

## Miss Jill Edwards, Popularity Expert, To Give Talk Here

Author, NBC Performer,  
To Speak February 2  
On Personality

On Wednesday, February 2, 1938, at 2:15, Jill Edwards, "exponent of personality," will address the high school auditorium on "Personality Pointers."

Miss Edwards was born in China, the daughter of a medical missionary. She has made three trips around the world which give her a more than average perspective of the world and its people. She graduated from Oberlin College and pursued studies in speech at Northwestern University. For many months she was the "Jill" of "Jill and Judy," a NBC Radio feature; she has been educational director of radio station WAAF, at the Palmer House, Chicago; and she is now heard weekly over a nation-wide hook-up.

Such a unique background is reason enough for her success in the study of the science of popularity. People everywhere today are concentrating their thoughts on that indefinite, intangible, elusive thing called personality that spells the difference between success and mediocrity. Jill Edwards has the secret and is eager to share it with others. In her book, "Personality Pointers," published by the Bobbs-Merrill Company, she gives it to the world. Wednesday, February second, she will give it to you.

Many people have wondered how such a subject can be definite, concrete, and entertaining. The answer may be found in Jill Edwards, example and promoter of the "Joyous Life."

## Clio Presents Movie On Rise of Culture

Club Realizes Profit On  
Production

On Tuesday afternoon, January 18, three hundred and sixty students witnessed "The Human Adventure," historical movie depicting man's rise from savagery to civilization. The picture followed man's progress from the cave man stage and continued to the height of the artistic beauty of the civilizations of the ancient Persians. The engineering perfection and architectural significance of the Egyptian pyramids andobelisks were explained in detail. The picture continued from Egypt onward into Mesopotamia, Persia, Jerusalem, and Asia Minor.

This sound motion picture was prepared by the Oriental Institute of the University of Chicago under the scientific supervision of Dr. James Breasted. The picture was explained and commented upon throughout by Charles Breasted. A two reel comedy was scheduled to be presented in the same program. Due to an unavoidable error on the part of the issuing company, the animated cartoon did not arrive on time; and, for this reason, the Clio Club has promised to give a comedy after Regents at no cost. The club realized a profit on the production.

## Guidance Director Honored

Information has been received by The Port Weekly to the effect that Miss Esther Farlinger, Director of Guidance in the Port Washington Public School System, has been appointed member of the planning committee for the National Association of Deans of Women Conference which is being held in connection with the National Educational Convention in New York City. Lasting from June 26 to June 30, the convention will attract many of the United States' most noted educators.

## Assembly Speaker



Jill Edwards

## Senior Girls Give New Sophs Tea

The Senior girls are planning a tea in the sewing room for the incoming Sophomore girls on Friday, January 28, at four o'clock.

The function is for the purpose of introducing the new Sophomores to their High School teachers and is in commemoration of another such affair which was given for the present 12B girls upon their entrance into High School three years ago.

Several committees have volunteered to help make the arrangements for the tea. The refreshment committee is headed by Berna Deane Purgett, and includes Florence Wright, Ruth Blanchard and Shirley Warren. The committee in charge of decorations consists of its chairman, Betty Lindemuth, June Allington, Alice Palmer, and Martha Munhall. The reception committee includes Pauline Perley, chairman, Helen Bierman, Barbara Gautsche, and Alma Vehslage. The group will see to it that the Sophomores are guided to the Sewing room and made to feel at home.

It is planned to have the girls informally introduced to the building a little later, after they have met their new teachers.

It is hoped that they won't feel quite as lost as a new Sophomore class usually does.

## Celerity Sponsors Cake Sale To Finance Dance

In order to make the Celerity Dance a greater success, the Celerity has decided to launch a money raising campaign.

