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WHITE'S Wagging Tongue

by Cynthia White

Thanks to Jackie Lowrance for this one.

An old farmer went to the city one weekend and attended the big city church. He came home and his wife asked him how it was.

"Well," said the farmer, "it was good. They did something different, however. They sang praise choruses instead of hymns."

"Praise choruses?" said his wife. "What are those?"

"Oh, they're OK. They are sort of like hymns, only different," said the farmer.

"Well, what's the difference?" asked his wife.

The farmer said, "Well, it's like this - If I were to say to you: 'Martha, the cows are in the corn' - well, that would be a hymn. If on the other hand, I were to say to you: 'Martha, Martha, Martha, Oh Martha, MARTHA, MARTHA, the cows, the big cows, the brown cows, the black cows the white cows, the black and white cows, the COWS, COWS, COWS' are in the corn, are in the corn, are in the corn, are in the corn, the CORN, CORN, CORN."

Then, if I were to repeat the whole thing two or three times, well, that would be a praise chorus."

The next weekend, his nephew, a young, new Christian from the city came to visit and attended the local church of the small town. He went home and his mother asked him how it was.

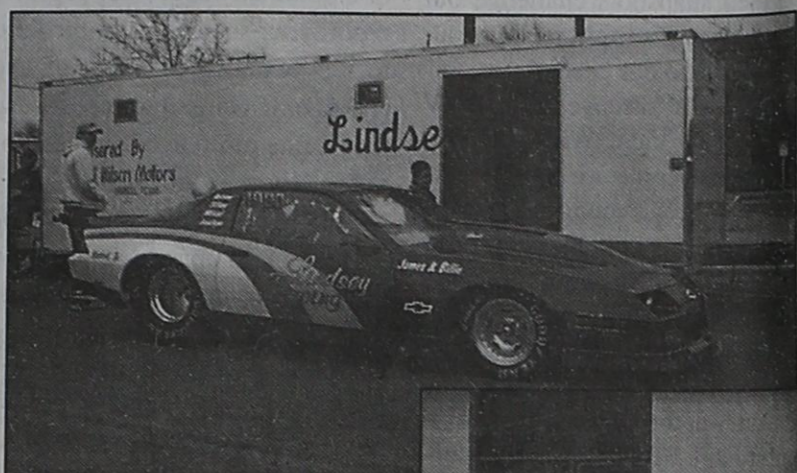
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"Hymns?" asked his mother. "What are those?"

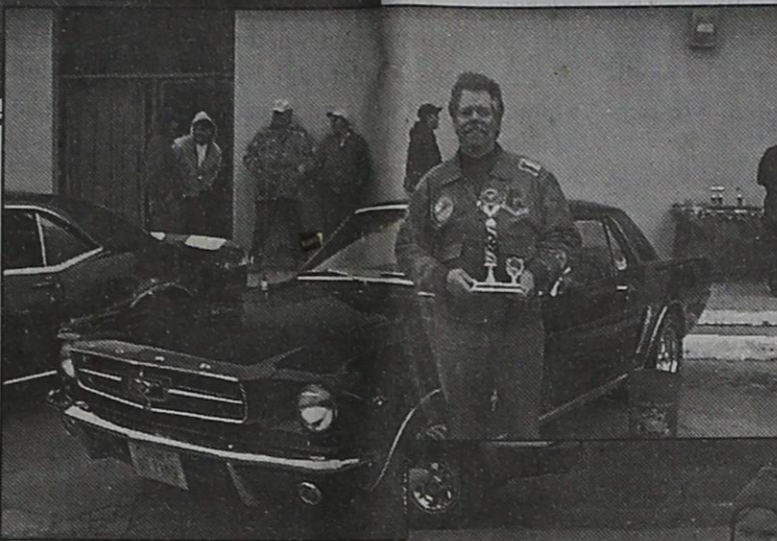
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"Well, what's the difference?" asked his mother.

The young man said, "Well, it's like this - If I were to say to you: 'Martha, the cows are in the corn' - well, that would be a regular song. If on the other hand, I were to say to you: 'Oh Martha, dear Martha, hear thou my cry, Incline thine ear to the words of my mouth, Turn thou thy whole wondrous ear by and by To the righteous, inimitable, glorious truth, For the way of the animals who can explain, There in their heads is no shadow of sense, Harkenest they in God's sun or His rain, Unless from the mild, tempting corn they are fenced, Yea those cows in glad bovine, rebellious delight, Have broke free their shackles, their warm pens eschewed, Then goaded by minions of darkness and night, They all my mild Chilliwack sweet corn have chewed, So look to the bright shining day by and by, Where all foul corruptions of earth are reborn, Where no vicious animals make my soul cry, And I no longer see those foul cows in the corn.' Then if I were to do only verses one, three and four and do a key change on the last verse, well that would be a hymn."



BILL WILSON'S LINDSAY RACING AUTO (top) burned enough rubber Saturday to become the Burn Out Champion. Lonnie Rolls of Rule, Texas stands beside his "Best of Show" '65 Mustang (right) while little Brandy Homstad (below, right) raced her favorite "ride" down the streets of Munday during the Car Show Saturday parade. *Courier Digital Photos*



Car Show attracts over thirty vehicles despite cool rainy weather

The Munday Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture staged CC's Classy Car Show last Saturday in downtown Munday. Despite the unseasonably cool and

damp weather over thirty antique vehicles rolled into town for the day. In addition to the antiques Bill Wilson Motor Company of Haskell had several new vehicles to view along with their antique Thunderbird and the Lindsay Racing Team auto.

Garnering "Best of Show" honors was a '65 Ford Mustang owned by Lonnie Rolls of Rule, Texas. Other winners included: Dirtiest Truck - Jenni Carlson; Motorcycle - Kirby Krupa, 1st, Abilene; Street Machine & Street Rod - RL Hayes, 1st, Albany, Leon Jordon, 2nd, Munday,

Jimmy Albus, 3rd, Knox City; Original Truck - Ciro Gomez, 1st, Knox City, Jerry Poole, 2nd, Aspermont, Ariana Gomez, 3rd, Knox City; Original Car - Les Wegener, 1st, Abilene, Unrestored, Gary and Georgann Williams, 1st, Lubbock; Chevy from '58 - Ricky Deubler, 1st, Breckenridge, Billy Joe Large, 2nd, Knox City, Stetson Deubler, 3rd, Breckenridge; Hot Rod Truck - Trevor Ward, 1st, Aspermont, Leroy Lipham, 2nd, Aspermont, Ascension Diaz, 3rd, Munday; Ford to '57 - Bill Wilson Motor Co, 1st, Haskell, Glen Large, 2nd, Knox City; Ford from '58 - Lonnie Rolls, 1st, Rule.

Joe Shahan of Munday had a corner on the Ugly Truck contest with his multi-colored Ford (or was it a Chevy? It was hard to tell!) and Eric Sosolik took 2nd for his true blue alley beauty. Third place went to Jay White for his "Big Red" 1964 Chevy truck.

