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We respectfully dedicate this edition of THE PILOT to each and every former student of Nederland High School who is now or has been in any of our Country's armed forces.
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Social Leader

Motto: $B^2$ and be Ys

Colors: Wine and White

Flower: Sweet Pea
CLASS HISTORY

From knee pants and pig tails to gowns and diplomas is a short time to our mothers and fathers; but to us, four years of high school is a very long time. This is the happiest period of our school days, but four years is enough - - - - no encores please!

Way back in September of '38, we came to school feeling that the world was not big enough to hold us. We thought we knew everything, because we were freshmen in high school. After a few months we began to lose this feeling. There were a hundred and six in this class. Our officers were: Joyce Lee, Betty Brown, Jimmy Massey, and Vivian Whitmire. Our Motto, "Green, but growing", was appropriate. We picked maroon and gold as our class colors; and the bronze chrysanthemum as our class flower. Our greatest sorrow this year was the death of Maxine Johnson. Our greatest pleasure was to have three boys on the football team.

The majority of the class became sophomores the next year. We knew that we were going to have to work hard in '39 and '40 to succeed. To lead us, we had Gloria Concienne, Jimmy Massey, Leo Hise, and Robert Wiley. Our Motto was, "After the battle, the reward". Green and white were our colors, and the official flower was the white chrysanthemum. This year we placed eleven sophomore boys on the 1940 Bi-District Champion Football Team. Elizabeth Parker and Vivian Whitmire were our maids. This year we began to have many sophomore parties and we enjoyed them all.

Before we knew it, September, 1940, came, and we were bold juniors. "Don't try dying; die trying", was our motto; the blue cornflower was our flower, and our colors were blue and white. This year we elected Gloria Concienne, Joe Williamson, Harris Broussard, and P. J. Granger as our officers. We had seventeen boys on the football team. Our maids were Elizabeth Parker, Anna Broussard, Betty Brown, and Gloria Concienne. Near the end of the school year, we had a junior-senior prom and picnic. We had a play to help pay for the annual. The year went by entirely too fast, because we were enjoying ourselves so much.

Then came 1941, the year to which we had long looked forward. We enjoyed being looked up to by the under classmen. Two of our boys, Kenneth Stark and Benny Koch, joined the Marines at the first of the year. This year our four officers were Gloria Concienne, Betty Brown, Turance Redditt, and Leo Hise. Our class flower, pink and white sweet pea, harmonizes with our class colors, red and white. Our motto is "B2 and be Ys". We have published a senior annual. We gave a senior play, and enjoyed Senior Day. The junior-senior girls' Campus Club was organized to create better relationship among the girls.

Gloria Concienne sponsored the football team. The senior maids were Ella Mae Kelly, and Betty Brown. There were three yell leaders from the Senior Class. They were Anna Broussard, Jack Scott, Joyce Lee, who was chief. This year's football team had fifteen senior boys on it. Our Regional Champion Basketball Team had six senior players. The whole school is very proud of the boys and their coach, Mr. I. B. Griffith.

So end our days together. We seventy seniors will find places waiting for us. We must try to fill these with honor. But whatever we may do, may it bring honor to our beloved school.
HAROLD BAILEY
Boy Scouts, 39.

REYNELL BERNARD
Track, 39, 40, 41, 42; Boy Scouts, 38, 39; Spanish Play, 39; Football, 41; Band, 38, 39, 40, 41.

HARRIS BROUSSARD
Basketball, 40; Track, 39; Baseball, 39; Football, 39, 40, 41; Class Officer, 41.

BETTY BROWN
Class officer, 39, 42; Maid, 41, 42; Spanish Club, 41; Campus Club, 42; Staff, 42.

WANDA LOU COLLINS
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Home Eco. Club, 42; Campus Club Officer, 42; Spanish Club, 38; Spanish Play, 39.

GERALD CRANE
Junior Play, 41; Football, 41; 4-H Club, 39, 40, 41, 42; Boy Scouts, 39.

J. E. BARNETT
Basketball Mgr., 42; Water boy, 41; Basketball, 41.

ANNA BROUSSARD
Junior play, 41; Spanish play, 40; Spanish Club, 40; Glee Club Officer, 42; Yell Leader, 42; Maid, 41; G. S. A., 39, 40, 41, 42; Band, 39, 40; Campus Club, 42; Cimarron Club, 42.

