

Twenty Pupils On Honor Roll

School Average 74.5 Per
Cent For Second
Period

The average of the Senior High School, as computed from report card marks for the second period, is 74.5%. The honor list comprising of 20 students who have earned an average of 90% or over follows. The tie for first place was held by Arthur Johnson and Rose Piazza, with an average of 94%. Names in cases of ties are listed in alphabetical order.

Honor Roll

Arthur Johnson	94%	104
Rose Piazza	94%	108
Eloise Jenkins	93%	105
Harold Voegelin	93%	101
Ernest Dahl	92%	201
Ruth Loomis	92%	209
Anne Romeyko	92%	108
Nancy Thompson	92%	109
Lucretia Baemeister	91%	201
William Jacobsen	91%	P.G.
Barbara Stimson	91%	101
Robert Kunz	91%	209
Margaret Baemeister	90%	103
Henry Harrison	90%	105
Virginia Hyland	90%	208
Andrew Johnson	90%	209
George Keates	90%	205
Malcolm Lowry	90%	202
Ruth Shontz	90%	109
Alex Wilkie	90%	206

Room 105 Leads

Home Room 105 leads the list with 78.8%.

Home Rooms 101-208 follow with 77.8-77.5%, respectively.

The remainder of the Home Rooms is as follows: 205, 77.5%; 209, 77.2%; 109, 77.1%; P. G., 77.1%; 202, 76.9%; 201, 76.5%; 207, 75.9%; 108, 75.7%; 203, 75.9%; 103, 74.6%; 211, 74.5%; 104, 74.5%; 204, 74.1%; 206, 73.2%; 107, 73.2%.

FIVE STUDENTS RECEIVE TYPING CERTIFICATES

Five students qualified last week for certificates of award in the first year typing class as a result of a test given by Mr. K. Brown.

The people who have earned typing certificates are Henry Harrison, 37 words per minute; Mary Colbath, 32 words per minute; Robert Van Allen, 33 words per minute; Geraldine de Pauw, 30 words per minute; and Mary Dargan, 33 words per minute.

The above students all began typing class in September.

School Advisers Meet

On Wednesday evening, December 11, Miss Farlinger and Mr. Merrill represented Port Washington High School at a dinner meeting of High School Advisers at the Washington Tavern at Roslyn. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss various problems in respect to school activities. Miss Farlinger is the leader of the group.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Jan. 9—Manhasset at Manhasset.
Jan. 16—Glen Cove at Port.
Jan. 30—Oyster Bay at Port.
Feb. 6—Westbury at Port.
Feb. 13—Glen Cove at Glen Cove.
Feb. 20—Manhasset at Port.
Feb. 27—Oyster Bay at Port.
Mar. 5—Westbury at Westbury.

Seniors Meet With College Graduates

Seventy-five Seniors Plan Future Education

Twenty-four colleges and universities were represented here Tuesday evening at the second annual College Night, held in the high school cafeteria. Approximately seventy-five Seniors who were interested in either men's or co-educational colleges were present to discuss with the delegates the questions of scholarships, scholastic requirements, expenses, and many other subjects about which the Seniors desired information.

Schools Send Delegates

Representatives were from the following schools: Alfred University, Amherst College, Bucknell University, Clarkson Tech, William and Mary College, Cooper Union, Hamilton College, Lehigh University, Long Island University, Middlebury College, Nassau Collegiate Center, New York University, Pratt Institute, Princeton University, Purdue University, Van Rensselaer Polytech, St. Lawrence University, Traphagen School of Fashion, and Tufts College. From eight o'clock until after nine, students attending interviewed the representatives of the various colleges. Many received suggestions which will be a help to them in making their final decision about a college.

Two of the faculty members of the High School, Mr. Schreiber and Mr. Pickett, served as representatives for the college or university from which they graduated.

Miss Lawson and Miss Farlinger, with the help of three Senior girls, Ruth Shontz, Peggy Rinehart, and Marjorie Griffes, served refreshments in the teachers' lunch room. The cafeteria was appropriately decorated for the Christmas Season with trees and colored lights.

The Home Planning class, under the direction of Miss Lawson, as well as Miss Allison and Mr. Pierce, all contributed toward making the event the success that it proved to be.

School Issues Call For Old Victor Records

Several months ago a call for old Victor records was issued in this school. The purpose of this was to be able to get a combination radio and victrola. The quota set for this was 2,500 and about 1,000 have been turned in so far. If any people have old Victor records, they will help the school by turning them in to the music department.

