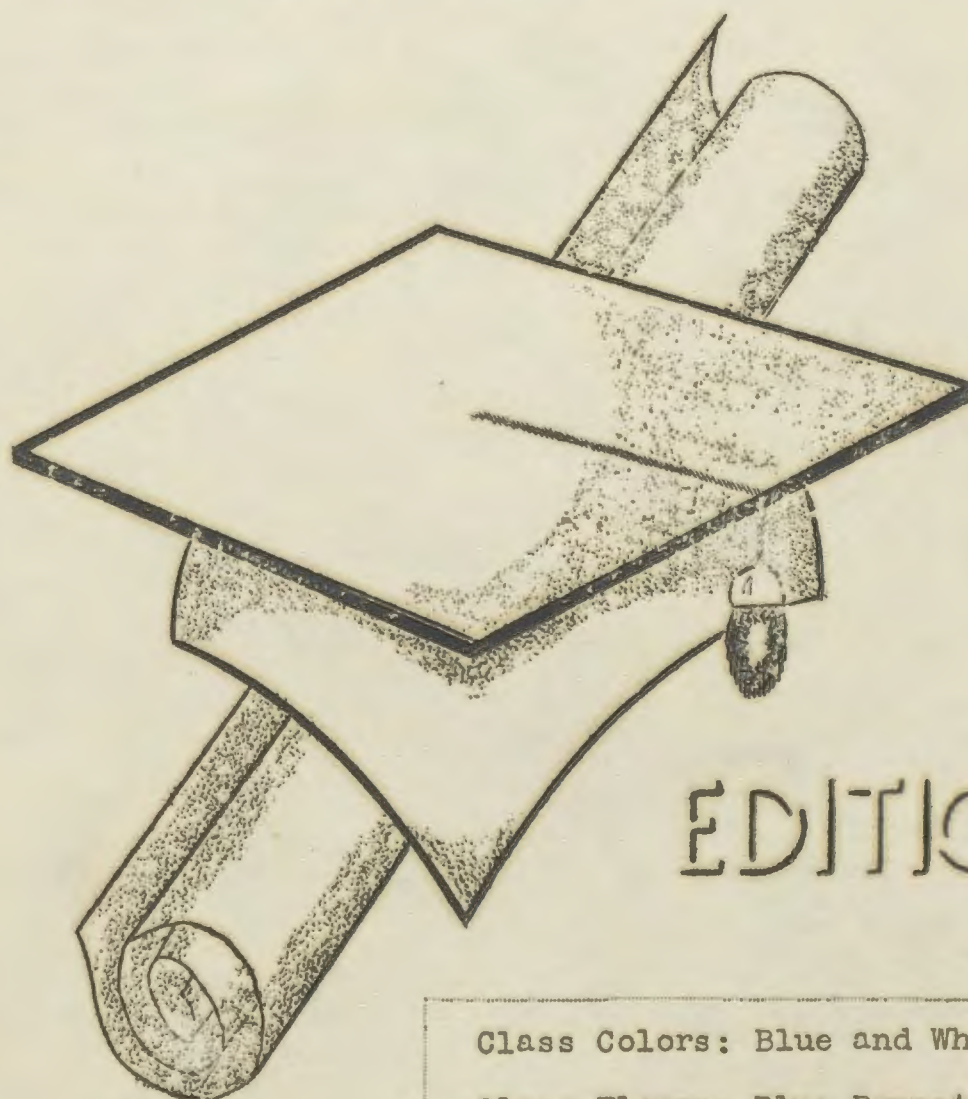


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LARGEST CLASS IN HISTORY OF SCHOOL TO RECEIVE DIPLOMAS MAY 24

44 SENIORS CANDIDATES FOR DIPLOMAS

The largest class in the history of the Nederland High School will be graduated Thursday night, May 24, in the high school auditorium.

Heretofore, the largest number to receive diplomas was 36. Since that time, there has been a steady increase in the high school enrollment.

Although there have been a few seniors who have fallen by the way-side, there has been a still larger number who have had the determination and tenacity to pursue their courses of study in spite of discouragements and handicaps which have come their way. We admire these students for their courage.

In this group of noble young men and women we find those who have striven for more than the four years to achieve their purpose, but they have never lost sight of their goal, and we rejoice with them in their triumph. Their success is doubly sweet to them—they know the price of success.

There are those who have been led to see the value of a high school education through their participation in athletics. They have been held in the ranks, and gradually have they become aware of the fact that they must equip themselves with the necessary tools if they would make a success of their life's work. These have been unusually loyal to their school, and they will do their bit in putting education on a safe and sound basis when they take their places as citizens qualified to determine what shall be done for the youth of our country.

"OUT OF SCHOOL LIFE INTO LIFE'S SCHOOL"

The yearly observance of Commencement festivals is one of the most gracious, most momentous, most useful of the time-honored customs of our national life. They bring us together, as a community, for an occasion of the greatest interest of the entire year. And because the community interest is so widespread, these occasions are also the most democratic of our social activities. In our graduating classes are children from all types of homes; literally the "high" and "low" sit down together.

And what is the significance of all this? It means that the schools of our great country are again sending out to the world their contributions of young people, putting their approval upon them, and consecrating them as servants of mankind. This is of special import to the graduate, for it marks for him a transition to a different kind of life from that to which he has been accustomed. If he is fortunate to do so, he will enter an institution of higher learning where his horizon is widened and his opportunity for development vastly enlarged. Others no less worthy, but less fortunate, will enter the various marts of trade and will contribute their part toward the world's work.

Yet, strange to say, very few of us ever get through the elementary grades of this new "School of Life", and no one ever "graduates"—at least not until the long vacation comes and we are "promoted" to another and better school. Some of the lessons are hard but the Great Teacher assures us that the
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SAN JACINTO DAY

The Battle of San Jacinto, April 21, 1836, was the final and decisive battle of the war for Texas Independence. The Texans, numbering about 740, were led by General Sam Houston. Santa Anna commanded a Mexican force of about 4,000.

The Texans rushed into battle with the cry, "Remember the Alamo; Remember Goliad"; and they won a complete victory. Over 1,300 Mexicans were killed, captured, or wounded, and Santa Anna was taken prisoner the following day. The total loss of the Texans was about thirty.

Although April 21 may be just another day to some people in the world, to every Texan it is a date which stands foremost among all other dates. It is a date which marked a new era in the history of our wonderful Lone Star State.

We honor and praise the men, who with valiant zeal and courage, fought against odds and came out victorious. May we so live and act in the years to come that the things we do will make us worthy of our great heritage.

MOTHER'S DAY

AMERICA'S GREATEST ASSET- IT'S MOTHERS. May 13, 1934.

"Motherhood is the crowning glory of a woman's life.

"It is a divine fulfillment.

"Without motherhood a woman's life is incomplete- imperfect.

"She is not fully developed in every sense. She is immature, regardless of her age.

"Motherhood brings an experience that changes a woman's viewpoint. She is broader mentally, more complete physically, more in accord with natural law. Her feminine nature comes into its own.

"A mother will enter prisons of shame and kiss a felon's hand thrust through the bars. She will sit beside the accused in courts of law, when the mob jeers and the heartless machinery of justice grinds its grists of agony, and with unwavering faith maintain her child is innocent. She will stand at the foot of the scaffold and, when the trap has fallen, pillow the condemned and lifeless head upon her breast.

"But if the path of life has led her son to the fields of honor, her heart will glow with pride, ineffable, unspeakable. If he is called to war she will bid him

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THE NEW YORK TIMES

APRIL 1, 1950

REAR ADMIRAL BODEMULLER COMPLETES
LARGEST AIRSHIP IN THE WORLD

Chicago, Ill., April 1, 1950-

The airship, Frances, which has been Rear Admiral Bodemuller's dream for five years has become a reality. The last touches were completed yesterday, according to Mrs. Bodemuller, the former Frances Goodwin. Mrs. Bodemuller has had much flying experience and has aided Rear Admiral Bodemuller in designing the Frances.

UNITED STATES AMBASSADOR ESTABLISHES
FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH FRANCE

Washington, D. C., April 1-

Officials were notified today that France would continue negotiations with the United States. It was through Ambassador Robert Frederick Haizlip's untiring efforts and efficient services that an agreement was reached.

