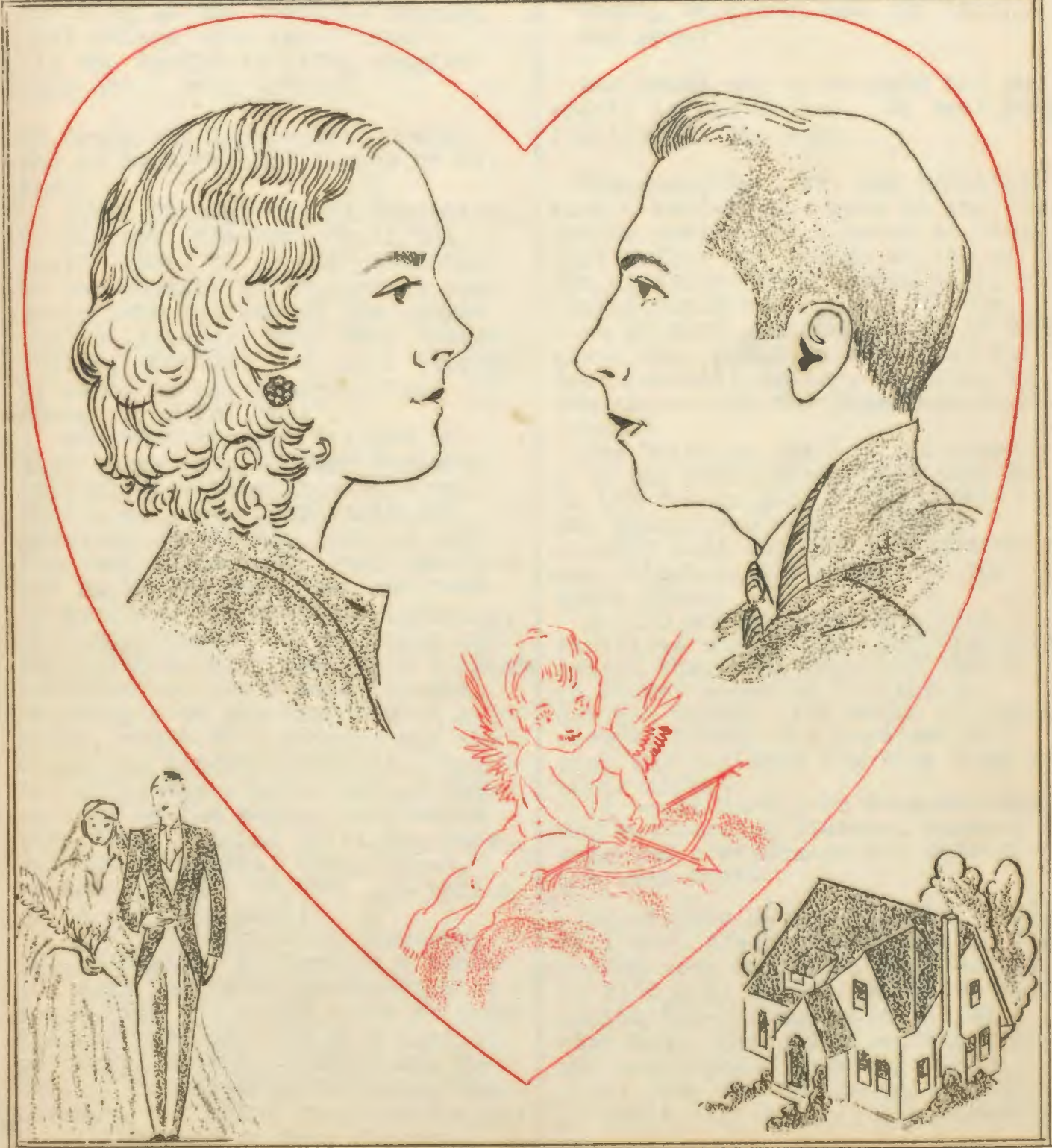


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HYMEN INVADES NEDERLAND HIGH

"Nothing in the world is single,
All things by a law divine
In one another's being mingle-
Why not I with thine?"

So wrote the luric poet, Shelly,
and so have thought lovers of all
ages.

Coach Konecny was no exception. He did not, however, "tell the world" about it as the poet did. He was content to whisper it tenderly into the ear of one sympathetic listener, Miss Mary Frances Newton, who made the Coach supremely happy by her half-hesitant though blissful "yes".

And what thought friends of this lucky couple? They thought nothing, for they knew nothing. Dame Gossip was completely and adroitly outwitted. Only a very few very intimate friends were "let in" on the romance that had been in progress for months. Therefore, the announcement of the early approaching wedding came as a complete surprise to their many friends, especially to the High School students, where Mary Frances and the Coach are general favorites. Among the girls there were excited whisperings in the halls, punctuated with many O's! and Ah's! The boys, for the most part, were silent, almost sullenly so, for see what a prize they had lost!