Music Department Gives 2nd Concert

Glee Clubs Sing; Quartets And Orchestra Play

On Sunday, December 8, the Music Department of the Port Washington Schools presented its second concert of the annual series of Sunday concerts, which was held in the Senior High School auditorium.

The concert was attended by five hundred people and was the largest audience yet to hear any of the Sunday concerts. The contributions totaled \$34.19, which is a record for donations received at any Sunday concert. This money will be used for the trip to Syracuse next April.

The program was opened by the Flower Hill Grade Chorus under the direction of Miss Holt. This chorus sang a group of three songs and consisted of about forty-five boys and girls. The second group on the program marked the debut of the Senior High School String Quartet. This quartet is composed of Robert Lamberti, first violin; Douglas Rodgers, second violin; Jean Lowry, viola, and Virginia Witmer, 'cello.

Sextet Starts Program

A sextet of Senior High Girls opened the third portion of the program. They were followed by the Senior High Girls' Glee Club, directed by Miss Holt.

The Trombone Quartet made its second public appearance by playing for the fourth part of the program. Its initial appearance was made last year; and it is composed of Howard Smith, Warren Thomas, Charles Kingsley and Fred Turkington. The Girls' Glee Club made its second appearance by singing three more songs. After an intermission of five minutes, the Senior High Orchestra was presented under the direction of Paul Van Bodegraven. One of the pieces, "Romance," by Rubenstein, was played as a solo by the entire first violin section. The program was closed (Continued on page 4)

MISS CHARLOTTE DEAN ATTENDS SWARTHMORE

Miss Charlotte Dean of Douglaston, a former Port student, has been made a member of the varsity swimming squad at Swarthmore College. Her special ability is speed swimming.

Miss Dean is majoring in Economics, has joined the French Club, and played on her class hockey team. While a student here, she was on The Port Weekly staff. Last year she studied at the Study Home of Madame Boue in Paris.

Library Is Decorated

The library during the past week has been decorated appropriately for the Christmas season. A Christmas tree, hung with book jackets, decorations and posters arranged by the Library staff, comprised the yule time decorations.

A new innovation was the list of books suitable for gifts to people of various tastes. Miss Pelton, the librarian, stated that she would be glad to help select and order any gift books and to suggest material for reading over the holidays.

'Cradle Song' To Be Given December 19

Music And Drama Depart- ments Combine To Pro- duce Double Program

DIRECTOR HAS PART

'Sleeping Beauty' Will Be Accompanied By Senior High Orchestra

The music and drama departments of the Senior High School are uniting to produce a Christmas program which will be presented the evening of December 19 at 8:15 in the high school auditorium. The program will consist of a pantomime ballet with music by Tschalkowsky and "The Cradle Song" by the Sierra brothers.

Play Is Non-Sectarian

The program will start with "The Cradle Song", a two-act play which was first presented some years ago, at the Civic Repertory in New York City. This story is deeply religious but is in no way restricted to any one creed. The play will be presented by an exceptionally experienced cast and Miss Hawthorne will take the part of the Priores. This is the first time that Miss Hawthorne has acted with her students and she does so in this case only because she took the same part when she was studying for her master's degree at Northwestern University.

Girls' Glee Club To Sing

The girls' glee club under the direction of Miss Mildred Holt will sing a number of Christmas selections.

"The Sleeping Beauty" is one of the traditional English pantomimes. It will be accompanied by the orchestra under the direction of Mr. Van Bodegraven, with Doris Andre at the piano.

The program will be presented for the pupils of the Flower Hill grade school Thursday afternoon, in the high school auditorium. The performance that night will be open to the public. There will be reserved seats on sale at 50 cents and general admission at 35 cents.

FRATRY DANCE DEC. 21

Annual Dance Will Initiate Christ- mas Holidays

In the cafeteria, on the evening of December 21, the Fraternity will hold its annual dance. The Christmas vacation will begin at the close of school on Friday, the 20th, and the dance is to be held the following Saturday night. Eddie Gunther's Orchestra has been engaged to supply the music, and the dance will begin promptly at 8:30, to last until midnight. Admission, as usual, will be one dollar per couple or stag.

John Carlson, Douglas Rodgers, and Franklin Mullen were appointed to supervise the decorations, which will feature the blue and gold decorations, to represent the Fraternity colors.



The Port Weekly

Published weekly during the school year by the students of the Port Washington High Schools, Port Washington, N. Y. Subscription rate: \$.60 per school year; \$.35 per semester; single copy, 5 cents. By mail, \$1.00 per annum. Linotyped and printed by The Township Press, Roslyn, N. Y.