LEADING NEWS PAPER EDITORS HOLD
CONFERENCE

New York City, April 1-

The outstanding speakers at the Editors' Conference were Marie Rionstra, Editor of the New York

Times, and Mary Frances Konecny, Editor of the New York Herald.

STRUGGLING YOUNG SCIENTIST BECOMES
FAMOUS OVER NIGHT

Berlin, Germany, April 1-

One of the most amazing discoveries in the scientific world was made by George C. Shannon, young American scientist. Shannon revealed a scientific mystery that has baffled the world for years. This has been his dream for years, and it was only through the aid of Sanford Kelly, rich oil dealer, that this invention was made possible.

MISSIONARY HOME ON TWO MONTH LEAVE

Nederland, Texas, April 1-

Miss Laverna Eaves, young missionary, has returned to the United States for a two months leave, after having spent three years in the wilds of the Belgian Congo, Africa.

HOSPITAL FORCE RUSHED TO FLOOD AREA

Jackson, Mississippi, April 1-

Doctor Burrell Frazier, accompanied by the famous dietician Ruby Harvil and competent nurses, Clarice Clotiaux, Iyone Russell, Hester

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SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

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Leatherwood, , and Juanita Gregory brought great relief to the flood stricken area of the Mississippi Valley.

MASTER OF THE SQUARED CIRCLE TO DEFEND TITLE

New York, N. Y., April 1-
Clarence "Battling Bud" Peterson, present holder of the present championship of the heavy weights, will meet "Dynamite" Joe Monso tonight at Madison Square Garden to defend his title.

This bout has been headlined for weeks; 750,000 fans are expected to attend.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON PREDICTED BY MANAGER OF NEW YORK GIANTS

New York, N. Y., March 31-
Manager Goody Griffin of the New York Giants believes that his boys will come through the baseball season at the top of the list.

The Giants opened their season with a terrific defeat of the Cardinals last Saturday.

SPRING TRAINING FOR THE "FIGHTING IRISH" GETS WELL UNDER WAY

South Bend, Ind., April 1-
The football prospects for Notre Dame are really bright for next year, according to information from the training camp recently. Coaches Daigle and Mouton have 150 hopefuls going through the daily grind, preparing themselves to repeat the National championship next Fall.

TEXAS GIRL CAPTURES TENNIS TITLE

London, England, April 1-
Miss Ouida Frances Eldridge, of Nederland, Texas, U.S.A., won the world's championship in women's singles this afternoon in a thrilling match at Wilmledon Courts.

BIGGER MARKET FOR "DUCK EGGS" BEING SOUGHT

Gueydan, La., April 1-
Mayo "Coonie" Premeaux, sole owner of the "Quack, Quack Duck Ranch" is seeking a larger market for his products. According to Premeaux, the ducks are working overtime and the market has cut its hours. Although he is very enthusiastic over his ducks, his neighbor, George Vander Weg, who operates a dairy adjacent to the duck ranch, would enjoy chloroforming the whole flock.

VanderWeg claims that Premeaux's ducks keep his cows awake, thus materially cutting down their milk and butter production.

NEDERLAND SCHOOL GRADUATES 205

Nederland, Texas, March 30-
The largest class in the history of Nederland High School will be graduated Thursday night, May 26, according to Supt. Wilbur Griffin, Ph.D..

Miss Lillian Wolf is the sponsor of this unusual class. Rev. L. T. McBurnett will preach the Baccalaureate sermon, and Judge Jackson Wolf will deliver the class address.

Both of these men graduated from Nederland in '34.

A. & P. STORES UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Denver, Colorado, April 1-
The management of the A. & P. stores was taken over today by Verlon McGee, formerly a private grocer in California. Although the stores handle all lines of groceries Mr. McGee's specialty is "Apparatus Tips".

RECORD BREAKING WALKATHON ENDS

Miami, Fla., April 1-
The Walkathon which has been in progress for 7200 hours came to a dramatic close last night, when the last couple on the floor dropped out, leaving Miss Bessie Ruth Keltner winner of the \$7,500 prize.
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SENIOR CLASS PROPHECY

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Miss Keltner has been soloing for 1,000 hours, she having worn out 12 partners. She has literally been "going places" in this contest. She attributes her success to her early training in this field of endeavor, having begun back in her high career. Miss Keltner says that she is in love with it- that she had rather "walk" than ride in these new fangled automobiles.

RUSSIAN COUNTESS RETURNS HOME

Moscow, Russia, March 29-

Countess Mary Louise Perryman Rubinoffski and her two children, Lieben and Paulinski, returned to Moscow after a two months visit in the United States, where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Perryman, and friends.

YOUNG SOCIETY MATRON ENTERTAINS

Long Island, N. Y., March 31-

Mrs. R. L. Vernor, Jr., the former Miss Bobbie Williamson, is entertaining her friends with a house party in honor of her husband's promotion to the presidency of the Pure Oil Company, in Chicago.

Entertainment for this occasion was furnished by Miss Velma Rae Yentzen, famous musical comedy star, and Miss Winnie Belle Reed, nationally known torch singer.

FAMOUS LOVERS OF THE SCREEN WED

Hollywood, Cal., April 1-

John Goodwin, dashing lover of the screen, and Janice Williams, Mae West's successor, flew to Arizona last night and were quietly married.

When questioned by newspaper reporters, Goodwin boastfully admitted that this was his third attempt at matrimony, but the buxom Miss Williams frankly confessed, "That's nothing; you're

my fifth".

COUPLE BECOME FAMOUS IN WORLD OF ART

Chacago, Ill., March 31-

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hollis are planning to spend the summer in Spain, where they will further their study of art.

Mrs. Hollis, the former Miss Emily Mae Mize, is a noted dress designer.

N. B. C. STARS JOIN CHESTERFIELD PROGRAM

New York, N. Y., April 1-

The three famous N. B. C. Stars were signed with the Chesterfield Company to appear on their weekly radio programs.

Horace Goodwin, the witty young master of ceremonies, will be assisted by Miss Jewell Hayslette, well known blues singer. Another feature of the program will be the famous violinist, Lawrence Koolemay.

"WONDER GIRLS" SELL 59TH. MUSICAL COMEDY

Hollywood, Cal., March 31-

Evelyn Luke and Inez Milla have just completed their 59th. musical comedy hit, "The Skeleton and the Cat". Miss Milla wrote the script for the play and Miss Luke composed the songs.

The play was sold to Leon Ware, famous movie producer.

Miss Arabelle Adams will begin work at once designing the costumes which will be needed for the colossal show.

A popular style of recitation:
Rise slowly; leisurely remove a large piece of chewing gum from the mouth; put hands in pockets; then say in low, but clear and confident tones: "I don't know".

Little spots of knowledge,
Little Puffs of Wit
Make the simple Freshman
Think the Seniors "IT".



SPORTS

WILDCATS PLACE SECOND IN VOLLEY BALL

Showing a marked improvement in form, our girls surprised even themselves by winning second place in the volley ball meet held in the South Park gymnasium, Friday, April 13. The games were featured by their cooperative playing, sometimes called teamwork. They came very near first place, the score in the game with French being close.

Those seeing service in the games were: Velma Rae Yentzen, Frankie Goodwin, Olga Mita, Ethel Spencer,

SWEATERS AWARDED TO WILDCATS

The entire high school was one big interrogation point on Tuesday, April 3, as the student body filed into the auditorium, most of

them asking, "What's the occasion?"

This curiosity was, however, soon satisfied as the basketball girls came in, all smiling and excited- sweaters and trophies were to be awarded. The sweaters are black and old gold in color and bear the chenille letter "N". The trophies are Wildcat emblems in the school colors.

Mr. Wilson, in his usual affable manner, commended the good work and fair play of the team during the last season. Especially were Coach Pinkerton and the girls complimented on their splendid management of their finances. All expenses, including the sweaters, trophies, and equipment, were paid for by the team without any assistance from the Board. This is a most excellent record.

The Wildcats will lose, by graduation, seven of their players, but Coach Pinkerton is optimistic as she and the other girls work strenuously to build up another team.