BEN BROWN
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Orchestra, 39, 40, 41, 42; Staff, 40.

STELLA CARRINGTON
Spanish Club, 39, 40; Junior Play, 41; Staff, 42; Campus Club, 42; Salutatorian, 42.

GLORIA CONCIENNE
Class Officer, 38, 40, 42; Home Eco. Club, 41, 42; 4-H Club, 38, 39, 40; Maid, 41; Sponsor, 42; Junior Play, 41; Campus Club, 42; Class Favorite, 41; Staff, 42.

MARIAN CRESWELL
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Home Eco. Club, 42; Spanish Club, 38, 39; Campus Club, 42.
HORACE CROSBY
Track Team, 41, 42.

GENE DAVIS
Citemard Club Officer, 42; Spanish Club, 41; Junior Play, 41; Glee Club Officer, 42; Staff, 42; Campus Club Officer, 42; G.S.A., 41, 42; Camp Fire Girls, 40, 41, 42; Senior Favorite, 42; Who's Who, 42; Senior Play, 42.

ARLEIGH DUFF
Basketball, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42; Track, 38, 42; All Star Basketball, 41; Softball, 39; All-State Basketball, 42.

COZIE BELLE FOWLER
Glee Club, 39, 40, 42; Glee Club Officer, 42; G.S.A., 42; Spanish Club, 39; Campus Club, 42; Citemard Club Officer, 42; Senior play, 42.

MARY CLEO FREDERICK
Port Acres, Texas
Band, 39, 40, 41; Class Officer, 40; Dramatic Club, 39, 40, 41.

ALBERT GIEBELSTEIN
Spanish Club, 40, 41; Band, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42; Orchestra, 42; Who's Who, 42.

LORAE CRUMP
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42.

LOENA DeCUIR
Spanish Club, 41; Junior Play, 41.

ALFRED FOSTER
Basketball, 39, 40, 41, 42, Capt., 42; Softball, 39, 40; Football, 41.

O. W. FRANKE
Boy Scout, 37, 38; Junior Play, 41; 4-H Club, 42.

WILMA FAE GIBSON
Livingston, Texas
Band, 39; Baseball, 39; Home Eco. Club, 41; Glee Club, 39, 40, 41; Nederland High Band, 38, 42.

HUBERT GORE
Starks, La.
Cheer Leader, 41; 4-H Club Officer, 41, 42.
LILLIAN GORE
Starks, Louisiana
4-H Club, 38; Junior Homemakers Club, 38, 39, 40; Cheering Squad, 38, 39, 40, 41; Glee Club, 41.

R. P. GOULAS
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Orchestra, 42.

RAYFORD GUZARDO
Track, 40, 41, 42.

EMOGENE HASTINGS
Spanish Club, 39, 40; Junior Play, 41; G.S.A., 42; Spanish Play, 39.

LEO HISE
Class Officer, 40, 42; Football, 40, 41; All-District, 41; Baseball, 39; Basketball, 40; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Junior Play, 41; Staff, 42; Boy Scouts, 38, 39, 40; Senior Play, 42.

ELLA MAE KELLY
Reagen, Texas
Glee Club, 42; Maid, 42; G.S.A., 40, 41; Junior Play, 41; Yell Leader, 39, 40, 41; Home Eco. Club, 39, 40, 41; Staff, 39, 40; Senior Play, 42.

ROBERT GOSS
Basketball, 39, 40, 41, 42; Football, 41; Track, 41, 42; Baseball, 39; Senior Favorite, 42; All-State Basketball, 42.

P. J. GRANGER
Football, 39, 39, 40, 41; Basketball, 39, 40, 41, 42; Track, 39, 40, 41; Baseball, 39, 40; Class Officer, 41; Senior Favorite, 42.

A. C. HANDLEY
Football, 39, 40, 41; Basketball, 39, 40; Boy Scouts, 38, 39.

EDWARD HEMMENWAY
Track, 38, 39; Spanish Club, 38; Boy Scouts, 38, 39.