EDITOR IN CHIEF

Associate Editors

Arthur Cornell, Margaret Rinehart
 News Editor.....Frederick Turkington
 Features.....Jean Lowry
 Rewrite Man.....Margaret Baemeister
 Copy Desk Editor.....Marjorie Griffes
 Sports Editors
 E. Jenkins, R. Mazur, G. Bangs
 Music Editor.....John Wilkie
 Business Manager.....Evelyn Shirk
 Circulation Manager.....Jean Smith

Contributors:

R. Loomis, D. Davenport, R. Lamberti, J. Wilkie, D. Weber, R. Van Name, P. Willitts, E. Oglethorpe, B. Talmadge, W. Rundle, M. De Leo and D. Weber.
 Office Staff and Typists:
 G. Lien, G. Keates, N. Frost, H. Smith, F. Villani, A. Pray, J. Procelli, A. Romeyko.

Faculty Advisers

Senior High.....H. Curtis Herge
 Junior High.....Angela Mallon

Rita A. Hennessy

VOL. XII. NO. 12.

DECEMBER 13, 1935

ON A QUIET CHRISTMAS

DURING the past few decades, the true spirit of Christmas has been sorely neglected by this so called modern generation. In years gone by Christmas was, as it is today, a time of rejoicing. However, in past years, the celebrations were more in the holiday spirit rather than the spirit with which we look forward to parties, dances, and the exchange of gifts.



Would it not be worth while to revive the true spirit of Christmas, if only for a short time? Could we not do away with the hard, modern, gaudy sort of Christmas celebration that is now prevalent and celebrate instead quietly, although cheerfully? Of course, none of us wants to miss the fun at Christmas time and Christmas day need be the only one on which parties and dances are neglected. It wouldn't do any harm to try a quiet Christmas for a change; and we might find it really quite enjoyable.

STUDENTS AND HOMEWORK

SINCE the introduction of the directed-study plan into many high schools, homework is regarded by the majority of the students as unnecessary. As a result, they report to their parents that no homework has been assigned, to the perturbation of the adults who advocate definite assignment to be done outside of class. Those in favor of the directed-study system contest that the average pupil doesn't have adequate facilities for homework and that too often the work he turns in at school is not his own.

Homework, as given out by the teacher of the one room school house, used to be simply a matter of memorization. There were comparatively few distractions then to keep the pupil from concentrating on his studies. Extra-curricula activities were unheard of in the time of our grandparents; students didn't have the opportunity to participate in major sports, to belong to musical organizations, to contribute to a school paper, or to take part in dramatic productions.

One of the major arguments against home work is that, in proportion to his strength and ability, the average student spends more time on his work than most business men, whose work is finished when they leave their offices for the day. However, not until an understanding between parents and the school had been reached, can any definite progress be made toward revolutionizing the homework system as it exists today.

Port Profiles

Irrepressible Murdocks Usually Consistent

Ben's ten minutes older. . . . I know, but that won't tell 'em apart. . . . Well, Dan has shorter hair, and they act quite differently (so they say). . . . Isn't one on the traffic squad? . . . Yes, I think it's Dan. . . . No, Ben. . . . No, it's both of them. . . . And they're both in the Fraternity, too. . . . Dan complains that all the teachers ask is "which one is taller, how much they weigh, and so forth." . . . But how can you tell 'em apart otherwise? . . . Well, Dan wears bow ties and Ben doesn't, and at dances you can tell by the girl each one is with (they're usually consistent) . . .

The irrepressible Murdocks were born in Glen Cove and went to the parochial school for—Dan says two, Ben says one—years, and then descended on Port Washington. When they graduate they intend to go to Alexandria, Dan for the ride, Ben to fight the Ethiopians (are the Ethiopians in Alexandria?).

A further history might include their age—17 in October—brown hair, green eyes . . . they both like spinach, hate red fingernails and too much lipstick. In their choice of pastimes (is that the properly tactful word?) they differ, however. As someone diplomatically put it, Dan's favorite (pastime, of course) begins with an "R" and Ben's with a "B." They are rarely seen apart, and even then most people don't know which one it is!

Archeologist Falls In Love With Girl In New Comedy, "I Live My Life"

Today and tomorrow brings Joan Crawford to the Beacon Theatre in one of the most popular pictures of the year, "I Live My Life." As an associate feature the management will present Jane Withers in "This Is The Life."

The story is novel, dramatic and at times uproariously funny. The leading man is Brian Aherne, the English actor, who with this picture comes into his own as a leading man to be reckoned with.

