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Fratry Again Active in School Affairs

CLUBS ORGANIZE

Now that we are once more treading the ancestral halls of our dear Alma Mater we find ourselves again involved in the work connected with the various clubs that have sprung up or rather have been carefully nurtured until they are now able to stand and do business on their own initiative. However, as the organizations grow we feel a pride growing up in the work that they have done.

All of the clubs are now at work on their programs for the coming season and two in particular are undertaking work which will entail hard and concentrated effort on the part of the active members. The two groups under discussion are the Red Domino and the Fraternity, names which will be frequently seen in the column which concerns the club activities.

Plans of Red Domino

The Red Domino according to all reports is getting plans together for the purpose of holding an Invitation Dramatic Contest. The report goes to the effect that ten schools, exclusive of Port Washington, have been invited to compete. Pawtucket High School in Rhode Island has accepted the invitation. The prize is to be a silver loving cup which is to be kept in perpetual circulation. Please bear in mind that this is only a rumor and is as yet unauthenticated. However, it is known that the Red Domino has chosen the play for its coming annual production. It is "Pomander Lane" and it will make a very good vehicle for the Thespians who form this group.

Fratry Activities

The Fraternity has been following the same program of activity that it has been carrying on for the past few years. It is through the cooperation of this organization that this paper is being published again this year. All of you have been asked to subscribe to this paper by some member of the Fraternity. It is no pleasure to solicit money so give them your thanks; it is hard work. The Fraternity has also taken over the sale of season tickets for football and is planning soon to come out with a novelty which will appeal to you all.

There are many clubs in the High School and we are desirous of giving them all their fair share of the publicity and support which we hope will emanate from this column. So, in view of this, it will be a great help if the secretaries of the organizations which are planning to be active this year will get in touch with the Club Activities Editor in order that each club will be represented in this Forum of Clubs.

WONDER HAT TO BE GIVEN

The Red Domino has again come into the spotlight and plans to open the season on October 16th, Thursday afternoon, by presenting the first play of the year, "The Wonder Hat", a harlequinade in one act by Kenneth Sawyer Goodman and Ben Hecht. Everyone will be pleased by this fantastic little love comedy which deals so lightly with so big a subject as love. Of course, the very large sum of ten cents will be charged, but what is ten cents for a good comedy?

The cast of the plays consists of Herbert Irwin, the conceited but much-loved Harlequin; Louis Kent, the rather romantic Pierot; Robert Read, an old peddler, Punchinello, possessed of love charms; Ruth Frankfort, Columbine, the object of cupid's bow; Chloe Helfrich, Columbine's Irish maid, Margot, who provides the audience with many laughs. Work has been started on this play, and the cast intends to have it all ready for you by next Thursday.

The Red Domino plans to do some big things this year, and we certainly want to help them start the year with a bang. So here's wishing them luck for Thursday. Be sure to be there!

Faculty Enjoys Picnic

Read closely now—we are about to give you some inside stuff which we are able to disclose only by the most cautious eavesdropping.

One beautiful Thursday afternoon, our stately and dignified members of the faculty went on a picnic to Jones Beach; not a real honest-to-goodness picnic with sandwiches and such but a chicken dinner. They left the school in the school bus about 4 o'clock and reached Jones Beach at 5:00. The regulator in the school bus was set at 25 miles per hour but Mr. Seeber, the chauffeur of the occasion, made it in an hour just the same. (The time was all Daylight Saving too). One of the extra cars attempted to follow Mr. Seeber's trail but got lost on the way. At 6:30 twenty-eight starved faculty members sat down to dinner, after enjoying a surf swim and miniature golf.

Unfortunately it began to rain and the picnic could not be resumed. Coming home on the bus, the faculty commenced to sing songs, Mr. Lyons being the chief song leader.

We shall close this little article by quoting the familiar phrase, "A good time was had by all".

COMES TO FORE IN PRACTICAL WAYS

Beginning the sixth year of their active existence in the life of Port Washington High School the Fraternity has laid out a schedule as ambitious as has ever before been attempted.

The Fraternity was organized in the fall of 1925 under the director of Messrs. Connery and Reid. Altho the club was not very active, it made its debut by presenting a play in assembly. It was during the next year that the Fraternity saw its largest gain in membership. In 1928, while under the leadership of Adrien Neusel, the Fraternity gained its first real recognition as a live and active group of the student body. During this year the Fraternity gave the first of its annual entertainments. Following the example of past years, the Fraternity again produced a musical play. This showed that the Fraternity was not only skilled in business management but in play producing also. The following year the Fraternity took over the duties of the circulation department and by its financial assistance enabled the Port Weekly to complete the school year.