ROBERTA HUGHES
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Glee Club, 39, 40, 42; Spanish Play, 39; G.S.A., 41, 42; Junior Play, 41; Campus Club, 42; Senior Play, 42.

BILL KELTNER
Football, 39, 40; Track, 40; Baseball, 40.
HOLLIS PAUL KENNEDY
Batson, Texas
Junior Play, 41; Track, 40, 41; Basketball, 38, 41; Baseball, 37, 38.

DOROTHY MAE LEE
Glee Club, 41.

ANNA BELLE LITTLE
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42.

JESSE McNABB
Band, 38, 39, 40, 41; Orchestra, 39, 40; Boy Scouts, 37, 38; State Champion Bass Soloist, 41.

JIMMY MASSEY
Class Officer, 39, 40; Co-Captain, Football, 41; Baseball, 38; Basketball, 39; Football, 40, 41; Track, 39; Junior Play, 41.

SIGRID MELLING
Spanish Club, 39; Homemaking Club, 42; Basketball, 38, 39, 40, 42; Volley ball, 39, 40, 42; Junior Play, 41; Glee Club, 39, 41; Campus Club, 42.

MARY KIMLER
Weir High School
Home Eco. Club, 39; 4-H Club, 38, 39, 40; Staff, 40; Girl Reserve, 38, 39, 40.

JOYCE LEE
Class Officer, 38; Home Eco. Club, 42; Junior Play, 41; Campus Club, 42; Yell Leader, 42; Senior Favorite, 42.

J. D. McGRAW

DOROTHY MARLOW

ANGELINE MAXEY
Home Eco. Club Officer, 41, 42; G.S.A. Officer, 40, 41; G.S.A., 39, 42; Campus Club, 42; Camp Fire, 39, 40; Citamard Club, 42.

MARY MILLER
South Park
4-H Club Officer, 40.
MARJORIE MORRISON
Glee Club, 39, 40, 42; Junior Play, 41; G.S.A., 41, 42; Spanish Play, 39; Campus Club, 42.

ALLEN PREJEAN
Basketball, 39, 40, 41; Baseball, 39, 40; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Boy Scouts, 40; Staff, 42.

J. W. RHYNE
4-H Club, 42; Boy Scouts, 39, 40, 41; Senior Play, 42.

JIMMIE RITTER
Boy Scouts, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41; Baseball, 39; Citomard Club, 42.

WAYMON SCOTT
Woodville High School
Spanish Club, 41; Yell Leader, 42; Boy Scouts, 38, 39, 40; Yell Leader, 40; Senior Play, 42.

NELSON SONNIER
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Boy Scouts, 38, 42; Asst. Scout Master, 41, 42; Junior Play, 41; 4-H Club, 41, 42.

DORIS POUSSON
Spanish Club, 39, 40; Junior Play, 41; Campus Club, 42; Staff, 42; Senior Play, 42; Senior Favorite, 42.

TURANCE REDDITT
Football, 38, 39, 40; Co-Captain, 40; Track, 38; Basketball, 38, 39, 40; Class Officer, 42; Boy Scouts, 38, 39; Junior Play, 41; Staff, 42; Who's Who, 42; Senior Play, 42.

ROOSEVELT RICHARDS
Track, 41.

EDWIN ROBERTS
Football, 40, 41; Basketball, 41; Track, 40, 41; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Boy Scouts, 39.

ELMER SMITH
Football, 41, 42; Track, 41, 42.

J. T. TANSIL
Staff, 42; Band, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42; Baseball, 38, 39; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Spanish Club Play, 39; Boy Scouts, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42; Junior Favorite, 41; All-District Band, 41; Bi-State Band, 42; State & National Champion Baritone Soloist, 41; Who's Who, 42; Valedictorian, 42.
FRANK TAYLOR
Baseball, 39; Basketball, 40; Football, 39, 40, 41; Co-Captain, 41; Track Manager, 42.

MILTON TURNER
Track, 42; Junior Play, 41; Citalamard Club, 42.

JOE WARE

JOE WILLIAMSON
Football, 40, 41; Basketball, 39, 40, 41, 42; Spanish Club, 39; Track, 40, 41, 42; Baseball, 39, 40; Class Officer, 40, 41; Student Athletic Award, 42.

DENNIS WILLS
Scouts, 38, 39, 40; Track, 42.