Martha Munhall, the president of the Celerity, has announced that the organization plans to do its share toward making the coming Celerity-Retort Dance a success by raising additional money to spend on the dance. In conjunction with these plans the Celerity is going to sponsor a Cake Sale on Saturday, February 5th, in a vacant store opposite Evergreen Avenue. This sale will open its doors at 8:30 in order to cater to the early morning shoppers and will last until 6. Cakes, cookies, bread and candy will all be on sale. Cakewalks, grab-bags and other novelty events will be run throughout the day.

## Former Port Student Active at Polytechnic

Robert W. Van Allen, of Port Washington, is active in extra curricular affairs at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, where he is a Sophomore in the chemical engineering course. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, and the Rensselaer branch of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Van Allen, 20 Fairview Avenue, and a graduate of Port Washington High School.

## PORT vs. GARDEN CITY

The Port Quintet will play a non-league tilt tonight with a threatening Garden City quintet. The contest will take place in the Port Gym, contrary to the printed schedules. Although the White clad athletes of Port High had a close call last week, they are confident of taking Garden City over the jumps.

The Mid-Islanders will be meeting Port tonight for the first time as the game has been substituted for Port's traditional meeting with Adelphi. Although not a league game, it should be of interest and warrant the greatest possible support by the students.

## Subscription Drive Begins February 7

### Port Weekly's Mid-term Subscriptions Sought

The weeks of February 7 and 14 are the days when The Port Weekly mid-year subscription drive will be in progress. At this time, all fifty cent subscriptions will have terminated. The advertising campaign for the drive, to be started on January 31, will be in full swing by the time student representatives are seeking renewals. This term's drive will be a short, concentrated one, lasting two weeks instead of four.

The homeroom representatives who sold subscriptions in September, will again, with a few exceptions, campaign their respective home-rooms and the townspeople. A reward will be given to each representative selling twenty subscriptions and a grand prize will be awarded to the individual who sells the most subscriptions. These rewards will be made known at a later date. The grand prize however, will be a 1938 Port Light with the winner's name inscribed on the cover. The prices of the subscription to your school paper will remain the same, fifty cents per semester.

## Student Play Tryouts To Be Held Jan. 31

The second student theater presentation, a French comedy, "The Green Coat," will be given in Room 110 on February 15, 1938.

The play, which is directed by Margaret Ray and produced by the students of this school, concerns the problems of two poverty stricken French artists. The comedy interest is provided by an old clothes dealer, and the romance is furnished by a gay young girl.

The tryouts will be held on January 31, the first day of the new term; so all potential comedians and talented girls are asked to try out.

## Schedule of Regents Exams

Regents examinations in the Senior High School will be given during the week of January 24-28. Morning examinations begin at 9:15 a.m. and close at 12:15 p.m.; afternoon examinations begin at 1:15 p.m. and close at 4:15 p.m. Proctors and pupils should be in the examination room assigned fifteen minutes in advance and have all preliminaries completed before the time to start. Any pupil who has more than one examination in subjects scheduled for one-half day should be sure that the teachers of the subject know the fact in advance. The complete schedule of Regents examinations for the week follows:

MONDAY, JANUARY 24			
9:15 a.m.	Room	1:15 p.m.	Room
History B	102	Latin 2	202
History C	202	French 2	103
Typing	106	Spanish 2	105
		Economics	202
TUESDAY, JANUARY 25			
English 4	102, 202	Chemistry	202
Pl. Geometry	202	Physics	202
Business Arithmetic	102	Genl. Biology	202
		Shorthand 2	104, 106
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26			
Int. Algebra	202	Latin 3	206
Adv. Algebra	202	French 3	103
		Spanish 3	105
THURSDAY, JANUARY 27			
Solid Geometry	202	Latin 4	206
Trigonometry	202	English 3	102, 202
History A	202, 102		
Commercial Law	102		

## Public Forum Series Is Inaugurated; Dr. H. E. Barnes to be Second Speaker

Famous Criminologist Will Take 'Problem of Crime'  
As His Topic In Second Forum, Jan. 25

### Second Forum Speaker



DR. HARRY ELMER BARNES

## 'Port Light' Gets Pictures of Snow

### Candy Sales To Benefit Year Book

Photography for the "Port Light," the school annual, is progressing rapidly, for the appearance of snow has offered unusual opportunity for the staff to get some good pictures. At eight o'clock last Thursday, Bruce Cox, photography editor, and one of his aids, were at work while the school was still shimmering in snow. They obtained some views which will undoubtedly enhance the coming year book.