This year the Fraternity has assumed the same duty, together with the sale of football tickets. Also they are going to purchase a new banner for the school. This is rather a novelty as we have not had a banner for some years.

The officers for the year 1930-1931 are as follows: Frank Jenkins, president; Leo Lanman, Jr., vice-president; Joseph McCarthy, secretary; John DeMeo, treasurer; Nick Salerno, corresponding secretary; and Robert Lafferty, sergeant-at-arms.

Much gratitude is due the Fraternity for their cooperation. The Port Weekly wishes them all success in their future undertakings.

SCHEDULE FOR WEEK

The following schedule for the week of October 13th-17th has been arranged for activities conducted either during the eighth period or in the evening:

Monday, October 13th—School Holiday.

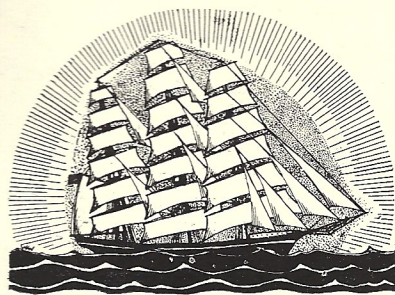
Tuesday, October 14th—Girl's Glee Club. Retort Club.

Wednesday, October 15th—Fraternity. Boy's Glee Club.

Thursday, October 16th—Girl's Glee Club. Red Domino. Port Weekly Staff.

Friday, October 17th—Assembly.

Each week a schedule will be published. Keep it as your date book!



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Editorial Comment

All the club activities are going full tilt this year. In fact, we have a new club, the Commercial Club. Mr. Merrill has been working hard, trying to get a presentable schedule in order, and trying to allot times and places for the clubs to meet, and, with the help and cooperation of the clubs themselves, he is doing a good job of it.

The Assembly period on October 10th is to be given over to the clubs. A representative from each organization will give a short talk, telling its purpose, aims, and desires. In this way it is hoped that more interest will be aroused in the clubs. If a club is to succeed, it must have publicity. That is the aim of this Assembly program. Everybody listen, and learn a little more about the school clubs.

Just as soon as you saw these headlines, you said to yourself, "Same old stuff, School spirit!" in a voice which implied that school spirit was the bunk.

It shouldn't be! Only a few weeks ago a chance remark was made to this effect: "There is no school that I know of where the lack of school spirit is so prevalent."

At the present time there is one organization in the school that has enough spirit to justify the whole school. This organization is the Fraternity. First, they undertook the subscription campaign for the Port Weekly. Next, they managed the sale of foot-ball tickets and finally they are sponsoring the purchase of a new banner for the school.

But the question is this—why should ONE organization do this? We ought not to sit back and let them do the work. If you have any school spirit, show it! The only way you can show it is by supporting the activities. Start it right now and don't forget to bring your money for the banner to-morrow.

It is pretty generally understood by all that when a new editorial staff takes over the editing of a newspaper, be it school or daily attempts, that they announce their policy. "Policy" is rather a comprehensive word to use. However, the dictionary gives it this meaning: "Course of conduct in relation to an issue."

Our policy this year, is to unify the student body, to make you realize that cooperation is necessary for the success of any undertaking. We hope to reflect the opinion of the students, but this also needs your cooperation.

Each year, the new staff wishes to accomplish something greater than ever before, to set a record so to speak, that will stand. That record is namely, first prize at the Columbia Scholastic Press Association. In 1928, we won second prize but in 1929 we came in with only third. Of course this year our goal is the first. We're going to try to make our paper the best yet. It's up to you to help!

Well, with the first issue of the "Port Weekly", we've been in school over a month. It is sure to be a busy and successful year.

However, we do not seem to get used to one thing,—the right-of-way in the corridors and on the stairs. How many of us have heard the announcement of the Traffic Rules in Assembly, on the first day of school? Well, why not follow them? It ought to be simple enough. Just keep to the right, no matter in what direction you are going. Also, do not cut your left corners on the left; KEEP RIGHT. That will clear up any and all difficulties. Try it and see.

Hooray! Hooray!

A Holiday

We are all overjoyed to hear that York State has considered the date October 12th, the day on which Columbus discovered America, so important that it deserves to be a legal school holiday. October 12th, falls on Sunday, but the event will be celebrated on Monday. Therefore Monday, October 13th, will be a holiday for the Port Washington Schools.

Marks for the first six weeks of the term will close on Friday, October 17th. The report cards will be issued on Wednesday of the following week. Wouldn't it be great if each of us could earn some honor mark and have no failures? Such a result would be sufficient occasion to turn out the band and have a special celebration. If all of us did our best there is no reason why it could not be done. Let's aim for it.