On Friday afternoon, November 10, the bride, attired in a becoming gray suit with accessories to match, and the groom drove to Houston and were married at a Baptist parsonage by the Reverend Mr. Marshall. Immediately following the ceremony the happy couple drove to

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BULLDOGS LOSE 7-0 THRILLER TO PT. NECHES

"Where, Oh Where, has our little
dog gone?"

Our heads may be drooped but our spirit is not broken. We went down fighting to the last.

Saturday, Nov. 25, the Bulldogs lost a hard-fought game to the Pt. Neches Indians by a score of 7-0. This defeat has thrown us out of the district championship race, we having paced the circuit to the tune of 1000 standing prior to the game. This ended an otherwise perfect football season, the best in the history of the Nederland High School.

The Bulldogs started the game with the same spirit that they had in the Orange game. The contest was about even until Osborne circled left end for a touchdown, and Talbot plunged over for the extra point.

In the second half, the team exhibited the courage and fighting spirit that made them well known in former games by holding the heavier Indian line which threatened several times. The game ended with the Bulldogs fighting with all their might.

It would hardly be fair to name any outstanding players, because each and everyone on the team did his very best.

By virtue of the win, the Indians will meet the Dayton Broncs in Pt. Neches next Saturday, December 2, at 2:30 P.M. in the game that will decide the championship of the district. The rules provide that the two highest standing teams shall play for the championship at the end of the regular schedule.

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IMPORTANCE OF SPEAKING WELL

All of us speak much more frequently than we write. Every day we engage in conversations with relatives and friends. In class we discuss various subjects informally. Some of us belong to clubs, where we are often called upon to speak. In fact, speech is our chief means of communication both in school and later life.

Since this is true, does it not behoove us to watch our every day speech? In this, most of us are careless. We are content to half-way express our thoughts, and lazily exclaim, "Oh, you know what I mean", or "I know but I can't tell!" The result is that when we would speak well, we often fail to make ourselves understood, because we can not say clearly what we mean. We fail in our recitations in class not because we fail to prepare the assignments, but because we can not

state clearly and accurately what we have learned. We are refused positions for the reason that we use incorrect English. It is only by careful daily practice in speaking well that we can make any real improvement in our speech. Our goal, to speak clearly, correctly, and effectively, can be but partly acquired in the English class. Good oral English must be learned through self-cultivation, daily practice, and intelligent self-criticism.

YE EDITOR'S LAMENT

Getting out a paper is no picnic. If we print jokes, folks say we are silly.

If we don't, they say we are too serious.

If we publish original matter, they say we lack variety.

If we publish things other papers print, we are too lazy to write.

If we are out rustling news, we are not attending business in our own department.

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BULL DOGS DOWN ORANGE TIGERS 12-6

Saturday, November 4th., the Nederland Bull Dogs won their fourth conference game by trouncing, throttling, and tromping the Orange Tigers in a dust to a score of 12-6. Several hundred spectators witnessed the hardest fought and most skilfully played game of this season.

It was anybody's game until the third quarter when "Midget" Haizlip broke through the Tiger line and blocked a punt which was recovered by "Chump" Sanderson. The ball was then carried to the five yard line by a series of off-tackle plays by Daigle and McMahan, and was then carried over for six points by Daigle. He then dropped back to kick the extra point, but he failed, the ball going wide.

Orange then gathered her forces together and marched over the goal line by the use of a long pass from Hilliard to Creamer. Their try for extra point failed. The score was then six all.

The Bull Dogs' counteracted this sudden feat in the fourth quarter by again carrying the ball over the goal line for another six points. This was due to the brilliant work of "Flip" Peveto, Daigle, McMahan, and Arnold. Try for the extra point failed. The game closed with Nederland within scoring position in the Tigers' territory.

Another minute and perhaps the score might have been even larger.

This was the hardest victory that the Bull Dogs have earned thus far, and it was the only game in which the Bull Dogs have allowed conference rivals to score.

The outstanding players were all eleven men on the team. Play, both on the offense and the defense, was superb. The support of the Nederland fans and the work of the Pep Squad was greatly appreciated by the boys and it helped to inspire them to greater effort. In other words, all will tell you that it was one of those games that you rarely see but sometimes read about.

PT. ARTHUR NEWS CORRECTS A "BONER"

Below is an article taken from the Pt. Arthur News in which they acknowledge an error:

"Monday we ran a story on the sports page giving Pt. Neches credit for a 12-6 win over the Orange Tigers, and were we called down or were we called down?"

In the lineup we had Nederland contesting Orange- which was correct. It was Nederland's Bull Dogs that turned the trick and not the Port Neches Indians.

Our apologies to Coach Konecny and his hard playing Bull Dogs. More power to you.

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PT. ARTHUR NEWS-

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But while we're rambling around Nederland we might take time out to say that both the Bull Dogs and the Indians have powerful class B Elevens this season and when they meet fans should see plenty of football.