He's Hard-Boiled

Aherne is an archeologist in "I Live My Life," as hard-boiled and city-hating as they come. When first he sees the beautiful girl from the yacht in the quiet bay of the Greek island where he has been digging, he's uninterested.

She's obviously rich, and rich girls, to him, are parasites. When she tells him, however, that she is the owner's secretary, love comes in a rush. Thus begins a romance that rises to all-absorbing proportions.

Inquiring Reporter

THE QUESTION

Why are you looking forward to Christmas vacation?

Miss Pelton, librarian, said: "I am looking forward to being home with my family for the holidays most of all, but I think it is going to be nice to have a complete change from school work. The Christmas spirit alone is something to look forward to."



Bernice Calvelli, a Junior, stated: "I am looking forward to Christmas vacation as a chance to catch up on lost sleep. I am going to rest and get prepared to come back and take Regents and, of course, aside from this I am planning to have a good time."

Kenneth Cornwall, a Junior, replied: "I am looking forward to our next vacation as a chance to practice the three r's—rest, recreation and romance."

Helen Bierman, a Sophomore, answered: "I think I am going away for the holidays to New Jersey where I am certain of a good time. If I don't go away I am quite sure I will have a good time in Port doing things that I like to do but what going to school does not permit, like going to New York and staying up as late as I want to on week days."

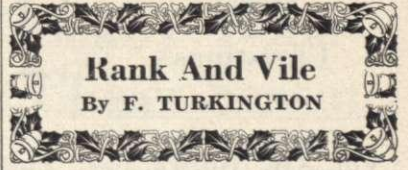
Mr. Pickett, Science instructor, responded: "I am looking forward to Christmas morning when I will see the look of amazement on my little daughter's face. She is only four years old and this is really the first Christmas that she has been old enough to appreciate."

One Year Ago Today:

Seniors interview college graduates. . . . Port Weekly staff is complimented on its editing of "The Port Washington News."

Two Years Ago Today:

Traffic squad is newly formed, under leadership of Wesley Brower. . . . Ticket sale for the "Dragon" is started. . . . Lewis Lindemuth is elected president of the Circle. . . . Football season ends with two victories, four losses and one tie.



Rank And Vile

By F. TURKINGTON

The holidays are going to be pretty well filled with parties and dances of one kind or another. Practically every organization sponsors a dance around Christmas time to attract the college students home on vacations. Of course, the Fraternity dance leads in importance around school, but there are a couple of Y. P. F. dances that are largely patronized by high school students, and several sororities and fraternities are holding dances that many pupils go to.

Things were, to say the least, quiet last week-end. One might go so far as to say that nothing happened. Of course, there was a Manhasset G. O. dance Friday night but this time the Port students, remembering the orchestra of the last dance, stayed away in droves. A few did attend including Peggie Rinehart and somebody, Eleanor Talbot and Kenneth Iverson, Johnny Anderson and George Brown, and Willie Wilson and Marjorie Griffes.

The Fraternity's annual Christmas dance is to be held in the cafeteria. They promise that this will be another of the usual super-special Fraternity dances, with the familiar lunchroom transformed with the blue and gold of the Fraternity, and music supplied by Eddie Gunther and his orchestra, which seems to hold popular favor. The crowd of alumni who are always present at this and the Junior Prom helps to make these two the outstanding dances of the school social season. I have a very incomplete idea of the way the couples are going to pair up but I will give you what I have. George Bangs and Harrie Mordt, Dot Frost and Chet Jost, Stanley Smith and Audrey Jones, Dot Schauer and John Keaney, Marjorie Wheeler and Johnny Anderson, Bob Lang and June Fuller, Ray Mazur and Mary Elizabeth Harris, Florence Kurejwo and Harold Thomas, Jean Vanderbilt and Lee Mehan, Svea Olson and Irving Petersen, Eleanor Talbot and Kenneth Iverson, and Ruth Guilford and James Rinehart. (Incidentally they are dated up for all the dances up to and including the Junior Prom). Ted Minich and Jean Curtis, Regina Brooke, and Albert Peaches Brown will be among the alumni visitors.

The Y. P. F. is having a dance at the St. Stephen's parish hall the evening of December 30. As usual a bunch of students will probably attend despite the fact that Clint Hall's orchestra is going to play and that the next night is New Year's Eve. Everyone is all agog to see Dorothy Woon accompanied by the mysterious "Jim" and Mary Quist with her equally mysterious "Wes."

Will the gentleman who is calling up Eleanor Talbot so frequently please give his name the next time—Advt.

Ray Mazur took Nancy Farnsworth home from some-place or other Saturday and the poor girl ups and faints in English class Monday, probably from surprise. It seems that he took her straight home.