For a number of years Port Washington High School has had an enrollment divided almost evenly between boys and girls. At times we have had exactly the same number of boys and girls. This year the statistics show that in the Senior High School the girls have stolen a march on the boys and now have a real majority. During the month of September the enrollment showed 140 boys and 151 girls. Now with October well under way we find that two boys have left and two girls have entered. This leaves the total number of pupils still 291 for the three years of Senior High School but changes the number of boys to 138 and the number of girls to 153.

New Books in Library

Over twenty new books have been received in the library, and an equal number of others have been ordered, among which there will be some new fiction and new biography. You may reserve a book by informing Mrs. Langdon. Below is a list of some of the new books.

Canfield—"The Deepening Stream"
Dingle—"Seaworthy"
Thomas—"Boy's Life of Colonel Lawrence"
Post—"Personality of a House"
Ludwig—"Bismark"
Seabrook—"Far in Arabia"
McBride—"Dwight Morrow"
Gussman—"Tales of the Caterpillar Club"
Baird—"Make Up"
Kipling—"Songs for Youth"
Lyon—"Making a Living"
Condé—"Business of Being a Friend"
Fowler—"Julius Ceasar"
Frazer—"The Golden Bough"
Osgood—"New Monologues"
Green—"In the Valley"
Webber & Webster—"Typical Plays"

LOW DOWN ON NEW PEDAGOGS

It may be interesting to all of us to know the dark and gloomy pasts of our new faculty members.

First there is Miss Alice Griswold, a sister of our own Miss Mildred Griswold, who is substituting for Miss Gormley. Miss Griswold is a graduate of St. Lawrence University and last taught in the South Junior High School, Watertown, New York.

The history teacher, Mr. Mason, is a graduate of Emanuel College, and formerly taught in Salamanaca High School, Salamanaca, New York. American History is made interesting by his inside stories of famous people told in expressive present generation American.

A teacher who is not new to many of us is Mr. Herge of the English Department, who comes to us from Main Street Junior High School. He is a graduate of New York University.

Mr. Brown, a new teacher in Commercial subjects taught formerly in Clayton, New York. He was graduated from the State Normal and Training College of Plattsburgh.

Last but not least, is our new musical Director, Mr. Bergan, who comes from Springfield, Mass., where he was the Director of Music in the High School of Commerce. He was graduated from both the Oberlin College and Conservatory of Music. He makes us really sing in Assembly.

Then there are the new pupils of the 10A class. They have not graduated from any college as yet, but show bright prospects of doing so in the future.

Rings and Stomach-aches

The Sophomore class is starting the season off by holding a candy sale at the Port Washington-Southampton football game on October eighteenth. Turn out for the game, buy candy, and CHEER!

The class of '32 met on Tuesday afternoon to decide upon their class rings. In the near future, the Juniors will be sporting these insignia of their rank and will be claiming their due reward. So, heed, sophs, it is time to acknowledge your superiors!

The three groups which make up the class of '31 were organized as one on Monday afternoon, September eighth. Leo Lanman was elected President, Jessie Stubbings, Secretary, and William L'Ecluse, Treasurer.

A program of activities has already been planned. A committee consisting of Eve Cleveland, Harriet Weaver, and Connie Alexander has been appointed to hold a candy sale at one of the football games.

Sub-treasurers have been appointed for room 108, Signe Gulbrandsen and for room 109, Joe McCarthy.

Don't forget their candy sale November 15th. The seniors are starting early to broadcast their activities, but remember the old adage "—The early bird"—.

The Do-Re-Me Becomes Popular

The Girls' Glee Club has grown from twelve to some twenty-five in the first weeks of its organization. Mr. Bergan hopes to get a quota of forty-five. Get busy girls!

The Boys' Glee Club is small but growing. Good music is being secured. Incidentally it seems too bad that some of the fine material heard in the boys' locker rooms and underneath the showers doesn't appear. If a sufficient number is organized hopes are seen for an operetta next semester. With the starting of a regular class period for band and orchestra practice for the first time this year, Mr. Paul E. Bergan our new musical instructor found a great number of students were interested in these activities. The band is scheduled for several football games. If it plays as well and with as much pep and force on the field as it did last Friday in assembly, the residents will come out to find the parade. Our attitude toward this institution was manifested by the long and laborious applause at the end of the selections played last Friday afternoon. We can fully challenge Westbury to come with their first prize band now.

All the musical organizations are preparing suitable music for concert presentation at the assembly programs. Mr. Bergan hopes that each organization will have a program every semester.

One of our new school songs is printed below. Let's memorize it now.