One of the most popular events of the morning was the Burn-out. James Lindsay's auto took first with Ascension Diaz leaving enough rubber behind to take second and J. Dockins placed third.

The men of the Chamber of Commerce cooked up some fine brisket and had a good line for the delicious sandwiches they were serving.

Rain contributes to lifting of burn ban and rising of lake level

Texas sized portions of some commodities are very generous but when it comes to rain most Texans will tell you "we take what we can get!" Over the past three weeks folks in the Munday area have been saying their thanks for the moisture that has recently been delivered.

During the month of April Ernestine Michels, weather tracker for the area, recorded one inch of precipitation. During March Michels has thus far recorded 1.72 inches of beneficial rain.

With the moisture helping to relieve the dry vegetation Knox County Judge David Perdue has

temporarily lifted the burn ban for the county. Caution, however, is still advised and a safety call to the fire department would be in good measure.

Along with relieving the dryness in the area Miller Creek Reservoir has been another recipient of the much needed rainfall. In the past three weeks the Reservoir has caught approximately one more foot of water. The lake remains ten feet below the normal level but that is a great gain considering that a short time ago the lake was between seventeen and eighteen feet below the level. "We're better than we've been in a while," says Dolan Moore of the



North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority. "Things are looking pretty good and we'll just keep hoping for more good rain."

fall." Moore also notes that without additional rains the community would still have enough water for several more years.

Local election updates - early voting to begin

Early voting is scheduled to begin in the Munday Independent School District board election. Those wishing to vote early should do so at the Superintendents office, Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. between the dates of April 17 and April 30.

Candidates in the School Board election include Gary Wilde, Doug Donoho, Kyle Josselet, and Trey Thompson who are each seeking two 3-year terms. Mike Stewart, Henry Ramirez, and Buford Berryhill are each running for one one-year term on the board.

In the Knox County Hospital election two seats were open on the board with JoAnn Albus of Knox City and Jimmy Reid of Munday filing to fill those positions. Therefore no election process will be necessary for the Hospital district.

There will also be no City of Munday election since two incumbents filed for their council seats and the Mayor also filed for re-election. Serving on the City Council will be Judy Lowe and Winters Matthews with Gary Tidwell remaining as Mayor.

In the Goree Independent School District four candidates were sought with only three filing for a place on the board. Joe Flores, Dolan Moore, and Carmen Luna will automatically be elected to the board. A fourth person will be appointed to fill the remaining vacant position.

**NO SCHOOL FRIDAY!
WATCH FOR CHILDREN!**

Changes in store for City-County Library

Several changes are in store for the City-County Library located at 121 East B Street in Munday. The changes are being made in an effort to better serve the reading public.

New library hours will begin April 15th. The library will then be open on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays from 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. and on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 1:00 - 5:00.

The library will also begin to provide internet services to the public beginning somewhere around the first week in May. When more details are available and an actual date for the installation of the services it will be

reported in The Munday Courier.

The library will also take a part in the Parenting Fair that will be held at the Elementary School on April 23rd. The Fair will be open from 4:00 - 6:00 on that date.

The public is also encouraged to watch for details concerning a Summer Reading Program to begin when the school year is finished. Be sure to watch for those details so you can keep your children reading this summer.

A fund-raiser Book and Bake Sale will be held in front of the library on May 11th. Your support of this event would be appreciated.



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LIBRARIAN SHERRY SEARCEY arranges the books at the City-County library for easy selections. New hours, up-coming internet service, and a summer reading program are just a few of the changes in store for the library.

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- Apr. 11 - School Board Meeting.
- Apr. 12 - School holiday.
- Apr. 15 - Munday VFD.
- Apr. 16 - Lions Club.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- Apr. 10 - Haley Hutchinson.
- Apr. 11 - Stanley Hager.
- Apr. 13 - Andrea Hollar.
- Apr. 15 - Nell Sloan.
- Apr. 16 - John Myers.

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Munday & Goree Menu
Mon., Wed., & Fri.
Benjamin Menu
Tues. & Thurs.
Apr. 15 thru Apr. 19

- Mon. Apr. 15th - Chicken strips w/ gravy, seasoned potato wedges, green beans, salad, biscuits, and cobbler.
- Tues. Apr. 16th - Peppercorn steak, buttered rice, California blend, corn creole, batter bread, and ice cream.
- Wed. Apr. 17th - Sliced ham w/ cranberry sauce, cheesy potatoes, peas & carrots, salad, hot rolls, and dessert.
- Thur. Apr. 18th - Meat loaf, pinto beans, 7-minute cabbage, mashed potatoes, cornbread, and cobbler.
- Fri. Apr. 19th - Vegetable beef soup, tuna sandwiches, crackers w/ cheese slices, fruit cup & cookies.

If you plan to join the group at Munday, call Louise Fruewirth 422-4191. At Goree, call Juanita Davis at 422-4208 the day before.



A Breath of Fresh Air

By Ken Nietenhoefter

"Television is called a medium because anything good on it is rare."—Fred Allen

Have you noticed how people in increasing numbers no longer know how to "make change", add and subtract, but talk like they did 150 years ago?—"Me and my girlfriend." What ever happened to the king's English? And to think that we have schools that were supposed to improve all that.

"Where," one must ask, "are we learning all of this stuff? Why do so many know every intimate detail about rock divas, professional sports stars and TV characters? Why do so few know history, geography and literature? Could it be-----because of TV? Oh, yeah!

I have a suggestion for you: Never argue with ardent TV watchers (we'll call them TWATCHERS for short) about anything important—like, for instance, who is going to survive the latest reality show, or which part of Cher's body will be modified next, or whether or not professional wrestlers are smart. Twatchers will definitely know the answer and you will feel reeeeeeaaaly dumb.

No need for them to read. No need for them to learn. No need for them to study. They, after all, are Twatchers. They're hip. They're cool. They're in the know.

As I reported in one of my books over eight years ago, kids between the ages of two and twelve watch an average of 25 hours of TV per week. Do they believe everything they see on TV? Well—a lot of it, they do. Even back then, there existed a genuine concern that we were raising a generation of bleary-eyed Twatchers.

Television is undoubtedly the most powerful medium in our society today. The truth is: reading requires a certain degree of effort, listening requires some imagination, but watching TV can be done by even the most unenlightened people. The hard-

est thing to learn is how to operate the remote.

According to Dennis M. Adams, Associate Professor of Educational Studies at the University of Colorado, "These video snapshots challenge our intellectual powers by bringing simplicity into our hearts—but few thoughts into our heads."

Now comes a new study. It "discovered" that TV time is linked to violence by kids. What will they come up with next? These people are SMART. As reported by the Associated Press, young people who consumed at least an hour of programming a day were more likely to get into fights or commit crimes with weapons as adults.

