

## Blue and White Eleven Drops Game To Fiery Hicksville Team Saturday

### "Fighting Gentlemen" Fail To Score In Losing Second Game of Season By One Touchdown

The "Fighting Gentlemen" of Port High dropped another close decision on the gridiron last Saturday to a fiery Hicksville Eleven. The final score stood 7 to 0. Merrill Yarotzky tallied for the Orange and Black after his team had crashed through the Blue and White line and brought the pigskin to Port's own three yard stripe. Leonard's high but accurate place kick gave his team the extra point. This lone scoring occurred in the last quarter. Pete "One Man Team" Prudenti turned in an outstanding performance for the Blue and White with his powerful line plunges. He has had but one week of scrimmage due to a recent operation.

Douglas Rodgers' kick opened the game. A pass from Yarotzky to McInnes netted Hicksville a first down, but they could get no further and punted. Rodgers immediately returned their punt, and with the ball in their possession, the Orange and Black boys gained another first down on Port's 10 yard line. Here Doug Rodgers recovered a Hicksville fumble and cancelled the scoring threat.

#### Hicksville Penalized

Pignataro opened the second period with a 19 yard run which was followed by a fumble. Bernie Mallon punted on the third down. Hicksville could do nothing, even though aided by a five yard penalty against Port. A fifteen yard penalty against the out-of-towners for unnecessary roughness gave Port a first down. At this point Bernie Mallon tossed a long pass, but it was intercepted by Engelbretson. Smith, who went in for Pignataro, carried the ball for a 6 yard gain, but again Hicksville was set back by another fifteen yard penalty. With the ball once more in Port's hands, Pete made two ramrod line plunges for a net gain of 12 yards and a first down. Port was able to do no more, and thus the half ended in a scoreless tie.

The third quarter saw Swan go in for Mallon and "Lindy" Lambert for Hooper. Both teams see-sawed back and forth until Swan was unlucky enough to fumble the ball on his own ten yard calcimine where Schluter of Hicksville recovered. Here McInnes, on a line crash, brought the pigskin to within one yard of a touchdown. However, on the very next down Leonard fumbled the football in an attempt to crash through right end. Mike Romeyko pounced on the elusive ball and saved the game for a while at least. "Duck" Swan booted it out of danger to end the period.

#### Brilliant Passes Tossed

Hicksville held the upper hand for nearly the entire final period, producing some brilliant passes and long end runs. Odd Hope, one of Port's husky linemen, outdid himself by grabbing Smith's right arm and practically throwing him to the ground for a ten yard loss. In return the Orange and Black launched a pass which netted them 23 yards and a first down. From here on they could not be stopped and they marched on to a touchdown. Port's efforts to score in the final minutes of the game proved of no avail.

Two weeks ago the alumni barely nosed out the school team in an exciting clash. Although the older boys seemed to hold the upper hand for most of the fray, they were pressed back to their own three yard line in the last period. "Strap" Smith tallied for his side in the second frame for the only count of the game. This touchdown was expected sooner because of the Alumni's constant thrusts toward their goal. A powerful aggregation, the Alumni, but the lighter school boys kept them in check and held magnificently in the pinches.

#### Many Players Inexperienced

Some sixteen high school athletes entered the contest and with one or two exceptions, all played well. It was the first actual grid competition that many of them had seen, but they appeared able to perform without any showing of panic or nervousness. Quarterback Mallon stood out in the day's play because of his passing, which was brilliant in spots. Doug Rodgers launched several fine kicks and proved himself capable of holding down the fullback position. The two ends, Mike Romeyko and Herb Carpenter, along with John Hooper did some fine snaring of passes. The line also appeared to be clicking well.

Port	Position	Hicksville
Carpenter	L.E.	Schluter
Boriotti	L.T.	T. Smith
Neulist	L.G.	Reimels
Woelfl	C.	Alberts
Tonsmiere	R.G.	Saurer
Hope	R.T.	Zulkotski
Romeyko	R.E.	Flueckinger
Prudenti	Q.B.	McInnes
Hooper	R.H.B.	Yarotzky
Rodgers	L.H.B.	Pignataro
Mallon	F.B.	Leonard

Subs: Port—Lamberti, Clark, Johansen, Swan, Lillis; Hicksville—Smith, Elsemann, Engelbretson.

### Shakespearian Plays Open in Roslyn Theater

The first professional production in America since 1885 of William Shakespeare's "Coriolanus" will be given by the WPA New York State Federal Theater Project at the Theater of the Four Seasons, Roslyn, Long Island. "Coriolanus", a tragedy concerning the legendary history of Rome, is one of the least known of Shakespeare's plays because of its many obscure passages.

The performances, which begin at 8:50, will be presented intermittently until November 27th. For student theatre parties concessions in the price will be made. Tickets of admittance range from \$25 to \$1.10.