Port Washington
We're right behind you, brave and loyal
Faithful and true
We're going to cheer and fight for you
RAH! RAH! RAH!
The White and Blue is out to win
We're going to cheer, boys
We're going to fight, boys
We're going to win for Port today!

PAGE DR. NOVOCAINE

It is generally conceded that pulling teeth is a hard job, if not one of coning evolved from this fact which goes somewhat like this? "It was as hard as pulling teeth to—", and so forth and so on.

It is impossible for any one to think of a better expression to describe the process of "drawing out" comments from the student body concerning their school's journalistic attempts. To be sure, many such criticisms are understood by the low grumbles uttered upon the appearance of each issue, but to divine their imports is an impossible task.

How much more instructive would it be for these complaints to be passed on to the Weekly, which could then do all in its power to correct the error! This year's Part Weekly office is open to such criticisms. Fellow students, let us hear from you.

Auditorium Roof Raised on Friday

The last two assemblies have been of rather a different type from those heretofore. "Pep Meetings" are a new venture in our school, but they make very successful assembly programs.

We went into the auditorium feeling a bit dubious, but after the football pep meeting we were quite ready for the next one. The football boys made a brave showing on the stage. We learned quite a bit from Leo's and Barrett's speeches. "Herbie" is on the road to fame through his cheer-leading, and Jack and "Bugs" are not far behind him. The way they led the song was irreproachable.

The hockey pep meeting was also very interesting, but in a different way. The girls danced like professionals and we really understood the words of the songs. It was quite a change and altogether nice to know what they were singing about.

Hockey has been rather a dead language to us but now that we know more, it is not so difficult and intricate as we once thought.

Most of us are not going to miss "Barby" Green's pressing invitation to see their future games.

BUSY BEES IN 211

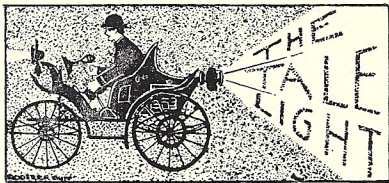
About three weeks ago, a notice appeared upon the bulletin board which read somewhat like this: "All those interested in the Port Weekly will meet in room 111 this afternoon."

Approximately twenty-five enthusiastic students came forth in response to this appeal. From that number, a large, but efficient staff was chosen, whose motto is, "At least one item of interest for every subscriber". With amazing zeal, they poured forth their greatest efforts to make this, their first issue, one of intense interest—an outstanding example of those numbers which are to follow.

It may be of interest to you to know that this is the largest staff that has ever worked for the Port Weekly. It is said that every rule must have its exception before it can be accepted. Let it be the present staff of the Port Weekly who will act as the one exception to the old and familiar saying, "Too many cooks spoil the broth."

The Weather Forecast

The weather this week shows a very disagreeable spell of cold with a heavy rain of failures from Miss Stierle's room. A thunder storm is expected in the South by the pupils of Mr. Pickett's chemistry classes. Relief in the form of knowledge is not expected.



For some reason or other, the Fraternity was not inclined to be humorous but decided to furnish some interesting information concerning the alumni.

- A. Allen—Lehigh
- M. Alper—N. Y. U.
- S. Choat—Amherst
- J. Dunn—Working
- H. Gilbert—Working
- C. Golder—Colgate
- E. Gould—Working
- R. Guilford—Colgate
- S. Kurejwo—North Eastern
- J. Laurence—Columbia
- A. Morgan—N. Y. U.
- W. Mullon—Tufts
- A. Neusel—Savage
- C. Newman—Kiski
- C. Santinello—Notre Dame
- W. Scantlebury—Pennsylvania
- H. Sinkinson—Working
- R. Smith—Working
- H. Swede—Columbia
- J. Teta—N. Y. U.
- W. Woodward—Dickinson
- C. Bell—Columbia
- E. Capra—Savage
- C. Cipriani—N. Y. U.
- D. Clarkson—Working
- G. Crandall—Leland-Stanford
- R. Duff—Art School
- C. Ewanosky—Muhlenburg
- G. Geddes—Colgate
- D. Lippert—Cornell
- E. Miller—Lemigh
- T. Newman—Working
- W. Peyser—Yale
- J. Rogo—Working
- M. Rycek—N. Y. U.
- P. Serephine—Washington & Lee
- D. Sullivan—Savage
- W. Terrell—Working

WIT? WHAT?

A penny for your thoughts? In this school they come gratis, as witnessed by the violent fad for reputation mongering "Slam-Books". If any one chances upon this green book, know that therein lies a complete history of the past and destinies of many fair reputations.