JOSEPH TERRACINA
Track, 39; Baseball, 39; Football, 41.

ALBERT VAN OOSTROM
Football, 39, 40, 41; All-District, 41; Senior Favorite, 42.

DOROTHY WELLS
Glee Club, 39, 41; Home Eco. Club, 40, 41; Junior Play, 41; Glee Club Officer, 42; Citalamard Club, 42.

DAVID WILLIS
Band, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42; Orchestra, 39, 40, 42; Member of State Championship Quartet, 41; Staff, 42.

EVELYN RHEA WILSON
Band, 39, 40, 41, 42; Spanish Club, 39, 40; Orchestra, 42; Staff, 42; Spanish Play, 39; Senior Play, 42; Who's Who, 42.
State of Texas  
County of Jefferson  

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:  
That we, the Senior Class of Nederland High School of 1942, being in the best of health and of sound mind, do hereby bequeath and publish, individually and collectively, our beloved high school possessions as follows:  

Ben Brown to Billie Goodwin — his "salmon pink" derby.  
Rynell Bernard to Jack Winn — his power of fascination. Rynell has a steady now and doesn't need further fascination.  
Betty Brown to Emogene Morgan — her seat in the Senior Room. Occupy it, but do not try to fill it.  
Harris Broussard and Turance Redditt to Billy and Bobby Fields — their honored positions as models of wisdom and perfect behavior for the school.  
Anna Broussard to the lucky winner — her title as "Alumni Sweetheart".  
J. E. Barnett to Sexton Broussard — his place as manager of the Basketball Champs.  
Harold Bailey to Joe Allen Dickerson — his privilege of getting to school at ten o'clock every morning.  
Horace Crosby to Charles Roland — his extra hours of school.  
Marion Creswell to Dorothy Savoy — her wit, and it's good, too.  
Wanda Lou Collins to Mary Lou Lawrence — her neatness.  
Gloria Concienne to some lucky girl — her place as sponsor.  
Stella Carrington to Allen Root — her good grades in school.  
Gerald Crane and O. W. Franke to Felix and Elbert Walters — their knowledge of the picture show machine.  
Lorae Crump to Betty Sanderson — her pretty fur coat.  
Arleigh, Joe, Alfred, Robert, and P. J. to the coming first string — their swell record and title in Basketball.  
Gene Davis to Billie Hardy — her "clock". Please take extra good care of it.  
Loena DeCuir to Velma Lee Davis — her quiet disposition.  
Coozie Bell Fowler to Mary Jane Sumerow — her nickname, "Tom Boy".  
Albert Giebelstein to Melvin Schell — his ability to gain weight.  
Wilma Fae Gibson to Whitman Emerson — her way with the boys from Livingston.  
R. P. Goulas to Rose Arthur Davis — his clarinet.  
Rayford Guzardo to Harold Sehen — his knowledge of shorthand.  
A. C. Handley to Pat McCauley — his way with a certain dark-eyed sophomore beauty.  
Edward Hemmenway to Robert Crosson — his interest in aviation.  
Leo Hise to some favored person — his honored position as Senior President.  