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WILDCATS RECEIVE AWARDS

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The girls receiving heavy weight sweaters were: Ouida Eldridge, Frances Goodwin, Evelyn Luke, Inez Mia, Olga Mia, Loretta Shearer, Marie Rienstra, Bobbie Williamson, and Velma Rae Yentzen. Coach Pinkerton also received a sweater of the same description as the girls, but of a lighter material. Wildcat emblems were presented to: Maryon Ruth Yentzen, Louroe Dold, and Gladys Alphin.

A real surprise came, especially, to Miss Pinkerton, at the end of the program when the girls presented her with a beautiful pillow cover in the colors of the school—black and old gold. This remembrance is but a slight expression of the high regard, loyalty, and love that all the girls have for their Coach. To them, she is not only an excellent coach, but all that is lovely and true in character.

PUPS PLACE SECOND AT CO MEET-INDOOR B.B.

On Friday, the 13th. of April, the Junior Canine Indoor Baseball boys journeyed to South Park to play in the County Meet. Despite the fact that it was Friday the 13th., our boys could not be bothered. They went determined to win, and they did win second place.

In the first game our boys nosed out the French Jr. Buffs by a 3-2 decision. The hitters of the game were Pichoff, Bailey, and Vernor.

The lineup was: Hise, c.; Bailey, p.; Pichoff, 1B; Wilson, 2B; Vernor, SS; Dumesnell, 3B; Johnson, LF; DuBose, CF; Koelemay, RF; Mills, SF.

In the second game, with South Park, our boys lost by a 9-0 score. Although they played a hard game, the perfect bunting of the Greenies was too much for them. The lineup was the same as in the first game, with the exception of Ener and Clotiaux.

WILDFLOWER PLAY DAY BIG SUCCESS

Saturday, April 28, the Girls' Physical Education Department held their annual Wild Flower Play Day under the supervision of Miss Floy Pinkerton. Four schools were represented: French, China, Daisetta, and Nederland.

The day began with a period of registration. After this, the General Director, Frances Goodwin, welcomed the visitors and introduced the Sports Managers: Ouida Eldridge, and Bobbie Williamson, basketball; Inez Mia, Volleyball; Loretta Shearer and Olga Mia, baseball; Evelyn Luke, and Maryon Ruth Yentzen, track; Marie Rienstra and Velma Rae Yentzen perfected a splendid program for the period following the lunch hour.

After the introductions, the director called the name of each school; the representatives of these came forward and received a belt with five blossoms on it. The belts were handed to each so that no two together could get a belt alike. There were six kinds of belts: Bluebonnets, Sunflower, Dogwood, Poppies, Violets, and Primroses.

The teams assembled at their designated places in the gym. Captains were elected for the teams as follows: Agnes DeCordova of French, Dogwood; Lucille Jones of Daisetta, Primrose; and from Nederland: Olga Mia, Sunflower; Loretta Shearer, Violet; Bobbie Williamson, Bluebonnets; and Ouida Eldridge, Poppies.

The captains were then called forward to draw numbers to determine the order of play.

Basketball and then volleyball occupied the calendar for the morning sports. Then dancing and rope jumping were enjoyed until lunch time.

The second year home economics class under the efficient management of Miss Marjorie Newsom, served a very wholesome lunch.

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WILD FLOWER PLAY DAY

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The captains and the sponsors were then introduced. These were: Miss Turner, of China; Mrs. DeCordova, of French; Misses Farris and Alphin, of Daisetta; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Camp, of Fannett; and Miss Pinkerton, of Nederland.

Following the lunch a program was given. Two song numbers were given by Evelyn Luke, Glyndora McCauley, Marie Rienstra, and Velma Rae Yentzen. Another song, "Little Red Schoolhouse", was given by Betty Lou Manning, Maryon Ruth Yentzen, Judith Sehon, Zoo Sehon, and Ollie May Keltner. Noema Jean Lawrence gave an acrobatic dance. The special Play Day edition of the Announcer was then passed out to the players, and the remainder of the time was taken by the auto-graphing of them.

After the baseball and track were finished, the visiting schools reported a very enjoyable day, and departed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson, and their daughter, Carolyn, were our guests for luncheon. It later developed that it was birthday luncheon for Mrs. Wilson.

Miss Bernhard was also a participant in the Play Day.

Betty Williamson, Verna Mae Kelly, and Edith Luke helped with their services as locker monitors.

JUNIORS ON PICNIC

"C'om'on in. Thae water's find!"
 ----"Hey! Who got the sandwiches?"
 ----"Oh, bright eyes, take me for a boat ride."---- Z-Z-Z-z-z-z-z---

No, this isn't a drama; it's only some of the most frequently heard exclamations of the Juniors at Willard's Lake Friday, April 20, when they held their annual picnic.

The picnickers left Nederland at 6:15 A.M. and were transferred to the tall timber by private automobiles, under the direction of Mr. Lionel Chance.

The most popular diversion of the

day proved to be swimming. Following closely on this were boat riding, dancing, hiking, eating, and sun burning (most sun burning).

King "Good" Manning "thumbed" around quite excessively to the roaring rhythm of Donnis' snores, but finally made a day of it and tried to get back home before Jack Streetman finished his "accidental" chicken dinner.

No excitement concerning the Juniors was reported, and everyone declares that he enjoyed his trip.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL PROGRAM

The Grammar School presented their program in the high school auditorium, Thursday, April 19, at 8:00 o'clock. An operetta, "Magic Gingerbread", was given by the smaller children. The characters were as follows:

The Cook- John Creswell; Molly- Ida Mae Fowler; Jane- Jacqueline Ingwersen; Nan- Marjorie Stohle; Susie Jane- Gloria Caldwell; Suaia Ann; Dorothy Bonsall; The Ginger Man- Dewey Gilbeaux; His Wife- Jane Lumpkin; Bridget Ann- Mary Lou Westberry; The Twins- Elizabeth Monks and Evelyn Rhea Wilson; The Witch- Eunice Broussard; The Chorus: 3A, 4B, 4A Classes.

A one act play, "The Dummy", was given by the students of the 7A class. The characters were: Roy Ulysses Hitchcock, a faithful club member- Clayton Harville; Jane, a widow every night- Betty Williamson; Emma, their maid- Verna Mae Kelly; Ted Manners, Roy's Pal- Eugene Lindsay; Officer, a policeman on the job- Ralph Massey.

Misses Wilkirson and Barron were sponsors of the program.

Little pieces of rubber,
 Little drops of paint,
 Make the bad report card
 Look as if it aint.

Of all the sad words of tongue or pen, the saddest are: "Exams Again"

NEWS



GENERAL ASSEMBLY

April 12, in general assembly the program was sponsored by Mr. Mathews and the Junior Class. The program consisted of songs: "Build a Little Home", and "I'll Be Faithful", by Olga Milla, Loretta Shearer, and Evelyn Wagner; a playlet, "Advice Doctor". The characters were as follows: The Advice Doctor- Dick Haizlip, Nurse- Glyn-dora McCauley, A Reporter -J. C. Kelly, Robert Corey- John Bunyan Koelemay, Mrs. Smythe Chalmers- Shirley Gibson, Mrs. Smithers- Melba Morgan.

Each character played his part well, and everyone enjoyed the program greatly.

April 26, The Sophomore Class sponsored the program. It was as follows: Dance- Florence Reynolds; Play- "Who's a Coward?"; Dance- Ola Mae McCauley; and a song entitled, "Shanghai Rooster"- Joe Almendro.

SPANISH BANQUET

One of the most enjoyable entertainments of the year was the Spanish Cabaret, given by "Los Bandidos", on April 12, in the high school cafeteria.

The tables were attractively decorated with red candles, bowls of red flowers, and green nut cups, carrying out the club colors of red, white, and green. Red "sombreros" marked the places, while the white program cards featured cartoons of a "bandido".

Forty-two guests and seven maids were present. Honor guests were: Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pietzsch, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Wilson, and Miss Cynthia Press.