Written and Edited by
the Students of the
Junior High School

The Port Junior

Violet Levy,
Student Editor

JUNIOR SNOOP

Friday, The 13th

What has happened to our school mates? Did we actually see girls with lipstick over their eyebrows, their coats, dresses, and sweaters on backwards, girls wearing two different shoes or socks, and grotesque hair ribbons? Did we, also, hear boys whispering loving words to each other and pupils refusing to speak during certain periods.

We certainly did and discovered that the cause of all these strange sights and doings was that awful jinx. The only way to avoid being jinxed is to refuse to partake in the game (and be called a poor sport) or have something crossed. This is why we see our dignified classmates doubled up with their hands, feet, fingers, and eyes crossed. Don't say we didn't warn you.

Hot Stuff!

Mr. Markle (explaining heat and temperature) "But no sun is as hot as our son."

One of our esteemed students was recently seen dashing through the halls playing "Button, Button, Who Lost a Button." After inquiring of many teachers if they were minus a button, he gave up and only succeeded in finding another button to accompany the first.

A Half Set of "Quints"

Mr. Costello—The average family here has two and a half children.

The John D. Rockefeller of our school is Howard Stephenson who is worth over ten million dollars (in German marks).

Within the last few weeks the 9A-1 population has been increased by two boys, Arthur Duffy from Chateaugay, New York, and George Larson from Manila, Philippine Islands. Both tall, light and handy.

We can "Wrightly" say that Carol L. is strong for Wright.

Stephen G. and Edmund P. were looking at an airplane flying in the sky when Stephen said, "I'd hate to be up there in that thing."

Edmund's quick reply was, "Sure, but I'd hate to be up there without it."

It used to be Frankie and Johnny, but now it is Frankie and Joycie. Isn't that so, Parker?

M. L. and D. O. D. were seen with some luscious lollypops. Just a couple of suckers, huh!

Enough Said

Bert Schauer still insists that he will never have a girl friend. Perhaps we'd better believe him and let it go at that.

Next week Miss Moore Della Bunk's advice column will appear. We hope you've already sent in your fateful question.

Library To Be Used For Reading And Reference

Pupils Asked To Prepare Homework Elsewhere

By D. I. GODFREE

"Miss Godfree, we have a science test next period. May we study here?"

Permission was granted and the two pupils spent the next half hour talking about everything but science. When they were told to put away the pretext for study and to get a book or magazine they were greatly distressed.

Library Is For Enjoyment

The library provides at least one period each week when the pupils are given the privilege of exploring and enjoying its contents. It provides a time when pupils can acquire reading tastes; when they can improve their interest in current magazines and newspapers. Pupils should not feel insulted because the librarian wants them to enjoy themselves.

How about that hockey game in today's Herald Tribune? What's the latest development in Ethiopia? Have you seen the latest Readers' Digest? Have you read "The Comforts of Home," that collection of humorous essays? Do you know what delightful poetry Paul Lawrence Dunbar writes? Library period is the time to do all these things.

Library and Reference Work

This is also a good time to do that unit in science which requires several reference books. Don't put it off until the night before it is due. Reference books are not always there at the last minute when you want them so desperately.

The library is not a study hall. I firmly believe that at the end of the year everyone will be much happier because we have not turned our library into a classroom. **STUDYING WILL NOT BE PERMITTED IN THE LIBRARY.** Let's fall in with the new idea. Let's use our library for reading.

Violet Levy Wins Award In Radio Composition Contest

English pupils in schools of such states as New York, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania have been entering a series of radio summary contests. Previously space has been devoted to explaining and telling of compositions entered by pupils of our junior high. In the latest contest Violet Levy of the 9B-1 received fourth place in the 9th grade group and was given honorable mention over the radio. Summaries were also submitted by pupils of the 7B-2 and 8A-2 English classes.

TALK ON BIRDS IN ASSEMBLY

Mr. Allan Cruickshank, photographer, lecturer, and prominent member of the Audubon Society, displayed his wonderful collection of pictures of birds and animals in the assembly Thursday, December 5th. His talk particularly pointed out how helpful birds are in destroying insect pests. He urged us to co-operate in protecting our birds and animals.

HONOR ROLL

A canvas of the home rooms showed that many pupils had excellent reports for the second marking period.