Emogene Hastings to anyone who can wear it — her cute white skirt.  
Roberta Hughes to Mary Nan Davis — her happy grin and the cute giggle accompanying it.  
Bill Keltner to Lewis Wallace — his place in the Guzardo home.  
Ella Kelly to Martha Ann Goodwin — her notes on "How to Get Your Man!"  
Mary Kimler to Betty Jo Risinger — her soft voice.  
Hollis Paul Kennedy to Patsy Sandlin — his successes in the chemistry lab.
Dorothy Mae Lee to Dorothy Theriot — her title of "Little Bit".
Joyce Lee to Imogene Clotiaux — her place on the back of a certain someone's motorcycle—
if she can manage it.
Anna Belle Little to Marjorie Sapp — her long fingernails.
Mary Cleo Frederick to Doris Delahoussaye — her beautiful "figger".
J. D. McGraw to Tommy Vinson — his carrot-colored locks.
Jesse McNabb to Norris Cessac — his love of story books.
Dorothy Marlow to Judy Maxey — her ability to sport a be-a-u-ti-ful diamond ring.
Angeline Maxey to the first person who has an accident as she did — her faithful crutches.
Jimmy Massey to Jack Burnfin — his book on "How to Get Away With Mischief in N.H.S."
Sigrid Melling to Dorothy Welch — her place in the office.
Mary Miller to Betty Gene Sanderson — her ability to get along with people.
Marjorie Morrison to Tessye Dill — her long curly hair.
Allen Prejean to Nettie Elizabeth Wilson — a place beside him in that good-looking car he drives.
Doris Pousson to Betty Farley — her sweet disposition.
J. W. Rhine to Burton Pousson — his charming little mustache.
Roosevelt Richards to Alton Green — his tips on working in a dairy.
Jimmie Ritter to his little "bud" — his boundless energy(?)
Edwin Roberts and Oscar MacAmmond to all the girls — their dimples.
Jack Scott to Johnnie Emerson — his position as yell leader.
Elmer Smith to Charles Mouton — his blushes.
Nelson Sonnier to Hazel Ruth Greer — his ability to jitterbug.
J. T. Tansil to Willie Weeks — his hair-cut of over one-half inch long—his curls, too, if Willie wants them.
Frank Taylor to Jack Perryman — his place as assistant manager of the coming Basketball Champs.
Joseph Terracina to just anyone who wants it — his red hair.
Albert Van Oostrom to Kenneth Sheffield — his senior dignity. Uphold it with becoming seriousness.
Evelyn Rhea Wilson to Mattie Lou Matte — her ability to paddle her own canoe. Rhea has someone to paddle hers now.
Dorothy Wells to Barbara Jean Lee — her ability to get along with Miss Newsom.
Joe Ware to Elmer — his turn to wreck the family car.
David Willis to Sherwood Rees — his place in the orchestra.
Dennis Wills to Carl LeBlanc — his ability to remain quiet for hours at a time.
Lillian Gore to Jacklyn Granger — her senior locker.
Hubert Gore to Melvin Schell (if he ever goes to Stark's High) — his place as cheer leader there.
Milton Turner to Florence Crisman — his artistic talent.

