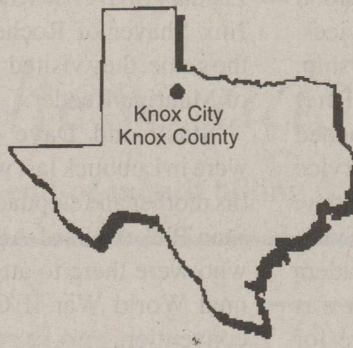


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Happy Birthday to us . . . we're 33 years old!

KC News begins 34th year of publication with big changes

By Stacy Angle Thompson

If readers will look at the Volume number at the left hand top of the front page, you will notice *The Knox County News* is beginning its 34th year of publication with this week's issue.

It was Thursday, October 21, 1971, that the first issue of the News was published, beginning another hometown newspaper out of necessity after *The Knox County Herald*, 66-year-old publication, was closed on October 13, 1971.

A town meeting was called on October 14, 1971, by then Chamber of Commerce manager Doris Crownover and with the pledged support of Knox County merchants, churches and individuals, this 'new baby of Knox County' was established that afternoon, making us 'the oldest established newspaper in Knox County'.

My mother, Billye Angle, who had worked for the previous owner and my father, the late Buddy Angle, 'backed their ears' and took the plunge into the newspaper business, never looking back.

With the help of longtime Stamford American publisher, the late Roy Craig and his wife Dorothy, the two helped, coached, guided, critiqued and molded my mom and dad's efforts of this publication into what I consider the finest there is.

Many other area weekly newspapers have come and gone during the last 33 years and we are thankful to have lasted this long and proud every time someone tells us they think we 'are one of the best'!!

Things have changed so much in our small community while we have been publishing the *NEWS*. Through the years, there have been three grocery stores, three dry good stores, two hardware stores, two lumber yards, three restaurants, three cotton gins, two el-



STACY and DAVE THOMPSON

evators, a Dairy Queen, a local cable office, a local WTU office, a local Lone Star Gas office, even the school's 'Little Store' that I noticed was being torn down when I went to take a picture.

But as we all know - things change - lives change - and time marches on.

The *News* will be undergoing a huge change effective this Friday. Dave will no longer be working here at the *News*. His medical condition since the accident he was in last year has forced an earlier than expected 'retirement' on him as he can no longer continue with the workload he has had through the years. All of our married lives friends have marveled at the fact that we have been together 24/7 - something that will be a big change for us. We have been married for 23 years and have worked together here at the paper for 22 of those years. He will still drop in from time to time and help us with picture processing until I get the hang of it.

Things will be difficult in

Dave's absence. Some of you know and some don't - that on July 26 of this year, I was diagnosed with a rare neurological condition known as myasthenia gravis. This has been described to me by my neurologist, Dr. Braden Neiman of Wichita Falls, as a disorder of neuromuscular transmission, producing muscle weakness. His diagnosis answered a lot of questions as I have been experiencing difficulties for quite some time. My upper extremities have been greatly affected, making my livelihood more difficult as the days go by. It is my plan to continue in my position here as long as I am physically able.

Meanwhile, we are actively seeking a young couple or a strong willed individual who would continue to 'carry the torch' for Knox County and embrace it with the passion we have through the years.

I write this reminiscing of the years gone by and also with a tear in my eye of the changes taking place, both with Knox City and with us.

Greyhounds claim decisive 48-14 victory in 'Battle of Highway 222'

The Knox City Greyhounds proved without any doubt that they are still headed for the post season playoffs when they demolished the Munday Moguls, 48-14 at Greyhound Stadium last Friday night. Both teams entered the fierce Knox County rivalry with district records of 0-1 and a lot to prove.

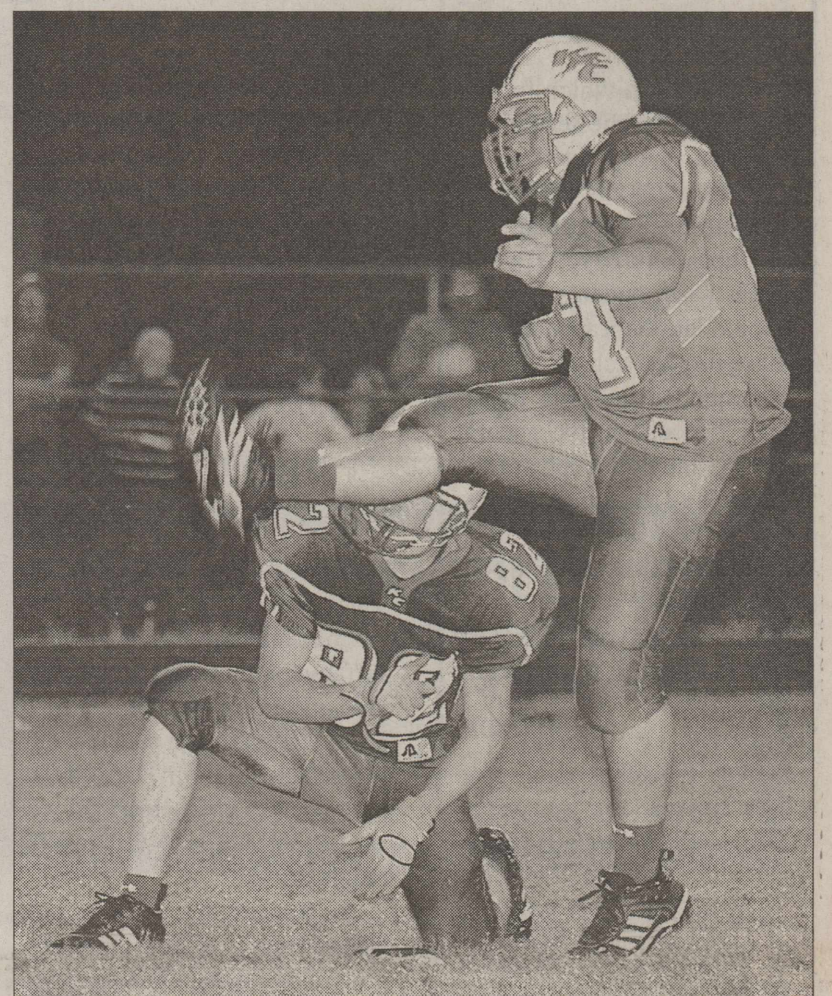
With Munday receiving, Knox City began the 'Battle of Highway 222' with Jeffery Rodriguez kicking the ball down to the Munday 38 yard line.

On Munday's first drive, the first and 10 play was a pass by Bufkin that was called back on an offensive pass interference penalty. The second down play saw another penalty, this time a facemask call against Knox City. On third down, Bufkin threw a pass that was intercepted by Knox City.

The Greyhound's first drive began on the 36 yard line with Greyhound fullback Cody Wainscott gaining 7 yards up the middle. On second down, Riley Spells ran for a KC first down with a 5 yard run. On first and 10, Wainscott picked up another 8 yards running through the middle of Munday's defensive line. On second down, quarterback Andy Shaver kept the ball and picked up a first down with an 11 yard run. Riley Spells thrilled the home crowd with an 11 yard run on first down for Knox City's first touchdown of the night. The score moved to 7-0 when Jeffery Rodriguez kicked in the extra point score.

The Munday kick return was taken by Gullely back to the Munday 48 yard line before Greyhound Jeremy Saxton made the stop. On first and 10, Gullely was hit in the backfield for a one yard loss. On second and 9, a penalty against Munday for holding moved the ball back for a Munday second down with 22 yards to go. The next Mogul play saw a pass by Bufkin to Gullely, the ball was in and out of his hands as he was hit by Greyhound defender Cody Wainscott. An offsidess penalty against Knox City gave the Moguls an additional 5 yards. J.J. Collier then ran the ball for no gain. A pass from Bufkin to Gullely resulted in a yellow flag against Munday for delay of game. The next pass from Bufkin to Gullely was overthrown. On fourth down, Grey punted the ball to Knox City. Riley Spells had the home fans on their feet when he took the ball from the 6 yard line out to the 46 yard line.

On Knox City's second series, Riley Spells began the action with a 38 yard following a big block by Derrick Magana. With the ball on the 20 yard line, Cody Wainscott took the ball to the 13 yard line. Quarterback Andy Shaver then tried a pass to Magana, but the ball was deflected at the line of scrimmage. On the next play, fullback Cody Wainscott took a handoff from Shaver, running the ball right through the Munday defense for 13 yards and across



KICKING IN EXTRA POINTS for Knox City, kicker Jeffery Rodriguez and holder Ryan Harrington are a valuable part of the Greyhound offense. (NEWS digital photo)

the goal line for another 6 points on the home side of the scoreboard. Jeffery Rodriguez kicked in the extra point to put Knox City ahead 14-0 with 3:44 left in the first quarter.

Munday's next possession started off with Bufkin handing off to Gullely, who ran to the 45 yard line while picking up a Mogul first down. A penalty against Knox City for offsidess was declined. On first and 10 from their own 40, Bufkin pitched the ball to Gullely, only to have another yellow flag thrown for motion against Munday. On first and 15 from their own 30, Gullely ran for a 1 yard gain. On second and 14, a Bufkin pass to Gullely brought another yellow flag as a pass interference penalty was called on Greyhound defender Quentin Spells. After 15 yards was marked

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PROTECTING THE BALL as he picks up valuable yardage for the Greyhounds, senior Riley Spells had the best game of his career last Friday night, picking up 234 yards with 2 touchdowns against county rival Munday. (NEWS digital photo)

Veterans Day program plans taking shape for November 11

At memorial site in Benjamin

Thursday, November 11, the 2004 Knox County Veterans Day program will be held at the Veterans Memorial in Benjamin.

A Veterans Day exhibit will be from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. in the Knox County Courthouse. Photographs and news clippings about veterans of any time period are being sought for the display. A German flag from World War II is needed to show along with a Japanese and an American flag. A Purple Heart medal display is planned and names of any Purple Heart Veterans with a Knox County connection are sought along with wartime or overseas service items. The exhibits will be set up Wednesday afternoon, November 10, after 1:00 p.m. If anyone wants to help or bring items for display, call Clara Brown at 940-474-3288 or the KCHC of-

fice at the Benjamin Courthouse 940-459-2229. Posters and essays of the top six entries from area elementary students in the Veterans Day contest will be part of the display.

At 10:30 a.m. on November 11, members of the Munday band will entertain the gathering program audience with a half hour of appropriate musical selections.