The program was as follows:
 Gracie Allen and George Burns-----
 Shirley Gibson and Gordon Wilson;
 Danza----- Lois Bodemuller;
 Song, "On a Little Balcony in Spain"
 --Marie Rienstra and Ethel Spencer;
 Tango-----Janice Williams and Velma
 Rae Yentzen;
 Song, "Carmen"----- Shirley Gibson,
 Loretta Shearer, Evelyn Wagner,
 Mildred Shamon, and Louree Dold;
 Danza----- Janice Williams
 Danza----- Ola Mae McCauley

The Menu consisted of:

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| | Chili | |
| | Enchiladas | |
| Tamales | | Frijoles |
| | Tacos | |
| | Tortillas | |
| Nieve | | Nueces |

Oh, the meanness of a Junior when
 he's mean,

Oh, the leanness of a Senior when
 he's lean,

But the leanness of the leanest
 Or the meanness of the meanest,
 Is not in it with the Freshman when
 he's green.

PERSONAL SIDE OF BYRD EXPEDITION OUTLINED

Thursday, May 3, the student body enjoyed an imaginary journey to Little America with Lieutenant Charles E. Lofgren, who was the private secretary of Rear Admiral Byrd, a personal officer during the trip to and from the Antarctic, Admiral Byrd's right-hand man on the trip, and personal aide on Admiral Byrd's transcontinental lecture tour in 1930.

Lieutenant Lofgren gave a very vivid description of the perils and hardships of the Antarctic in such forceful and interesting manner that he held the interest of the audience for an hour and thirty minutes. He gave a very realistic account of the snow storms, the dangers of crossing the ice floes, the ways in which the expedition traveled, the schools of whales, the seals, the airplane flights of Admiral Byrd and some of his companions, the mother dog and her puppies of which Tom Pratt was a member, and many other interesting things relative to the expedition. All of these were illustrated by moving pictures.

After the pictures had been shown, Lieutenant Lofgren showed the audience the Labrador husky dog, Tom Pratt, one of the first "Little Americans" born in the Antarctic regions. Tom Pratt is a beautiful, large black and white dog that weighs 85 pounds, and is five years old. A team composed of these dogs can pull a load weighing from 1600 to 2000 pounds. These dogs are very hard workers and are broken to the harness when they are about six months old.

And last, but not least, he showed the American Flag, which has flown over both the North and the South Pole. "The flag was stained with the baptismal waters of the Atlantic" on Admiral Byrd's flight across the ocean.

The close attention and the con-

tinued applause indicated that this was one of the most interesting lectures given in general assembly this year.

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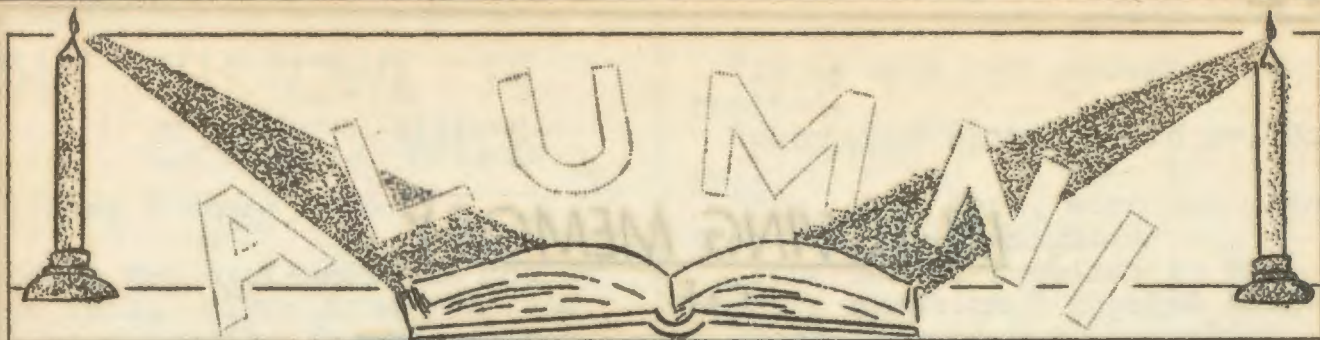
The freshmen turned back the years and became kids again (?) at a kid party in the gymnasium on April 26.

Elizabeth Hanshaw received a big striped stick of peppermint candy, and Jack Singleton received a little horn for the cutest kid costume.

Kid games were played and enjoyed by all, but of course, the refreshments were enjoyed the most of all. Ice cream, soda pop, and all-day suckers were eaten with great relish. This party seemed to serve as a revival of old romances. Those of "honorary mention" are Mabel Paessler and Alvin Ware, Ethel Spencer and Fred Roach, Shirley Arnold and Karen DuBose.

When the hour struck nine, Miss Press thought that all little children should be in bed, so the freshmen kids retired to their homes.





MARSHALL - ADAMS

Surprising to many was the announcement of the marriage of Beatrice Adams and Lincoln Marshall, both graduates of the Nederland High School. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Adams of the Groves, while the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marshall of Nederland.

Saturday evening, April 7, the young couple, accompanied by Iris Adams and Howard Theriot, drove to the home of Rev. Fred Hardy at Pt. Neches, where the marriage ceremony was performed.

After the wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were honored with a supper at the home of the bride's parents. Those present included members of both families.

At present, they are residing at the home of Mrs. and Mrs. Adams.

Mrs. L. E. Marshall was the recipient of a miscellaneous shower Wednesday evening, April 11, at the home of Ruby Massey. After the gifts were presented, delightful refreshments were served.

Those present and others sending gifts were: Bessie Ruth Keltner, Laverna Eaves, Ouida Eldridge, Mary Frances Konecny, Iyone Russel, Arabelle Adams, Mrs. Alvin Barr, Mrs. T. J. Adams, and Mrs. Massey.

MANNING - KIMLER

Chester (Lefty) Manning and Pauline Kimler motored to Kounce, Saturday night, April 14, and were married by the pastor of the First

Baptist Church of that city.

Pauline was a popular member of the graduating class of '32 of the Nederland High School. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Kimler. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Manning, and is an employee of the Sun Oil Company.

At present they are residing at the home of the groom's parents.

EX-STUDENTS HOME ON LEAVE

Houston Leatherwood, who is in the U. S. Army at Galveston, came home Saturday, April 21, to visit his family and friends.

Chester Leatherwood, '32 graduate, is on leave from the U. S. Navy Preparatory School at Hampton Roads, Virginia, where he is attending school to determine whether or not he shall enter the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland.

Chester enrolled in the Navy in October, 1932, and was sent to San Diego, Cal. He was transferred to Hampton Roads in December of 1933. He has already taken the examinations, but as yet, does not know the outcome of his application for admission to the Naval Academy.

Louis Pietzsch, a former graduate of the Nederland High School and at present student at A. & M., visited relatives and friends here during the week end of April 19-21. Louis will be a candidate for degree in June.

IN LOVING MEMORY
OF

PRESLEY LEROY JONES

Death has ruthlessly entered our fold
To claim a beautiful life;
Though its grasp is hard, it can not hold
That which was meant for life.

Though he is gone from this earthly dwelling,
His spirit will linger on,
And echoes of that sterling life are swelling,
Urging his friends to go on and on.

He was a prince among boys,
With always a cheery smile and nod;
The soul that was beautiful and sweet
Has taken its last flight to God.

WHY THE OWL IS CALLED WISE

(By Mary Frances Konecny)

There was excitement in Hollow Tree Town. Birds from near and far were soaring the sky to the place where the murderer of Cock Robin was once convicted, and given the extreme penalty of the feathered tribe law.

Tonight, the court room was in a twitter over the scandalous divorce suit of Mrs. Jenny Wren versus Mr. Jenny Wren.

Such celebrities as Mr. and Mrs. Peacock and Mr. and Mrs. Heron; notables, such as Mr. and Mrs. Stork and Mr. and Mrs. Swan, made their appearance as the jury filed into their boxes.

There came, audibly, three sharp raps, as Judge Woodpecker called order, and instantly the woods became silent. Necks began craning as Mrs. Wren, dressed in a brown plumed frock, walked in with her lawyer, Mr. Mallard Duck. Cheers and applause rang out loudly to awaken the hush of the woods. Again Judge Woodpecker sank his bill into the oak for silence. No sooner than the echoes of the raps had died away in the tree tops, in walked Mr. Wren, with his lawyer, the nocturnal Mr. Hoot Owl, dressed in a gray twill suit and wearing horn-rimmed glasses. They were met with sneers and jeers from the prejudiced crowd. But nonchalantly and indifferently they took their assigned places.