We do hereby revoke all wills made heretofore, and in attestation we set our seal on this day of our commencement.

CLASS OF '42

Witnesses:
Mr. C. O. Wilson
Mr. C. A. Mathews
Mrs. Cora B. Linson
Class Prophecy

Harold Bailey has taken over Jimmie’s Food Store.
J. E. Barnett has recently been made manager of Pop’s Pool Hall.
Rynell Bernard has bought a trailer and is traveling with his two brothers.
Anna Broussard is running for “Alumni Sweetheart” again.
Harris Broussard is waiting for Christene to get out of school.
Ben Brown is playing with a famous “Swing Band” directed by R. P. Goulas.
Betsy Brown is giving Sally Rand some competition.
I had a letter from Stella Carrington today; she’s doing well with her missionary work in South America.
Wanda Lou Collins is on the stage as a ballet dancer. Who’d have thought it?
Gloria Concienne is a “sob sister” for the “Boston Times”.
What’s this? Gerald Crane is manager of a clothing store for men.
Who? Marian Creswell? Oh! She’s married to Bill Hayslette, of course.
Horace Crosby is a noted singer under Bing Crosby’s instruction.
Lorae Crump and Anna Belle Little are chorus dancers in Ziegfield Follies.
Jimmie Ritter has bought out Rackley’s Tailor Shop, and Gene Davis is his bookkeeper.
Loena DeCuir is a demonstrator of cosmetics for a nationally known firm.
Arleigh Duff is a great basketball star and is playing on a nationally known team.
Cozie Belle Fowler is a noted singer, starring in the Metropolitan Opera.
O. W. Franke is head janitor of Nederland High School.
Mary Cleo Frederick and Nelson Sonnier are a dancing team on Broadway.
Emogene Hastings operates an Old Maids’ Home, where we find Wilma Fae Gibson sitting on the front porch knitting. What a change ten years can make! Look! There’s Roberta Hughes.
Albert Giebelstein is making his living by selling hamburgers.
Hubert Gore is a history professor at S. L. I.
Robert Goss has taken Mr. Griffith’s place at Nederland High School.
P. J. Granger is manager of “The Port Arthur News”.
Our famous trackman, Rayford Guzardo, is running against Jesse Owens and Glenn Cunningham.
A. C. Handley teaches bubble dancing in Chicago. He usually gives a demonstration ——— some stuff !!!!!!!
Edward Hemmingway is heavy-weight champion of the world.
Leo Hise is modeling what a well dressed male should wear on various occasions. He is employed at Dover's in Beaumont.
Ella Mae Kelly is in Paris creating styles for tall thin women.
Bill Keltnier is a baby specialist and is speaking to women's clubs on "How to Rear Your Children".
Hollis Paul Kennedy is in California making a fortune gathering snails and selling them to French restaurants.
Mary Kimler and Lillian Gore are big successes in Hollywood.
Dorothy Lee is a popular debutante in New York.
Dorothy Marlow? Oh, she's happily married to C. R.
Would you ever have thought it? Jimmy Massey is pastor of the Nederland Methodist Church.
Joyce Lee is still riding on the back of Elmer's motorcycle.
Angeline Maxey is a very successful army nurse.
J. D. McGraw is selling automobile parts - - - headlights, spotlights, etc.
Jesse McNabb has opened a Book Store in Nederland.
Sigrid Melling and Mary Miller are modeling sports wear at the Fashion.
Marjorie Morrison has opened the "Morrison Hat Shoppe" on Nederland Avenue.
Doris Pousson is dean of Vassar College.
Allen Prejean is owner of Block's Dairy.
Turance Redditt is a rising politician, ably assisted by his wife, B. J. J.
J. W. Rhyne and Roosevelt Richards are successful attorneys.
Waymon Scott is general manager of Nederland Cleaners.
J. T. Tansil is manager of the Fair Store.
Elmer Smith is still looking for a cure for blushing.
Frank Taylor is living on an Indian reservation.
Joseph Terracina has opened the "Terracina Spaghetti House".
Milton Turner, a senator in Washington, is famous for his frequent filibustering.
Albert Van Oostrom is tackle for the Green Bay Packers.
Joe Ware has finally got that Buick he was always talking about.
Dorothy Lee Wells has bleached her hair and is substituting for Mae West.
Joe Williamson is the screen's number one lover and is playing opposite Judy Garland.
David Willis is making a study of the natives in Africa.
Dennis Wills is with Ringling Brothers' Circus and is featured as the "World's Smallest Man."
Evelyn Rhea Wilson is happily married and is living in Port Neches.
The Student Athletic Award, an award presented each year at the graduation exercises to a member of the senior class chosen by members of the faculty not only on his excellence in athletics, but also on personality, scholastic achievement, dependability, loyalty and school spirit, will be presented this year to the well-deserving Joe Williamson.
On the morning of Monday, September 1, 1941, thirty-six boys were issued uniforms by Coaches Griffith and Brown. The first few weeks of conditioning and placing of men were trying times. From the sweat and grime of the gridiron to the brain-wracking hours of skull practice, each man applied himself fully. Then, on the night of Septem-
ber 19, the Bulldogs were unleashed against Saint Anthony of Beaumont. For the first game of the season, it was the smoothest club Nederland has ever turned out. The Canines lateraled the ball to a 19-0 victory.

The following week the Bulldogs turned on the steam to tally a 12-0 score over the Dayton Bronchos, who later won the Region VII title.

Next, the undefeated and unscored-on Nederland met Hull-Daisetta on October 3. The line, doing their best blocking of the season, opened huge holes in the line, but the backfield could not hold the ball. Although Nederland gained more yards from scrimmage, from passing, and from kicking than did the opponents, they lost 7-0.

Then on October 10, in the Yellow Jacket Stadium, the Black and Gold Eleven held the powerful Port Acres Eagles to a mere six points, the final score being Nederland 0, Port Acres 6.

