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Veep Off To France

By HERMAN JACOBS

On October 5, of this year, the "Liberte" a ship of the French line, will carry Mike McGrady, our vice president, and the rest of his family to France. In Paris, his destination, he will attend the beautiful, new, American School of Paris. The school has all modern conveniences including a swimming pool and a huge gymnasium. For his two weeks Christmas vacation, our veep will go to the Monte Carlo and swim in the blue Mediteranian. Mike does hope however in spite of all the fun, that he will be back to join us for Port's graduation.



COMING UP

Pep Assembly before the Garden City Football Game
Football Game, Garden City vs. Port, Sept. 30

Pep Rally and Barn Fire before Manhasset game.

Port Weekly Dance "Gay Paree" Saturday October 7.

Jinx Falkenburg Commends Students

By Paddy Fried and Janet Kuhl
"—Will the sophomores and juniors please remained seated while the seniors leave the assembly".

As John Wing uttered these familiar words, these two excited reporters to whom fell the honor of interviewing Jinx Falkenburg McCrary, pushed towards the door through which the celebrity was disappearing. As the door started to swing shut, we slipped through and hurried back stage to interview Miss Falkenburg.

It took us several minutes to gather up our courage, but after a few seconds, which to us seemed like hours, our great moment arrived. We introduced ourselves, as we racked our brains for an original question to ask, deciding that the ordinary type of interview was too dull for us. We soon found we had nothing to worry about for Jinx put us at ease immediately with her casual manner and natural charm. Momentarily forgetting our purpose, we chatted informally with her and her companions.

Between intervals during which our guests of honor paraded before the photographers, we managed to carry on a fairly intelligent conversation. We inquired about Jinx's two young sons, Paddy and Kevin, and learned that not only the famous parents, but the children are much sought after. Only recently Burgess Meredith was refused admittance to see the children because the maid failed to recognize him.

Finally, as Miss Falkenburg prepared to rush off for a hurried lunch, we attacked the \$64 dollar question.

"Jinx, what do you think of the schools' reaction to the hospital drive?"

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For Sophs Only

Even though its entirely against the rules of child psychology for children to be told DON'T here are some important dos and don'ts for the new Sophs coming in, suggestions that may serve even some of the upperclassmen.

Upon arriving at the building in the morning don't trip up the big front stairs lest the artists hanging from Miss Spring's room laugh heartily and spread the word around.

Don't let any Senior pounce from behind one of Port's portals and try to sell you tickets for an assembly, for the assemblies are free here in Port, and there are no elevators even though there are elevator tickets in the building.

Watch That Locker

Don't forget to put your lock through two holes in your gym locker for even an upperclassman can lose his shorts if he snares but one of the loops. It isn't at all a precaution to carry your locker number in your wallet on a sheet of paper. better use your head, you'll have to later anyway.

Don't try to go swimming for Port High doesn't have a pool, and if they did, they wouldn't put water in it anyway.

Run down the hall only if you know the traffic officer and for goodness sake when you reach the study hall, know your seat.

Burgers Are Treacherous

It isn't advisable to try to slip into the lunch line this early in your high school career. Better wait until you make yourself a name on the football field or in dramatics.

Be sure to keep the lunch tray on both bars of the slide. The clatter of falling glass, the elusiveness of the treacherous hamburger and the unconcern of soup will cause a mornful OHHHHHH to arise from the student body. Find a seat in the lunchroom that is not too close to a clique of juniors and before using the salt and pepper shakers test the tops - seniors will be playful you know.

Don't let the seniors trick you into thinking its Mr. Merrill's birthday every day for its just not so.

Classroom Hints

As for a few classroom hints (1) Don't chew gum in Miss Buckley's class for French and gum don't mix. (2) Don't try to cheat in Mr. Schoenborn's class;

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By Margaret Ingley

When a student comes to your homeroom with G.O. tickets for sale, think twice before you turn him down. The G.O. ticket will admit you to 3 football games, 8 basketball games, 2 concerts, 2 plays, a year's subscription for the Port Weekly and cut rates in certain stores in town. You are also entitled to attend several extra doings here, such as the G.O. Dance. You would spend \$2.80 attending the basketball games alone. So by spending \$2.50 you can save over \$10.00. You can't lose, unless of course you don't plan to participate in any school affairs. The money made from the sale of tickets will be for the sport clubs and the paper.