Misses Maryon Ruth Yentzen and Betty Lou Manning of Nederland called our attention to the 'Boner Tanks, pals."

'Sall right, old top, but don't let it happen again.

A REGISTERED PHARMACIST
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NEDERLAND PHARMACY
PHONE 1

NEDERLAND WALLOPS CLEVELAND INDIANS, 13-0

Friday, November 10th., exhibiting a brand of football considerably below that set in the Orange game, the Nederland Bull Dogs defeated the Cleveland Indians by a score of 13-0. After having seen the team in such game as that against Orange, the fans might have been somewhat disappointed, but old football heads know that it is impossible to keep a team at such high pitch as ours was for the Orange game for very long time. And were the boys sore and stiff, or were they stiff and sore? We're not trying to alibi ourselves out of a big score—well, it just wasn't a big score.

However, it is strongly felt that another probable reason for such exhibition was the excitement over Coach Johnny Konecny's engagement to Mary Frances Newton (We are greatly relieved over the fact that he does not marry every week-end !)

Coach Konecny started his second team against the Indians but later ran in his first string when Cleveland threatened to

score. For the first touchdown, Daigle got away for 25 yards, the try for extra point failing. In the second quarter McMahan exhibited some beautiful broken field running and scored another six points. The extra point was scored on a pass. The last half of the game was rather uneventful, the ball changing hands several times. If there were any outstanding players, we might, however designate McMahan and Daigle.



Do you take 'em before or after meals, Nan?

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MORE NEWS



CLUB NEWS

Los Bandidos held a meeting in room 218, November 10. The president called the meeting to order and the roll call was made. The following program was rendered:

La Fiesta de Las Razas----- Marie Boudreaux
El Dia de Los Santos--Dick Haizlip
San Eugenio----- James Morgan

We played games and sang songs the remainder of the period.

SR. RINGS & JR. PINS ARE ORDERED

The Senior and the Junior Classes have ordered their rings and pins from the Star Engraving Company of Houston. The rings are scheduled to arrive about Thanksgiving, while the pins will arrive some time later. The members of classes are eagerly awaiting them.

SENIORS PRESENT CHAPEL PROGRAM

In general assembly, November 16, the senior class presented a program consisting of a song, led by John Goodwin, and a playlet entitled "The Trials of an Editor".

The characters were as follows:
Samuel Scan- Editor of the Daily Doodad----- Rudolph Bodemuller
Freckles- The Office Boy---- Russel Vernor
Fanny Smiles-Stenographer-- Francis Goodwin
Wilma Weeps-Who Gives advice to the Lovelorn----- Evelyn Luke
Miss Bardrite- A Self-made Poetess- Janice Williams
Hannibal Spud- A Subscriber to the Paper----- Horace Goodwin
Enoch Graves, An Undertaker---- Joe Hollis
Dora Window- Who Loses a Dog-Bessie Ruth Keltner.

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COUNTY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE ORGANIZED

At a meeting, Beaumont, Nov. 17, the schools of Jefferson County perfected the organization of the University Interscholastic League for the year 1933-34. Officers elected were as follows:

Supt. A. B. C. Dean (French School)--- Director General
Supt. W. J. Holloway (Port Neches)--- Director of Debate
Supt. W. H. Randolph (China)--- Director of Declamation
Miss Jessie Bell Cummins (South Park) - Director of Extemporaneous Speech
Supt. W. A. McMahan (Nemo)--- Director of Essay Writing
Mr. E. J. Pickell (French)--- Director of Athletics
Mrs. C. M. Oglesby (Giles)--- Director of Music Memory
Mrs. Ruth Haynes (Voth)--- Director of Picture Memory

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NEDERLAND STUDENTS WIN AWARDS AT FAIR

One of our students, Edwin Rake, Jr., won a number of prizes at the South Texas State Fair at Beaumont this year. Among his entries were eighteen Hampshire Sheep which took prizes totaling \$72. His pecan entry also placed first and won him \$2. Ed also won \$2 on some Hegari grain which he entered. These various prizes totaled \$76. He won numerous prizes at the Fair last year on articles which he entered.

Verlon McGee, another one of our students, won second prize on a Red Duroc Jersey Pig which he entered. The premium was four dollars. This was in connection with his 4H Club work.

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HOWARD THERIOT PLAYS FOOTBALL AT CORPUS C.

Below is an article which recently appeared in the Port Arthur News concerning Howard Theriot, a former student of our school:

"We are in receipt of a letter from Rev. Father T. A. Joseph of Corpus Christi College telling us of the good showing being made by Howard Theriot with the Cavaliers this season-

Mr. Shepherd,
Port Arthur News,
Port Arthur, Texas
My Dear Sir:

I am sending stories of each out-of-town boy, playing on the Corpus Christi College Team, to their respective home-town papers.

Howard Theriot, a Port Arthur boy, is attending C. C. College. Due to a severe shoulder injury he did not see service against his home team but since then he has been shifted from guard to right halfback, where he looks like a 'natural'. Howard is a fine blocker and a great defensive man. He has speed and can 'take it'.