Mr. Wren, after the customary oath, took the witness chair. After a gruelling cross-examination by Mr. Mallard Duck, Judge Woodpecker called a short recess for a worm lunch. Upon resuming court, Mrs. Jonny Wren was asked to take the witness stand. Mr. Hoot Owl promptly began questioning her.

"Mrs. Wren", asked Hoot Owl, "where were you on the night of the last full moon?"

"In my nest, of course", she replied.

"Very good alibi," said Mr. Hoot Owl.

"Now, Mrs. Wren, were you alone that particular night?"

"Your Honor, I object to Mr. Snoot's question," quacked Mr. Duck.

"Hoot, is the name," replied Mr. Owl.

"OK, Mr. Toot," barked Mr. Duck.

"Objection over ruled," chirped Mr. Woodpecker. "Proceed."

"Mrs. Wren, if you were at home, and alone, the first night of the last full moon, who were you with the last quarter moon?"

"I--, hesitated, Mrs. Wren, "I was at Mrs. Bluebird's having my feathers preened."

"Are you positive?" snorted Lawyer Owl.

"Yes, very much so, because I remember the Scarecrows and the Blackbirds were playing contract there," said Mrs. Wren.

"Now, I have caught you in a lie-- a lie you will never live down. You remember very well that was the night you had a date with me to visit Mr. Tom's watermelon patch-- yes, you remember."

The court was motionless as Mr. Owl made this statement. The Judge, after a brief speech, ordered the jury to retire to reach a verdict. After thirty minutes of deliberation, the foreman of the jury announced the verdict: "Mr. and Mrs. Jonny Wren shall live as bird and mate forever, and, as a penalty, Mrs. Wren shall forfeit her rights of sleeping in the mornings and shall, in the future provide worms for the family. Mr. Wren, I pronounce you boss of the family and may God be with you."

At the conclusion of his speech, pandemonium reigned. Mr. Hoot Owl by trickery was given the name of "wise"-- not because of his sagacity, but because of his ability to change biased birds by his deceitfulness.

HONOR ROLL

FOR SECOND TERM-SECOND SEMESTER

STRAIGHT "A"

Lois Bodomuller, Rudolph Bodemuller, Juanita Gregory, Hester Leatherwood, Mary Frances Konecny, Melva Rake, Emma Terway, Volma Rae Yentzen

NO GRADE LESS THAN "B"

Marie Boudreaux, Ruth Boyer, Sylvia Brookner, Luther Defee, Ouida Eldridge, Charles Goss, Dick Haizlip, Bob Haizlip, J. W. Hise, John Bunyan Koelemay, Evelyn Luke, Melba Morgan, Mary Louise Perryman, Melba Raspberry, Agnes Thorp, George Trotter, Janice Williams, Gordon Wilson, Bobbie Williamson, Jackson Wolf

ONE OR MORE "A'S"

Arabelle Adams, Joe Almodro, Shirley Arnold, Lola Bailey, Edna Mae Brown, Beulah Mae Campbell, Helen Delahoussaye, Louree Dold, Karen DuBose, Burnis Ener, Hazel England, Kathryn Fields, Shirley Gibson, Frances Goodwin, Mary Ida Griffin, Louise Gunn, Elizabeth Hanshaw, Ruby Harvill, George Jones, Elizabeth Jones, J. C. Kelly, Alton Lockler, Geneva Luke, L. T. McBurnett, Emily Mae Mize, Wallace Mize, Eileen Muckleroy, Ouida Parker, Iyone Russel, George Shannon, Mildred Shannon, Zillah B. Short, Wilma Terway, Evelyn Wagner, Lillian Wolf

PERFECT ATTENDANCE THIS TERM

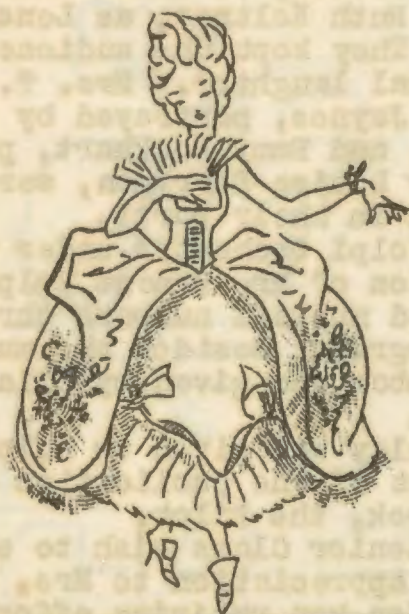
Arabelle Adams, Ethel Adams, Gladys Alphin, Shirley Arnold,

Johnnie Arnold, O. D. Bailey, Paul Billingsley, Lois Bodemuller, Rudolph Bodomuller, Beulah Mae Campbell, Preston Cesac, Lester Clotiaux, Adele Creighton, Helen Delahoussaye, Louree Dold, Emma Doornbos, Ouida Eldridge, Burnis Ener, Hazel England, Kathryn Fields, Burrell Frazier, Winfred Gallier, Shirley Gibson, John Goodwin, Horace Goodwin, R. B. Gregory, Elizabeth Hanshaw, J. W. Hise, Thomas Housenfluck, Elizabeth Jones, Leroy Jones, Hollis Jones, Ollie Mae Keltner, John Bunyan Koelemay, Arthur Lee, Thomas Lee, Evelyn Luke, Geneva Luke, Glyndora McCauley, Earl McMahan, Dorothy Meadows, Olga Miza, Wallace Mize, James Na gel, Mabel Paessler, Melva Rake, Melba Raspberry, Clarence Richardson, Mario Rienstra, Fred Roach, Eloise Sanderson, Edward Sanderson, Judith Schon, George Shannon, Henry Short, Zillah B. Short, Ethel Spencer, Jack Streetman, Emma Terway, Agnes Thorp, Russel Vernor, Evelyn Wagner, Leon Ware, Lillian Ware, Olan Whitmire, Gordon Wilson, Lillian Wolf, Jackson Wolf, Maryon Ruth Yentzen, Volma Rae Yentzen

PERFECT ATTENDANCE ALL YEAR

Louree Dold, Emma Doornbos, Ouida Eldridge, Kathryn Fields, Shirley Gibson, Horace Goodwin, Elizabeth Jones, Mabel Paessler, Arthur Lee, Thomas Lee, Evelyn Luke, L. T. McBurnett, Marie Rienstra, Earl McMahan, Eloise Sanderson, Dorothy Meadows, Judith Schon, George Shannon, Henry Short, Olga Miza, Emma Terway, Evelyn Wagner, Olan Whitmire, Lillian Wolf, Jackson Wolf, and Volma Rae Yentzen

SOCIETY



WILDCATS ENTERTAINED BY CAPTAIN I. MIIA

Inez MiiA entertained the basketball girls Tuesday afternoon, April 24. Cake and icecream were served to the following: Misses Floy Pinkerton, Frances Earle, Estelle Wood, Alyce Ruth Nagle, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Floyd, Marie Rienstra, Bobbie Williamson, Ouida Eldridge, Frankie Goodwin, Velma Rae Yentzen, Evelyn Luke, Lorce Dold, Maryon Ruth Yentzen, Loretta Shearor, Inez MiiA, Olga MiiA, and Mrs. MiiA.

BAPTIST W.M.U. ENTERTAIN SENIORS WITH BANQUET

The ladies of the Baptist W.M.U. entertained the seniors with a banquet on Saturday evening, April 21, at the high school building.

Rev. T. E. Brooks, Pastor of the Baptisy Church, acting as toastmaster, introduced teachers present and several members of the senior class, who responded with words of appreciation. Dr. J. C. Hardy, President of Baylor College, Belton,

was the principal speaker of the evening. His timely and inspiring message entertained, instructed, and lifted to a higher mental and moral plane all who had the good fortune to hear him.

At the close of the banquet, Mrs. T. E. Brooks led the group in a few clever stunts. Miss Ruby Massey and Maurice Harvill won applause with their readings and songs.

The seniors are grateful to the Baptist Women's Missionary Union for the very pleasant evening; and especially are they appreciative for the privilego of hearing Dr. Hardy.

SENIORS SELECT FAVORITES

At a called meeting on May 1, the seniors selected favorites out of the '34 class. The favorites chosen were Most popular Girl, Most Beautiful Girl, Most Popular Boy, and Most Handsome Boy. The selection was by secret ballot. The results were: Most Popular Girl, Marie Rienstra; Most Beautiful Girl, Mary Frances Konecny; Most Popular Boy, Ashton Daigle; Most Handsome Boy, Rene Mouton.