The student government here in High School is similar to that in Junior High. There are four officers, the Student Council, and a Steering Committee. The officers are elected each year. This year's slate are: John Wing - President, Mike McGrady - Vice President, Margie Ingley - Secretary, and Frank Harding - Treasurer. The President's duties include presiding over all council meetings and assemblies, the secretary keeps the minutes of the council and does all the corresponding, and treasurer keeps all the books on the finance status of the school. The officers also belong to the Nassau League of Student Councils which meets several times a year. The Student Council is made up of the officers and a representative from each homeroom, and it meets during school time. This year the council will consist of committees so that more can be done through the school year.

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Gay Paree

On Saturday, October 7th the members of the Port Weekly staff will present their annual dance. This year's theme will be "Gay Paree", and we are hoping to have the biggest turn out we have ever had.

This is the first dance of the year, so come on kids and let's make the "Gay Paree" a success. The committee is as follows:

Chairmen: Seymour Goldstein, Fred Duell.

Tickets: Preston Pumphrey
Refreshments: Ester Thealander, Margie Ingley, Paddy Fried
Decoration: Joan Davidson, Margie Peterson

Publicity: Marylou Roper
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General Organization Needs Your Support

There have been numerous speeches and arguments in favor of the G.O. These should not be necessary since the whole issue comes down to the matter of school spirit. We, in Port Washington, are fortunate enough to have a school to be proud of, and one which warrants our whole-hearted support. This support can not be complete unless the G.O. is included. The G.O. is the students of the high school. The students are the school. Therefore how can the school succeed if the G.O. does not? No further persuasion is needed. **Buy Now!**

Which Do You Scrutinize Looks Or Books

Compacts, lipsticks, occasionally books,
Mirrors come forth got to see how she looks.
She dreams about boy friends a new dress for fall,
Believe it or not, she's in study hall.

A bell; a rush; a clamor for the right seats; and finally she is there. Another bell; quiet; she sinks in her seat. Her gaze wanders to the world around. She thinks of the freedom beyond that wall. The voice of the teacher brings her to her senses and two piercing eyes causes her to grab a book and begin to study with fervor.

Peace comes again. Already five minutes are gone. She must hurry, hurry, hurry if she expects anything accomplished before the period ends. She grabs her compact, she dabs her nose, and pulls out her mirror to get a look at herself.

She likes the effect and practices the look she is to greet him with after school. Then she fits that look with what she will first say. Her heart skips a beat. Heavens only five minutes more. She takes time to think about the test she will have to fail in her next period. She dabs at her

nose and hurries on to her next class totally unprepared because she simply has not had enough time.

Jinx Falkenburg

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She replied that she hadn't had so much fun in ages and that the students' enthusiasm had really restored her faith in human nature. She also told us that although she had spoken before adult groups she found that teen-agers responded more willingly.

We said good-bye to Jinx as the lunch bell rang, and we left the auditorium feeling sorry for the poor lowly mortals had never spent such a pleasurable half-hour.

Ticket Drive

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The steering committee is made up of the officers and two students from each class. This committee meets during the 4th period and discusses issues to be brought before the council. There it is in a nutshell. Now this is your school and the government can be only what you make it.



We regret that a wonderful and eventful summer is over but we are all looking forward to a promising school year. A lot has happened over the summer vacation and we will try to bring you up to date as much as possible.

It seems as though some of the senior boys have been attracted by the sophomore girls. Stan Cutler and Catherine Montouri are going steady. Jash Dombkowski seems to have found interest in Diane Pedersen happy hunting.

It also appears that some girls have given their attention to the graduates and the alumnae.

Dumbo Shields had a going away party, it looked as though everyone in Port Washington turned out for the big affair. It was one of the best parties of the summer.

There was a teen hop at the P.W.H.S. held on the tennis courts, which was a big success.