In our game last Wednesday with the Texas Tech freshmen it was Howard's brilliant co-operation that made it possible for us to score a 6 to 0 victory. It happened in the second quarter when we had the ball on our own five yard line. On a quick opening play Theriot broke loose and after running 75 yards, when he was about to be tackled by a Texas Tech man, he turned and tossed a lateral pass to Cecil Isbell, Cavalier halfback, who scampared the remaining distance for a touchdown.

Sincerely yours,
Rev. Father T. A. Joseph"

Theriot was captain of the Nederland High School boxing team last year.

FURBY BROS. GARAGE
GENERAL REPAIR SERVICE
PHONE NO. 3



SOCIETY

The maids of the football team entertained Miss Mary Frances Newton, Thursday, November 9, with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Velma Rae Yentzen. Many pretty gifts were received. During the evening, dainty refreshments were served to about twenty guests.

Miss Anna Rienstra attended the Tulane-Mississippi football game in New Orleans during the Armistice Day holidays.

Miss Evelyn Luke entertained the football boys with a party Saturday, November 11. The color scheme of black and gold was carried out. Light refreshments were served to the sponsor and her maids, the football boys, and a few outsiders.

Miss Chrissy Kaper entertained with a three table bridge shower honoring Mrs. J. F. Konecny, Thurs. night, Nov. 16. The bride received many beautiful gifts. A salad course was served to about fifteen guests.

HAMMER-DELONG MARRIAGE

As a surprise to many of his friends, Mr. E. P. DeLong, member of the Nederland School Board, and Mrs. Ella Hammer of Chicago, Illinois were united in marriage last Saturday evening at 7:00 o'clock, November 18. The marriage took place at the home of the Dominican Sisters with Father F. B. Hardy performing the ceremony.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. DeLong returned to their home in Nederland where a group of friends and relatives had gathered to present them with gifts and to extend their congratulations.

He that liveth on hope starves to death.

Men and pins are useless when they lose their heads.

STAPLE AND FANCY
GROCERIES

FRESH MEATS

NOTIONS

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DANCING
ROLLER RINK
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COLD DRINKS
EVERY NIGHT

G O S S I P



What senior boy has ceased his weekly visits to Orange? He must have fallen a willing victim of the charms of a certain senior girl.

We wonder why Misses Davis and Wilkerson wandered aimlessly about the halls with smiles on their faces the week following Armistice Day? It has even been said that they hummed tunes(I don't think they were "Over There" or "America" either).

We didn't want to put this in here, but so many of the students wanted to know that we thought perhaps you may be able to answer the question for us. It is: "Why did Coach and Mary insist on starting another war on Armistice Day?"

It seems that Miss Bernhard accepted Mae West's invitation, "Come up 'n see me some time". She attended "I'm no Angel" three times to our exact knowledge. We are wondering how many other times she went.

For no apparent reason at all, Miss Press took a sudden liking to the name of Ed, and next to Texas, I think New York is her favorite State. (It's a fur piece off though

- It's a fur piece off!)

We'd like to know whether or not Dorothy Meadows ever succeeded in raising the bus window down.

Aha! At last we've found out why Speck Ware goes to Port Neches so much! Why-Speck! Tsk! Tsk! Tsk!

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GENERAL
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PHONE 11

INTERSHOLASTIC LEAGUE

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Miss Frances Earle(Nederland)-----
Director of Spelling

The Director General will appoint director for Arithmetic, Choral Singing, and the Wild Flower Contest. Schools interested in contests in Spanish, Typewriting, and other things will meet later and select directors for contests that will be held.

The date for the meet is set by the League headquarters at Austin-March 9-10, March 16-17, or March 23-24. The place will be South Park beyond a doubt as that is the most centrally located place.

Tryout for these contests in the Nederland Schools will begin as soon as possible, and with plenty of hard work we feel that we'll be able to make as creditable showing as we did last year. We are determined to keep those cups another year. So, let's get going, students!

Miss Johnson brought back some snapshots of various things from her trip to New Orleans the other day. Among them was the picture of a park; but all we could see was a comfortable park bench. Hm!--- Now we wonder?



ART SUPERVISOR WINS PRIZES AT FAIR

Miss Georgia Lauderdale, Art Supervisor in the Nederland Schools, certainly got her share of the honors when she won nine out of twelve entries in the Art Department at the South Texas State Fair—three first places, four second places, and two third places.

The placings were as follows:
FIRST PLACE: Water Colors- Collection; Miscellaneous Mediums- illustrations; Miscellaneous Medium- Design, one unit.
SECOND PLACE: Water Colors- Still Life; Charcoal- Unclassified; Clay Modeling- Specimen; Clay Modeling- Collection.
THIRD PLACE: Oil Painting- Still Life; Charcoal- Nature.

All of the students are very proud of Miss Lauderdale and of her wonderful success.

