unnoticed were the efforts of the dining table; unheard were the shouts of derision which circled among the players. "Boom! Boom!" called the grand-

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## Port Blanked With Three Hits

#### Great Neck Wins 2-0

Last Friday at Great Neck, the Port baseball team received its second shut-out in its last three games and its second defeat in two league games by losing to Great Neck 2-0. Port got only three hits, no two of which came in the same inning. The only Port batter who hit with any degree of consistency was Captain Moore, who had two of the hits to his credit. In six of the seven innings we had at least one man on base, but the punch needed to bring him home simply was not there.

Charley Evanosky pitched another excellent game, giving only four hits and one base on balls. Both runs were due to errors, and it was a shame that he could not win such a well pitched game.

#### **Triple for Ninesling**

The first Great Neck run came in the third inning. After MacDougal had fanned, Alexy singled to right. Wright singled to center and Smith juggled the ball long enough to let Alexy score and Wright take second. Murray sacrificed him to third, but Erb three out Gruler.

Great Neck got the second run in the next inning. Ninesling started it off with a long triple to the fence in right field. Gerson raised a pop fly just back of second which should have been an easy out, but Terrell and Erb let it fall safely between them. Net result—one run. Gerson pilfered second and third. Stevens walked and stole second. With only one out, it looked bad, but MacDougal fanned and Alexy grounded to Terrell who made a neat pick-up for an out at first.

Smith got on base with two out in the first inning, but got no farther. In the second, Tins was hit by a pitched ball and Newland hoisted a fly back of their base, which fell safely to the ground. Tins was forced out at third on Tom Leyden's grounder. Moore singled to start the next inning, but there he stayed. Terrell led off in the fourth with a Texas League single to center. Erb hit a liner over first base, which looked like a sure hit, but Ninesling struck his glove in the path of the ball and doubled Terrell off first.

#### **Port Fills Bases**

With Newland and Leyden out of the way in the fifth inning, Moore got in his second hit, a clean single to right. Gotoutas suddenly lost all control of the ball and walked Evanosky and Smith, filling the bases. When Gotoutas gave O'Neill three balls in succession, the Port rooters were in an uproar and it looked as if a run would be forced in. The next one Gotoutas offered was a called

## Port at Sea Cliff Friday

#### Manhasset Here Tuesday

Friday, Port will play the return game with Sea Cliff at Sea Cliff. This will be the last out-of-town game of the season. The first game between these two teams turned out to be a slugfest in which Port batters got eighteen hits and eighteen runs. In the game, Charley Evanosky gave Sea Cliff only one hit, a single. Dap Sullivan will probably draw the pitching assignment, while Charley Evanosky is resting his arm for Manhasset.

Tuesday, May 22, Manhasset will make a visit to the Flower Hill field and furnish the opposition for seven more innings of baseball. The game played at Manhasset resulted in a 6-5 victory for the Manhasset team. The game was played in a sea of mud with the rain coming down in torrents. After the fifth inning, the contest was called, leaving Manhasset with the first victory it ever gained over Port in baseball.

## Port Light

This week the Port Light goes to press. All material should have been in by Tuesday, but if there is any late material still outstanding, please give it to one of the Editors as soon as possible.

strike. John fouled the next one and then grounded out. Gotoutas to Ninesling.

Port's last chance came in the last inning. Gilbert, batting for Newland, walked, but Moore struck out and MacDougal gathered in Evanosky's high fly for the final out.

During the game, Jack Leyden was sitting on the sidelines because of the iniury to his ankle. His brother Tom filled his place at first and played a perfect defensive game. Jack is hobbling around with the aid of a cane and hopes to get a crack at Great Neck in the return game.

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Smith, cf	1	0	0	0	0	1
O'Neill, c	3	0	0	0	1	0
Terrell, 2b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Erb, ss	3	0	0	0	2	1
Tins, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Newland, 3b	2	0	0	0	0	0
Leyden, 1b	2	0	0	1	6	0
Seraphine		0	0	1	0	0
(a) Gilbert	0	0	0	0	0.	0
(b) Kurejwo	1	0	0	0	0	0

Three base hit, Ninesling; Stolen Bases, Gerson 2, Stevens; Sacrifices, Murray; Double Play, Ninesling (unassisted); Hits off Gotoutas 3; Evanosky, 4; Bases on Balls, off Gotoutas, 4; Evanosky, 1; Struck Out by Evanosky, 9; Gotoutas, 8; Hit by pitcher, Tins.