The highest averages for this period go to: 9B-1, Warren Kunz; 9B-2, Eleanor Gustavson; 9B-3, Mildred Dellavechia; 9A-1, Rembert Brim; 9A-2, Sophie Mingolo; 9A-3, Willard Baker; 8B-1, Paul Wood; 8B-2, Anne Riggs; 8B-3, Odd Hope; 8A-1, Walter McQuade; 8A-2, Francis Fox; 8A-3, William Ames; 8A-4, Mona Kelly; 7B-1, Phyllis Warren; 7B-2, Joy McQueen; 7B-3, Josephine Noga; 7A-1, Ryder Amther; 7A-2, Virginia Lotti; 7A-2, Anna Jackle; 7A-3, Alfred Piconi; 7A-4, Ro Ann Hicks.

Girls' Basketball Practice Begins

Volley Ball, Tap Dancing In Gym Classes

The girls' basketball practices were started last Friday and a large crowd turned out.

In gym classes, a volley ball tournament was started by Miss Maher. The gym classes are divided into 4 or 5 squads and the tournaments were held among these squads. Many girls have walked off the floor with a sore hand, nose, or finger, but they still smile because the team had won when the hand gave the ball the hard hit which sent it out of the other team's reach.

Now that the volley ball tournaments are over, Miss Maher has started giving lessons in tap dancing. Each girl in her gym class will be marked as to whether she learns the dances and also she will be marked as to her attitude in participating in the activities in the gym.

Music Organizations Show Rapid Progress

The music organizations of the Junior High have grown much larger in the past few years. The three principal organizations are the band, orchestra and glee club. The band and orchestra are getting larger all the time. Approximately ten new members have been added to each since the beginning of the term. There are at present 50 members in the band and 55 members in the orchestra. Besides this, there are many up and coming young musicians now learning in Junior High, and they will get their chance any day now.

Glee Club Organizes

This year the vacancies left by the outgoing ninth grade will be filled in by the incoming seventh grade. There are many students learning instruments in the grammar schools who will be coming into Junior High within a short time.

This year's glee club looks as if it's going to be a great success. A large number of students turned out to be in it, and a few will have to be eliminated. After this has been done, it ought to turn out to be one of our best glee clubs. A concert is to be held in January.

8A Boys And Girls Exchange Classes

Girls Use Hammers And Boys Bake Biscuits

For some time the Departments of Home Economics and Industrial Arts have tried to work out a plan whereby they might exchange classes. That is, make cooks of the boys and carpenters of the girls. This term the 8A Boys are receiving instruction from Miss Clark and the 8A Girls' Home Economics Class reports to Mr. Cramblett for shop work.

Biscuits and Biscuit Cutters

The girls are learning how to make biscuit cutters, while the boys are being shown the art of making the biscuits. If Mother can't find her apron these days it's probably being used by her son in cooking class. Miss Clark reports that the boys are very enthusiastic and efficient in their work and that their dishwashing is excellent. They are especially interested in preparing food for hikes. Mr. Cramblett is very pleased with the work of the girls and he believes that this experiment will prove so successful, that it will become a regular part of the schedule.

More Justice, Less Junk For Ash Cans

Ash Collectors Held Responsible For Wide-Spread Unpopularity Of Ash Cans

By W. McQUADE

An ash can is indeed a charitable object. It welcomes practically anything to its bosom. Fashioned of iron which man's ingenuity has transformed from raw metal into armies of faithful servants of humanity, an ash can won't go out nights, unless it's put out, and has no vices except banging on the sidewalk in the early morning, and the garbage men usually are directly responsible for that.

Remnants of Nobility

The main thing to go into ash cans is called, by the unimaginative, "ashes," but others prefer to call it the remnants of a noble material which has done its duty and perished in the doing. But we mustn't forget the many happy hours spent by lads and lassies rooting down into the family ash can for last week's copy of the "Kiddies Weekly" or is it "True Confessions?" When the offspring had inquired of the whereabouts of it he was answered with a blank stare and, "What Magazine? Oh, that one? Isn't it around?"

Love Is Cooled

Of course one's fiery love of ash cans is slightly cooled by the prospect of a flock of ash cans standing on the curb beckoning to the boy to be useful and take it for a walk to the cellar. There are many who would like to take it for a one-way ride or walk, to the junkyard. But these same ones would be wishing for that ash can if they had to bring out all the ashes in scrap baskets, buckets, or something similar.

51 Girls Sign For Basketball

Four Of '34 Team Return For Practice

Fifty-one girls answered Miss Maher's call by reporting for basketball practice December 3 in the gymnasium.

Only four of last year's varsity remain, three of which are guards. Eloise Jenkins, the only remaining forward, will probably remain at the right-hand position. Sophie Slaska, of last year's second team, has a good chance, as have Carmela Muro, Dorothy Suydam, Anna Mae Seaman, and Mary Rose Jenkins. The combination that shows the most promise at present is Muro at center, Jenkins at right, and Slaska at left forward posts.