SENIOR DAY TAKEN

The seniors left Nederland Thursday morning, April 19, about six-thirty, as thunder was crashing and the lightning flashing. A great torrent of rain accompanied us part of the way to Willard's Lake, our destination. It seemed that our much longed for Senior Day was going to be spoiled by rain.

The crowd started arriving there about seven-thirty, but it was around ten-thirty when the last car finally arrived.

Marie furnished some of the excitement when Mayo ran into the boat in which she was riding, causing her to fall into the water. Reno, who proved very chivalrous in these day of realism, jumped and saved the heroine of the story from the
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SENIOR DAY-

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treacherous stream.

Lunches served in sacks to the picnickers proved to be a very good idea, as each person received the same amount.

The crowd started breaking up around three-thirty when the first car left for home, after the occupants thereof were reported to have had a very enjoyable time. For some unknown reason, some of the crowd did not get home until around nine of ten o'clock. It is reported that they went to another town- but don't get excited, for they never stayed there very long!

Mrs. Nagel chaperoned the picnic in a most efficient manner.

THE MAN IN THE GREEN SHIRT

The Senior Class of 1934 presented their play, "The Man in the Green Shirt", in the high school auditorium at 8:00 P.M., April 6, directed by Mrs. Daisy Welch.

Judging from the applause of the audience and comments heard later, it was quite a success.

L. T. McBurnett in the role of George T. Fuller, the father who was always out of money, was well liked by everyone. Mrs. George T. Fuller was well characterized by Marie Rienstra, with haughty, yet rich, manners. Velma Rae Yentzen as Mille Fuller, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George T. Fuller, was disliked by her mother because of her simple and common ways; yet she was loved by her father.

Goodwin Griffin, as the hick from Arkansas, Ivan Ross, was not as green as he was thought to be; and he finally wins the hand of his love, Millie. The part of the villain was well enacted by Wilbur Griffin, who splendidly characterized the slick handsome crook read about in stories. Janice Williams, as Delphine Larule, was very good in the part of the adventuress. We don't know what you

think, but we believe that we have a Mae West in the making. The humor of the play was furnished by Russel Vernor, as Willie Roach, and Bessie Ruth Keltner, as Lena May Crow. They kept the audience in a continual laughter. Mrs. T. Jefferson Jaynes, portrayed by Iyone Russel, and Emmy Lockhart, portrayed by Mary Louise Perryman, were excellent in their parts.

The Volpi Orchestra under the direction of Mr. Ernest Volpi rendered musical numbers throughout the program. Besides the music, a tap number was given by Ella Ruth Hebert.

The play was given to help defray the cost of the publication of the year book, the Pilot.

The Senior Class wish to express their appreciation to Mrs. Daisy Welch for her untiring efforts in coaching the members of the cast, and for making the play a great success; also to Mr. Ernest Volpi for the splendid music rendered by the orchestra during the play; and to the Hall Furniture Company of Port Neches for stage settings.

FIRST AID TREATMENT OUTLINED BY EXPERT

April 23, a demonstration of first aid was given by Mr. Ned Campbell, of St. Louis, an authority on the subject.

He used two high school boys to illustrate what should be done in case of injuries, such as severed arteries in the arm, the leg, the jugular vein, or just a small cut on the finger. He likewise, gave an interesting talk on the subject of drowning, and told the audience how to save a drowning person.

Mr. Campbell's ready wit and humor served him well in driving home to the students these important lessons, and continued applause showed that his message was well received and greatly appreciated by the students.

Mr. Campbell's services were made possible through the Red Cross, headquarters at Port Arthur.



EXCHANGES

It seems that French High walked off with 13 cups. They placed first in five athletic events in which no cups were given. They also came back the district with one first and one second. Now, who says that's not some record? Congratulations!

The Port Arthur "Sea Breeze" reports that there will be no Parents' Night this year due to the fact that parents are welcome every day to see the work as it really goes on.

It is reported by the China "Chop-Sticks" that their high school and elementary school teachers visited in French Schools and went away with many new ideas.

The teachers of Beaumont High School had an old-fashioned party at the Coca Cola Plant on April 12. They played old-fashioned games and went back to the good old days, and were really human.

The seniors of Giddings High School contributed a very beautiful trophy case, decorated in black and gold, to the school.

Anne Durrum was unanimously elected president of the student body of C. I. A., Denton, Texas. This is the first case of an unanimous election recorded in the history of the college.

Miss Juniger of the Texas Fire Insurance Department visited the Port Neches Schools on March 7. She took Juanita Becker's theme on Fire Prevention with her to Austin.

There was an exceedingly interesting article in the "Pilot" of the Port Arthur High School. Although the letter was gramatically incorrect, it afforded much humor.

The Port Neches seniors are taking senior day on May 11 at Lake Louise. Lots of luck and enjoyment to you.

Robert M. Zimmerman, a former Olympic swimmer from Canada, and deep sea diver, spoke on his experiences at the Taylor High School auditorium Monday morning, February 26. Mr. Zimmerman showed specimens of fish and shells.

MOTHER'S DAY

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goodbye with dry eyes, although her heart is filled with tears. She will maintain a firm and hopeful mien, that he may gain courage from her sublime example. When he sleeps upon the tented field her spirit will keep watch. In the agony of waiting she will die a thousand deaths, but will choke back her sobs and hide her torture. She will search for him amongst the slain and try with kisses to warm the dead and unresponsive lips to life. She will coffin her heart with the beloved body, and her soul will keep the eternal vigil of a deathless love. This mother love is the golden cord that binds the earth to God."

FACTS YOU MIGHT THE MEMBERS OF THE

NAME

AMBITION

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Arabelle Adams----- | Working "Gal"----- |
| 2. Rudolph Bodemuller----- | Aviator----- |
| 3. Clarice Clotiaux----- | A Number 1 Flirt----- |
| 4. Ashton Daigle----- | Football Coach----- |
| 5. Laverna Eavos----- | Crash Society----- |
| 6. Ouida Eldridge----- | Coach----- |
| 7. Burrel Frazier----- | A doctor----- |
| 8. Frances Goodwin----- | Aviatrix----- |
| 9. Horace Goodwin----- | Be husband----- |
| 10. John Goodwin----- | Radio Crooner----- |
| 11. Juanita Gregory----- | Private Stenographer----- |
| 12. Goodwin Griffin----- | Owning the New York Yankees----- |
| 13. Wilbur Griffin----- | Chorus girl director----- |
| 14. Bob Haizlip----- | Editor----- |
| 15. Ruby Harvill----- | Fat lady in the circus----- |
| 16. Jewell Hayslette----- | Torch Singer----- |
| 17. Joe Hollis----- | Preacher----- |
| 18. Sanford Kelly----- | An oil dealer----- |
| 19. Bessie Ruth Keltner----- | Walkathon star----- |
| 20. Mary Frances Konecny----- | To hold her man----- |
| 21. Lawrence Koclemay----- | Clown----- |
| 22. Hester Leatherwood----- | Raise chickens----- |
| 23. Evelyn Luke----- | Actress----- |
| 24. L. T. McBurnett----- | Dog catcher----- |
| 25. Verlon McGee----- | To be a foot shorter----- |
| 26. Inez Miia----- | Own a gold mine----- |
| 27. Emily Mae Mize----- | An artist----- |
| 28. Joe Monso----- | An iceman----- |
| 29. Reno Mouton----- | A hermit----- |
| 30. Mary Louise Perryman----- | Comedian----- |
| 31. Clarence Peterson----- | Traveling Salesman----- |
| 32. Mayo Pomezux----- | To get out of school----- |
| 33. Winnie Belle Reed----- | Blues singer----- |
| 34. Marie Rienstra----- | Journalist----- |
| 35. Iyone Russell----- | Get married----- |
| 36. George Shannon----- | Engineer----- |
| 37. Georgo VanderWeg----- | A cow puncher----- |
| 38. Russel Vernor----- | To be a man----- |
| 39. Janice Williams----- | Dancer----- |
| 40. Bobbie Williamson----- | Beauty specialist----- |
| 41. Leon Ware----- | Marry Ginger Rogers----- |
| 42. Jackson Wolf----- | Lawyer----- |
| 43. Lillian Wolf----- | School teacher----- |
| 44. Velma Rao Yontzen----- | Tap dancer----- |