In a recent story in the San Antonio Express-News, Steven Pliszka, chairman of the division of child and adolescent psychiatry at the University of Texas Health Science Center said, "This gives powerful ammunition to the argument about violence and television. For the average parent, there's reason to be concerned."

Now, I'll be the first to admit that I'm no psychiatrist, but doesn't it seem logical that a powerful medium like TV is likely to put some thoughts into one's head? If that's not true, why do advertisers spend billions of dollars every year on TV to persuade you to try their food, take their pills, or buy their cars?

Not that it ever works on me, of course, but I'm leaving now to rush down to a certain car dealership before its TV special deal runs out.

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Ask The AG: Child Abuse Awareness Month

by John Cornyn, Attorney General of Texas

April is Child Abuse Awareness Month. Instead of my usual question-and-answer column, I would like to take this opportunity to describe some ways you can help children.

Report your suspicions

If you have a reasonable suspicion that a child is being physically or emotionally abused or neglected, you are required by state law to report your suspicions immediately to a law enforcement agency or to the Texas Department of Protective and Regulatory Services (DPRS). If you fail to report suspected abuse or neglect, you could face a fine of up to \$2,000 and/or up to 180 days in jail.

The law does not require you to be certain that a child is being abused or neglected. You must only have a reason to believe it.

If the child appears to be in immediate danger, you should call 911 or your local law enforcement agency for a prompt response. You can also report your suspicions to Child Protective Services, the division of DPRS that investigates cases of child abuse and neglect. You can contact the DPRS toll-free hotline 24 hours a day at (800) 252-5400.

Signs of abuse or neglect

The following signs, on their own, do not necessarily indicate abuse. You might gently talk to the child to see if there are reasonable explanations. Some signs of abuse or neglect include:

- Frequent injuries such as bruises, cuts, or black eyes.
- Frequent complaints of pain without an obvious injury.
- Aggressive, disruptive, or destructive behavior.
- Passive, withdraw or emotionless behavior.
- Fear of going home or seeing parents or caregivers

Support a child who reports abuse

Regardless of your relationship to an abused child, your responses, attitudes, and actions can be critical to his or her overall experience and eventual healing. Here are some tips if a child comes to you about abuse or neglect:

DON'T

- Don't attempt to investigate on your own
- Don't express shock or blame
- Don't attempt to excuse or behavior
- Don't promise to keep the abuse a secret

DO

- Do ask open-ended questions, such as "What can you tell me about what happened?"
- Do keep your tone even and comforting and remain calm
- Do document what the child tells you and report it immediately to the authorities
- Do tell the child what you plan to do next

Protect your own child

You are legally responsible for the health and safety of your own child. If you allow your child to be in a situation where abuse can occur, you could be prosecuted for child abuse. If you believe that you and/or your child are in danger, call 911 or contact your local law enforcement agency for assistance.

Financial Assistance

If your child has been a victim of abuse or neglect, you may be eligible for financial assistance through the Crime Victim's Compensation Fund, administered by my office. The Fund can help pay for out-of-pocket expenses such as medical and counseling bills related to the abuse. For more information, visit the Office of the Attorney General Web site at www.oag.state.tx.us.

Our children depend on us to help them grow up safe and strong. By working together, we can end child abuse and neglect.

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Capitol Highlights

School finance committee studies statewide property tax

By Mike Cox
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN — When the Legislature convenes in January, Sherwood Forest once again will be dangerous territory for Robin Hood.

In this case, of course, Robin Hood is not a clever road agent in green tights who robs from the rich and gives to the poor, but the metaphor used for the state's complicated school finance system.

That system essentially does the same thing by funneling tax dollars from the richer school districts in Texas to the poorer districts.

Because of that, the formula has had plenty of sharp-tipped arrows sent in its direction since the funding plan's adoption in 1993.

Sticking with metaphors, more are in the quiver. A new plan, proposed last week by acting Lt. Gov. Bill Ratliff at a meeting of the Legislature's Joint Committee on School Finance, would depend on a statewide property tax to balance funds between districts with ample income and districts without.

A proposal is not a reality, but it's a starting place. Bottom line: School finance will be a huge issue next session no matter who gets elected governor.

Perry gets cops, loses doctors...

For the first time in its history, the Combined Law Enforcement Associations of Texas, better known as CLEAT, has endorsed a Republican gubernatorial candidate, Rick Perry.

The organization, which represents some 13,000 Texas police officers, said it didn't like Democratic candidate Tony Sanchez' take on prison funding.

But many of the state's doctors (the Texas Medical Association has some 30,000 of them on its membership list) are pulling the plug on any support for Perry in retaliation for his surprise veto last year of a prompt payment bill aimed at insur-

ance companies.

Longview Dr. John R. Coppedge, who said he had raised \$100,000-plus for Perry over the years, recently announced his support for Sanchez. Other doctors are expected to prescribe the same medicine for the governor.

While Texas has more police officers (40,000-plus) than doctors, the men and women with M.D. behind their name have more political contribution money to spend.

Static over electric deregulation...

Public Power Pool, a group representing Texas local governments, has filed a petition with the state Public Utility Commission seeking reimbursement of money they say has been lost because of delays in being converted to new electrical suppliers.

The filing was on behalf of 46 local governmental entities across the state.

The simple version of their argument is that they signed contracts under the state's electric deregulation law that are not yet being honored because of delays. Because of that, they say, they have lost millions of dollars in rate savings.

Equal access follow-up...

The news last week was that Playboy magazine is planning a "Girls of Enron" issue. Playgirl magazine has responded to that with plans for a "Guys of Enron" photo spread.

Talk about losing a suit. And no, this was not an April Fool's gag. Former employees of the bankrupt once-upon-a-time Texas business giant stand to make a little money off their career misfortune by literally losing their shirt.

All this proves that despite the lackluster economy, capitalism is doing just fine.



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- 1 poker type
- 5 skin itcher
- 6 use a keyboard
- 7 TXism: "plain as the top line on eye chart"
- 8 explosive
- 9 TXism: "let the cat out of"
- 15 Houston refused to take Confederacy allegiance
- 16 TXism: "busier than boomtown"
- 19 La Grange is seat of this county
- 21 TXism: "safe as a squirrel up"
- 22 mountain ranges
- 27 TX handyman Al Carrell helps _____ yourselves
- 28 fish cleaner
- 29 actress Meryl in TX-made "Silkwood"
- 30 TXism: "beats a poke in the _____ a sharp stick"
- 32 TX Charley Pride's "Where _____ I Put Her Memory"
- 33 TX Bubble Puppy tune: "Hot Smoke and _____"
- 36 TX Vikki Carr's "Hombres"
- 37 _____ Fenix
- 38 took a siesta
- 39 George H. lips line: "No _____ in the hole"
- 43 real _____