Two Guards Remain

The guards remain intact with Alexander, center; Kurejwo, left; and Davenport, right. Still, Miss Maher doesn't go by last year's choice and has some ideas of her own. So far, however, the aforementioned three have been practicing together but receiving stiff competition. Their likely successors, if any, seem to be Dot Schauer, Dot Hamm, two de Pauws, and Stephanie Slaska.

No complete schedule has been formulated but eight games are being planned.

Girls' Varsity Club Holds Meeting

Dot Schauer, Hockey Captain, Elected President

The Girls' Varsity Club, sponsored by Miss Irene E. Maher, physical education instructor, held its first meeting last Friday afternoon after assembly. The club, which has at present fifteen charter members, elected officers for the coming year.

Dorothy Schauer, a member of the Senior Class, was elected president. She was captain of the hockey team and is a prominent member of the basketball squad. Florence Kurejwo, a Junior, was chosen vice-president; Lillian Kohanska, a Junior, was voted secretary, and Dorothy Davenport was elected treasurer. Under the supervision of Miss Maher the club plans to have as its object the promotion of interest in girls' sports and the maintenance of this interest after graduation. The president appointed Gloria Alexander, Mary Rose Jenkins and Eloise Jenkins to frame a constitution.

NO ISSUE NEXT WEEK

There will be no Port Weekly next week because two issues will be published in January after the vacation to complete the full thirty issues for the year.

Circle Plans Party For Monday Night

Entertainment Will Include Ten Cent Grab Bag

The Circle will give a Christmas party at its next meeting, December 16, in the teachers' lunch room. The committee in charge includes Anna Romeyko, Henry Harrison, and John Anderson.

The club extends its invitation to all the members of the faculty to attend this celebration. To provide added entertainment, each person attending the meeting, including the faculty, is requested to bring a ten cent gift which will be placed in a grab bag. Refreshments and entertainment will be provided for by the committee.

At the last meeting, Mr. Merrill proposed a change in the dates for the future sessions of the organization because of conflicting engagements. Previously the club met on the first and third Monday evenings of the month. By an apparently unanimous vote the dates were changed to the second and fourth Monday evenings. The revision will go into effect in January, 1936.

Three Years Ago Today:

Tickets sell for "Icebound." . . . Eileen Hassett and Kingsley Poynter star. . . . Dat is set for Fraternity Dance. . . . New rules are instituted for girls' basketball.

Port Quintet Opens Season

Basketball Team Starts Against Hicksville

By RAYMOND MAZUR

With three weeks of practice, the Port Washington High School basketball team will meet a strong Hicksville aggregation on the latter's court tonight. The Port boys seem ready for action after being carefully trained by Mr. Costello. However, no definite team has yet been chosen.

The Blue and White played Hicksville last year and lost to the tune of 31 to 21. This year the Port boys will be out for revenge and probably will have a hard battle doing it. Although having only two veterans from last year's team, Hicksville proved itself to be as strong as last year by beating St. Dominic's of Oyster Bay last Friday by the score of 39 to 11. Port is a good deal better off with four veterans in the fold and a quantity of prospects from last year's second team and newcomers from the Junior High School.

Lineup Uncertain

John Rogier and Stanley Smith are assured of forward positions, Irving Petersen for center, Joe Augustino for one of the guards, and either Herb Carpenter or Oscar Petersen for the remaining guard position. The actual lineup for Port tonight could not be obtained but the Hicksville lineup is as follows: Left forward, Borduik; right forward, Rudeck; center, Sabatello; left guard, Darmohray, and right guard, Schluter.

According to "Dap" Sullivan, the Alumni will be raring to get at the school boys next Wednesday night in order to even up the 24-22 defeat administered to them last year. This game will probably be a close one again this year as most of the Alumni boys have been practicing for a number of weeks.

Girls' Volley Ball

On Thursday, December 5, the girls' volley ball tournament was played off in the High School gymnasium. The participants were the winning squads of each of the six periods. For the past few weeks the various squads within each class have been battling for the supremacy of their division, and excitement ran high when the best from each class met for the finals Thursday afternoon.

Edgar's Squad Triumphs

Squad two of the fifth period class, captained by Ann Edgar, emerged the victor from the encounter, with Dorothy Davenport's team, representing the second period group, the runners-up. The final game was a close one, with the winners coming in just a few points to the good, and the spectators were equally as enthusiastic as the players themselves. The rest of the girls on the winning squad are Louise Elliott, Harriet Finfer, Helen Kelly, Anna Juliski, Eleanor Kaplan, Antoinette Keaney and Rita Hennessey. The members of the second team are as follows: Dorothy Davenport, Margaret Baumeister, Merle Collings, Irene Ruskowski, Madeline Lotz, Barbara Stimson, Helen Zebrowski and Susan Millholland.