LIKE TO KNOW ABOUT

1934 SENIOR CLASS

PASTIME

1. Being nice-----
2. Singing-----
3. Flirting-----
4. Coaching(?)-----
5. Dancing-----
6. Buying dresses-----
7. Sweeping-----
8. Chewing gum-----
9. Taking up slips-----
10. Evelyn Luke-----
11. Bookkeeping-----
12. Practicing ambition-----
13. Dancing-----
14. Fussing-----
15. Jabbering-----
16. Singing-----
17. Playing poker-----
18. Boiler room-----
19. Playing piano-----
20. Holding her man-----
21. Being funny-----
22. Looking for men-----
23. Having dates-----
24. Catching dogs-----
25. Sleeping-----
26. Day dreaming-----
27. Drawing-----
28. Playing jacks-----
29. Pushing girls-----
30. Eating-----
31. Swimming-----
32. Stick-in-the-ear-----
33. Getting shorthand-----
34. Working on papers-----
35. Talking-----
36. Jumping rope-----
37. Peddling hot air-----
38. Growing up-----
39. Snake hippin'-----
40. Riding-----
41. Fighting-----
42. Arguing-----
43. Getting Spanish-----
44. Going places-----

IDEAL HUSBAND -WIFE

- Rich and good-----
- Beautiful blonde-----
- Handsome-----
- Charming brunette-----
- Millionaire-----
- An oil dealer-----
- Rich and pretty-----
- Football hero-----
- Farmer's gal-----
- Short, blonde-----
- Henpecked-----
- Cute blonde-----
- A lady-----
- Mac West type-----
- Tall and skinny-----
- A hobo-----
- Mac West-----
- All 'round girl-----
- Jimmy Durante-----
- Tall, dark, and handsome-----
- Jolly-----
- Not particular-----
- Darn and handsome-----
- Chorus girl-----
- Cute and fat-----
- Miser-----
- Rich-----
- Good cook-----
- Widow-----
- Hal LeRoy-----
- Red headed-----
- Blonde beauty-----
- Sailor-----
- Dick Powell-----
- Domimting-----
- Dish washer-----
- Baby doll-----
- Charming one-----
- Cave man-----
- Dark romeo-----
- Blonde-----
- Old fashioned-----
- Nice and quiet-----
- Clarke Gable-----

G O S S I P



It seems that several of the seniors were afraid that they would forget about "Senior Day" if they did not have something to constantly remind them of it. What did these little seniors do? Well—they caught a little pig in the woods and adopted it as little brother. The pig was christened "Señor Day".

A certain one of the dignified seniors was heard in a grocery store to inquire for "Pluto" oil (Plato).

We understand that Mary Louise has become very generous all of a sudden and insisted on "donating" certain lines in a geometric drawing.

As a parting gift to Mr. Floyd, the students are thinking of giving him a map of his bus route. We understand that the other day he was seen to turn around and go back where he was supposed to have

let some students off the bus.

We are wondering if Bob Haizlip and J. W. Hise have yet learned the difference between toad frogs and bull frogs. We understand that they turned up recently with a bountiful supply of the former variety.

Marie Rienstra lost a dime when she fell into Willard's Lake, Senior Day, and she has posted a reward for its safe return. Anyone knowing anything about its whereabouts please be gracious enough to drop by the staff office and ease her anxiety.

Does any one know whose Chevrolet Jewell Haysletto has been driving the past wee k? It has a Port Arthur tire cover on it!

We would like to know who the young gentleman is Juanita has been rushing-- oh, pardon us! We mean the young gentleman who has been rushing Juanita.

Mayo Premeaux seems to be very popular with the girls of Fannett, especially "Dutch".

It seems that Loon has his way about women. It is said that he sat in church with a little girl named Hester Leatherwood. We are wondering just what Evelyn Wagner is going to have to say about this?

All the students are breathing freely again after the almost "busted" romance has been patched up between Leonard and Velma Rae. They must not have been greatly disillusioned, because to see them now, one would exclaim, "Ai'nt love grand?"

Coach Konecny has finally recovered from his case of blistered feet. All we know is that he has been wearing a pair of "sneaks", and has been caught at intervals walking around barefoot. Ho says he went Mayhaw picking with rubber boots on. Oh, Yeah?

CONCERT GIVEN BY BEAUMONT HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The Beaumont High School Orchestra which has won first place in the musical contest held each for several years, and which is composed of about seventy pieces, under the direction of Mrs. Lena Milam, gave a short musical concert in the high school auditorium May 4. Several selections were played by the orchestra, and several solos were given by some of the students. Several members of the choral club sang "Shortenen Bread", and "Old Spinning Wheel". A solo, "If I Didn't Care", by one of the boys, was greatly enjoyed by all the students.

The entire program was most enjoyable, and all the students and teachers wish to thank Mrs. Milam for bringing the orchestra to Nederland and for the splendid program.

MAY DAY PROGRAM AT LANGHAM SCHOOL

The Langham School gave their closing program, May 4. The main feature was an Operetta, "Spring Glow", in which 85 children participated. The main characters were: the Queen- Irene Westberry, Blue Bird- Mary Lou Lawrence, Jack Front- Gene Neal. These were followed by Pussy Willows, Raindrops, Bees, Brownies, Sunshine Fairies, Butterflies, Flower Maidens, Breezes, and Elves.

Story of Operetta: Bluebird comes in to awaken the sleeping Pussy Willows, telling them that Spring is coming. They defy her; and when Spring's maidens appear with her crown, these are captured by Jack Frost and hidden in his ice cave. Various groups of Spring's people come to demand th Maiden's

release and warn Jack Frost of punishment. The Brownies capture him and take him to Spring who banishes him to the North, after which Spring is crowned by her people.

The Queen was elected by popular vote. The proceeds were \$20.75.

The band rendered several numbers before the main program; and two numbers were given by students of the Welch School of Expression. Those participating were: Elizabeth Monks, Jane Lumpkin, and Mary Lou Westberry.

HOME ECONOMICS GIRLS HOSTS TO MOTHERS

The third year Home Economics class entertained with a tea in honor of their mothers, May 3. Velma Rae Yentzen and Lillian Wolf were hostesses, and were assisted in receiving by Misses Marjorie H. Newsom and Bernice Duhon, and Mrs. J. F. Konecny. Miss Frances Goodwin assisted by Miss Bobbie Williamson, presided at the tea table.

The color scheme of rose and white was featured in the decorations and menu. Music was furnished by Misses Frances Goodwin, Velma Rae Yentzen, and Bessie Ruth Keltner.

Many mothers shared in the hospitality. The calling hours were from three to five o'clock.

STYLE SHOW BY GIRLS OF HOME ECO. DEPT.

May 11, the general assembly program was sponsored by the girls of the Home Economics department. The program was in the form of a playlet, featuring college girls who were home on Easter vacation. The girls were dressed in pajamas as the program began, but later dresses made by the girls of the department during the year were shown.

The dresses indicate that the girls have really profited from the courses in the home economics department.

LAUGHS



Rene: "Why does Janice blush?"

Wilbur: "Because the blood rushes to the empty part of her body."
-Sea Breeze, Port Arthur

"One of the cows swallowed my pocketbook", announced the milkman to the pretty housewife.

"Any money in it?" she asked.

"Yes, nearly \$40."

"Well, I hope your milk will be a little richer hereafter."

Miss Earle: "An anonymous person is one who does not wish to be known- who's that laughing in the class?"

Voice: "An anonymous person, teacher."

Mrs. Linson: "Unselfishness is voluntarily going without things we need. Give a living example of it, Johnnie."

Johnnie Arnold: "Me. I go without a bath when I need it."

Fred(In elevator): "Fourth floor, please."

Operator: "Here you are son."

Fred: "How dare you call me son;

you are not my father."

Operator: "Well, I brought you up."
-Liberty High Panther

Miss Wood: "What's Chemistry greatest contribution to man?"

Dennis: "Blondes."

Mummie: "Have you been putting water in the ink, Joan?"

Joan: "Yes, Mummie; I've been writing to Daddy and I wanted to whisper something to him."