She has been of great value to the Staff of the Announcer in her assistance in designing the covers and for other helpful suggestions. We wish to take this opportunity to thank her for her kindness.

Efficiency is nothing but a combination of cleanliness, orderliness, good health, and plain, old-fashioned hard work.

Misses Johnson and Lauderdale report a pleasant week-end in New Orleans. They attended the Tulane-Mississippi football game.

Miss Lindsey, a teacher of the past year here, visited Miss Bernhard over the week-end of Nov.10-12.

Miss Pinkerton has as her guest over the week-end, Nov.10-12, her sister, Mrs. J. D. Jones, from Tyler.

Misses Press and Johnson attended a program at the Y. M. C. A. Thurs. night, Nov.9. It is said that they received special recognition.

The speaker for the night said, "We are pleased to have with us this evening Miss Press and Miss Johnson from Nederland".

Miss Edna Barron, a former teacher of the Langham School, visited her sister, Miss Della Barron, and Mrs. R. L. Vernor during the Armistice Day holidays.

Miss Ruth Hansbro visited her mother in Cold Springs over the week end of Nov.10-12.

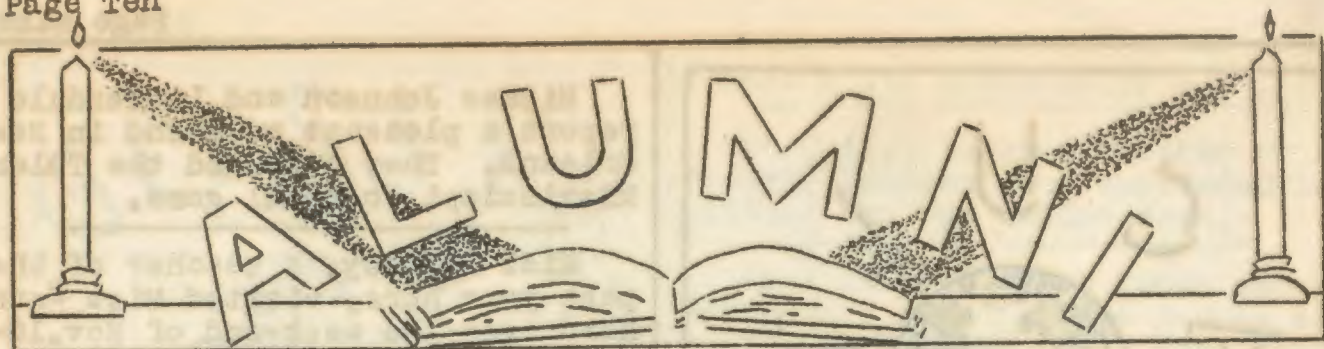
Mrs. L. R. Pietzsch and Mrs. C. O. Wilson entertained members of the faculty and their wives and members of the school board and their wives Tuesday, November 14, at the home of Mr. & Mrs. L. R. Pietzsch. The faculty took this opportunity to present to Mr. & Mrs. J. F. Konecny a wedding gift.

Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Dorothy Davis and Mr. Keeling. Miss Wilkerson and Mrs. Koele may rendered piano solos.

Dainty refreshments were served.

People have quit struggling for an existence- the struggle now is to keep up with the automobiles and radio payments.

It is better to turn up your sleeves to work than to turn up your nose.



Mrs. W. K. McCauley entertained Miss Ethel Manning Friday evening, November 3, with a miscellaneous bridge shower. Miss Press won high score and Alice Ruth Nagle cut consolation. Dainty refreshments were served to the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kelly entertained with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Creswell Thursday evening, November 9. The rooms were decorated with white chrysanthemums and pink roses. A salad course was served to thirty-five guests.

Miss Ethel Manning was complimented with a kitchen shower, November 7, when Mrs. J. H. Lee entertained with a lovely party. Miss Manning will become the bride of Mr. Carl Smith of Port Arthur November 22.

A miscellaneous shower was given for Miss Ethel Manning, November 14, at the home of Mrs. A. J. Brown. Dainty refreshments were served to the guests.

Jack and Jill
Sped up the hill,
A curve up there was sharp;
The car upset;
Jack's rolling yet;
Jill's playing on a harp.

St. Peter (To person seeking admission at the Pearly Gates):
Who's there?

Voice from without: It is I.

St. Peter: Go on back; we don't want anymore English teachers up here.

MORRISON-KESNER WEDDING

Saturday morning, November 18, at 10:00 o'clock, Miss Pearlle Lee Morrison and Mr. Fred Kesner were married. The bride and groom will make their home in Humble, Texas.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Morrison of this city. She was formerly a student of the Nederland High School, and a member of the 1930 graduating class.

Mr. Kesner is employed by the Sun Company.

MANNING-SMITH WEDDING

Friends and classmates will be interested in knowing about the marriage of Miss Ethel Manning and Mr. Carl Smith, Wednesday evening, November 22, at 8:00 o'clock. The wedding took place at Port Neches with Father F. B. Hardy performing the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Manning of this city. She was a member of the 1931 graduating class.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Smith of Port Arthur, and is employed by the Gulf Refining Company.