DOWN

- 1 Alamo custodian organization (abbr.)
- 2 TX musician Stevie _____ Vaughan
- 3 TXism: "useless _____ hose to a pig"
- 4 TXism: "he was alive _____ was only sick" (old)
- 8 TX basic skills exam (abbr.)
- 9 Las Colinas: "The First City of _____ Century"
- 10 ex-Rocket star center (init.)
- 11 "Giant" Taylor (init.)
- 12 1st coaching job for ex-Spurs Tarkanian: _____ Long _____
- 13 Claudia _____ Taylor Johnson (Lady Bird)
- 14 TX Ginger film: "Fifth Avenue _____"
- 15 TXism: "couldn't fight his way out _____ bag"
- 16 cowboy bolo (2 wds.)
- 17 heckler
- 18 Houston's _____ space industry
- 20 film of TX-born Robin Wright
- 22 Dallas singer Stills (init.)
- 23 22-down tune: "For _____ What _____ Worth"
- 24 Astro Wade Miller stat _____ make a finger sound again
- 25 _____ water area in south TX
- 26 _____ store for future use
- 28 TX Tanya's "Can _____ You Tonight"
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- 34 this Fess played Davy Crockett (init.)
- 35 Aransas Pass celebration: Shrimpo _____
- 37 precise
- 40 UCLA is Aikman's _____ mater
- 41 TX comedian/actor Martin (init.)
- 44 "want it so bad I can _____ it"
- 45 TXism: "skinny _____"
- 51 TX Tanya's "Cowboy-Lovin' Night"
- 52 TX actor Rip (init.)

VRJC to offer two continuing education courses

The Division of Workforce Education and Training at Vernon College has once again scheduled the popular course entitled Defensive Driving. The course is designed to train drivers in professional traffic accident avoidance techniques and to promote an attitude of mutual understanding, courtesy, and cooperation through informed motorists. The course is approved by the National Traffic Safety Institute and the Texas Education Agency and makes the student eligible for a reduction in their insurance premiums or for traffic citation dismissal.

The course will meet on Saturday, April 27 from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on the Vernon College campus in Vernon, Texas. The course will be taught by a licensed Defensive Driving instructor, and the fee will be \$25.00.

Pre-Lifeguard Qualification will be offered this spring by the Continuing Education Division of Vernon College. This is sponsored by the American Red Cross. It will be held from 6:30 to 10:00 p.m. on Friday, May 3 for 4 hours of instruction. Persons wishing to enroll for the Red Cross Lifeguard training course must enroll and pass this pre-lifeguard qualification test prior to enrolling in the Lifeguard Training. The registration fee will be \$20.00.

Early registration is advised. Contact the Office of Continuing Education of Vernon College at (940) 552-6291, extension 2210 to enroll. This will be conducted in the King Center Pool of Vernon College, 4400 College Drive in Vernon.

Financial Focus



By Gary Decker

Take Realistic View of Future Investment Returns

Investing in the 1990s was fun, wasn't it? All those double-digit gains in the stock market, year after year, were certainly nice. But they weren't typical — and that's important to remember as you invest today.

Unfortunately, some investors may still be burdened with unrealistic expectations, thanks to the "go-go" decade that's now gone. That's too bad, because if you always expect returns of 16 percent a year, you'll never be satisfied with the 7 percent or 8 percent that have historically been more normal.

So, how do you avoid playing the "Great Expectations" game? Here are a few suggestions:

Set goals, not targets. You can easily get frustrated by setting "targets" for the rate of return you want from your investments. On the other hand, you do need to set long-term financial goals for yourself. You may decide you want to retire at age 55, pay for your children's college education or buy a vacation home in 10 years. Once you've established these goals, you can then estimate how much money you'll need to pay for them. At that point, you can determine the appropriate investment strategy for accumulating the money you're going to need. By establishing realistic goals and creating a systematic strategy for achieving them, you'll be more likely to overlook short-term price fluctuations and stay focused on the long-term objective.

Hold on to high-quality stocks. By expecting a very high level of return each year from your stocks, you're setting yourself up for disappointment — and you'll also be more likely to make some bad investment decisions. Here's how: If you're dissatisfied with your stocks' performance, you may end up constantly juggling your portfolio in an effort to boost your returns. This type of hyperactive trading is usually ineffective — and it can be expensive, too, once you start racking up heavy commissions. So, instead of perpetually buying and selling stocks in an effort to increase your return, look for high-quality stocks, and hold them for the long term. Most good stocks will still have their ups and downs, but if they represent good companies with good products and strong management, they should reward you over time.

Diversify your investments. If you expect high returns from your stocks, you're going to be rewarded in some years and disappointed in others. It's true that, over time, stocks have historically outperformed other asset classes, such as bonds and U.S. Treasury securities. And yet, during any given year, stocks can perform poorly, while bonds and Treasuries are showing good returns. That's why it's essential that you diversify your investment dollars among a broad range of assets — growth stocks, international stocks, growth-and-income stocks, bonds, Treasuries, certificates of deposit, etc. By diversifying your portfolio, you can help cushion yourself against downturns affecting just one type of asset — while giving yourself more opportunities to succeed.

In most walks of life, it's good to be optimistic. And it's that way in the investment world, too — as long as you temper your optimism with a healthy dose of realism.

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See Page 9 For Solution

Haskell to hold a new area-wide women's ministry

An organizational meeting for a new area-wide women's ministry will be held Monday, April 15, at 7 p.m. in the Haskell High School Auditorium. All ladies who are interested in Christian service, growth, and fellowship are encouraged to attend. For more information, call 864-2581 (days), 864-3775, or (915) 773-3863.

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Elementary Edition
THE HAPPENINGS AT MUNDAY ELEMENTARY

TAAS DATES

The Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test dates are quickly approaching. Beginning next Tuesday, April 16, students in grades 3-8 will take the math portion of the test. Then on Wednesday, April 17, the same students will be testing over in the reading section of the TAAS. Eighth grade students will continue the TAAS test with sections in science and social studies. To better prepare your child, make sure he/she gets plenty of rest, and eats a healthy breakfast each morning.

AR Goals

Students making their AR goal for the fifth six week are as follows:

1st grade: Emilio avalos, Matt Booe, Dwayne Castorena, Ryder Dillard, Logan Groves, Pamela Martinez, Jake Myers, AJ Prieto, Karina Rangel, Karla Rangel, Lambrey Rawlins, Destini Raynes, Kennedy Redder, Shannon Reeves, Aaron Searcey, Trey Stinnett, Roddrick Taylor, Tori Thompson, Kylie Urbanczyk, Baliegh Weigand, Taylor Wilson, and Mark Yzaguirre.

2nd Grade: Kimberly Andrade, Katelyn Brown, Eduardo Chavez, Makebra Collier, Adrian Hernandez, Chelsea Ford, Morgan Griffith, Kristen Kuehler, Kelly Martinez, Alyssa Moore, and Kinna Thomas.

3rd grade: Diandra Avalos, Calder Cue, Rian Dillard, Will Kuehler, Cody Reece, Pamela Walker, Chace Thompson, Tiffany Wertz.