At 11:00 a.m. the program will begin with Charles Baker as emcee. Following an invocation and a presentation of the colors, the County Judge will welcome the audience. Next will be the Pledge of Allegiance and the two young speakers reading their Veterans Day essays.

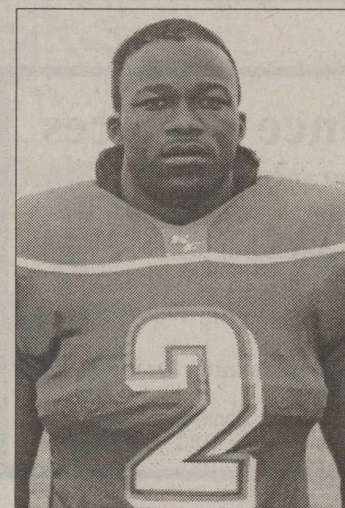
The family of R. Otis Burnett, the Gold Star family, will be recognized and will place a memorial wreath at the arch which is

engraved with the names of Knox County veterans who died in battle. Following the playing of "Taps", the program will end with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner."

Immediately after the program, a beans and grilled hamburger meal will be served at the Benjamin Ex-Students Memorial Center. All profits from the meal will go into the Veterans Fund of the Knox County Historical Commission. Tickets will be \$6.00 a plate. The Veterans Fund is used to help pay for upkeep of the Knox County Veterans Memorial, addition of names, support other veteran related projects, and the growing collection of albums about Knox County Veterans. The albums have at least one page

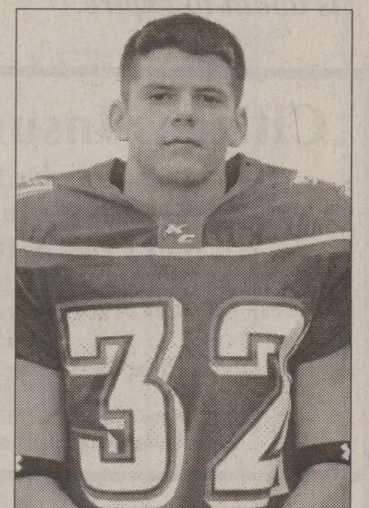
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Standout Greyhounds



SENIOR
RILEY SPELLS

234 yards rushing and 2 touchdowns on 12 carries. 2 pass receptions for 29 yards and 1 touchdown



SOPHOMORE
CODY WAINSCOTT

91 yards on 18 carries with 4 touchdowns. Cody averaged 5.1 yards per carry.

Way to go !!!

Rochesterite commends KC-O'Brien CISD

Knox County News
110 N. Central
Knox City, Texas 79529
October 5, 2004

Letter to the editor:
I would like to extend my personal appreciation to the school board, administration, faculty and staff of Knox City-O'Brien ISD and the citizens of Knox City and O'Brien respectively. Since I transferred my children to Knox City-O'Brien, I've been amazed at the difference in quality of education that they have received to date. Even though the material is covered at approximately the same rate as it was when they attended Rochester CLISD, it is a much more extensive and beneficial education.

The manner in which former students of Rochester CLISD has been incorporated in the school system has been commendable. Everybody has gone above and beyond to welcome these students and accommodate them accordingly. I have noticed a sharp contrast not only in academic excellence but also in the general attitude and philosophy of the Knox City-O'Brien school system as a whole. I've been amazed at the results with both of my children to date. Thank you for your hard work and dedication. It is greatly appreciated!
Sincerely,
/s/ Wes Tibbets
Wes Tibbets

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dedicated to each veteran listed on the memorial, with photographs and biographical material included when available. Friends and relatives are asked to donate material and information for these albums, which will be on display at the noon meal. Anyone who desires to help with the Veterans Day event should call the KCHC office or contact any member of the Commission.

On display will be the quilt titled "Flowers Around the World" pieced by Mary Cartwright and quilted by Janice Albus. Tickets for the quilt will be available and will be given away at the annual barbecue in February. Knox County 2005 calendars will be for sale for \$10.00.

The quilt and calendar projects will go to the museum building fund.

If you see a red circle around the expiration date of your NEWS label, that means your subscription is about to expire.

From this angle

Another great weekend! Good weather, good church services, good ball games, good fellowship.

A former resident, O.L. (Pete) Knight Jr. of Abilene preached for the morning worship service at First Baptist Church Sunday, and a number of out-of-town visitors came to hear him. Readers will remember that his father was a county commissioner here for many years.

Several attended the first annual meeting of the newly formed Double Mountain Baptist Association Sunday evening at the Big Country Baptist Assembly in Lueders. Among those attending from Knox City were Zo and Carol Felts, Glenna Hudson, Carol Duncan, Cleo Collins, Lea Reeves, Ervalene and Leo Beason, Georgie and Jimmy Lynn, and Don Hawkins. The Rev. Jerry Vincent, pastor of First Baptist Church at Roby, was speaker.

Here recently for the Knox City-Albany football game were Celia and Joe Reeder of Fort Worth, Dale and Jennifer Caddell and Chandler of Stamford, Richard Shaver IV of Somersville,

Zachary Shaver of Knox City, and Jinx Shaver of Rochester. After the game, they visited in the home of Maurine Reeder.

Stacy and Dave Thompson were in Lubbock last week to visit his mother and stepdad, Terry and Stan Plekowski of Albuquerque, who were there to attend the annual World War II Glider Pilot convention.

Kimberly Hawkins, HSU student in Abilene, came in Friday for the football game and spent the weekend with her family, Don, Marla and Travis Hawkins.

We were so pleased to see the ad in Sunday's *Abilene Reporter News* naming Billy Newton, R.N. Emergency Services, as "Employee of the Quarter" at Abilene Regional Medical Center. He was recognized by his patients as a caring and compassionate person whose calming presence makes a difference in the E.R. We can certainly say "Amen" to that as we have personally experienced his excellent care since Billy also serves the Knox County Hospital.

Congratulations to the Knox City High School Marching Band

on receiving a Division II (excellent) rating in the contest in Wichita Falls last week!

Arche and Virginia Lieb were in Albany last Saturday to attend his 62nd class reunion. Arche graduated from Albany High School in 1942. Out of the original 72 who graduated, 12 were there for the reunion. They said 42 had passed away.

Cutting horse event scheduled

Weldon Bowman has advised the *News* office that a cutting horse event will be held at the local rodeo arena all next week. It is free, he said, and everyone is invited to come and watch or help him.

A Dallas club with about 14 or 15 people will be coming here and will be competing among themselves.

Monday and Tuesday will be spent getting the horses and cattle in, and the cutting will begin on Wednesday, Bowman said.

Tiffany Wilde is Houndette of week, district play continues

Selected as this week's Houndette of the Week is KCHS sophomore Tiffany Wilde.

Coach Jaree Elliott selected Tiffany for this honor for working hard all season and continuing to do so. Coach Elliott said that during crunch time with Harrold, Tiffany went in and performed well and her sets helped KC to win the tough games.

In Saturday's games with Harrold, the JV won in three, winning 25-15, losing 21-25, and winning 25-18. The varsity won in four, winning 25-23, losing 20-25, winning 25-14 and winning 25-17.

In last Tuesday's district game with Aspermont, the junior high won in two 25-23, 25-23 and played a third game winning 25-



TIFFANY WILDE

20. The JV lost in two - 23-25, 8-25. Varsity lost in three, 19-25, 29-31, 20-25.

Knox County Aging Center

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Sunday, November 7 11:30 to 1:30

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Office hours for the News Office will be as follows:
Monday thru Thursday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.,
Closed Friday-Saturday-Sunday
Note: Since we are a small business with a small staff, these times may vary as we are out of the office to cover news & sports stories, attend school events, take pictures, conduct business or handle family matters.

The Mane Place

will be CLOSED on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22 for our annual Holder Quarter Horse Sale at Rochester but will be OPEN on Saturday, the 23rd, for your convenience.

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Thanks for reading the NEWS... we appreciate you.

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- FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH ~ Knox City**
Pending name of new Pastor
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Sunday Evening Worship at 6:30 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 6:30 p.m.
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- FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH ~ Knox City**
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Sunday Evening at 6:00 p.m.
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Sunday Evening Worship at 6:00 p.m. ~ Mid Week, Wed. at 6:00 p.m.
- CHURCH OF CHRIST ~ Benjamin**
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- THE BELIEVERS' CHAPEL ~ Highway 222**
W.O. Smith, Pastor
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Mid Week, Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.
- O'BRIEN BAPTIST CHURCH ~ O'Brien**
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- **Register to win a FREE 19" TV & other prizes**
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Local women enjoy bus tour

Early Tuesday, October 5, forty-one area people including Janoma Stephens and Lois Richardson of Knox City boarded a chartered bus in Haskell for a "Day Trip by Bus" tour, sponsored by the Haskell Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Progressive Study Club. After stopping in Throckmorton to pick up five others, they proceeded to the Gaylord Texas Resort at Grapevine where they had lunch at the Riverwalk Cafe. Tour director was Haskell club member Nancy Toliver.

Arriving at the TWU campus in Denton, they visited the historic Little Chapel-in-the-Woods, which was dedicated by First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt on November 1, 1939, and is designated one of Texas' twenty most outstanding architectural achievements by the Texas Society of Architects.

Following a tour of the official Women Airforce Service Pilots (WASP) archives, was a tour of the Texas First Ladies Historic Costume Collection at the DAR Museum. Representing nearly 150 years, the collection displays many aspects of the history of fashion. While there, members of the group were guests at a reception in honor of the addition of Texas' First Lady Anita Perry's inaugural ball gown into the historic collection. They were joined there by the TFWC state president Barbara Winningham of Bowie.

Be sure and call in your news for 'From This Angle' 657-3142

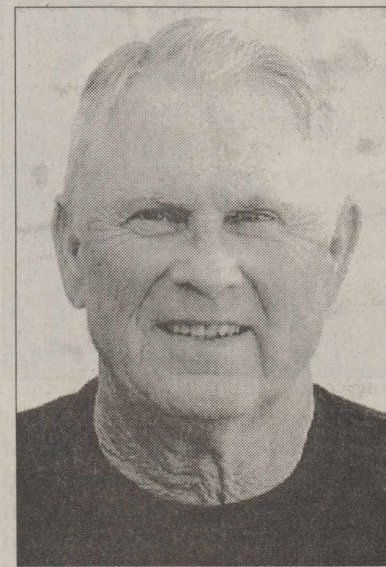
Tax Assessor-Collector candidate Bud Hogan issues formal statement to Knox County voters

"My name is Bud Hogan and I am a candidate for Knox County Tax Assessor/Collector. I'm asking for the opportunity to earn your vote on November 2nd.

