

20,000 Bond Sales Almost Complete

As we go to the press it seems more than just probable that our quota of 20,000.00 dollars will be reached as of last week.

Out front in the sales of bonds and stamps are Home Rooms 102 and 108. The total sale of stamps alone last week amounted to three times those sold in any other week.

The bond slips which were passed out this week may be used this week and during the Christmas vacation. Anyone desiring to buy a bond from the bank or from any other community organization need just have the organization sign it. This gives the school credit for the sale of bond.

If we sell all we can then say the "Hellcat" is in the bag.

In The Crystal Ball

Fri., Dec. 17—Red Domino Fall Play, "Cuckoos on the Hearth," at 8:30.

Sat., Dec. 18—Holliday Hop at St. Stephens Church, at 8:30.

Tues., Dec. 28—Methodist Youth Fellowship Dance at Methodist Church at 8:30.

Tues., Jan. 4, 1944—Back to school at 8:30 A. M.

Circle meets in Caf. Clio meets in 211.

Wed., Jan. 5—Retort meets in G-4.

Fri., Jan. 7—Basketball Game; Glen Cove vs. Port at Port.

The Melville Aeronautical Radio School, 45 West 45th Street, announces two free Scholarships to be awarded those students of the Greater New York City High Schools who graduate in January, 1944.

The Scholarships include a full six months day course leading to the Federal Communications Commission licenses for Radiotelegraph and Radiotelephone operation. Such licenses entitle the holder to work in practically any type of U. S. Radio Station, including Airline, Merchant Marine, Broadcast, Police, Press Services, etc.

Among the subjects covered are Electronics, Construction and Maintenance of Equipment, Radiotelegraphy, etc.

The Scholarships will be awarded upon the basis of a competitive examination to be announced at a later date. Both girls and boys are eligible.

Interested students should address communications to Frank Melville, President, Melville Aeronautical Radio School, 45 West 45th Street, New York 19, N. Y.

Merry Xmas Bonds and with and Stamps

IN THE TRUE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS

Make Christmas Seals—the Seals that fight tuberculosis—a part of your Christmas giving. Send no gift, card or letter this year without

The Seal That Saves Lives



Buy and Use Christmas Seals

Eyes Right

Ensign Francis Hedges graduated from N. T. C., Corpus Christi, Texas where he earned his wings. He received his preliminary flight instruction at the Glenview, Ill., reserve air base.

Cliff Fletcher, who was a swell lineman on the football team in 1941 and 1942, is now at the Army Air Base in Santa Ana, Calif.

Some of the boys who left for the service on Monday, the sixth of this month, are: **Kenneth Morrison—Navy, Robert Parkes—Army, Ed Denzel—Navy, Victor DeMeo—Marines.**

Ernest Mazur is now somewhere in Italy.

Joseph Philippini is at Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City.

M. Chessa Wins Local Amer. Legion Contest

Last Friday in Assembly, Mary Jane Chessa took top honors in the American Legion Oratorical Contest. Her topic was "The Constitution, Guarantee of the Liberty of the Individual."

The second winner, Richard Clarke, spoke on "The Meaning of The Bill of Rights." Richmond Perley came in third—"Freedom of Speech."

The speeches were well prepared and were presented in an exceptionally fine manner. Mary Jane Chessa will represent Port Washington in the County Contest at Mineola on January 6.

Pay Up On G. O.

There are many people who still owe money on their G. O. tickets. It is necessary that the G. O. get its accounts straightened, and therefore all unpaid—for G. O. tickets will be collected at the basketball game on Friday, January 7. Pay that dollar or that fifteen cents, or your ticket will be worthless to you.

Choir Presents Candle Service

This year's annual Candle Light Service was presented by the choir last Wednesday night at 8:00. This is the eighth successive year this impressive service has been given.

The choir presented a serene appearance with its blue robes, the only illumination being candles, and a Christmas tree with blue lights.

They sang some of the famous Christmas hymns such as: "Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light," "Carol of the Bells," "A Star was His Candle," "Noel," and many others.

All those present enjoyed it immensely. Mr. Christopher should receive commendation for his good work.

This service was also presented in assembly today, and the student body was very impressed.

Port Profile

"Rufus" Seaman blew into Port about 17 years ago. She just reached the mighty height of 5' 1", and weighs . . . let's not get noseey!!!

Some of her favorites are steak (are you kiddin'?), Frank Sinatra and Bing Crosby (two-timer!), Glenn Miller's orchestra, "Night and Day," Alan Ladd, and the Marines.

Pet Peeve: homework (original, huh!)

Favorite Subject: Chemistry Worst Subject: Physics

Her specialties this year are hockey (and brother, she really sends that ball!) and cheering, and, incidentally, rated captaincy in both.

"Rufus" is undecided as to what she'll do after graduating . . . probably college.

One can frequently see Ruth Lee wandering around the men's sportswear dept. in Macy's.

Holiday Hop To Be At St. Stephens, Dec. 18

On December 18th, the annual "Holiday Hop" will be at St. Stephens Parish Hall. Under the co-chairmanship of Les Keates and Tom Jones, this dance promises to be one of the best of the season. Joan ("B. J.") Evans is in charge of the decorations, and knowing "Joanie" they should be something to see.

Admission is \$1.00 per couple, stags, \$1.50. The proceed will be used to continue the regular, free, "Friday at Eight" dances. Tickets are now on sale.

BUY WAR BONDS

Celerity Gives—

This is "water under the bridge," perhaps, but way back in November—remember? We had a Red Cross drive which reached the magnificent total of \$60.00, an all-time high as far back as our records can be checked . . . the boys in shop have made about twenty cribbage boards for army hospitals under Mr. Young's direction . . .

The high school girls turned in about 60 of the most charming collections of dolls' dresses which will go to the St. Francis' Home.

At present their slogan is a "Powder Puff for every WAC" as they are collecting for the soldiers boys and girls of Fort Totten . . .

Playing At The Beacon

Dec. 16 - 17 - - 18

Hit The Ice with Abbott & Costello **Submarine Alert** Richard Arlen - Wendy Barrie

Dec. 19 - -20 - - 21

Wintertime and **Paris After Dark**

Dec. 22 - 23 - 24 - 25

This Is The Army

Dec. 26 - 27 - 28

Lassie Come Home and **Dr. Gillespies Criminal Case**

Dec. 29, 30

The Kansan and **Bambi**

Dec. 31

New Years Eve Show **The Heats On** **Cross Of Lorraine** **Sleepy Lagoon**

Jan. 1st

The Heats On and **Cross Of Lorraine**

Jan. 2 - 3 - 4

So Proudly We Hail and **Henry Aldrich Swings It**

Jan. 6 - 7 - 8

Claudia and **Victory Thru Air Power**

Jan. (5) Show for this day is still not known