A Bit of Advice, good for anyone:

"Good, better, best;

Never let it rest

Until your good is better

And your better is best!"

-China Chop-Sticks

Alvin: "After all, fools help to make life interesting. When all the fools are killed off, I don't want to be here."

Speck: "Don't worry; you won't be."

Native: "I saw a lot of tiger tracks about a mile north of here."

Coach Konecny: "That's great. Which way is south?"

Sanford: "Dad, where was Babe Ruth born?"

Dad: "I don't know, Sanford."

Sanford: "Where was Jack Dempsey born?"

Dad: "I don't know that either."

Sanford: "Why, Dad, you aren't very good in history, are you?"

Mr. Floyd: "What kind of cigar is that you are smoking, Mr. Pietzsch?"

Mr. Pietzsch: "It's an 'L.F.N.' - 'Leven for a nickel.'"

Mother: "What's your little brother crying about?"

Son: "He dug a hole in the yard and he wants to bring it in the house to play with."

Girl: "What's your name, Honey?"

Boy: "My name is Cliff. Drop over and see me sometimes."

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"OUT OF SCHOOL LIFE"--

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purpose of it all is character building- the making of men and women. All our "marks" are based on our progress in this one subject.

But the trouble with a great many people is that they are not willing to make present sacrifices for future gain. They prefer a good time as they go along, rather than spend time for self-improvement and growth. They have a vague wish to do something great

if it will cost them nothing. But few of them are willing to "Work underground" for years laying a foundation for a life monument. They have ability but lack energy and determination.

So we must be alert and always ready to fight for the right. Consider, in conclusion, our lamented president, Theodore Roosevelt's words: "The credit belongs to the man who is actually in the arena, whose face is marred by dust and sweat and blood; who strives valiantly; who errs and comes short again and again; because there is no effort without error and shortcomings; who does not actually strive to do the deeds; who knows the great enthusiasm, the great devotion, spends himself in a worthy cause; who at the best knows in the end the triumph of high achievement; and who at the worst, if he fails, at least fails while daring greatly, so that his peace shall never be with those cold and timid souls who knew neither victory nor defeat."

WELCH SCHOOL OF EXPRESSION PROGRAM

The Welch School of Expression and Dancing gave a benefit program for the girls' basketball team, Monday, April 30, in the high school auditorium. Mrs. Welch directed the program. Those taking part were: Lola Margaret Heartfield, Elbert Hal Walters, Eugne Iiams, Irene Westberr, Betty Ann Hatcher, Jane Lumpkin, June Rose Gish, Elizabeth Monks, Maurine Houston, Gloria Gish, Maxine Hebert, Helen McCollough, Margaret McCollough, Lillian Gardner, Ella Ruth Hebert, Martha Fae Gunstream, Edward Nelson, Merebeth Myers, Donald Collins, Naomi Coleman, Eldora Bonard, Felix Walters, Vivian Dolly, J. W. Davis, Beatrice Hebert, Juanita Becker, and Mrs. Lavada Herring.

The members of the team are very grateful to Mrs. Welch for her kindness in sponsoring this program.

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The teachers of the Nederland High School attended the Southeast Texas Division of the State Teachers Association, held in Galveston, April 21-22.

Many of the educational leaders of Texas were speakers on the program.

In the divisional meetings two of the Nederland teachers were honored. Mr. Floyd was elected vice-chairman of the Elementary Division of the Southeast Texas State Teachers Association. Miss Marjorie Newsom was elected chairman of the Home Economics Division.

MORGAN - GERBENS

At a bridge party given at her home Wednesday night, May 9, Miss Martha Bell Smith made the following announcement:

Heart Crushing Bimbo, alias Dan Cupid, notorious heart bandit, was taken to headquarters and charged with stealing the hearts of two local citizens, Miss Helena Gerbens and Mr. Harold Morgan.

It was found on cross-examination, that "Cupid" has been plotting this robbery for several years, but just a few weeks ago the purloining came to a head.

When asked what he had to say about the occurrence, Mr. Cupid referred reporters to the young couple. They gave out the statement that Cupid had treated them wonderfully well during their acquaintance with him, and they granted him permission to draw them completely into his power at Lufkin, Texas, Saturday evening, April 28, at 8:30 o'clock. Upon complete confession of the young couple, Cupid was released, that he might go about his work of heart welding.

SOCIETY CONT.

Miss Anna Rienstra named her sister, Marie, honoree at a well-appointed bridge party May 10, at the home of Mrs. D. X. Rienstra. The class colors of blue and white were carried out in the refreshments and decorative scheme. Corsages and diplomas were given as favors.

The honoree was presented with a special gift, while high score fell to Velma Rao Yentzen, low score to Mary Louise Porryman, while Janice Williams cut consolation.

A salad course consisting of cream cheese sandwiches, gelatin salad, and punch was served to the following: Velma Rae Yentzen, Bobbie Williamson, Evelyn Luko, Frances Goodwin, Inez Mia, Arabella Adams, Hester Leatherwood, Mary Louise Perryman, Mary Frances Konecny, Janice Williams, Ouida Eldridge, and the honoree.

May, Mrs. G. R. Davis honored Janice Williams with a lovely afternoon bridge at her home in Del Mar.

A special gift was presented to
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the honoree. Ruby Doris Will won high score, while Velma Rae Yentzen won second high, and Marie Rienstra cut consolation. Corsages of forget-me-nots, bridal wreath, and fern were given as favors. A course consisting of cake, strawberries and whipped cream, and punch was served. Sharing the hospitality with the honoree were the following guests: Marie Rienstra, Dorothy Meadows, Mary Louise Perryman, Bobbie Williamson, Frances Goodwin, Velma Rae Yentzen, Evelyn Luke, Inez Mila, Glyndora McCauley, Mary Frances Konecny, Ruby Doris Will, Arabelle Adams, Kathleen Williams, Louise Bennen, and Miss Marjorie Newsom.

Mrs. Mack Rydor and Miss Gertrude Rees were co-hostesses at a bridge party given in the latter's home May 12, in honor of Mary Frances Konecny. The room was beautifully decorated with lillies, sweet peas, and bluebonnets. The trays were decorated with blue cellophane vases which contained miniature blue sun bonnets.

Lovely gifts were presented the honoree. Marie Rienstra won high score; Frances Goodwin won low score; while Mary Louise Perryman cut consolation.

Those attending were: Bobbie Williamson, Frances Goodwin, Velma Rae Yentzen, Evelyn Luke, Marie Rienstra, Arabelle Adams, Janice Williams, Mary Louise Perryman, Dorothy Meadows, Glyndora McCauley, Mrs. Louis Castile, Mrs. J. F. Konecny, and the hostesses.

Mary Frances Konecny entertained a few of her girl friends of the senior class with a slumber party at her apartment Friday night, May 4. A dainty midnight supper was served to the following: Bobbie Williamson, Velma Rae Yentzen, Evelyn Luke, Frances Goodwin, Dorothy Meadows, Ouida Eldridge, Marie Rienstra, and the hostess, Mary Frances Konecny.

PICNIC GIVEN SENIORS BY METHODIST LADIES

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist Church entertained the senior class of the Nederland High School with a beach party Friday, May 11.

The main diversions for the evening were swimming, eating (mostly eating), playing baseball, and hog tying. There weren't any hogs around to tie- so ask Marie what happened.

About forty seniors were in attendance. Everyone greatly enjoyed the trip.

1934 "PILOT" NOW ON SALE

The 1934 edition of the Pilot is now on sale. There are only 100 copies available, and those students wishing to secure a copy are advised to either bring their money at once or see Mr. Wilson and make reservations for their copy.

The book contains fifty pages, and is mimeographed in beautifully lithographed sheets, with old gold covers printed in black. There are around twenty-four pictures included in the book, and they tell a very interesting story of the year's work.

The cost of the publication of the book was around \$1.75, but they are being sold to the students for only seventy-five cents. The seniors are very proud of this edition, and parties interested should call around to the office and inspect a copy.

This is the first edition of the Pilot since 1931. The cost since that time has made its publication prohibitive. If this year's edition goes over with the students, it stands to reason that next year's class could follow the same plan and do a more creditable job than this one. Better get behind this, Junior and help put it over!