

Port High Opens Gridiron Season Tomorrow

Play Contest
Thursday

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'Port Weekly' Ends Subscription Drive

Reports Prove Campaign Is Most Successful In School History

Terminating the most successful subscription campaign in the history of "The Port Weekly", Miss Helen Brock, Business Manager, and Miss Doris Fenton, Circulation Manager, were jubilant in being able to report that the goal of 800 subscriptions has been attained.

When asked what home room representatives had won the trophy award and which were eligible for receiving certificates of merit these two officials were agreed that unless all subscription money is recorded for an individual representative, he is not qualified for an award.

Alumni Add To Success

The campaign was launched this year with provision made for deferred subscription payments. A verbal contract between the representative and the individual was all that was necessary to receive "The Port Weekly." On October 7, however, the liberal credit period will expire, after which a student's subscription will cease if his total amount is not paid.

Business Men in Port Washington

were induced to subscribe to the school paper this year by a provision whereby each was assured the delivery of the paper each week plus a bonus advertisement, one insertion of a one inch ad, for only ninety cents. This, together with the constantly growing alumni subscription list, has assured the success of the campaign.

Bert Shauer Leads List

At the close of school Monday afternoon, the following representatives topped the list with the greatest number of subscriptions: Bert Shauer with 34 subscriptions, Rembert Brimm with 29 subscriptions, Eugene Calvelli with 29 subscriptions, and Jack Young with 28. The following home rooms and their representatives have attained at least twenty subscriptions: Room 101—Jack Young; 103—Warren Kunz; 105—Peggy Varley; 107—Jane Cole; 109—Betty Lindemuth; 201—Eugene Cavelli; 203—Everitt Hehn; 205—Henry Lacher; 206—Rembert Brimm; 207—Bert Shauer; 208—Mary Muro; 209—Helen Carey; 211—Peggy Stephenson; 202—Mildred Lang; 111—Florence Whyte; 102—June Allington.

Fratry Elects New Officers at Meeting

On Monday night, the first of the bi-monthly meetings of the Fraternity was held in the gym, with adviser Coach Costello present. The meeting was opened by Fred Lacher who read the Fraternity Constitution. After the election turmoil had subsided, it was found the following members had been elected: President, Fred Lacher; Vice President, Bill Buschmann; Secretary, John Wilkie; Treasurer, Charles Griffes; Sergeant-at-arms, Jim Lillis.

A list of twenty possible new members was compiled, and from this list will be selected those, who in the near future, will come to appreciate the ingenuity of the Fraternity initiation committee. Those who would like to be considered for membership will please make the desire known to a Fraternity member.

Signal Caller And Lineup For Tomorrow's Football Battle



—Photo by B. Cocks
Bernie Mallon who will direct the Blue and White Eleven at quarterback position, was regular back in the final games of last season and is one of the most experienced members of the squad.

Port Washington High vs. Alumni at Seeber Field
Saturday October 2, 2:30 P. M.

The Probable Lineups:

| Wt. | Alumni | Pos. | Port | Wt. |
|-----|--------------|----------|-----------|-----|
| 180 | Augustino | R. E. | Romeyko | 151 |
| 190 | F. Kalinosky | R. T. | Boriotti | 200 |
| 210 | Miller | R. G. | Fasano | 168 |
| 185 | Carmichael | C. | Woelfl | 164 |
| 208 | Seidlecki | L. G. | Neulist | 187 |
| 212 | S. Kalinosky | L. T. | Tonsmeire | 165 |
| 183 | Erb | L. E. | Carpenter | 167 |
| 183 | Sullivan | Q. B. | B. Mallon | 148 |
| 160 | Piurek | R. H. B. | Rodgers | 160 |
| 160 | Richter | L. H. B. | Hooper | 155 |
| 192 | Smith | F. B. | Swan | 170 |

Port's "Fighting Gentlemen" Face First Opponent Tomorrow at Seeber Field; Experience and Brawn Favor Alumni

Many Newcomers on Football Squad—Port Has Lightest in Years—Most of Alumni on Manhasset Redbird Squad

By R. Mac Callum

Tomorrow the Port High Football team will open its 1937 gridiron campaign in a clash with a strong Alumni eleven. The scene of tussle is Seeber Field and the starting whistle will blow at 2:30. This initial encounter with the older boys will give the school athletes a good start on their seven game schedule.

The Alumni lineup greatly resembles that of last year. Two of the High School stars of last year are also members of the team. They are Ted Seidlecki and Stan Kolinosky. Nearly every position on the alumni eleven is held down by a formidable player who has had much past experience. A majority of the older boys saw action on the Blue and White championship team a few years ago. These older lads, when it comes to weight, average a good 186 pounds; while the school players average 165 pounds. It must be noted that all of the Alumni players are members of various semi-pro teams.