Following the wedding ceremony, friends and relatives enjoyed the reception at the home of the bride's parents.

The couple will make their home in Port Arthur.



EXCHANGES

In the Port Neches "War Whoop" there was a clever article entitled "Consult Madame Noitalle for Advice". The article was well worked out.

The Taylor "Cotton Boll" reports that Adell Curik won a scholarship of \$300 as the best 4-H club girl in Texas. She plans to use the scholarship at C. I. A. next year.

In the "Lamar Cardinal" we find T. D. Carroll and Sid Pietzsch expressing their opinions on "What Their Favorite Lipstick Is".

T. D., "I'll bet a dollar she wears Max Factors".

Sid, "I'm just a young thing and can not leave my mother".

We observe from the "China Chopsticks" that the school sponsored a highly successful Hal-lowe'en program, October 31. This backs up our argument that such program not only has a great drawing power for a social evening, but it also keeps the boys (and girls) from wandering aimlessly about the streets late at night.

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SAVE WITH SAFETY AT THAMES DRUG STORES

From "The Pilot", published by the Port Arthur High School, we find a very interesting column entitled "Gob Lot O' Fiction", by Adelaide Cooper. "It was swell, Adelaide, we only regret that you didn't stay in Nederland and serve on our staff."

Thanks to the "Beaumont High School News" for this idea: "The low speed of the water at the fountains in the halls seems to be a good excuse for being late at classes". We'd about played out of excuses and that's one that's never been used.

It seems as if the "Sea Breeze", Pt. Arthur Jr. High, has gone N.R.A. We found a very clever little poem by that name in their last edition.

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The "Davis Dispatch", Jefferson Davis High School of Houston, runs a column which many of the students of this school might be interested in, "Confidential Connie". She is somewhat like Dottie Dix, but she certainly surpasses all knowledge that Dottie could possibly have concerning that ever popular subject, Love.

The lazy man is no more use than a dead one.

The man with a burning ambition is seldom fired.
Nothing worthwhile is ever cheap or easy to get.



THE THREE R'S

A newly-made citizen asked what Americans meant by "the three R's". A wag told him that these three R's follow us through life. At 25 it's Romance; at 45 it's Rent; at 65 it's Rheumatism.

Mary Frances: Darling, the new maid has burned the bacon and eggs. Wouldn't you be satisfied with a couple of kisses for breakfast?

Coach: Sure, bring her in.

John Goodwin: Why is it? Frances makes "A" on her bookkeeping and I make "B" on mine; they are just alike.

Mr. Goodwin: John, don't you know that the form of a girl is always better than a boy's?

Leonard: You look like a sensible girl. Why don't you marry me?

Velma Rae: Because I am a sensible girl.

Miss Earle: Who was buried in Grant's tomb?

Oren: Dunno, but wasn't it the same guy who was President during Grant's administration?

Old Lady: You don't chew tobacco do you, little boy?

Nathan Carter: No, Ma'am, but I could let you have a cigarette.

You can buy a dog with money, but it is love that puts the wag in his tail.

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NEDERLAND - PHONE 5

Evelyn(during quarrel): You're talking like an idiot.

John: I'm doing that so you can understand me.

(Beaumont High School News)

Shirley: Did you know that Wello got poisoned on chicken last night?

Loretta: No, croquette?

Shirley: New, but he's pretty sick. (The Pilot, Pt.Arthur Sr.Hi)

Patriotism is taking your arm from around your best girl to clap as the United States cavalry gallops across the screen.

(Lamar Cardinal)

Mr. Wilson(to Miss Press):We're going to turn out Monday at noon.

Miss Press: Goody! What for?

Mr. Wilson: For lunch.

(The China Chop Sticks)

Cure for headache: Stick your head into a bucket of water three times and pull it out twice.

(The Sea Breeze,Pt.Arthur Jr.Hi)

E. P. DE LONG

COMPLETE AUTO SERVICE
PHONE NO. 4

Melba Morgan: Got any mail for me
Postmaster: What's your name?

Melba: You'll find it on the envelope. (The War Whoop, Pt.Neches)

C. O. GARDNER

FANCY GROCERIES
MEATS & FEED
PHONE NO. 7

SPORTS CONTINUED—

BULLDOGS ROUND UP BUFFALOES IN 19-18 THRILLER

What a game! What a game! It will be several weeks before we regain our composure! It happened in the last eight minutes of play in a game here Friday, Nov. 17, between Coach Pickell's French Hi Buffaloes and Coach Konecny's Bull Dogs with French leading 18-0.

Most of the fans were shaking their heads and saying that it couldn't be done—make 19 points in eight minutes and beat the Buffs. It all started when Daigle and the boys started an aerial attack and scored the first touchdown. Try for point failed. Daigle then faked a pass and ran through the line twelve yards for another six points. Point again failed.