I have been a resident of Knox County for 18 years. I moved to Munday, Texas in 1986 and worked for Terra Chemical Company for 12 years running the Knox City Plant. I am currently a crop consultant working with cotton farmers and I know our county well.

As a graduate of Texas A&M University, I have worked in the agricultural industry for over 40 years. It has been my pleasure to meet and know the members of the agricultural community, assist them in their plans for the future and I believe this will be of great benefit. I will work within our community of families as Knox County Tax Assessor/Collector.

While working with Terra I managed a plant with several employees and a multimillion dollar budget. Before coming to Knox City, I was area Sales Manager with Terra, Inc. in Plainview,



BUD HOGAN

Texas. During that time I worked with 16 fertilizer/chemical plants and 18 salesmen. I managed an office staff, balanced a multimillion dollar budget and trained salesmen. I have also had classes in real estate appraisal and do appraisals for a local bank.

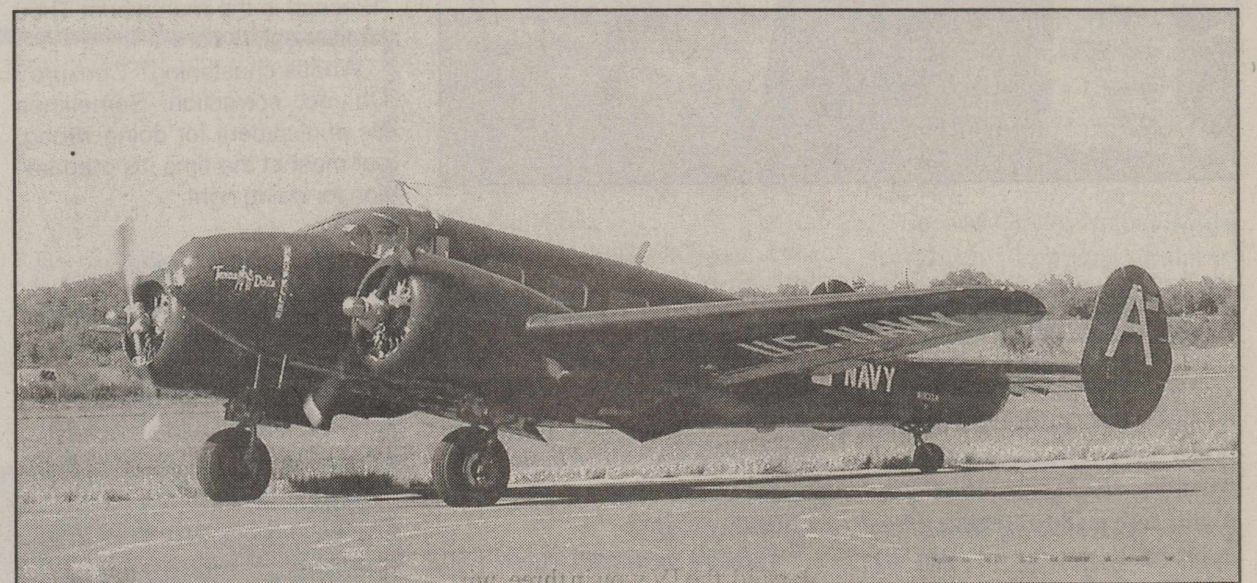
My years in serving people, handling large budgets in the business world, and working with employees gives me the experience to do the job. In addition, I'd

like to give something back to our community by serving as Tax Assessor/Collector.

I have been married to Wilma Hogan for over 41 years. Wilma is a barber/stylist running her own business in Knox City. We have two daughters and eight grandchildren. We are a close family and believe God, family and neighbors are the keys to great happiness and excellent community life. We are active members of our church and community. I am presently President of the Munday Chamber of Commerce.

Knox County is at a turn road. With a declining tax base, Knox County will have some tough decisions to make in the coming years. I believe that my qualifications will help me work with other Knox County Officials to find the solutions we all seek in order to retain the strength and vitality of our County. Please allow me to work with you to achieve this goal. I would appreciate your vote on November 2nd.

Sincerely,
Wendell "Bud" Hogan"



This World War II era Beachcraft 18 landed at the Knox City airport on Saturday when the owner flew to Knox City for private business. The plane was used during World War II for troop transport, VIP transport, light cargo transport and also as a trainer for bomber navigators. This particular plane has U.S. Navy markings from WWII. (News Photo)

NEWS deadline - Mondays at 4:00

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Knox County Retired School Personnel to meet Tuesday

The Knox County Retired School Personnel will meet Tuesday, October 26, at 2:30 p.m. in the O'Brien Baptist Church fellowship hall.

The program is "The New Health" presented by the Louis Baty family.

Dear Knox County Voter,

Voters of Knox County, I am Brenda Floyd, wife of Travis Floyd who is running for County Judge. It is my privilege to share with you why I think Travis is the best choice for Knox County.

Travis and I have been married for 38 years and AT&T moved our family around a lot in those years. While this "old farm girl" never expected that, we have learned a lot in our moves.

With each move, Travis was given more opportunity to excel in his work. He worked his way up from ground level and God blessed his hard work as he was sent to Kansas City, MO to step into management position.

He excelled in leadership and the next move would prove him worthy as he stepped into an office that was in complete disarray. At first the men resented him because they had been left to do whatever they wanted, with no structure. Travis quickly won their respect as he organized the office and purposed a plan. The men realized how much could be accomplished with a leader who developed a plan and had the resolve to implement it. In fact, this is the team who won the Model of Excellence Award at the AT&T Forum in Hopewell, NJ. This would be only the beginning of his teambuilding efforts. These efforts have continued on throughout his life.

He is a faithful and trustworthy man who, not being afraid of hard work, is dedicated to doing the best job possible.

He is a man of wisdom and honesty. If he doesn't have the answer he will research to find the truth.

He is a man of integrity who will work to bring together a team.

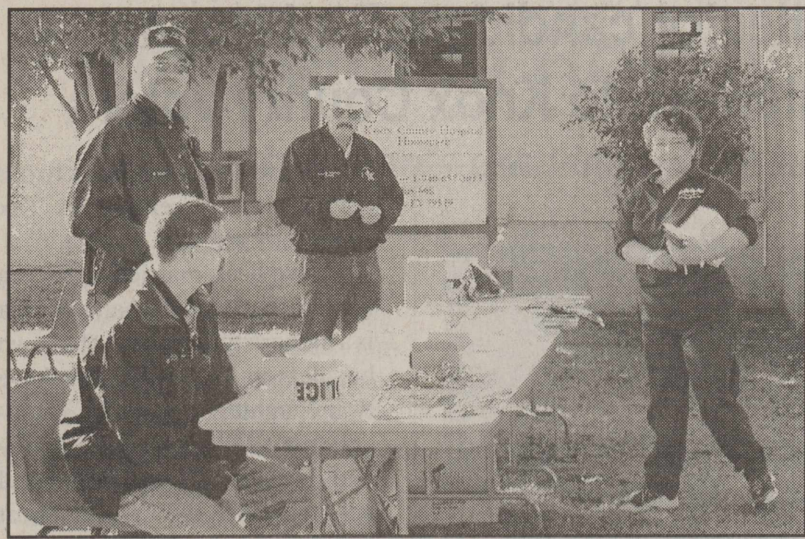
He is a tough but tender man, who has been a loving companion, a dedicated and loving father to our children, and a gracious son-in-law to my mother who lives with us and thinks he is the best.

I am very thankful for a husband who has been a wonderful leader in our family, in all of his work places, and in the churches we've served throughout the years. I ask you to give him the opportunity to prove himself as a trusted leader in our Knox County. Please vote for my husband, Travis Floyd, for County Judge.

Sincerely,
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KNOX COUNTY HOSPITAL HEALTHFAIR saw a large number of organizations and businesses set up on the hospital courtyard Saturday morning for the annual event. Top photo shows Aaron Lewis and Harry Steen of the Knox City Police Dept., Sheriff Dean Homstad and Sue Marion with the Knox County Hospital staff and the bottom photo shows Brazos Valley Care Home administrator Jason Hall and employees. All of the organizations, departments and representatives were on hand to distribute information for their respective groups to those in attendance.

(NEWS digital photo)

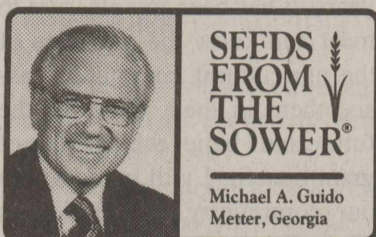


Early voting now underway

Early voting by personal appearance began Monday, October 18, and will be conducted each weekday in the Clerk's office in the Knox County Courthouse at Benjamin between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. through Friday, Oct. 29.

Applications for ballot by mail shall be mailed to Ronnie Verhalen, P.O. Box 196, Benjamin, Texas 79505. Applications for ballots by mail must be received no later than the close of business on October 26.

Readers are reminded to take their Voter Registration Certificates with them when they vote.