Varsity Will Be Fast

Against this seemingly undefeatable team Coach Costello will probably send eleven of his most able players. The Coach has produced a squad which is not without its merits. Although a bit lighter they are probably faster and are in fine condition. With but six letter men to build a team around, Coach Costello has found difficulties in shaping up a powerful squad. He has not had an abundance of material to draw from but has succeeded in uncovering several hidden talents; Mike Romeyko and Herb Carpenter are two letter men who will very likely start tomorrow. Bernie Mallon will almost surely cavort in the quarterback position. As to who will fill the other positions in tomorrow's struggle is doubtful, for the lineup at the top of this column is only tentative. However among other likely athletes who may enter the game are: James Lillis, tackle; the Johansen brothers, guards; Ted Gregory, center; John Hooper and Doug Wright, halfbacks. This does not complete Port's roster of able players for there are several more who may be regulars before the season is completed.

Coach Costello, when interviewed as to what he thought his team would do this season, gave the following answer: "It is too early to tell yet, as I have not been able to determine who will be on the regular team." In past years, Mr. Costello has usually been able to open the season with somewhat of a definite squad of regulars. This year, however, he will have to wait until

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Actors Will Compete For Class Cup And Individual Prizes

"Sweethearts" Is Choice For Seniors

JUDGE IS D. SAMMIS

"The Obstinate Family" Is Junior Play

Rehearsals for the fourth annual inter-class play contest began after school Tuesday, September 21, and will continue until Thursday, October 7 at which time the Sophomores, Juniors, and Seniors will present in competition their plays at 8:15 in the high school auditorium.

The first play "His First Shave" by Ronald Else to be presented will be that of the Sophomore class. In this play Bobby Brett gets his first shave, but, as an outcome, he loses his best girl, Janet, played by Helen Allington. The rest of the cast is as follows: Mr. Morton, Bill Griffes; Mrs. Morton, Ann Page; and Clara Morton, Mary Church. Berna Deane Purgett is acting as director with Charlotte Hewett assisting.

"Sweethearts", a comedy melodrama by W. S. Gilbert, will be given second on the program by the senior class. Jane Cole in the part of Jenny Northcott, plays a sweet and innocent role in the first part of the play, and, still sweet and innocent, as an elderly lady in the second act. She does not marry Henry Spreadbrow, her fiance, who is characterized by Robert MacCallum, so that he may go abroad to make financial success of himself. Thirty years later he returns to find her still unmarried. He then marries her. The supporting cast is Wilcox, the gardener, Fred Porcelli; and Ruth, the maid, Lucy Bullard. Mary Kellogg will direct this presentation.

The Juniors will present their play, "The Obstinate Family" last. Warren Kunz and Helen McAlpine lead on the bill as Mr. and Mrs. Lowell, the parents of the family. Other members of the cast are Gloria Copp as Lucy; Robert Brock as James; Fredda Turrill as Mrs. Harwood; and Elsworth Erb as Mr. Harwood.

Voice And Action Prizes

In addition to the silver cup that is awarded to the class presenting the best play, there are to be several added prizes for various members of the casts to work for this year. One is for voice and diction, which counts 50 percent in the final judging; one, for characterization, which is 35 percent of the final count; and one, for tempo, which adds up to 10 percent in the competition. The plays are being judged by Miss Dorothy Sammis, A. B. in Dramatics at Russell Sage College, and M. A. at Teachers College, Columbia.

June Allington is in charge of all ticket sales. Under her supervision are: Helen Brock, Senior class; Pete Davis, Junior class; and Bert Schauer, Sophomore class.

Today's Assembly Will Be Football Pep Rally

The assembly program this afternoon will be in the form of a pep rally for the opening of the football season tomorrow. The band will don their uniforms for the first time this term to take part in the assembly. Cheers and songs will be practiced by the student body under the lead of the new cheering squad.

Adviser Launches 1938 School Annual

Several Photographers Vie For Yearbook Contract

Work on The senior class annual, "The Port Light," for 1938 was started this week under the supervision of Mr. Saul Scherer. In previous years Mr. William Merrill took charge of the year book, however Mr. Scherer was chosen faculty adviser when Mr. Merrill could no longer attend to it, because of the increasing amount of work as the high school's principal. Mr. Scherer has adopted many of the editing principles of former years, and has incorporated also his own ideas in the plans for the coming year.

This year's work on "The Port Light" will start this month instead of later in the year. The plan will enable the photographers to get numerous out-of-door pictures heretofore impossible because of the late start of work in other years. Arrangements are going forward, under the supervision of Mr. Scherer, to let the contract for the photography. On Friday, September 25, many photographers took pictures of Michael De Leo and Audrey Jones as samples of their workmanship. The second period study hall was also photographed. These samples will be submitted for inspection in the near future. Many photographic firms' representatives have been interviewed, but as yet no decision has been made.

On Monday, September 27, all pupils interested in work on the Year Book submitted their names to Mr. Scherer. The student editor of "The Port Light" does not necessarily have to be a senior as in previous years. Anyone with the necessary executive qualifications is eligible for the position. The members of the faculty have been asked to submit names of people suitable for the various positions on the staff. There are fifty positions open to the students of the high school. Announcements of people chosen for the staff will be made within the next week.