Gerry Volpe had a small party at the end of the summer. Seen there were: Marilyn Moore and host, Sallie Douglass and Joe Marra, Fay Spratt and Dave Fisher, Winnie Mayo and O. B., Suzy Blair and Dick Cornell, Nancy McDonough and Steve Taylor, Dot Breska and Paul Hunter, Eleanor McPherson and Bob Kull, Dot De Meo and Joe Fasano, Janet Oswald and Nick Teta, and Bunny Walker and Jimmy Caruso. All seemed to enjoy themselves.

Square dancing at Jones Beach developed into quite a fad. Many couples were seen there.

Rye Beach and Coney Island were also great attractions. That's all for now. So long until the next issue.

Senior Profile

John Wing . . . A tall good-looking guy and able president of our high school. Fraternity man. We think John will go a long way.

Mike McGrady . . . Terrific guy. Very active in school functions. Our new Vice President will leave us soon for Europe.

Karin Sandbloom . . . A beautiful brunette who is captain of our cheering and tumbling squads. A willing worker always ready with a warm smile.

Joan Davidson . . . Short and cute. member of many extra curricular activities. Will be our new vice president.

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CELERITY

Under its new advisor Mrs. Piazza, the celerity has the same hopes and ambitions it has always had—faithful service to the school and anyone else who may need help. As a good start, several of its members served at a dinner given for a group of adult educators last week.

LATIN CLUB

This year "Laeti Latini" hope to provide varied and interesting meetings. The ambitious officers are:

President: Nancy Crowl, Vice-President: Carole Dunnells, Secretary: Sandra Madeheim, Treasurer: Preston Pumphrey.

To start off in the right direction, at one of our early meetings we will have Miss Buckley as our guest speaker to describe to us her travels abroad this past summer, particularly those in Italy.

CLIO

The officers of Clio, the History club, for the following year are: Keith Bullard, president; Astrid Quark, vice president; Marjorie Eckberg, secretary; and James Stuer, treasurer. This week, the members hope to visit the United Nations Security Council before it moves to New York City.

FRATRY

The Fraternity under its new faculty advisor Mr. Horton had their first meeting on Friday September 15. After their new advisor was initiated into the club they had a meeting. The following new rules were made.

1. Only four days of initiations.
2. Definite purpose for fraternity.
3. There will be a Fraternity policeman at all games.

The officers for Fraternity this year are: President, Bob Eckardt; vice president, Bob Micklin; Sec. Trea., Jim MacNamara.

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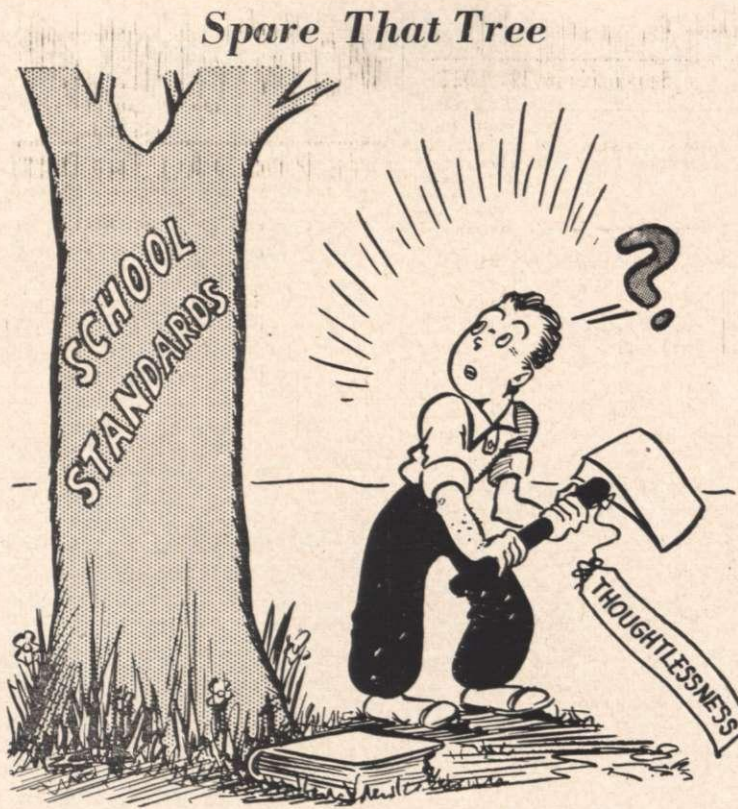
New Students