Having suffered enough defeats, Coach Griffith and his boys rallied and started winning. First came Silsbee, which was easy—Nederland 33, Silsbee 0. Next, we met the boys from French High School. The Bulldogs won by a greater margin than any previous Nederland Team had ever won over French, 28-0. On November 6, the Bulldogs took the up-and-coming Vidor 50-6. On November 14, after a hard struggle, the rallied Canines landed the Texas City Stingarees 13-0. Then came the big day when the "Ancient Rivals" met. The Bulldogs deserve credit. During the week before the Port Neches game they taxed every ounce of strength they had to execute the plays that their coach, the man they had faith in, had designed and post-marked. The players' mental attitude was excellent; their teamwork was perfect; but to win they must have a dry field. The Bulldogs lacked the weight and sheer power to push and slop around in the mud. Well, the rain that fell in torrents before and during the game deadened their spirits. Yet amid the slosh and mire of Bulldog Stadium, the much favored Redskins were bridled to a 2-0 victory.

The coaches and sports writers of District 28-A selected an All-District Eleven. Three of our boys placed on this team. They were: Leo Hise, Guard; Albert (Banny) Van Oostrom, Tackle; and Billy Clement, End.

Eighteen proud Bulldogs received black and gold jackets. To earn these awards one must play a certain percentage of the total number of minutes played. The eighteen were: Co-captains Frank Taylor and Jimmy Massey, Albert Van Oostrom, Leo Hise, Harris Broussard, P. J. Granger, Spencer Ritchie, Robert Willey, Wilson Frederick, Lewis Wallace, Elmer Smith, Joe Williamson, Robert Goss, Billy Clements, Stanley Delahoussaye, Rynell Bernard, Burton Pousson, Anthony Concienne, and Managers, Billy Fields and Allan Ritter.
YELL LEADERS: (Kneeling) Waymon Scott, Anna Broussard, Captain Joyce Lee, and Carl LeBlanc.

MAIDS: Betty Brown, Betty Gene Sanderson, Imogene Clotiaux, Gloria Concienne, Ella Mae Kelly, Elsie Sanderson, and Mae Bernard. Gloria Concienne is sponsor.
BASKETBALL

The Nederland High School Bulldog team had a great year. They won District Championship of 24-A, Bi-District Championship of 23-A and 24-A, and Championship of Region VI. After winning two games in the State Tournament, they dropped the final game to Van High School by a close margin of 35-27 for the State Championship.

Nederland placed two men on the All-State Team. These were Robert Goss and Arleigh Duff, who were, respectively, center and forward.

The lettermen were Arleigh Duff, Joe Williamson, Robert Goss, P. J. Granger, Captain Alfred Foster, Anthony Concienne, and Stanley Delahoussaye. J. E. Barnett was manager of the team.
HIGH SCHOOL BAND

Front Row (left to right): Wanda Lou Collins, Velma Rose McManus, Roberta Hughes, Tessaye Dill, Bettye Farley, Mattie Lou Matte, Albert Gieblestein, Kenneth Gregory, Patsy Dumesnel, Billy Louden, Patsy Sandlin, Dovie Guzardo.

Second Row: Ruth Aldridge, Margaret Willis, Dorothy Savoy, Leon Hastings, Bobbie Smith, Dorothy Farley, Jack Sweeney, R. X. Cook, Irene Westberry, Jo Nelle Tippen, Hugh Allen Hooks, Carolyn Wilson, Wilma Faye Gibson, Evelyn Rhea Wilson, Mary Beth Willis, Marie Palmer.

Third Row: Joyce Crane, Christene Reed, Billy Goodwin, Marian Creswell, Wayne Taylor, Samuel Fox, Charles Ray Fletcher, Billy Darrell Moye, Billy Don Sibly, Rose Arthur Davis, Martha Ann Goodwin, Marjorie Sapp, Kenneth Sheffield, Lorae Crump, Anna Belle Little.


Not Pictured—Emogene Morgan, Head Drum Major.
Nederland’s present track team is the best in the history of the school. They started the season off by taking top honors at the Lamar Invitation Meet, walking off with six blue ribbons. Next came the annual County Meet, which they also won, taking ten first places out of fourteen. In this meet Burton Pousson tied Pat Allen of Port Neches for high-point man of the Meet with 14 3/4 points each. The only record broken in the meet was the discus with Horace Crosby of Nederland throwing 124 1/3 feet.

The highlight of the season was Allen Root’s performance in the mile run. After taking first place in county, district, and regional meets, Allen ran the mile in Austin, May 9, in the time of 4:34 for first place. The present record is 4:31.2. How about a new record next year, Allen?
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