Coming Attractions

Today — Basketball Game: Hicksville vs. Port at Hicksville, 8 p. m.

Wednesday, December 18—Basketball Game: Alumni vs. Port High at the High School Gym, 8 p. m.

Thursday, December 19—Christmas presentation, "Cradle Song" and "Sleeping Beauty" at 8:15 p. m. Admission 35 cents and 50 cents, High School Auditorium.

Friday, December 20—School closes at 2:30. No school until January 6, 1936.

Saturday, December 21—Fraternity Dance: Eddie Gunther's Orchestra. Admission \$1.00.

Music Department Gives 2nd Concert

(Continued from page 1)
by the orchestra playing "Sleeping Beauty," by Tschaikowsky.

The program was as follows:

Salutation Gaines
Oh, Mary, Don't You Weep.....Spiritual
Soldiers' Chorus from Faust.....Gounod
Flower Hill Grade Chorus
Allegro from Eine Kleine Nacht
Musik Mozart
Noel Arranged by Pochon
Senior High String Quartet
Oh, Rest in the Lord, from
Elijah Mendelssohn
A Joyous Christmas Song Dickinson
Senior High Girls' Glee Club
Dedication Franz
Religion As a Fortune Spiritual
Quarter Beethoven
Trombone Quartet
Lo, How a Rose E'er Bloom-
ing Praetorius
Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isa-
bella French Carol
Virgin's Slumber Song Reger
Senior High Girls' Glee Club

INTERMISSION

From a Japanese Screen Ketelby
Romance Rubinstein
Tschaikowsky Suite:
March of the Tin Soldiers.
Sweet Dreams.
Humoresque.
Longing.
Sleeping Beauty Tschaikowsky

S - P - O - R - T - S

By GEORGE BANGS

BASKETBALL

The basketball season for 1935-36 will commence tonight when Port will embark for Hicksville to open the present campaign. The combat will supposedly start at eight o'clock in Hicksville with an undetermined attendance. The outcome is like any other match of similar order; the final whistle will reveal the story. Both squads are unknown as to strength and ability. Having been practicing only three weeks, it is hardly possible that you will see any spectacular basketball; but most anything can happen on the court. This is not a conference game and will have no effect on the league standing, but this should not lessen the crowd any; so everyone out tonight to help launch the new basketball season!

FOOTBALL

High School football is definitely ended, and it ended with a bang for Long Island and Massachusetts. Baldwin High went down to Petersburg, Virginia, last week and defeated Petersburg High, 14 to 7, in a thrilling game. It seems that Baldwin has a young fullback named Zachman, and it also seems that this youth is quite the star of the Baldwin outfit. A few well-known collegiate coaches were present at this fray and were remarking about Zachman's playing. The Baldwin coach just laughed and said:

"Let 'em talk. They can't have Zachman for three years yet. He's only a Sophomore."

Last week a very light Massachusetts team came to New York and trampled on a previously un-

defeated Curtis High School team of Staten Island, 29 to 0. Marblehead is the name of this Massachusetts team that produced such a stinging upset over the 'Pride of Old Man Knickerbocker.' This team, which was outweighed 13 pounds per man on the average, also has its particular star in the person of Dick Wells. Wells, who is only 16 years old, was playing his last game for Marblehead at the quarterback position. Mixing deceptive plays with passes and spinners, Marblehead literally walked over Curtis. Wells scored two of the four touchdowns made by Marblehead and directed all of the plays.

HOCKEY

Quite a few of the skating enthusiasts of Port High made a petition to the School Board for equipment for ice hockey, but the Board felt that it was beyond its means and refused the petition. However, the boys would not let that stop them and went ahead to play their beloved game of ice hockey. Last Saturday the boys travelled to Hewlett's Pond and engaged in the manly sport aforementioned. Tom Keates and Roger Kavanagh were the playing managers, captains, and boon-dogglers. Roger had a team made up of Dick Jost, Ray Mazur, a few unknown gentlemen, one whose age was undetermined, and Roger himself. Tom presented a bunch of toughs including Art Lang, Arthur Johnson, Gene Oglethorpe, and himself. The final score was 6 to 4 in favor of Roger Kavanagh's mixed team. Ray Mazur and Gene Oglethorpe were high scorers, each scoring three goals.