## Port Wins First League Game, 8-1

#### **Tins Gets 4 Hits**

Friday afternoon at Roslyn, the Port baseball team won its first league game by beating the Roslyn nine 8-1. Charlie Evanosky was given a fourrun lead in the first inning and did not have to bear down very hard at any time. He gave Roslyn only three hits, all singles, no two of which came in the same inning. The game was played in a drizzling rain, which did not bother the players as much as it did the spectators. Laduzinski was the Roslyn pitcher. The Port batters found him for seven hits, four of which were chalked up after the name of Harold Tins. This gives Tins a perfect day at bat as well as a place at the head of the Port hitters.

#### Port Gets Lead

Port got a four-run lead in the first inning. Captain "Rat" Moore led off with a grounder to the shortstop who missed it. Rat stole second and third and came in on a passed ball. Evanosky walked and Terrell was hit by a pitched ball. Japnoski made a costly error of Erb's grounder, scoring Evanosky and Terrell. Erb countered on a single by Tins.

Roslyn got its only run in the second inning on a pass to Fish, a stolen base, and a clean single by Reichester. Port got it back in the next inning. A muff of O'Neill's fly placed him on first. John stole second, went to third on an infield out and scored on Erb's single.

With one out in the fifth, Erb raised a high fly which fell safely in front of the plate. Tins singled and Newland was safe on an error. A walk to Leyden filled the bases. Moore hit at what should have been a sacrifice hit but Tins held his base. He scored a minute later on a grounder by Evanosky, but Newland was out when he over-ran third.

#### Port Works Double Play

In the third inning, Port worked a fast double play. Peters was safe on an error by Terrell. Laduzinski hit a grounder to Evanosky which was quickly converted into a double play. Evanosky to Newland to Terrell.

The last run came in the seventh inning as a result of singles by Erb to Tins.

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O'Neill, c	4	1	0	0	0	0
Terrell 2b	2	1	0	1	5	2
Erb ss	4	3	2	0	2	1
Tins rf	4	1	4	1	0	0
Newland 3b	3	0	0	1	2	1
T. Leyden 1b-3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Seraphine 1b	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kurejwo	0	0	0	0	2	0

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#### Port Competes at Princeton Meet

Port took 3 points in the large Interscholastic track meet sponsored by Princeton University, which was held at Palmer Stadium on May 12.

These points were earned by Lem Lovejoy who took second place in the high jump. The other contestants from Port were "Swiss" Neusel, "Crock" O'Neill, and "Grunt" Williamson. "Swiss" ran in the 440 yard dash and finished in the middle of the runners. "Crock" was forced to drop out of the mile at the 880 yard mark. In the 880 "Grunt" made a wonderful showing. He stayed with the pack of runners for the first 440 yards. Then he began to pass the runners and finally crossed the finish, taking sixth place.

In placing, Lem defeated his rival Morris Muslin from Stuyvesant high School. So there seems to be very little doubt as to who is the superior jumper.

The group that went to Princeton consisted of Lem Lovejoy, Neusel, Williamson, O'Neill, Mr. Utz and Olaf Hammer. They left here at 7:45 Friday night and arrived at Princeton at 10:15 p. m. Here they were very hospitably accommodated by the Campus Club.

#### **Batting Averages**

Batting Averages of the Port Players, Including Westbury Game.

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Mr. Studley — What happened to Magellan on his world tour? Jack—He was killed in the Philip-

pines. T. Newman—Gee, that's a bad place to get hit.

The baseball team of the Bridgeport High School of Connecticut is scheduled to play twenty-one games this season. We hope they have a successful season at the bat.

Six delegates from Roosevelt Junior High Press Club attended the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention.

#### Seniors Make Plans

With the approach of Commencement the Seniors have become very active and have been making plans for their last days of school. They have put the Revue across and have had a candy sale at the Invitation Meet.

At a recent class meeting they picked a committee to choose announcements for Commencement. Each Senior can have all the announcements he wants but due to the size of the auditorium there will be only a few tickets allotted to each one. Admittance to the exercises can be gotten only by ticket and not by announcement.

A committee of Bill Newland and Dave Stone has been chosen to investigate places to hold a banquet: The Senior Banquet is always the crowning event of the Senior year and the class is looking forward to having a fine banquet and a good time.

#### An Antique Football Game

(Continued from Page 2) father clock, "Four o'clock! The game is over. Back to your posts!"

Immediately silence reigned through the old house for the great battle was over. Neither side had proved itself the better. And all were silently ashamed except for the chiming clock, which staunchly let his voice be heard four times during the hours.



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