## S - P - O - R - T - S

By Mike De Leo

Despite two losses in two starts the Port High gridiron aggregation has only been scored on twice. The first game against the Alumni found the high school boys trailing 6-0. The first league game against Hicksville was lost to the tune of 7-0. Both games showed that the Blue and White team needed experience. The line did marvelously well in both games despite the fact that they were outweighed fifteen pounds per man in the Alumni game. Flanked by the two lettermen, Herb Carpenter and Mike Romeyko, the line showed that it "could take it" against their more experienced opponents.

#### Hicksville 7 Port 0

Faced by a more confident Hicksville squad, the Port eleven held its own for three periods and then weakened to allow the visitors to put over the winning tally. The Orange and Black team presented a razzle-dazzle type of play which they showed last season. End-around plays with variations were their specialty. The line dealt quite successfully with these, but the backfield had a bit of trouble trying to bat down passes. In fact, the lone tally of the game resulted indirectly from a pass. "Iron Man" Hope crashed through the line to throw a Hicksville back for a substantial loss. With about eighteen yards to go for a first down, the visiting team completed a pass inside the Blue and White's five yard line, and from there they proceeded to push the ball over the goal line.

Everyone probably noticed number 26 of Hicksville. This fellow surely can play football despite his handicap. One who overcomes the rigors of a football game under such hindrances is certain to succeed.

#### The Jinx Again

The team did not come out of the conflict unscathed. The Port eleven will sorely miss Bernie Mallon for probably the remainder of the season. He suffered a broken hand. Bernie, a quarterback, furnished some of the much needed experience in the backfield; and his smart work in the safety position helped substantially. "Duck" Swan filled in this vacancy last Saturday. He has a pretty tough assignment ahead of him. Bob Woelfl was also on the injured list. He appeared in school with his arm in a sling. However, he did finish the game against Hicksville although his arm had been pulled out of joint. It is not probable that the injury will keep him out of scrimmage for long.

#### "Prunes" Appears

"Pete" Prudenti made his initial appearance and played a bang-up game. This condensed package of human dynamite tackled ferociously, and he hit the line with plenty of force. "Powerhouse" Pete is the only experienced back left in the lineup.

#### Southampton Game Tomorrow

Tomorrow the team will journey to Southampton to meet the South Shore team. This will be the first meeting in two years because the game was rained out last year. The eleven will need every bit of support that the student body is able to give it. The trip will make a pleasant drive and the game will be worth seeing.

#### Tennis

The fall tennis tournament is still under way. Johnny Smith reached the final round of the lower bracket by defeating B. Morris 6-1, 1-6; 6-2. He had previously downed Eddie Bailey 3-6, 6-3, 6-1. B. Morris reached the semi-final round by beating Paul Wood 10-8, 4-6, 6-2. The upper bracket has played fewer matches. Tommy Adee defeated Ernie Mazur 6-1, 6-4, and "Buster" Adams trimmed Neulist 6-2, 6-0. Both of these matches were in the second round. The remainder of the contests should be played at the first opportunity for bad weather is sure to come soon.

## Stuff'n' Dates by Ned Moore



COLUMBUS (1446-1506)

COLUMBUS DIED ON MAY 20TH, 1506

## COLUMBUS BIRTH PLACE AND BURIAL PLACE UNKNOWN

ALTHO THERE HAVE BEEN MANY CLAIMS FROM VARIOUS LATIN COUNTRIES THAT COLUMBUS WAS BORN IN THEIR TERRITORY, IT HAS BEEN GENERALLY ACCEPTED THAT HE WAS BORN IN OR NEAR GENOA, BUT IT IS NOT KNOWN EXACTLY WHERE. SHORTLY AFTER HIS RETURN FROM HIS LAST VOYAGE COLUMBUS DIED, AND HE WAS BURIED AT VALLADOLID (SPAIN) BUT SOON AFTERWARDS HIS REMAINS WERE REMOVED TO THE CARTHUSIAN MONASTERY OF LAS CUEVAS, SEVILLE. IN 1536, THE BODIES OF COLUMBUS AND HIS SON WERE EXHUMED AND SENT OVERSEAS, TO SAN DOMINGO AND INTERRED IN THE CATHEDRAL. IN 1795-96 WHEN THE FRENCH TOOK OVER THE ISLAND THE REMAINS (?) WERE AGAIN MOVED THIS TIME TO HAVANA. A FEW YEARS AGO, THE SUPPOSED BONES WERE MOVED BACK TO SEVILLE SPAIN BUT NO CONCLUSIVE PROOF THAT THEY WERE HIS BONES HAS BEEN UNCOVERED, SO SEVILLE, HAVANA AND SAN DOMINGO MAY ALL LAY CLAIM TO AN UNKNOWN TOMB AND HAVE YET TO DISCOVER WHERE LIES THE REAL BONES OF THE DISCOVERER OF AMERICA.