4th graded: Sara Benavente, Jonathan Birkenfeld, Bandy Moeller, Brittany Waggoner, Tanya Gray, Emiliano Lara, Mariela Martinez, Candy Mata, Kimberly Myers, Taylor Stewart, and Andres Matoes.

5th grade: Ana Castillo, Geoffrey Cude, Rob Dillard, Amye Moore, Douglas Moore, Michael Ramirez, Laura Rangel, Abby Sanders, Kaleb Alexander, Kobie Decker, Tyler Ford, Kalee Josselet, Gary Mizer, Andrea Ramirez, Tiffanie Rivera, Lari Dee Welch, Leslie Flores, and Ezequiel Carranza.

6th grade: Destini Cooke, Michelle Gonzales, Ashleigh Myers, Krystynn Myers, Pate Stewart, Kayla Upton, Steven Urbanczyk, Jay White, Missy Collier, Brian Fetsch, Shelbey Hendrix, Jonathan Key, Heather Moore, Rechele Raynes, and Kellie Sepeda.

Top point earners in each grade were: Ryder Dillard, Trey Stinnett, Kimberly Andrade, Eduardo Chavez, Calder Cude, Pamela Walker, Brittany Waggoner, Emiliano Lara, Geoffrey Cude, Rob Dillard, Jonathan Key, and Kellie Sepeda.

Owners of the class BIG Top Tent were Mrs. Myers' fifth grade homeroom. The class earned 350.9 points to earn the most points of any homeroom.

These students will be recognized at the AR-RIF Book Rally on Tuesday, April 9th as they help the cheer-readers root for books and reading!

Class Happenings:

Letters O and P hOPped on the class coconut tree in Pre-K this week. Mrs. Cypert brought five of her puppies to share with the class, and Laura Myers brought her three poodles for the students to play with. Students also enjoyed a snack of puppy chow - not the dog kind!! Students continue to read as they have begun their second month in the BOOK IT Beginners program. This group has gotten "wild about reading!"

Mrs. Pankhurst's

kindergarteners are extinct—or looking at extinct dinosaurs as the thematic unit as they became paleontologists and "dug up" dinosaur bones. They also made indoor/outdoor rubbings for dino scaly skin, wrote dino-mite stories, and drew a mural with plant-eaters and meat-eaters and their habitats. Trey Tidwell shared his dino-puppet, while Paloma Perez brought rocks from Nueces River, and Elissa Sepeda showed a shiny rock her dad had found. Targeted this week was writing with students writing a question and then answering with a telling sentences. Already looking at Christmas wish lists are Jarett Earle and Kaylan Urbanczyk as each want two new front teeth!!

Mrs. Murphy's class learned all about plants and habitats for animals and plants. Students learned about domino playing in math, and practiced telling time with both digital and analog clocks. Students enjoyed practicing subtraction in the computer lab, and Ethan Griffith reached his BOOK IT! goal while Mayra Ramirez turned six.

First graders explored all the way a letter can travel before reaching its destination, and adjectives were described in English. Reading covered compound words, while spelling was over long "a" words. Math class learned how to subtract from ten, and measurement of feet.

Second graders are enjoying using the computer lab and learning more about computers, its uses, and the Internet. The class found a very interesting website on President and First Lady Bush. On this site, the students found biographies of each, and biographies each had written of their pets. Students were fascinated with the stories, and how to surf websites!

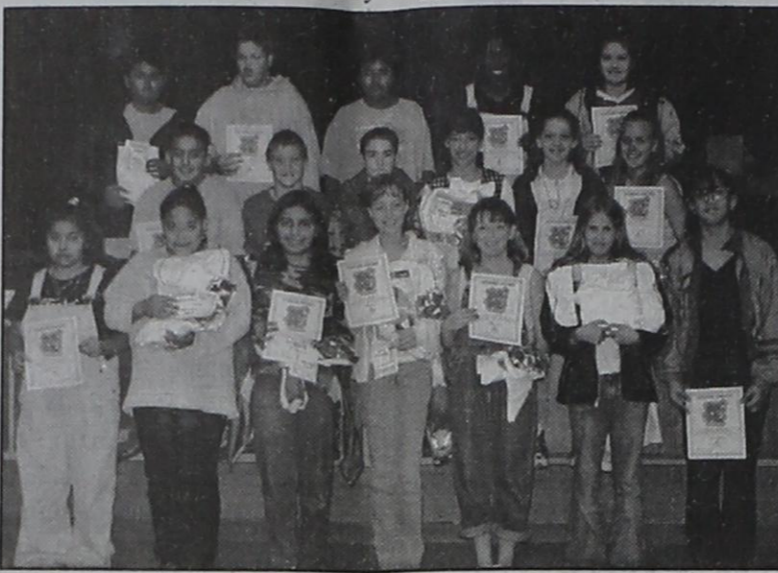
Third graders are now ready to publish their expository writing, and the class continues to review for the upcoming TAAS test. Math students were multiplying by 10, 100, and 1,000 using a single digit, and Kelly Bejar, Angel Navarrete, and Chace Thompson made BOOK IT! goals.

Upcoming Happenings: April 12—No School, April 16-17—TAAS Test Dates, April 23—Parent Fair in elementary gym, April 26—No School, May 1—Mid six-weeks progress reports.



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THE TOP AR POINT EARNERS in their grade for fifth six weeks (bottom row, from left) Trey Stinnett, Ryder Dillard (1st gr.), Pamela Walker, Calder Cude (3rd gr) Kimberly Andrade, Eduardo Chavez (2nd gr), (top row) Kellie Sepeda, Jonathan Key (6th gr), Rob Dillard, Geoffrey Cude (5th gr), Brittany Waggoner, Emiliano Lara(4th gr).



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MUNDAY JUNIOR HIGH STUDENTS participated in a Math-A-Thon sponsored by St. Jude's Hospital to help the sick children at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

Munday Junior High students raise money for Saint Jude's Hospital

Munday Junior High students were given the opportunity to participate in a Math-A-Thon. The Math-A-Thon was sponsored by St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. Eighteen students participated and raised a total of \$1121.30. This money is used to help the sick children at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital. The students received t-shirts, sports bags, and free tickets to Six Flags as incentives for participating. Cassandra Fetsch, the top money earner, received a personal CD player. Other participants

were Enrique Martinez, Doug Carroll, Elizabeth Gulley, Payden Stewart, Lynndy Moeller, LaTheresa Dockins, Cody Kuehler, Angel Miranda, Emily Mizer, Anton Fernandez, Eric Gonzales, Amayda Prieto, Destiny Collier, Ashley Crownover, Beatrice Monasterio, Brittany Navarrete, and Ashton Smith. The Math-A-Thon was a fun way of improving math skills while raising money for research and treatment at St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

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Prairie Pantry

'Tis the season to cook outdoors and the area men are getting into the Prairie Pantry scene! "This is a recipe that came from the book 'Calf Fries to Caviar.' We love to have these green beans when we're cooking steak on the grill," says Kyle Bibb. "It's one of Amanda's and Austin's favorites."