The "Port Light" staff inaugurated its sale of candy at the Glen Cove game. The purpose of these sales is to help defray expenses which the staff has incurred.

Helen Brock, the editor of the "Port Light," and her assistants went to the city last Saturday, and received many valuable suggestions from engraving experts of the Majestic Photo-engraving Company, on how to beautify their book.

It has been announced that orders will be taken from Seniors desiring small prints of their graduation pictures at twenty-five cents a copy. These are just the type for college applications. Any people wishing them should see the editor, or John Wilkie.

Dr. Harry Elmer Barnes, famous newspaper commentator, criminologist, sociologist and historian, will discuss the "Problem of Crime" at the second session of the Public Forum on Tuesday evening, January 25.

The first session of the Public Forum, which was unavoidably postponed to last Wednesday evening because of the non-appearance of the guest speaker, Stanley High, on January 11, was admittedly a tremendous success in that a large audience turned out to hear Mr. High's inspiring talk, "Where Do We Go From Here?"

### Best-seller Author

Dr. Barnes, who is acclaimed by luminaries of many fields of literature, penology, and religion, is authority on world politics and the author of many best-sellers.

An educator, lecturer, and writer, he is said by all who have attended his classes, heard to be "an effective foe of sham, superstition and intolerance."

Professor Barnes first gained note as a result of his efforts to modernize and humanize history. His "New History and the Social Studies" have been declared an "epoch-making" work. The publication of his "Genesis of the World War" and his "World Politics" brought him international fame and a long series of lectures at the leading universities of Europe and America. Authorship of "Repression of Crime," "Story of Punishment" and "Battling the Crime Wave," ranked him foremost among the trenchant foes of the savagery of our outgrown and futile prison system and pre-eminent among those humanitarians pleading the cause of scientific treatment of crime problems.

Championing religious reconstruction, he penned "The Twilight of Christianity," an opus that caused nothing short of a sensation in the world of literature and the church. Not an attack on religion, but an appeal to harmonize it with our modern knowledge of the universe and man. Dr. Barnes' book is said to have magisterially thrown down a challenge which present day religious leadership can not ignore.

### Dr. Neilson Comments

When Dr. Barnes resigned from Smith College to take a journalistic post with the Scripps-Howard newspapers, President William Allan Neilson said of him in his commencement address:

"He stimulated a large body of students to think for themselves. He displayed and employed in this work the longest range of information of any scholar that I have ever known. The value to a college of that type of encyclopedic knowledge is very great."

Clarence Darrow, great exponent of legal truth, said of the speaker who will come to Port Washington next Tuesday evening, "I cast him my mantle. I feel relieved for I know that he will take up a good deal of my work."

Seldom has any speaker received the far-flung recognition that has been accorded Dr. Barnes. Glowing praise has likened him to a second "Robert Ingersoll," evincing his great genius and versatility. "An exciting speaker"—is the way in which scores of organizations have described him.

Charles N. Wysong, former district attorney of Nassau County will be the local chairman for Dr. Barnes' lecture at Port Washington High School, next Tuesday evening at 8:15 p.m.

### Social Dancing Classes

The social dancing classes that were started this semester will be continued next semester in Room 110 from 3 to 3:30 p.m. on Mondays.

Those boys and girls interested should sign a list in Miss B. Hawthorne's room as soon as possible. This class will be limited to the first ten boys and the first ten girls who sign up.