## Port Eleven Meets Southampton Squad

### Tomorrow's Game Will Find Revamped Team Taking The Field

Tomorrow a revamped Port eleven will take the field against Southampton. Injuries suffered in the Hicksville game have necessitated several important changes in the Blue and White lineup.

Coach Leo Costello has shifted Mike Romeyko, the regular end, to the quarterback position, filling Bernie Mallon's place while he is out with a fractured hand. "Duck Swan", who saw action against Hicksville, will again probably figure in the game. Bob Woelfl, first team center, who is out with a shoulder injury, leaves a position open to either Gregory or Johanson.

Southampton so far this year has proved a very strong team, having lost only one game when they were defeated by Glen Cove by one point. They scored a decisive victory over a very strong Westhampton team.

Hooper, a first string back, pulled a muscle in his leg in the Hicksville encounter, and Joe Lambert hurt his shoulder and back in the game. They will probably, however, see service in tomorrow's clash. Franklin "Pussy" Markland, a capable end, will be in Romeyko's former position.

Coach Costello tried some new plays Monday in scrimmage against the scrubs. These may prove to be a winning factor against Southampton.

The Southampton game scheduled here last year was not played because of inclement weather. The game was dropped when no suitable date could be found.

This trip to Southampton is about ninety miles making it necessary for the Port team to leave about ten o'clock.



This week has been packed with important events in hockey and soccer. The initial encounters for these sports were held on Wednesday and Thursday, respectively.

On October 13, the first hockey game was played at Freeport, while the soccer team was more fortunate in securing their first game with Westbury on the home ground.

New equipment was distributed among the members of the squad and the effect produced as they took their positions on the field was very picturesque.

The probable hockey lineup, which is subject to change, is as follows: Right wing, P. Evans; Right inner, L. Kohanska; Center forward, D. Frost; Left inner, J. Bonczek; Left wing, E. Jenkins; Right halfback, Z. Andel; Center halfback, M. Muro; Left halfback, J. Eato; Right fullback, S. Borkowski; Left fullback, M. Lang; Goal, V. MacFarland.

#### Hockey Schedule:

Oct. 18  
20—Oyster Bay at Port  
25—Baldwin at Port  
27—Westbury at Port  
30—Schoolgirl tournament at Adelphi College.

Nov. 3—Port at Central  
8—Jr. High at Port  
Interclass Hockey Schedule:  
Nov. 1—Sophs vs. Juniors  
15—Sophs vs. Seniors  
17—Juniors vs. Seniors  
Interclass Soccer Schedule:  
Nov. 4—Sophs vs. Juniors  
18—Sophs vs. Seniors  
23—Juniors vs. Seniors

The tennis tournament finals resulted as follows

P. Mordt defeated F. Whyte to the tune of 6-1, 6-3; M. Lang won the game against E. Montfort, the score being 9-7, 6-4; P. Mordt bowed to M. Muro, score 6-2, 6-4. Mary Muro, is now acknowledged the winner of the tournament.

## October 29 Is Date Set For Senior Ball

### Club Packard Orchestra Will Furnish Music

The first school dance of the year, the Senior Ball, will be held on Friday October 29. Extensive plans have already been made and much enthusiasm has been shown by the various committees engaged in preparations. Despite rumors of a different nature, October 29 is the actual date for the coming Ball.

The Packard Orchestra of Floral Park has been engaged for the occasion. This group furnished the music for the last Junior Prom. Since then, however, Howard and John Smith have joined the orchestra. As everyone knows, they are two locally prominent musicians who play the trombone and saxophone respectively. Incidentally, the Club Packard Orchestra is a nine piece group. They will start playing at 8:30 and will continue till midnight. Measures have been taken to assure the ballroom fans of shorter intermissions, and therefore more actual dancing time. This should prove popular with everyone attending, and tend to make the evening more enjoyable.

Various committees have been working for the past several weeks. Several ideas for decorations are pending. One of these was granted by Dennison's of New York. The decoration committee has had several meetings under the chairmanship of Tom Elliston. The problem of refreshments has been tackled by a committee under Betty Lindemuth and rumors say that the refreshments will be better as well as different. Tickets for the coming Senior Ball, now on sale, are \$1.00 per couple or stag. The distribution of tickets is handled by Townsend Jones, and tickets may be purchased from him as well as from other members of the Senior class.

#### Statistics

	Port	H'kvs'e
	(0)	(7)
Yards gained rushing	61	74
Yards gained passing	0	61
Yardage of punts	204	230
No. of fumbles	2	3
Yards lost on penalties	10	45
No. of first downs	3	7
No. of passes	6	14
Passes completed	0	5
No. of laterals	0	7
No. of punts	6	7

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