Bundles of Green Beans

2 slices bacon
2 cans whole green beans
1/3 cup brown sugar
1/3 cup margarine, melted
dash garlic salt
You will also need 4 large squares of foil.

Drain cans of green beans. Make 4 individual piles of green beans on the squares of foil. Place 1/2 slice of bacon on each pile. In a bowl mix brown sugar and margarine. Then pour the mixture over the "bundles." Top with a dash of garlic salt. Close up the foil by rolling top and side together.

This week's featured cook
Kyle Bibb.

"These can be fixed in the oven and baked at 350 degrees for 30 minutes or by placing on the grill if you're cooking outside," says Bibb. "If placed on grill, check periodically. When the bacon is done, the beans should be ready. I usually put them on the top rack on low heat prior to grilling our steaks. By the time the meat is done the beans are usually just perfect." Grilling the beans also gives them that truly delicious smoky flavor!

(The Prairie Pantry is a column that is featured weekly in The Munday Courier. We hope that cooks in the area are excited about this feature and will volunteer to star in one of the weekly columns. If you have a recipe you would like to share or if you know of a good cook in the area that we could call on please telephone us at (940) 422-4314. Happy dining!



Local Obituaries

Moore, Wynette Farmer

Wynette Farmer Moore, 80, of Munday, Texas died Monday, April 1, 2002. Mrs. Moore was a beloved wife, mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She was born on January 19, 1922 in Knox County and was raised in Knox City. She attended Texas Tech University and Tarleton University. On June 1, 1941, she married W.R. Moore, Jr. of Munday, TX. During World War II, while Mr. Moore was overseas, she worked at General Dynamics in Ft. Worth supporting the war effort. Following Mr. Moore's return in 1945, the couple moved back to Knox County where they raised their 4 children. Mrs. Moore served as Den Mother for the local Cub Scout Pack and a Troop Leader for the local Girl Scout Troop. As an active member of the First United Methodist Church in Munday, Mrs. Moore was a Sunday School teacher as well as a Youth Leader. She continued to be an active member of the church and an enthusiastic volunteer throughout her life. In more recent times, she enjoyed traveling with her husband as members of the Texas Wheat Board. Mrs. Moore is survived by her husband, W.R. Moore, Jr; her two daughters and sons-in-law, Millie & Jack Booe of Lubbock, TX and Martha & Phil Moore of Ft. Collins, CO; two sons and daughters-in-law, Bill & Jerre Moore of Las Vegas, NV and Ben & Joy Moore of Medical Lake, WA; eight grandchildren, and four great-grandchildren. Memorial Contributions may be sent to the Fellowship Building Fund of the First United Methodist Church of Munday.

Mauldin, John Paul

John Paul Mauldin died April 1, 2002 in Abilene, TX. He was born in Knox City, Texas on July 28, 1960. John Paul grew up in various cities in Northwest Texas where his father was a United Methodist Pastor, i.e. Munday, Hale Center, Morton, Dalhart, Borger, and Amarillo.

He was an accomplished dancer and musician. He received various honors for his flute playing, but his forte was Classical Ballet Dancing. He graduated from Tascosa High in Amarillo, and from West Texas A&M University in Canyon with a degree in performing arts. John Paul was a graduate assistant to directors Neil and Camille Hess of Amarillo, who were his teachers and examples.

John attended Julliard School of Dance in New York City on scholarship. He was employed by Eglesky Ballet of New York, Hartford Ballet, Fort Worth Ballet, El Paso Ballet, Lone Star Ballet, and Lubbock Ballet. He performed in the musical drama, Texas, for ten years.

John was a member of St. Paul United Methodist Church in Abilene. He attended services at Trent United Methodist Church where his father is serving as pastor.

He is survived by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Rex L. Mauldin of Abilene; his sister, Mrs. Joy Henderson and her husband, Major Scotty Henderson, of El Paso; two brothers, Dr. Allen L. Mauldin and his wife, Gaylynn, of Cedar Park, Texas, and Dr. Gary Rex Mauldin and his wife, Janet, of Cleburne, Texas. His brother, Mark Lynn preceded him in death in 1998.

His is also survived by eight nephews, i.e. Ryan, Ross, Josh, Chuck, Bo, Zach, Jason, and Chad; four nieces, Renee, Rexanne, Lauren Heather, and Blair; and Cheryl Mauldin of Rhome, Texas.

Services were held on Thursday, April 4 in the sanctuary of St. Paul United Methodist Church with Rev. Paul Bauernfeind and Rev. Steve Chappell officiating. Burial followed in the Elliott-Hamil Garden of Memories, directed by Elliott-Hamil Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Joshua Mauldin, Chuck Mauldin, Ross Mauldin, Ryan Mauldin, Jason Mauldin, Chad Mauldin, Bo Henderson, and Zach Henderson.

The family has requested that memorials be made to St. Paul United Methodist Church in Abilene or Trent United Methodist Church.

4-H Team Roping or Calf Roping School to be held

Hockley County is hosting the 13th Annual 4-H Team Roping School at South Plains College in Levelland, Texas, May 30 - June 2, 2001. This school is open to all 4-H members ages 12 - 18. Applications are available at the Extension office and spaces are limited. The cost is \$250 per student plus a \$25.00 stall deposit. This price includes meals from Thursday evening through Sunday at noon, 3 nights lodging, stall rent, instruction, insurance, a cattle charge and refreshments. The \$25 stall deposit will be refunded at the end of the school if your stall and tack room is clean and passes inspection.

For more information and applications, please contact Trish Jones at the Knox County Extension office at 940/454-2651.

Educational programs of the Texas Cooperative Extension are open to all citizens without regard to race, color, sex, disability, religion, age or national origin. Individuals with disabilities who require an auxiliary aid, service

or accommodation in order to participate in a meeting or program are encouraged to contact the Knox County Extension office at (940) 454-2651.

Guffey, Don

Don Guffey, 68, passed away on Sunday, April 7, 2002 in Abilene, Texas. Graveside services were held on Tuesday, April 9, 2002 at Goree Cemetery under the direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home with Joe Hastey officiating.

Mr. Guffey was born on December 1, 1933 in Haskell County. He moved from Anson to Munday in 1999. Guffey was a retired mechanic and a member of Anson First Baptist Church.

His survivors include: one son: Mark Guffey of Hawley, Texas; three daughters: Terri Parrish of Irving, Angie Bernal of Anson, and Toni Poole of Clyde; one sister, Joy Hord of Goree; 3 grandchildren; and 1 great-grandchild.

Walsh, Willie Helen

Willie Helen Walsh, 77, passed away on Sunday, April 7, 2002 at Knox County Hospital. Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, April 10, 2002 at 2:00 p.m. under the direction of McCauley-Smith Funeral Home with A.B. Martin officiating. Burial will take place at Johnson Memorial Cemetery in Munday, Texas.