SEEDS FROM THE SOWER

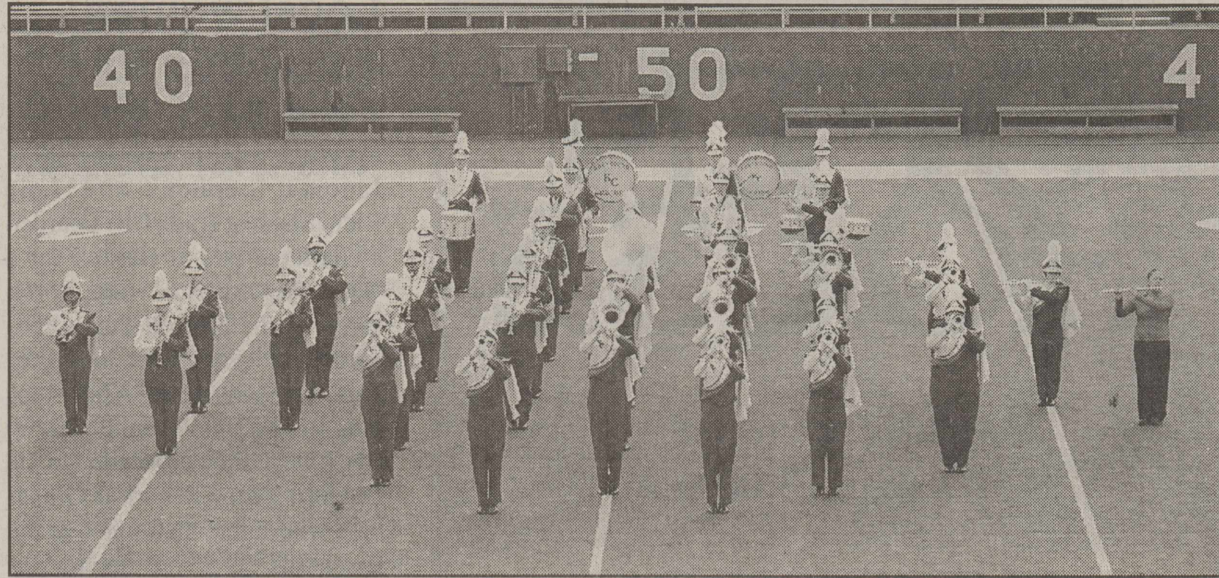
Michael A. Guido
Metter, Georgia

One evening I was tuning my violin before a concert. As I turned the pegs to tighten the strings my little brother cried, "Stop! You're going to break them."

"No," I explained, "I'm going to make them sound beautiful."

The sacred singer had that in mind when he wrote Psalm 94:12, "Blessed is the man whom Thou chastenest, O Lord."

What's chastening? Censure? Oh, no, correction. Sometimes it's punishment for doing wrong, but most of the time it's preparation for doing right.



Greyhound Band receives Division II (excellent) rating

KNOX CITY'S GREYHOUND PRIDE MARCHING BAND directed by Mark Tucker received a Division II (excellent) rating at the North Zone UIL Region 2 Marching Contest held at Memorial Stadium in Wichita Falls. Judges for this year's contest were Lucky Floyd of Dallas, Kelly Glaze of San Angelo and Chris Lovejoy of Aubrey.

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Benjamin news

By Gladene Green, Benjamin Correspondent

Tho a hint of winter was in the air last week, it turned out to be pretty nice. The cool mornings, warmer afternoon, then cool nights sure made us realize a frost is probably not far off. But it is mid-October (post) and November is just around the corner.

Good to report no real serious illnesses in the community today. Jane Gideon continues to feel better with each passing day. Has not gone back to work yet but will as soon as her doctors release her, which she hopes will happen when she goes back for a checkup in early November.

LaMoynne Patterson has been going to doctors in Wichita Falls. Has some carotid artery blockage which will have to be corrected. Then I believe bypass surgery will be on his schedule later on. Certainly we wish LaMoynne well and a speedy return to better health.

Sports - The volleyball girls were "off" last week and are busily reading for the Knox City game tomorrow night (Tuesday). They defeated the Houndettes over here earlier in the season and this week we go there for the return match. It should be a series of good games.

In football, the Paducah Dragons came over Friday night and handed us a loss before returning

home. This week we play there. On Thursday night, Jr. High went to Paducah and were also defeated by the young dragons. They play Thursday night.

The fall festival (which will always be the Halloween Carnival to me) will be Saturday night in the gym. Booths of all sorts, cake walk and a good booth where you can eat your evening meal and support the PTO will be available. It starts about 5 or 5:30 and goes a couple of hours before the Sr. slave auction and the program where the Harvest Royalty will be presented, those being elected by popular vote when you arrive at the door.

We'll see you there!

Local's granddaughter does well - Sara Spikes, a sr. in Seymour High School, is one of two students recognized by the College Board for Academic Ability.

Due to PSAT scores she has officially entered the College Board's most prestigious and lucrative competition, The National Merit Scholarship competition. She is one of 16000 semifinalists of more than one million students nationally offered the opportunity to compete for recognition of becoming a finalist. Finalists will be named in February. Along with this honor comes consideration

for entrance into several selective schools, among them being Rice, Columbia and Duke.

Sara's parents are Guy and Donna and her Benjamin grandmother is Dorothy Spikes. We congratulate her on her accomplishments.

Here 'N There - Tyler Collins, a freshman at Wayland Baptist College in Plainview, spent the weekend with his parents, Mike and Tammy Lyles. Tyler has been named to the Wayland JV basketball team so I imagine we'll be hearing good things about him.

Hazel Stockton, Janet Reed and Michele Barrientez and family attended Rowdy Bradley's birthday party in Seymour Saturday.

Spending time at her home here last week was Dr. Mary Melton of Cincinnati, Ohio, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Oldridge of Sherwood, Arkansas. While here, they spent time with Jonnie Williams and Mary Bohannon and the "girls" enjoyed an outing to Wichita Falls.

Garrett and Lisa Favor who have been living in Abilene about 1 1/2 years have returned "home" and if suitable housing can be found, the plan to stay here to make their home. It's always good when the young folks want to come back.



Happy Birthday, Big Sister!

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The Greyhounds Of The Week for last week's District game against the Munday Moguls were, (left to right) Drew Barnard, Big Block; Rico McCrary, Scout Team; Ricky Dale Smith, Big Block; Tomas Myers, Big Block; Riley Spells, Big Play; Kylin DelValle, Big Block; T.J. Richardson, Big Block; Ryan Harrington, Big Block; and Eric Lewis for both Big Block and Big Hit. Greyhound of the Week for Special Teams was Jeremy Saxton, who was not available for this picture. The 'Hounds travel to Hamlin for a district game this Friday night.

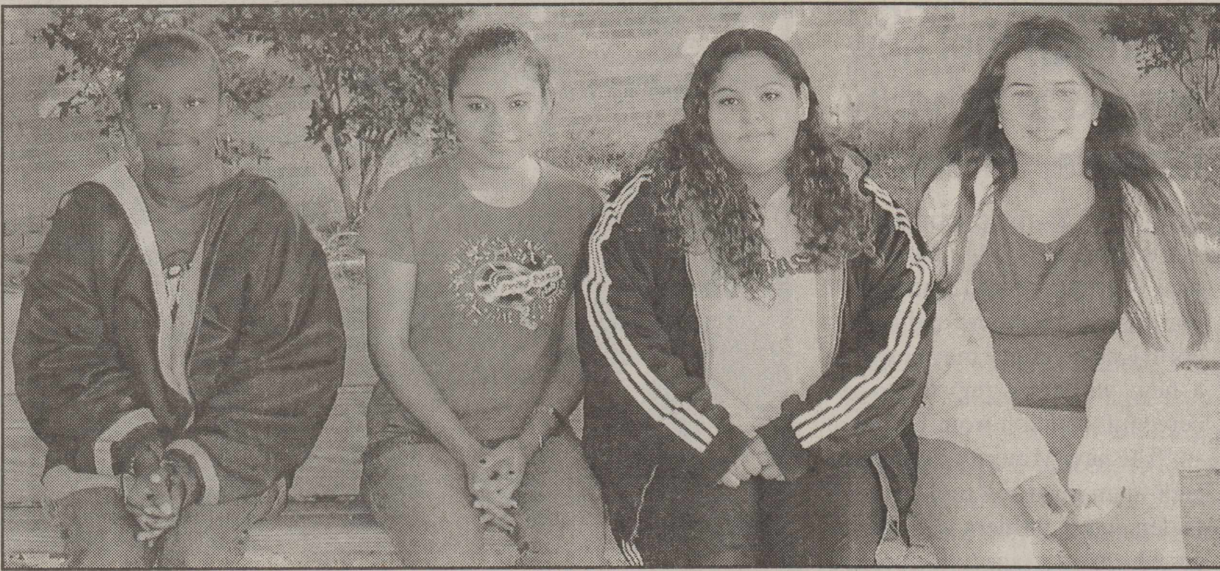
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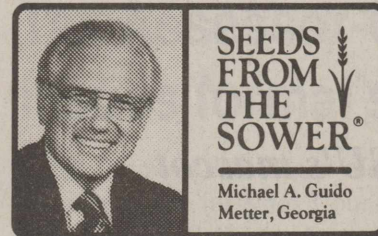
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KNOX CITY HIGH SCHOOL'S Family Career and Community Leaders of America members competed on September 28 in Motley County. The girls competed in Creed Writing and the team brought home a bronze medal. Team members are Ebony Thompson, Gracie Lopez, Crystal Ramos and Brie Rios. Advisor is Shea Edmonds. (NEWS digital photo)



Years ago there was an evangelist who used to have "Quittin' Meetin's" during his revivals. He gave the people an opportunity to confess their sins and to turn from them to the Lord. One night many quit cursing, drinking, gossiping, and smoking. And Sam Jones asked a woman, "What are going to quit, sister?" "Preacher," she answered, "I haven't been doing anything, and I'm going to quit that." There are sins of omission as well as sins of commission. To be good and do good is good for you. To be bad is bad for you. Why don't you turn from your sins to the Lord and live a happy, holy, healthy life?

Obituaries

Bonnie Iva Poe

Bonnie Iva Poe, 87, of Italy, Texas, died Friday evening, October 15, 2004, at Trinity Mission Health and Rehab in Italy.

She was born October 28, 1916, in Hennessey, Oklahoma, to Jesse Greenfield and Rosalie (Vaught) Tuggle. Mrs. Poe was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Italy and a member of the Eastern Star in Enid, Oklahoma. Mrs. Poe married Orville Theodore Poe April 3, 1943 in Enid, Oklahoma and moved to Italy in 1988. She worked for Mr. Penney at the J.C. Penney Co. in Enid, Oklahoma, at their notions counter. She farmed in the Knox City area from 1961 to 1988. She was known in the community as Grandma Poe. She loved to cook, sew and read.

Mrs. Poe is survived by her daughter, Iva and husband Pic Maudlin of Italy, Texas; brothers-in-law, Don Poe of Katy and Leo Reddell of Seminole; sisters-in-law, Jimmie Poe of Katy, Mary Reddell of Seminole, Edith Broach of Lubbock and Betty Poe of Knox City; four grandchildren, Shari and David Phillips of Waxahachie, Robin Everett of Dallas, Michael and Melanie Everett of Italy and Landa and Paul Parker of Coppell; great-grandchildren, Justin and Traci Phillips of Waxahachie, Garrett Everett of Italy and Adam and Brad Parker of Coppell. She was preceded in death by her husband; her brother, Glen Tuggle and her sister, Agatha Tuggle.