Four minutes left to play! Another touchdown and point and the game would be won! The fans went wild, including some of our very dignified persons who had never before exhibited such great excitement and concern. Then, standing on his 48 yard line, Daigle passed to Speck Ware who went over the goal line for another counter, making the score 18-18. Here the field again had to be cleared of excited spectators before play could be resumed.

Coach Konecny showed his football brains by sending in a substitute for Flip Peveto with a new idea in his head as to the try for point. Well, Chump Sanderson went around left end for extra point with two determined Buffs hanging on, to win the game, so we found later.

The Bulldogs played a ragged game for three quarters and were no match for the well drilled Buff team. It seems that these fighting

Buffs were going to upset the old dope bucket and take the big end of the game back home with them. We take off our hats to them. They know their football. The Buffaloes have a reputation of getting better and better as they play through the season, and we fully agree that they were certainly living up to that reputation. They are a clean bunch of fighters and we wish them the very best of luck.

French scored twice in the second quarter when Tiller went over on a line play for the first touchdown, and a pass from Johnstone to Turk was good for another. Then, after blocking a kick, they scored the third touchdown and led 18-0 as the third quarter ended.

Tiller and Turk were the shining lights for the Buffs, while Daigle and Sanderson were the outstanding performers for the Bulldogs.

Port Neches is next on schedule, and if they can be disposed of in due form, the Dogs will have a clear slate for the season, and will meet Dayton for the District Championship during the Thanksgiving holidays.

A SIDELINE OBSERVER

Almost Three—

Oh, there comes the referee!

In not many more minutes the game will begin—

Gee, I sure hope that we win!

Inez, did you see Mary's new coat?

She says that it is squirrel;

I think it is goat.

Look, didn't Bob take down that guy.

And, oh, Chumpy has a black eye!

But say, is that Janice's cousin?

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A SIDELINE OBSERVER -

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A body would think so by the way she's buzzin'.
And would you look at Pinky's new hat?
Wonder who discarded a pancake like that?
Gosh, Look at Ashton speed down that field!
And look at that Port Neches line yield.
This is a touchdown sure this time. Oh, isn't the afternoon sublime!
Would you look at Mr. Wilson throwing up his hat?
He'll have to buy another or I'll eat a rat.
Aren't you glad that Rene's playing today?
And look at Earl McMahan- He's Away! - Away!
And why Frankie comes to the games I really don't know.
She never knows who is winning Or why the whistles blow.
Why are the folks leaving- What's begun?
You say the game is over?- Why, who won?

EXCERPTS FROM MISS PEPEY'S DIARY

Aprille 30, 1648
Mine Own Dear Diary.

This morning when I awakened to the trill of the birds in the trees, methought to myself- Ah, am not I blessed in being alive on such a glorious morning.

I betook myself to the kitchen to prepare mine breakfast and fed the kitties. All at once methinks I hear sweet music and to the window I flew in great haste. 'Twas only a little birdie, but thinks I 'tis a heavenly gift and I take it into my household.

May 1, 1648
Ah, dear diary, It is indeed with much pleasure that I impart to you the glorious adventure of mine afternoon.

This afternoon, as is mine custom, I went for mine daily stroll. As I passed before the Royal Palace I encountered the most handsome gentleman that mine eyes had ever viewed. Thinks I, 'Tis Sir Walter Raleigh sure, and mine heart came fluttering up in mine throat (naughty heart).

Then says mine hero to his servan "Hie thee forth, base knave, and fetch me mine white stallion. Stay, see what the clock says".

As I could find no further reason for delay, I made mine way slowly down the street. I heard the clatter of hoofs on the street. Says I, "Tis mine hero", and I makes as if I turn mine ankle.

The man jumped off his horse and came to mine aid. I looked up and me heart fell into its normal position. 'Twas mine next door neighbor, Samuel Butler. Ah, mine is an unfortunate life.

MRS. CORA B. LINSON HAS VISITOR

Mrs. L. Q. Linson, of Palestine, daughter-in-law of Mrs. Cora B. Linson, visited over the week-end of November 18-21.

YE EDITOR'S LAMENT -

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If we don't print contributions, we don't show appreciation.

If we do print them, the paper is filled with junk.

Like as not some fellow will say we swiped this from another.

And so we did.

THE HOME LAUNDRY

PROMPT SERVICE -

PROPER CLEANING -

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COACH KONECNY -

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Bryan, the home of Mr. Konecny. Saturday afternoon, Nov. 11th., they attended the A. & M. - S. M. U. football game and later returned to their previously arranged-for apartment in Nederland.

Mrs. Konecny, a senior, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Newton, long and favorably known in the vicinity. Mr. Konecny is serving successfully his fourth year as boys' coach and physical education director. Both have many friends here who wish for each of them a long, successful, and happy life.

A CONFESSION!