Port High would like to welcome all its newcomers. The new Sophs are Frank DeLia from Haarem High School, N. Y. C., Thomas Hines from Far Rockaway, Malcolm MacDonald from a private school, David Palmer from Hingham, Mass., Carmine Passarella from St. Mary's Mannasset, Robert Price from Lewisburg High School, Pa., Richard Renga from California, Thomas Turquand from Newton High School, N. Y. C., Thelma Knobloch from Bronx, N. Y., Charlotte Kronbergs from Latvia, Margaret Mackey from Oyster Bay, Irene Rice from Bronx N. Y., Ilze Sakss from Bay Ridge, Brooklyn, Marie Scobbo from Oyster Bay, Catherine Troiano from Lebanon Springs, N. Y., and Ann Hoins from Friends Academy.

The new members of the Junior Class are: William Accolla from Collingswood, N. J., James Billings who has moved back to town, Philip D'Elia from Haaren High School, N.Y.C., Gene Stees from Lancaster, Pa., Richard Trent from LaSalle, Leona Chang from Princeton, N. J., Janet Elder from Yorkshire, Eng., Barbara Mattocks from Bartlesville, Okla., Phyllis Miller from Bayside, Barbara Millman from Hempstead, and Mary Troiano from Lebanon Springs. The Senior Class has only three additions, Allen Davies from London Ontario, Charles Price from Lewisburg, Pa., and Louis Mapleson from Xavier High School, N. Y. C.

For Sophs Only

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he knows all the tricks of the trade. (3) Don't try to slip out of the Library before the bell rings because Miss Begenau has a way of knowing. And here is one thing you must do if you expect to keep up with Port and that is to sign up for the G.O. ticket this week!



QUESTION:
What do you think of the football team this year?

Mr. Seeber:
The first string will be good but I don't know about the substitutes.

Bart Cosolito:
The backfield has experience and I think we should have a good year.

Carl Booker:
We should be terrific.

Mr. Kezar:
I think they'll be an excellent team.

Al Pennetti:
We have a good team, now all we need is a little more team spirit.

Charley Zahn:
Our backfield has the experience and speed, so with a little luck we'll have a very good season.

Mr. Horton:
We'll play every game on schedule. No team on our schedule can break our morale.

Al Dumpson:
Manhasset is going to be tough this year, but I think we'll beat them.

QUESTION:
What do you Sophomores think of Senior High now that you're finally here?

Carolyn Crisafulli:
Terrific! A friendly place.

Bertien Jacobs:
The assemblies are better but there's too much homework.

Catherine Montouri:
Wonderful!!!

Louis Rowley:
I like it so far.

Peter Mertz:
There is so much homework I can't think.

Dave McLane:
The teachers are . . . well the school is . . . the books are . . . Well—anyway the lunchroom's nice.

Who's Who

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Election Returns

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- 205 Hildebrant - Joan Lambie
 - 206 Nancy Nern - Karl Miller
 - 207 B. Millman - Janet Oswald
 - 208 B. Sozzi - M. L. Roper
 - 211 J. Westrom - V. Zirpola
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Laterals

By ERIC JUDE

In a little over a week Port High plays its first football game. Seventy-seven boys reported for the first day's practice and received uniforms. There are now about sixty boys still out. These boys will make up the Varsity and Junior Varsity teams.

The Varsity has a very fast and experienced back field. There are nine backfield men who saw service on the varsity, and Junior Varsity last year. Five of these boys were on the Varsity and received letters last year.