The Celebration of Life was held at 2:00 p.m., Monday, October 18, 2004, at the Boze Chapel in Italy with Reverend Keith Murray and Reverend Korey Koch officiating. Pallbearers were Hubert Chambers, David Phillips, Justin Phillips, Michael Everett, Cole Bailey and Bob Terry. Interment followed in Hillcrest Burial Park in Waxahachie.

Elementary honor roll

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First Grade: Sheldon Baty, Spencer Edmonds, Isaac Flores, Laken Strickland, Calista Rocha, Payne Stanfield, Ligon West, Brylee White.

Second Grade: Kinslee Cox, Andrea Lynn, Jessica Wilburn.

Third Grade: Zachary Carter, Stratton Edmonds, Garret Fox, Christopher Richardson, Kelsey Vasquez, Gus West.

Fourth Grade: Blayne Bradley, Hagen Hutchinson, Allison Lynn.

'A-B' HONOR ROLL

First Grade: Ana Araizia, Aaron Arrieta, Caitlyn Baxter,

Cassidy Correll, Angel Dominguez, Jordyn Eaton, Avery Frausto, To'keba Hughey, Wes Hutchinson, Mati Ledesma, A.J. Rubio, Casey Stiewert, Justin Thomas.

Second Grade: Nathan Moya, Leighten Pepper, Zachary Rodriguez, Ariel Ruiz, Nicholas Short, Adrian Silva.

Third Grade: Lyndon Baty, Severiano Hernandez, Stran Jackson, Ty McLemore, Rocio Ortega, Tayler Pepper, Travis Self, Courtney Taylor.

Fourth Grade: Isaac Banks, Selena Benavides, Emily Espinosa, Haley Ledesma, Cley Plume, Jonathan Rodriguez.

The Victor Vasquez Family

wishes to express a heartfelt "Thank You" on behalf of their loved one.

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The many expressions of sympathy and overflowing love and support are deeply appreciated.

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Mary Aguirre and Family
Norma Jones and Family
James Vasquez and Family

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before the gods to you I sing;
I bow low toward your holy temple;
I praise your name for your fidelity and love.
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name and your promise.

When I cried out, you answered;
you strengthened my spirit." Psalms 138: 1-3

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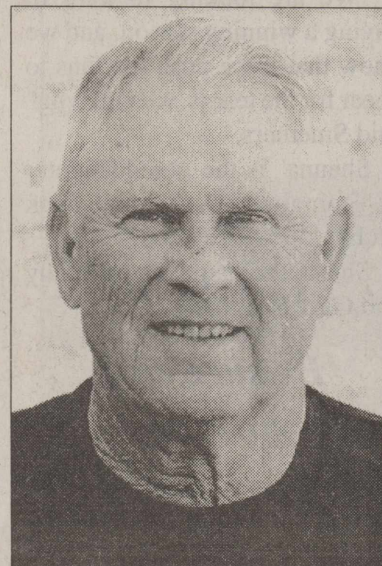
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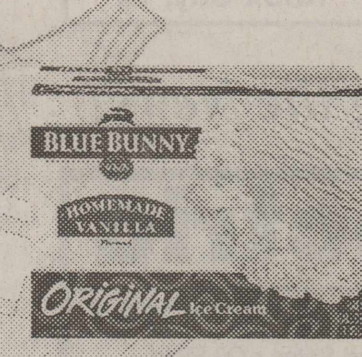


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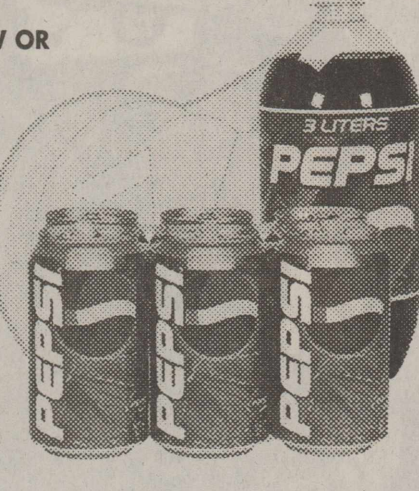
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From Ram to Rowdy

Local woman's granddaughter is NSU's mascot

By RYAN ELLER
TNE writer

From a gorilla to a banana and now Rowdy, NSU has been represented by exciting, spirited and even out of the ordinary mascots. However, students usually do not know the person behind the costume who is responsible for getting the fans more involved with the games. The student representing Rowdy this year is Owasso junior, Shanna Smethers.

Smethers is converting her experience from high school where she was the Owasso Ram for three years, to the football and basketball games of NSU. Smethers received All-American status her senior year and was awarded leadership trophies from her peers for her spirit and character.

Those traits are still recognized as Smethers received a leadership trophy in this year's Division II mascot camp. The trophy was awarded through votes by the other mascots and only three mascots received trophies.

Suzanne Myers, director of student activities, acknowledged Smethers' accomplishments at the camp and is excited to see her represent Rowdy this year.

"Shanna has so much energy and desire to make Rowdy popular with the fans and community, and she is working hard to bring her uniqueness to the games," said Myers.

Smethers will work closely with the Majestics and cheer squad



SHANNA SMETHERS

to help energize the fans at both the football and basketball games. The cheer squad has already noticed her enthusiasm and boost of energy.

"She's a really outgoing girl and she is able to get the crowd involved," said LeeAnn Young, Sapulpa sophomore.

Not only will Smethers help keep the crowd entertained, but she is also working hard to keep Rowdy involved with the students and the community.

"I will be dressing up for Halloween and going to all the campus events to promote Northeastern. I hope to bring a sense of pride to the mascot and University," said Smethers.

The university has had many mascots over the years, but the pride associated with a mascot

has not varied.

"To the community Rowdy is a friend, to the students Rowdy is a spirit leader and to the alumni, it is a symbol of college. But as a whole, everyone appreciates Rowdy," said Myers.

Smethers will not only represent Rowdy this semester, but she is also involved in many other organizations on campus.

She is currently a member of Delta Zeta, Northeastern Activities Board, Baptist Collegiate Ministries and has volunteered for Rookie Bridge Camp the past two years.

Students have noticed her great attitude and are excited to see her perform as Rowdy.

"Shanna is going to be the best Rowdy ever because she has an honest enthusiasm and love for Northeastern," said Mary Hanson, Tahlequah junior.

NSU fans are in for a treat as Smethers displays her leadership and spirit for the fans this year. Her attitude and charisma are contagious and she encourages all students to come and support the Redmen and Lady Reds.

"We are looking forward to having a winning season, and we know that if we push the fans to cheer for the teams, we will win," said Smethers.

Shanna is the granddaughter of Romain and the late Jack Stubbs.

She is the daughter of Sandy and Gary Smethers.

Outreach tool now offered to minority farmers, ranchers

The U.S. Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Farm Service Agency (FSA) announces that minority farmers and ranchers in Knox County may now join a new voluntary register to receive information from USDA.

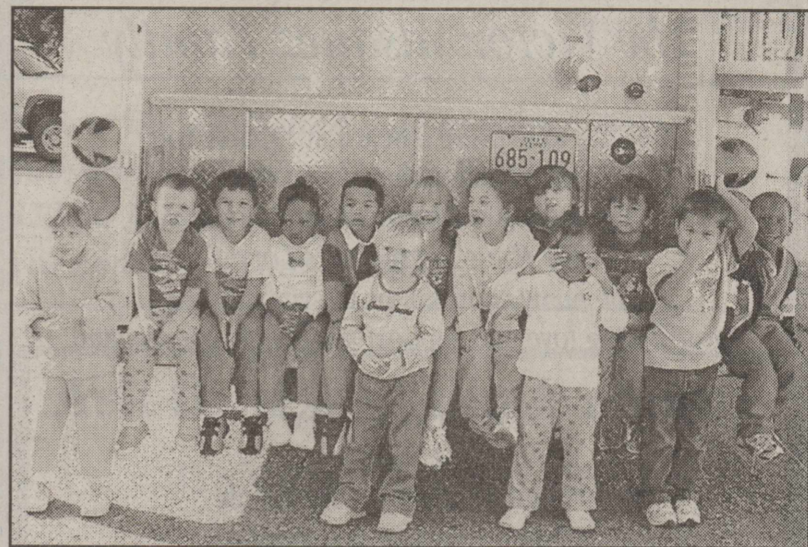
"The new Minority Farm Register is an outreach tool to reach underserved farmers and ranchers who are not currently enrolled in USDA loan, farm or conservation programs," said Michael McDonald, Knox County FSA county executive director. "The Register will create a shared outreach list that will help USDA, community-based organization and minority-serving educational institutions to communicate with minority farmers and ranchers."

By joining the Register, minority producers may receive outreach materials, newsletters and announcements from USDA.

Registration info is available on the FSA's website at: <http://www.fsa.usda.gov/pas/publications/mfr/default.htm>. FSA and USDA's Office of Outreach are jointly administering the Register.



HEAD START was visited last week by Aaron Lewis and Jeff Acree of the Knox City Volunteer Fire Department as they observed Fire Prevention Week. They discussed fire safety issues such as stop, drop and roll, calling 911, and what to do in case of a house fire with the children.