Imagine, if you can, the amazement of the bewildered staff when (after the above article was written) Coach Konecny and Mary Frances confessed: "This deception has gone far enough. We want to divulge the whole truth. We have been married since May 26th. On the last day of school last year we slipped away to Jennings, La., and were married by the Pastor of the First Baptist Church of that city".

JUNIOR PROGRAM

The program in general assembly November 24, was presented by the Junior Class, under the sponsorship of Mr. Mathews. A playlet, "Let's Go to the Game", was presented. The characters were: Dorothy Meadows, Judith Schon, Evelyn Wagner, Shirley Gibson, Melba Morgan, Gordon Wilson, Dick Haizlip, Coach Konecny, the Football Team, and John Goodwin.

The program was a splendid advertisement of the Nederland-Port Neches football game to be played November 25.

Wednesday, November 29, the high school will convene with the grade school for the presentation of a program by the Lamar College.

HUDDLESTON - GIBSON

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huddleston announced their marriage Sunday morning, Nov. 26, to a group of friends and relatives. They were married Saturday night, Nov. 26, in Kountze. Mrs. Huddleston was formerly Miss Helen Gibson, a graduate of the Nederland High School.

BURNFIN - TYRE

Mr. and Mrs. James Burnfin announce the marriage of the son, Gardette, to Miss Mary Lou Tyre, in Liberty, Texas, November 9, with Rev. Rhodes performing the ceremony. Mr. Burnfin is an employee of the Pure Oil Company and is a former graduate of the Nederland High School. The happy couple will make their home in the McCauley apartment.

SPENCER - MCFADDEN

On Wednesday evening at 7:15 o'clock Miss Alice McFadden will become the bride of Mr. Glen Spencer. The ceremony will be performed at the First Methodist Church by Rev. J. C. Huddleston, with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Huddleston as attendants. Mrs. J. C. Huddleston will sing "I Love You Truly", while the wedding music will be rendered by Mrs. L. Koelemay and the Boys.

MAY - WOOTEN

Now comes the news that Mr. John May (better known as "Fuzzy") and Miss Lena Wooten have been married for the last two and one-half years. Both are former graduates of the Nederland High School. Mr. May was at that time one of the best athletes in this part of the country.

Well, now what do you know about that? Nothing, I guess! Better come around, Fuzzy, and tell us all about it. That is what we call putting it by old Dame Gossip.

IN CONCLUSION---

And now, Ladies and Gentlemen,
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SOCIETY CONTINUED-

Mrs. Tim Cooper, formerly Miss Edith Maricle, a teacher in this school about three years ago, visited friends in Nederland during November 23- 25. She was the recipient of many delightful parties.

Miss Helen Gerbens entertained the teachers and a group of friends with a bridge party at her home in Port Arthur, Wednesday, November 22.

R.F.C. WORK DONE

Many of the unemployed have been put to work by the R. F. C. doing odd jobs about the school. They have painted the gymnasium windows, and are now constructing a boys' dressing room. These men are paid by the government.

GROUP PICTURES TAKEN

Mr. Watts of Port Arthur took group pictures of all the rooms in school, and the football team. The price of the pictures was 20 cents, twenty-five per cent going to the school. The pictures were very good and quite a number of students purchased them.

WILDCATS START PRACTICE

Basketball practice began Monday, Nov. 20, with about thirty-seven girls out trying for the team. Miss Pinkerton says that the outlook for a good team is good this season if the girls keep up the pep and enthusiasm with which they have started.

We are glad to have so many eighth and ninth graders out. They have a lot of "go" in them and it looks like a great year in store for the Wildcats.

The girls of last year who are back are working hard. It makes us feel better to know that we have a few experienced ones left for this year. What we have left does

not matter so much as what we make out of what we have.

By racing around the track, becoming accustomed to the floor, passing, shooting goals from every angle, catching, pivoting, and dribbling we are getting ready to do some real playing.

IN CONCUSSION-

we think that we have at least mentioned all the weddings involving former students of the Nederland High School. Details in some of them have been lacking, but we have done our best to learn something of what has been happening. Indeed Daniel Cupid has done a most admirable job. From the number of weddings in this issue you will admit that quite a few have fallen victim of his "darts". Indeed it seems that there must have been a battle going on. It is said that the year of 1933 will go down in history as the worst "Hurricane" year, but we are going to add that it should go down as the greatest "Matrimonial" year in the history of the school. We should have dedicated this issue of the Announcer to His Majesty, Dan Cupid.

MERCHANTS CLOSE FOR NEDERLAND-PT NECHES GAME

Practically every business house of any size or import was closed last Saturday afternoon for the Nederland-Port Neches game. A petition was circulated by the high school students and the business men were found ready to co-operate with the school in every way. The student body certainly does appreciate this support from our merchant friends. Not only did they close for the game, but they came and rooted for the Bulldogs. If anyone could have seen and heard that crowd of three thousand persons yelling as loudly as they could, he would have readily appreciated the support these teams really had.