This year's Varsity team will be quarterbacked by Bart Cosolito, who was number one man at that position last year. At right half back will be Aldo Muratore, winner of All-Scholastic Award. The big man in the backfield is Charlie Zahn. The same guy who's been there for the last two years. Both years he received All-Scholastic ratings. The other back will be Carl Booker, a Junior, who is our scatback. Jerry Volpe another Varsity player back from last year, who can run from the full-back position or do an awful good job of backing up that line on the defense. These boys will be backed up by Johnny Zahn, John Dumbkowski, Bob Kull, and Al Epominonde.

The end positions will be handled by mostly boys from last year's Junior Varsity. Mike Zirpolo and Vic White are the only returning ends from last year's team. Fighting it out with these two will be Bob Eckardt, and Joe De Meo.

At tackle there are two boys

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By NANCY McDONOUGH

And
FAY SPRATT

We would like to begin the new fall season by welcoming the Sophs. By the looks of the bulletin board we have an unusually large sign up for hockey. We only hope that everyone comes out as well for the other sports throughout the coming year.

Hockey begins Tuesday, September 19. The weeks workouts will be as following: Seniors Tuesday and Thursday. Juniors Tuesday and Thursday, and Sophs Thursday. Jayvee and Varsity teams will be chosen October 12.

Not only do we have hockey this season but two other important sports, riding and tumbling.

Riding is managed by Phyllis Lanes. Strict rules are maintained by this club. No absentees are allowed without a legal excuse. This club will participate in a horse show. They will also give a hay ride at the end of the season.

Tumbling managed by Karin Sandblom and assisted by Pat Haron is in school time. Tumbling consists of two groups, beginners and advanced. Beginners meet on Thursday, Fourth period. Tumbling starts in October.

We have a student teacher with us for two weeks, Miss Florence Schmidt. Florence is a graduate of Port's class of '47. She is now attending Skidmore College and is going into her senior year.

We also hope Miss F. enjoys herself.

back from last year's Varsity Both of whom received letters last year. They are Tom Cosolito, Jim Caruso. They'll be backed up by Bob Loupos, George Adami, Ed Biolobriski and Joe Chickenowski.

Ed Bilanski and Norm De Lan are two guards that are hard to beat. Backing them up will be George Sadlo, Ed Lansiki.

The center spot will be held down by Walt Palawaski and Jim MacNamara.

This is a very rough sketch of what Port High's Varsity Team will be made up of this year. Some of these boys mentioned may end up on the Junior Varsity, while other will be added to the Varsity.

As of the time of this writing it is too early to tell what the



A Wonderful Horse

By GLORIA VEIT

O horse, you are a wonderful thing;

No buttons to push, no horn to honk;

You start yourself, no clutch to slip;

No spark to miss, no gears to strip;

No license buying every year, With plates to screw on front and rear;

No gas bills climbing up each day, Stealing the joy of life away;

No speed cops chugging in your rear, Yelling summonses in your ear;

Your inner tubes are all O.K. And thank the Lord, they stay that way;

Your spark plugs never miss and fuss;

Your motor never makes us cuss. Your frame is good for many a mile;

Your body never changes style. Your wants are few and easily met;

You've something on the auto yet.

(We feel that this material is unusual and deserves recognition.)

—Ed.

Junior Varsity will look like.

TENNIS

At the time this paper comes out the tennis team will have opened its fourteenth game schedule. Lets hope with success.

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JOKES

An American woman, planning a trip to China, had been told that "choppy, choppy" meant "faster, faster" to the Chinese jinrikisha men.

In due time the lady arrived in China and, at the first opportunity, hired one of the quaint, two-wheeled, man-drawn carriages for a ride down one of the side streets. The street was cobblestone, and the jinrikisha ride turned out to be a good jouncing but not much else. Hoping to get off the bumpy street and into a better one, she leaned forward and tapped the Chinese with her parasol.

"Choppy, choppy", said the lady.

The Chinese nodded and shouted over his shoulder, "Choppy? It's the worst street in town."

* * *

A Mississippi River steamboat was stopped in the mouth of a tributary stream, owing to the dense fog. An inquisitive passenger inquired of the captain the cause of the delay.

"Can't see up the river", was his laconic reply.

"But I can see the stars overhead," the passenger replied sharply.

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