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KC News November renewals are coming due

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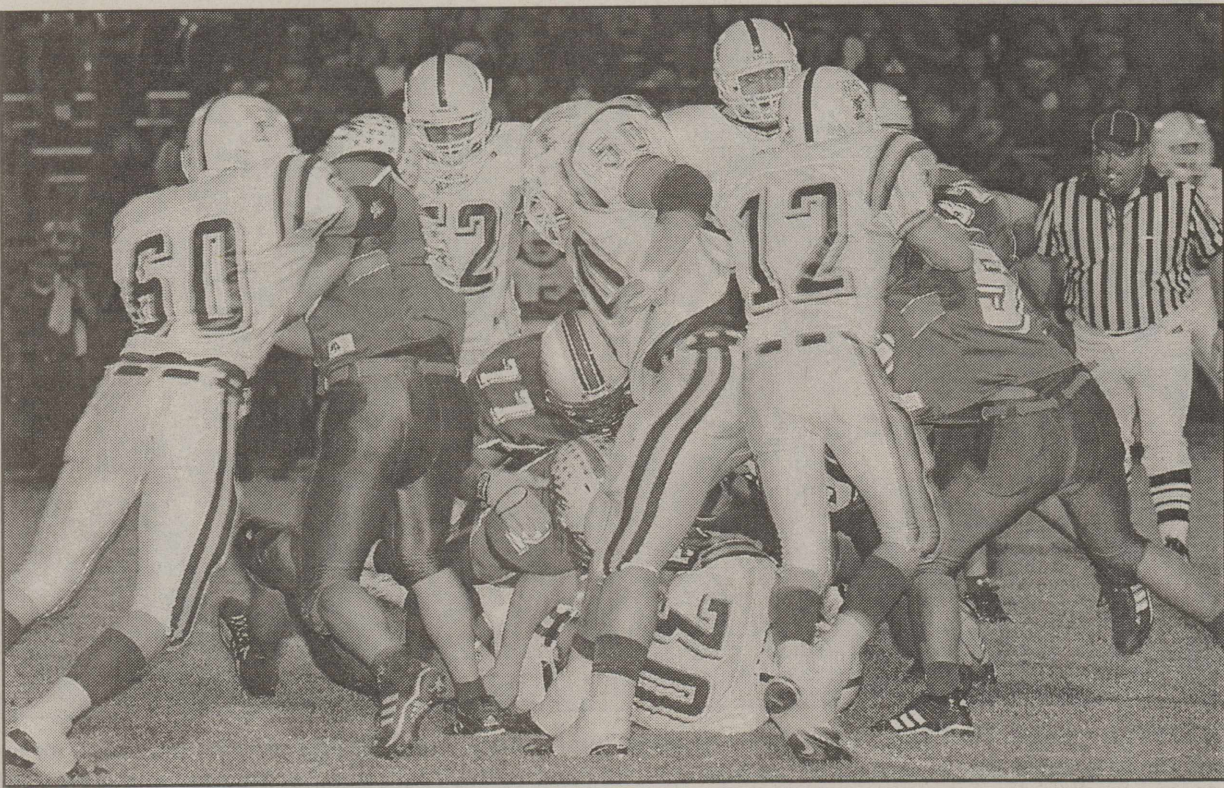
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MIXING IT UP WITH THE MUNDAY MOGULS, greyhounds identified by visible jersey numbers in this photo from last Friday night are Pablo Sanchez (77) Riley Spells (2) and Ryan Harrington (82). (Courtesy photo by Missy Lewis)

Football.....Contd. from page one

off, Bufkin handed off to Gulley for a 5 yard gain on first and 10. On second and 5, Gulley again tried to run the ball but was stopped at the 42 yard line for a 3 yard loss. On third and 7, the Munday handoff went to J.J. Collier who lost 5 yards when he was hit behind the line of scrimmage by Greyhound defender Tomas Myers for a 5 yard loss. On fourth and 12, Grey punted the ball out of bounds on the 29 yard line.

Knox City took over their third possession of the game from the 29 yard line. On first and 10, Quentin Spells thrilled the spectators as he took the ball 46 yards to the Munday 25 yard line. On first and 10, a pass from Shaver to Derrick Magana went incomplete. The first quarter ended on the next

play as Riley Spells ran to the right side for a short gain.

The second quarter began with Knox City on the Munday 20 yard line. On third and 5, Riley Spells picked up 3 yards on a short run. On fourth and 2, Riley Spells again ran the ball, this time to the 11 yard line for a first down. That moved his total so far in the game to 65 yards. With Riley picking up the first down, Cody Wainscott picked up three yards on 1st and 10 from the Munday 8 yard line. On second down, Quentin Spells ran and fumbled the ball, but the Greyhounds were able to recover. On third down, Cody Wainscott scored his second touchdown of the night on a run up the middle. Jefferey Rodriguez missed the extra point kick, but a penalty against Munday for running into

the kicker gave Knox City another opportunity for the extra point. With 10:06 left in the first half, Rodriguez kicked the ball through the uprights to put Knox City ahead 21-0.

Knox City kicked to Monday, the ball bounced around before Munday downed it on their 30 yard line. On their first and 10 play, Gulley ran the ball to the 35 yard line. On second and 5, Bufkin pitched the ball back to Gulley, who picked up 3 yards before being brought down by Greyhound linebacker Tomas Myers. On third and 2, Gulley is hit by the Riley Spells for no gain. Facing another fourth down punt, Grey got off a high kick to Quentin Spells, who ran the ball out to the 40 yard line. A penalty back on the 32 yard line against Knox City moved the ball back to the 21 yard line.

On first and 10 with a 21-0 lead, Shaver passed to Magana who ran to the 40, but Knox City had the play brought back with another penalty for holding. A second penalty on the same play was declined and the original holding penalty moved the ball back to the Knox City 11 yard line. On first and 20, the handoff went to Riley Spells who ran 18 yards up the middle, but fumbled the ball. Wainscott recovered the fumble. On their next play, Shaver passed to Ty Chisum for Knox City's ninth first down, this time on the 34 yard line. On first and 10, Shaver threw an incomplete pass to Wainscott. Riley Spells ran the ball next, moving the ball down to the 49 yard line while picking up

another first down for Knox City. On first and 10, Shaver passed to Chisum for a 13 yard gain. On first and 10, Shaver went to Quentin Spells, who took the ball down to the 16 yard line. The ball was brought back on another holding penalty against Knox City. With the ball back out to the Munday 49, Knox City had a first and 21. The next play saw Jordon Lowe of Munday stop Shaver for a loss. Shaver then tried a short pass to Magana, the pass was complete for no gain. On third and 21, Shaver overthrew Quentin Spells. On fourth down, Quentin Spells punted the ball to Munday. The kick was short for 22 yards.

On Munday's next possession, Bufkin started the series with a handoff to Gulley. Riley Spells made the stop with the Moguls only picking up one yard. On second and 9, Bufkin passed the ball to Gulley on the 44 yard line for a first down. On first and 10, Bufkin passed to Gulley on the 48 yard line, who took the ball down to the Knox City 41 yard line. On first and 10 with 3:15 in the first half, the ball was handed to Collier, but the play was stopped by a false start penalty against Munday. On first and 15, Bufkin threw to Collier near the 40 yard line, but the pass was incomplete. On second and 15 from the 46 yard line, Bufkin threw long to Gulley, but the pass was incomplete with the receiver being well covered by Cody Wainscott and Quentin Spells. On third and 15 with 2:59 left in the half, Munday's quarterback was rushed by Greyhound defender Jefferey Rodriguez and forced to dump the ball. On fourth down, Grey punted to about the 20, with the ball bouncing down and out at the 15.

Knox City's first down saw Quentin Spells running the ball up the middle for a 6 yard gain. On second and 4, Shaver pitched the ball back to Cody Wainscott, who was hit and dropped for no gain. On third and 4, Riley Spells ran the ball out to the 30 yard line for another Greyhound first down. Starting from their own 29 yard line, Shaver passed to Magana who took the ball out to the 35 yard line. A penalty flag was waved off, the second and 4 play by Quentin Spells picked up another Knox City first down. On first and 10, Shaver threw a screen pass to Riley Spells, who was tackled for a short gain by Bufkin. On second and 8, Shaver overthrew Quentin Spells, who was defended by Munday's J.J. Collier. On third and 8, Shaver attempted a pass to Magana, but the ball was in and out of his hands. On fourth down, Quentin Spells punted the ball back to the Munday 20, where it rolled back to the 14 yard line.

With seconds left in the first half, Munday started on first and 10 from their own 14. Bufkin kept the ball on a quarterback option for a one yard loss. The half ended as Munday's second and 10 play went nowhere.

The second half began with Knox City running the kick to Munday.

Quentin Spells took the ball back to the Munday 44 yard line, then a 15 yard facemask penalty against Munday moved the ball up to the 27 yard line. On first and 10, Riley Spells ran the ball to the Munday 20 for a 7 yard gain. On second and 3, Wainscott picked up 2 yards. On third and 1 from the 19, a handoff to Wainscott and



THE YELLOW FLAG hurt both teams last Friday night. Knox City had 90 yards penalized on 9 calls, while Munday had 10 penalties for 105 yards. (NEWS digital photo)

his run to the 15 yard run picked up another KC first down. On first and 10 from the '15, Wainscott took the ball up the middle to the 14 yard line. On second down, Quentin Spells took the ball down to the 9 yard line. Another yellow flag moved Knox City back for a second and 19 play. Shaver then kept the ball, running the ball back to the 21 yard line. Shaver then passed to Quentin Spells who carried the ball for 12 yards before a penalty for illegal receiver downfield brought the ball back again for a third and long play for Knox City. A pass from Shaver to Riley Spells right up the middle had the big Knox City senior going into the end zone for another Greyhound Touchdown. The extra point kick by Rodriguez missed, leaving the score at Knox City 28, Munday 0 with 7:37 left in the third quarter.

The Kickoff by Rodriguez was short and Munday took possession of the ball on their 44 yard line. A penalty against Knox City on the kickoff was declined. On first and 10, J.J. Collier picked up 10 yards and a first down for the Moguls. On first and 10, Gulley kept the ball for a one yard gain. On second and 9, Gulley ran to the right and lost 3 yards after being hit hard by Quentin Spells and Tomas Myers. On third down, Bufkin was sacked back on the 46 yard line by Riley Spells. Grey punted the ball away, with the ball rolling out of bounds on the Knox City 15 yard line.

On Knox City's first down, Riley Spells ran the ball down the field for 85 yards and another six points for the Greyhounds. Rodriguez kicked in the extra point, putting Knox City ahead of Munday, 34-0.

The following kickoff by Knox City was brought back to the 36 yard line by Gulley. On first down, Gulley received a short pass for a 5 yard gain. On second and 5, Bufkin passed the ball into Knox City territory and Gulley hauled it in for another Munday first down. On first and 10 from the 44 yard line, Bufkin threw to J.J. Collier inside the 30 yard line. On first and 10 from the 28 yard line, Gonzales tried to run the ball but was stopped for a two yard loss by Knox City. With 3:20 left in the third quarter, Munday tried an incomplete pass from Bufkin to Gulley between Greyhound defenders Cody Wainscott and Quentin Spells. On third down, Bufkin threw to Brian Moore for a first down at the 19 yard line of Knox City. On first and 10, Bufkin attempted a pass into the end zone to Gulley. The pass was incom-

plete and well defended by Magana and Wainscott. A penalty flag was thrown against Knox City and the automatic first down for Munday moved the ball inside the 5 yard line. With a first and goal from the four yard line, Munday's Gulley tried a run to the right but was stopped for a loss of one yard by Eric Lewis, Riley Spells and Brandon Grimsley. Before the second down could get underway, Munday called for a time out. On second and goal from the 5 yard line, Gulley again tried a run but was stopped on the 4 yard line. On third down, Bufkin tried a pass, but the intended receiver was knocked down, drawing several yellow flags from the officials. Holding against Knox City was called, and pass interference against Knox City was also called to offset the two penalties. On Munday's next play, Bufkin passed the ball to Gulley in the end zone for Munday's first touchdown of the night. Lowe kicked the extra point in to raise Munday's point total to 7.