It came to our ears the other day that our former senior who collected all those prizes at graduation last June, delights one of the fair, brighter sophs with letters every day. We wonder if she keeps his bicycle or if he rides to classes at college on it.

We saw one of Port's gay Misses attired in bright red last week. Around her waist was a silver watch chain. Are the boys giving these chains now instead of medals?

By the way, have you heard about the trapper up New England way who skinned a raccoon and found a Yale man inside? All of which reminds us, why not drag our coons from the moth bags and appear at the games to cheer.

Hockey Girls Win
HICKSVILLE HUMBLLED

Last Wednesday, the first of October, marked the opening of the season at Port Washington. On that day the hockey team met Hicksville on the home field.

The girls were all set and ready for the fight and they sure needed lots of fight and pep to beat the girls from Hicksville, who were playing a hard game for them. In the first half Florence the season, it was interesting to note the weaknesses and good points of Port's team. Their passwork was great. Indeed, it no doubt won the game for them. In the first half, Florence Krage, who plays right-inside, made a goal for Port. Again, in the second half, she managed to score another point. The Hicksville team did not score at all so that when the final whistle blew, the home team had won by 2-0.

The line up was as follows:

- Constance Alexander.....center forward
- Florence Krage right inside
- Jacqueline Corrigan left inside
- Capt. Mildred Pearce right wing
- Florence Salerno left wing
- Katherine Mantell right half-back
- Fanny Dell left half-back
- Veronica Smith center half-back
- Mary Younger right full-back
- Mary Read left half-back
- Catherine Krebs goalkeeper

Substitutions: Natalie Kalinosky for Mantell, Nancy Lowry for Kalinosky. Ruth Shauer for Alexander and Muriel Campbell for Younger.

The next game will be played on the home field again—this time against Great Neck. Of all the games which the girls played last year they met defeat twice only. Both times Great Neck was the victor. Quite naturally the Great Neck games this year are considered the most important of the season. However, a great amount of interest is attached to the games which are to be played with Hempstead. Although Port has come through on top in her former encounters with Hempstead that team has always put up a stiff fight and the games this year are sure to be very interesting. The schedule is as follows:

- Hicksville at Port—Oct. 1.
- Great Neck at Port—Oct. 6.
- Hempstead at Port—Oct. 21.
- Port at Great Neck—Oct. 29.
- Port at Hicksville—Nov. 6.
- Port at Hempstead—Nov. 10.

The girls have proved by this first victory over Hicksville that they really need your support and no doubt they will do just twice as well if there is a great big crowd of enthusiastic students out on the field to cheer them. Hockey is a dandy sport, full of excitement and thrills, so if you haven't seen a good one yet, get out to the next game and you will see some real sport.

Football Victory
CLOSE SCORE

7-6

On October the fourth, Port scored its first victory of the coming football season. Although they won by the scant margin of one point, it was easily seen that Port had a stronger team by comparing the first downs made by the two teams. In the first quarter Port made 3 first downs to Hicksville's 1; in the second, 4 to 0; third, 4 to 1; fourth, 3 to 0, making a sum of 14 to 2. The game was marked throughout by the spectacular playing of De Meo whose line plunges brought Port's only touchdown. The extra point was scored by Lafferty who caught a pass from Polk and was tackled just over the line. Very few passes were tried by either side and on the whole they were not successful, with the exception of one which was successfully completed by Hicksville after a run of 60 yards, resulting in their only touchdown. However, since Hicksville was unable to score the extra point, Port was left in the lead, which they kept for the rest of the game. Port's line deserves congratulations for their defensive and offensive work and for the way they cooperated with the back-field.

Port's next game will be with Far Rockaway at Far Rockaway. The team is off to a good start,—everybody come and help them keep their lead.

THE LINEUP:

Westby	L.F.	Jenkins
Abremoski	L.T.	Lawson
Kantor	L.G.	Lanmas
Sabatello	C.	Bronner
Hill	R.G.	Enscoe
Kapstalter	R.T.	Kalinosky
Hartmire	R.E.	Angus
Kuhne	O.R.	Polk
Hicks	L.H.	DeMeo
Morselli	R.H.	Curtin
Stolz	F	Lafferty

Referee—MacEllory

Umpire—Scott Head Linesman—Bliss

Substitutions by Hicksville:

- Roettinger for Hicks
- Slavonic for Hartmire
- Christensen for Rottinger
- Hicks for Christensen
- Gucker for Abramson

Substitutions by Port Washington:

- Di Giacomo for Jenkins
- Jenkins for Di Giacomo

Score by quarters:

	Port	Hicksville
1st	0	0
2nd	7	0
3rd	0	6
4th	0	0
Total	7	6