On Munday's kickback to Knox City with 1:23 left in the third quarter, Quentin Spells took the ball on the 15 yard line and ran the ball back to the 38 yard line of Knox City. On first and 10, the handoff to Quentin Spells went nowhere as Spells was dropped for a 1 yard loss. On second down, Shaver tried a pass to Magana, but the ball was overthrown. On third and 11, Shaver handed off to Wainscott for a two yard run as the third quarter ended. On fourth down, Knox City punted the ball away with Munday calling for a fair catch on their own 25 yard line.

Munday's first down had Bufkin passing to J.J. Collier, but Quentin Spells intercepted the ball and brought it back to Munday's 32 yard line.

Knox City's first down handoff went to Cody Wainscott for a 3 yard gain. On second down and 7, Quentin Spells took the ball down to the 25 for a 4 yard gain. On third and 3, Wainscott went right up the middle for 9 yards to the 16 yard line and another Greyhound first down. Riley Spells took the ball to the 10 yard line on first down, then on second and 3, Wainscott took the ball into the end zone for his third touchdown of the night. Rodriguez kicked in the extra point to put Knox City ahead 41-7 with 9:20 left in the game.

Munday's J.J. Collier returned Knox City's kick to their own 20

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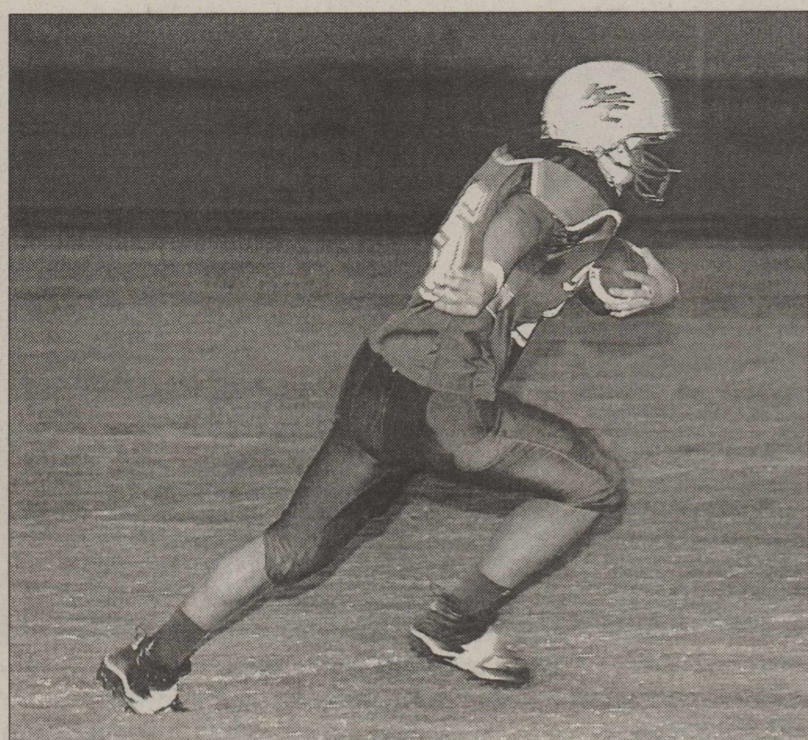
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SEEING A LOT OF PLAYING TIME recently for the Greyhounds, Ty Chisum (25) picked up 14 yards rushing and received 2 passes for another 18 yards last Friday night against the Munday Moguls. (NEWS digital photo)

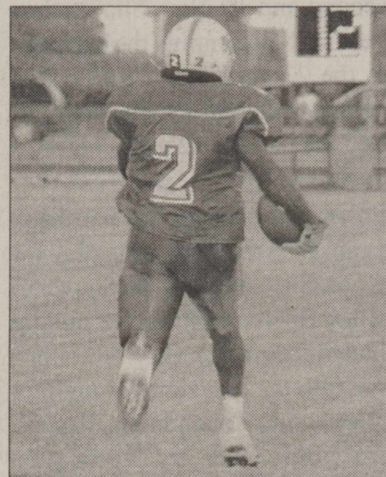
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yard line. On first and 10, Bufkin handed off to Collier who ran for a 4 yard gain. On second and 6, Bufkin attempted a pass to Collier on the 35 yard line, but overthrew his receiver. On third down, Bufkin passed over the middle and the ball was almost intercepted by Kylin DeValle. Fourth down had Grey punting again. Riley Spells bobbled the ball but was able to fall on it at the 45 yard line.

With a first and 10 from their own 45 yard line, Ty Chisum took the ball down to the 49 yard line for a 6 yard gain. On second down and 4, the ball was again handed to Chisum but he was hit at the line for no gain. On third and 4, Riley Spells took the ball right up the middle before he was finally brought down at the 16 yard line. A flag at the line of scrimmage for offsides against Munday was declined. Spells was shaken up on the play and was helped off the field. On the next play, Chisum ran the ball again, picking up 8 yards. On second down, Wainscott carried the ball to the 8 yard line. With a first down and goal to go, the Greyhounds next play saw quarterback Andy Shaver keep-



PICKING UP 94 YARDS on 9 carries, Knox City's Quentin Spells had a good night against the Munday Moguls last Friday night at Greyhound Stadium. (NEWS digital photo)



THIS IS THE VIEW that most defenders have of Riley Spells as he picks up yards and touchdowns for the Greyhounds. Riley ran for a whopping 234 yards on 12 carries with 2 touchdowns last Friday night against Munday. (NEWS digital photo)

ing the ball for a gain of several yards. The very next play had Cody Wainscott going up the middle for another Greyhound touchdown and his fourth of the evening. Rodriguez kicked the extra point to put Knox City ahead 48-7 with 4:13 left in the game.

Munday took the Greyhound kick to their own 36 yard line with Gulley having a good return. On first and 10, Bufkin pitched the ball to Gulley who took the ball for a 29 yard run. A yellow flag was thrown against T.J. Richardson for a facemask penalty, moving the ball another 15 yards down the field. On first and 10, Collier took the ball down to the 10 for a Munday first and goal. Bufkin then handed off to Collier who was hit hard by the Greyhound line and stopped at the 8 yard line. Second and goal from the 9 yard line had Bufkin pitching back to Collier, who was thrown for a loss by the 'Hound defense. Another yellow flag on the turf for a holding penalty against Munday moved the Mo-

guls back to near the 20 yard line. On second down Bufkin passed the ball to Gulley in the end zone for what appeared to be another Munday touchdown, but a Mogul penalty called the play back. The 10 yard penalty moved the ball back to the 29 yard line for Munday. On the next play, Bufkin was sacked as he attempted to pass the ball. On third down, Bufkin threw under pressure and threw the ball out of bounds as he attempted a pass to Moore. On fourth down from the 29 yard line, Bufkin attempted to throw long to Gulley with a penalty called on Knox City defenders for pass interference. After officials moved the ball 15 yards closer to the goal, Bufkin tried a pass to Moore on first down, but overthrew the receiver. On second down, Gulley picked up 11 yards up the middle. With a first and goal from the 3 yard line, Gulley went up the middle again for another Munday touchdown and his second of the night. Munday's extra point kick by Lowe was good, moving the score to 48-14.

Knox City's kick return was taken by Quentin Spells at the 28 line and a strong run brought the ball back to the 46 yard line of Munday. On first down, Wainscott took the ball downfield for a 5 yard run. The second down brought the last snap of the field as Shaver handed off to Wainscott for a short gain as the buzzer sounded to end the game with Knox City winning big by the score of 48-14.

Knox City picked up a total of 487 yards offense with 434 on the ground and another 63 through the air. Riley Spells was the leading rusher in the game, picking up 236 yards on 12 carries, with 2 rushing touchdowns. Cody Wainscott picked up another 86 yards on 8 carries with 4 touchdowns. Knox City's offense picked up 26 first downs, while the Greyhound defense held Munday to 12 first downs.

The Greyhounds, 6-1 for the season and 1-1 in district play, travel to Hamlin next Friday night for another big District 9-A matchup against the Pied Pipers. The kickoff is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

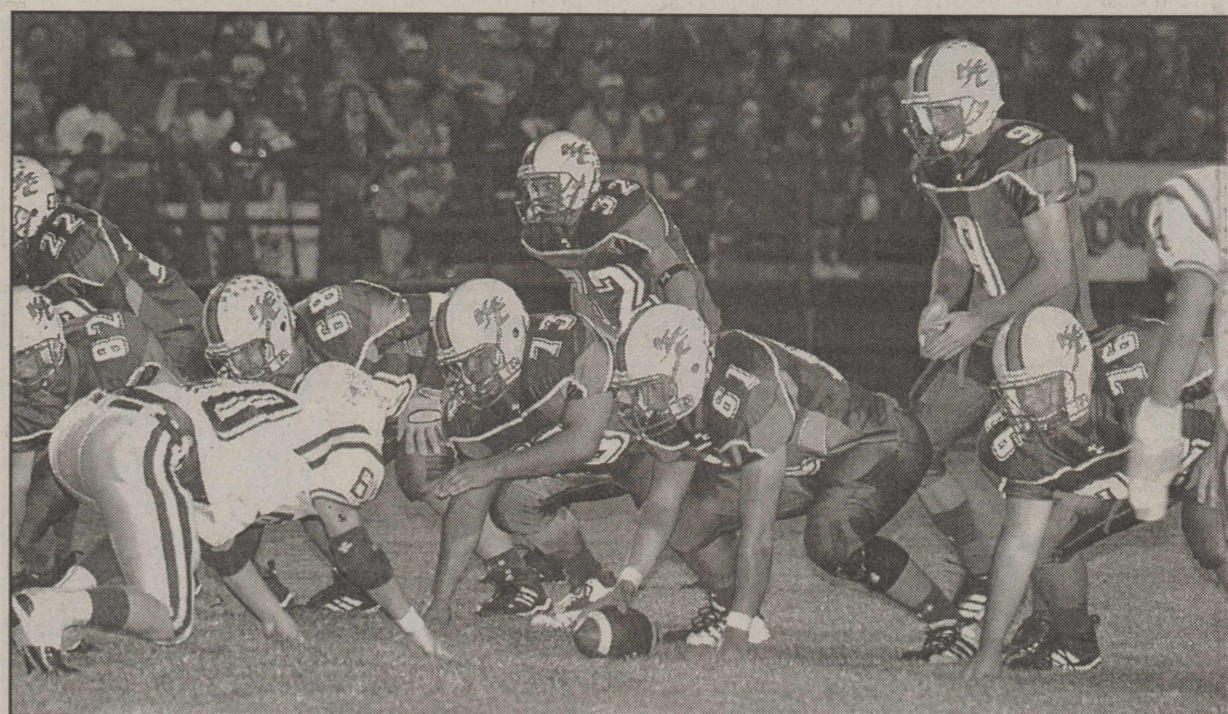
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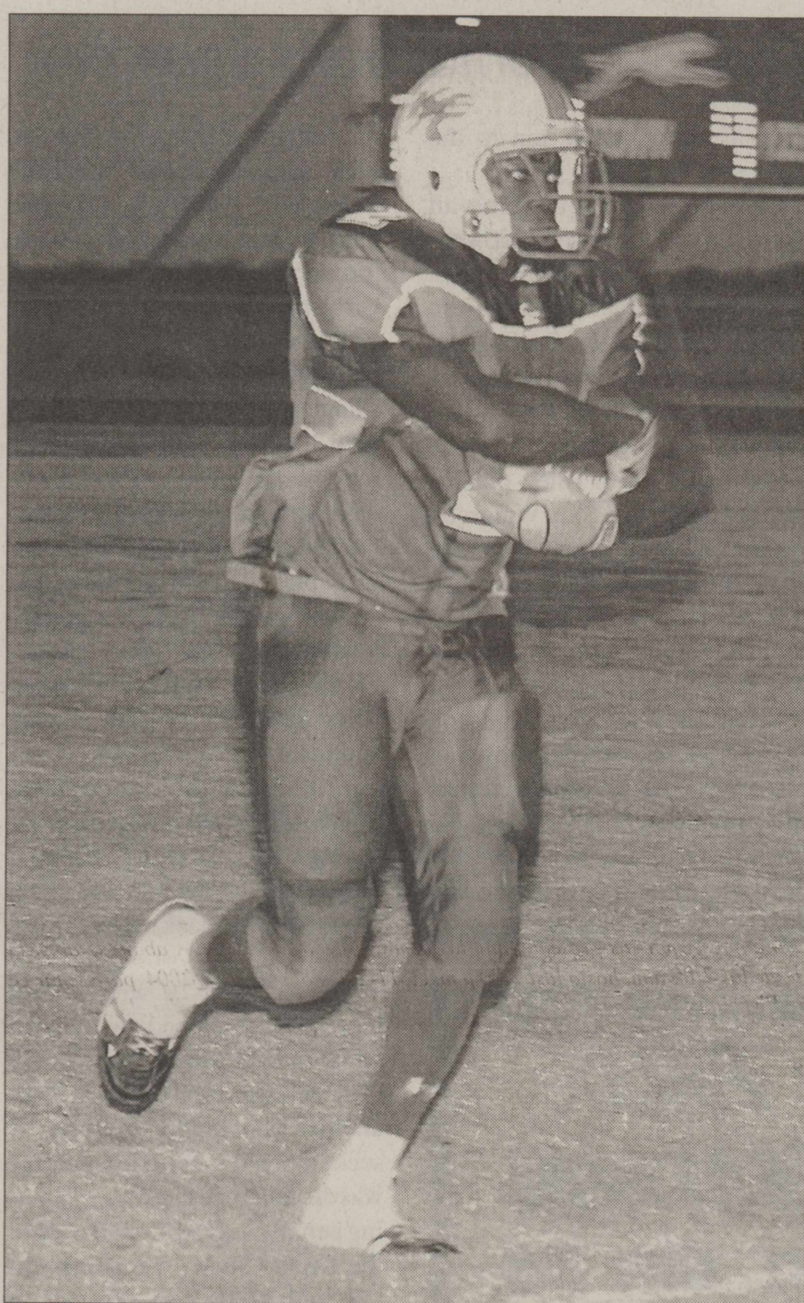
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GETTING READY TO TAKE A SNAP, Greyhound quarterback Andy Shaver (9) is shown here as he moves in behind the protection of his offensive line last Friday night against Munday at Greyhound Stadium. Other 'Hounds in the photo from left to right are Quentin Spells (22), Ryan Harrington (82), Drew Barnard (73), Eric Lewis (61), and Ricky Dale Smith (76). (Courtesy photo by Missy Lewis)



PROTECTING THE BALL as he picks up valuable yardage for the Greyhounds, senior Riley Spells had the best game of his career last Friday night, picking up 234 yards with 2 touchdowns against county rival Munday. (NEWS digital photo)

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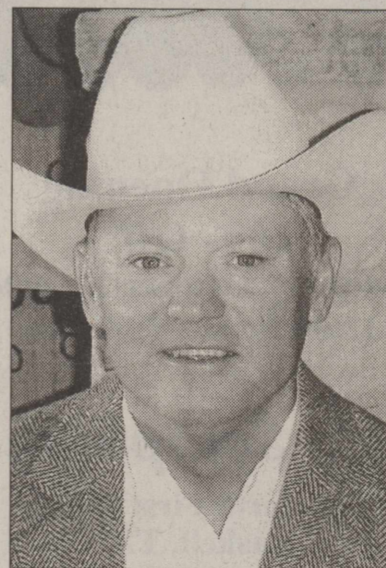
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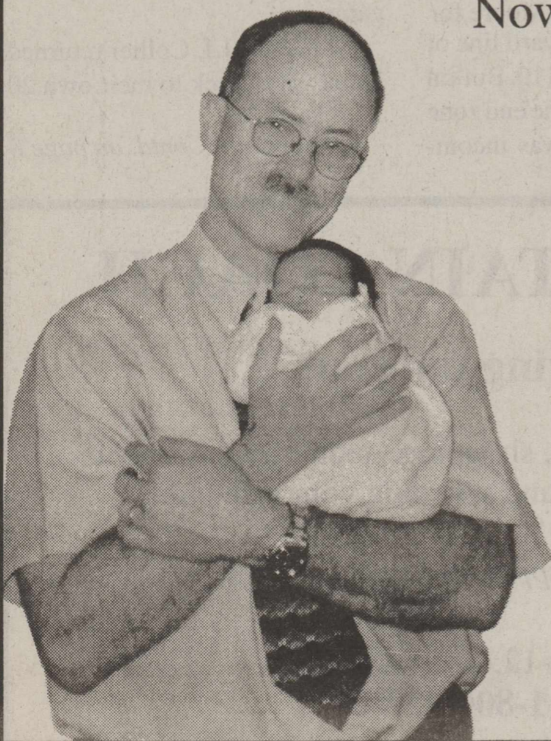
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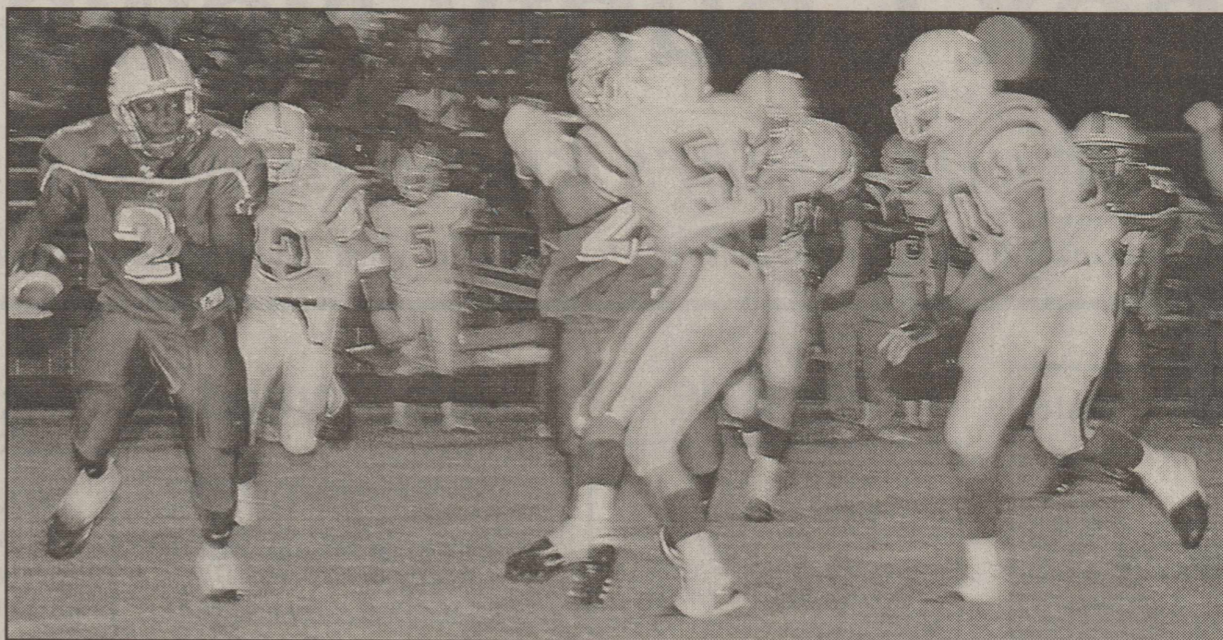
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KNOWN AND RESPECTED for his speed and ability to break open for long runs, Quentin Spells has a way of keeping the Knox City fans excited and on their feet. (NEWS digital photo)



TAKING OFF ON ANOTHER RUN, Greyhound Riley Spells (2) has a big hole to run through, thanks to a big block by his brother, Quentin Spells (22). (Courtesy photo by Missy Lewis)



SWARMING ALL OVER THE MUNDAY OFFENSE, Knox City's defensive unit held the Moguls to just 93 yards rushing and 88 yards through the air. Identified above by jersey numbers are 'Hounds Kylin DelValle (51) and Riley Spells (2). (NEWS digital photo)

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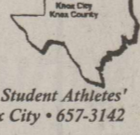
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