Mrs. Walsh was born on August 6, 1924 in Bolivar County, Mississippi. She moved from Mabank, Texas to Knox County in 1928. She was a homemaker.

On July 12, 1941 she married Wendell (Buck) Walsh in Munday, Texas.

Mrs. Walsh is survived by her husband, Wendell (Buck) Walsh; two daughters, Barbara Averitt of Munday and Elaine Hovden of Lubbock; one brother, Lester Arnold, Jr. of Seymour; one sister, Nancy Woods of Haskell; 6 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and 1 great-great-grandchild.

'Eat Well for Less' program series to begin April 11

A six-part series, "Eat Well For Less" will begin on Thursday, April 11, 2002. This series will be held each Thursday for six weeks from 1:30 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. at the Department of Human Services conference room located at 606 E. Main St. - Knox City, Texas.

This free program series will help participants be healthy, prepare food safely, and save money. The first meeting on April 11 will address "Healthy Eating". Eating using the Food Guide Pyramid will be discussed and participants will begin the process of food budgeting. Other topics to be taught during the series include information

on carbohydrates in the diet, food safety, budgeting, menu planning and shopping strategies.

This series of programs is being sponsored by the Texas Cooperative Extension - Better Living for Texans Program and the Texas Department of Human Services. A Spanish speaking interpreter will be on hand at each session if needed.

Questions about this program series can be answered by contacting the Knox County Extension Office at 454 - 2651 or the Department of Human Services Office at 658 - 3524.

Knox County Hospital and EMS helping sponsor car seat safety

Think Child Safety and affiliates are hosting a car seat check-up event on April 19, 2002 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Stamford Walmart. To get your car-seat checked you must be present with your child in his/her existing car seat.

This will be sponsored by Haskell Memorial Hospital & EMS, Hamlin Memorial Hospital & EMS, Knox County Hospital & EMS, Stamford Memorial Hospital & EMS, Stonewall Memorial Hospital & EMS.

A.J. "Shorty" Kuehler Estate

DATE: Saturday, April 13 TIME: 9:00 a.m.

LOCATION: Historic Rhineland, Texas DIRECTIONS: From Munday, Tx., take Hwy 222 west one mile to FM 267. North approx. five miles to FM 2534. Take 2534 west 1/2 mile. House on left. Look for signs.

Food Service will be provided by Andy Griffith.

Due to the death of Mr. Kuehler, Scott Edmonds Auction Co. has been commissioned to sell the following property from Mr. Kuehler's estate at auction.

Antiques:

Bird cages, Camel back trunk, flat top trunk, Bookcase w/ glass paned doors, Stereoscope w/pictures, Grout Cutter, Pictures & Frames, Doll Beds, Oak Armoire, Metal Panel Bed, Commode Chamber, Hurricane Lamps, Dolls, Toys & Games, School Desk, Oak Filing Cabinet, (2) Pie Safes

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Knox County Hospital to host blood drive on Thursday, April 18

Knox County Hospital will host a blood drive on Thursday, April 18. The Meek Blood Center Bloodmobile from Abilene will be at the hospital from 1:00 - 6:00. Meek Blood Center supplies blood for Knox County Hospital.

The need for blood is great. Frances Baker, Donor Recruiter for Meek Blood Center said, "Even though 60% of the population is eligible to donate blood, less than 5% currently donate each year." Knox County Hospital has averaged 15 donors each time the Bloodmobile has been to Knox City.

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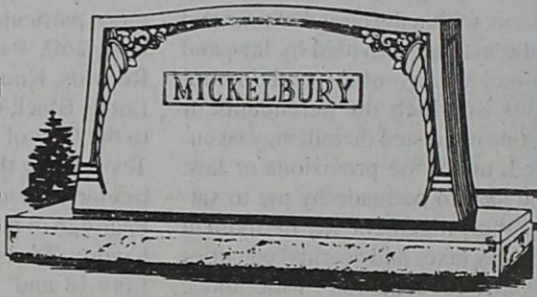
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Personal Information:

- Retired School Principal. Presently work part-time as a Student-Teacher Supervisor for Midwestern State University, and ranch part-time.
- Wife - Nahwana Donoho, Teacher at Munday High School.
- Daughter - Kathy, Curriculum Director for Springtown ISD.
- Son - Jay, Environmental Scientist for Weston Engineering Corporation in Dallas.
- Son - Zane, Director of the Teen Center, Southwest Boys and Girls Club in Wichita Falls and Student at Midwestern State University.

Educational Background:

- Elementary - Attended Goree, Munday, Knox City.
- Graduated from Goree High School.
- Bachelor's Degree in Teaching from Midwestern State University.
- Master's Degree in School Administration from North Texas State University.
- Doctoral Work in Administration at The University of Texas at Austin and Texas Tech University.

Military Service:

- U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Work Experience:

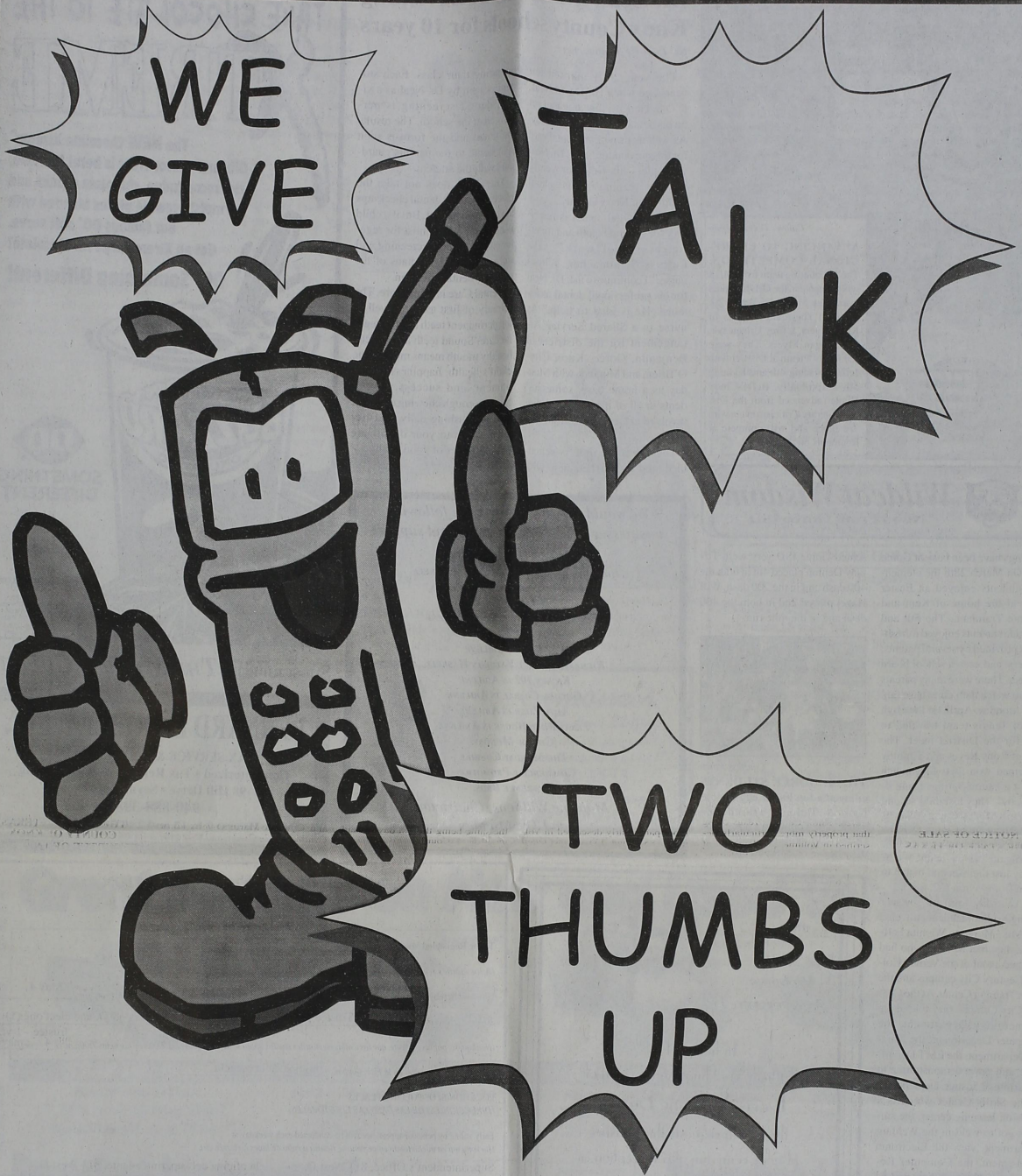
- City Planning Department, Joe Ward Consulting Engineers, Wichita Falls.
- Teacher - Ben Franklin Elementary, Wichita Falls.
- Teacher - Seymour Elementary, Seymour.
- Principal - James Bowie Elementary, San Angelo.
- Principal - Munday Junior High and Munday High School.
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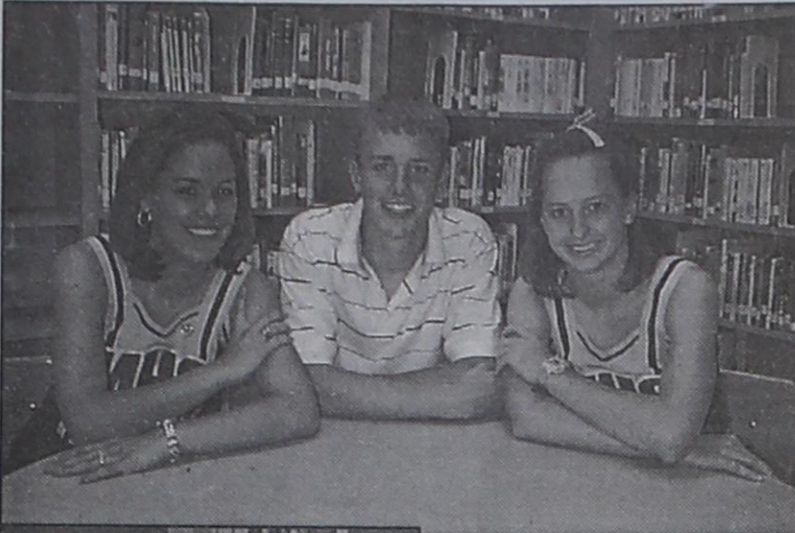
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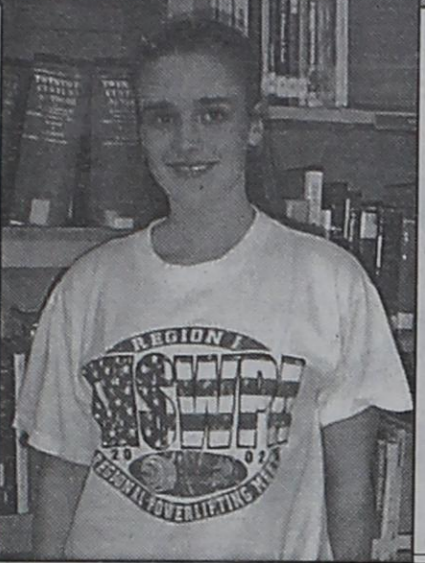
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ADVANCING TO UIL REGIONAL COMPETITION. The Accounting team from MHS will compete in the UIL Regional events at McMurry April 20. (Above) The team consists of Kylie Myers, Jeffrey Urbanczyk, and Megan Myers. They were second as a team at District with Jeffrey placing 4th and Kylie in 5th individually. (left) Cindy Hunter advanced from the District Literary Criticism event with 3rd place and will compete at Regionals on the 20th.



Dr. Neal, D.D.S. has been visiting Knox County schools for 10 years

By: Lu Rose Schumacher

The year 2001 marked ten years ago when Dr. David Neal, D.D.S. came to this area and set up his dental practice in Munday. As well as providing dental care for the surrounding area, Dr. Neal volunteers his time for yearly dental screening of the school children in Knox County.

"Since dental health is necessary for general health and for efficient school work," says LuRose Schumacher, school nurse, "I continue to ask Dr. Neal for his professional dental assistance. He is glad to help." As nurse in a Shared Service Arrangement for the districts of Benjamin, Goree, Knox City-O'Brien, and Munday, with Munday as a home base, some students in all of these districts are involved in the organized screening.

The screening time is scheduled and the teachers help with

preparing their class. Each student is seen by Dr. Neal as a visual dental screening is performed at the school. The results are noted and the form is soon sent home to the parents/guardians with the student.

The above does not take the place of regular dental check-ups at your own dentist. But if a child is not seen by a dentist for regular check-ups, the screening will inform parents/guardians of the need for dental attention.

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Wildcat Wisdom News From Goree ISD

Things have been busy at Goree ISD. On March 28th the elementary students enjoyed an Easter Party at the home of Kent and Tammie Trainham. The 5th and 6th grade students enjoyed refreshments provided by several parents, teachers, and even a school board member. There were many parents there to watch their child have fun.

sented Goree ISD very well. Tiffany Denton placed 4th in both the 400 dash and in the 200 dash. Will Hagel placed 2nd in both the 400 dash and in the mile run.



Courtesy Photo

THESE GOREE STUDENTS enjoyed a fun Easter egg hunt at Kent & Tammie Trainham's house. The Trainham's hosted the Goree Elementary students at their house on March 28th.

On Monday, April 1st the High School Tennis team traveled to Spur for the District meet. The team of Rony Reyes and Timothy Hardeman won their first match against a Patton Springs team: 4-6, 6-1, 6-4. They lost their second match to a Motley County team 6-4, 6-0. The team of Jorge DeHaro and Tino Castorena won their first match against a Spur team: 6-4, 6-3. They lost their second match to a team from Jayton 6-2, 6-0.

On Thursday, April 4th, seven of the High school students traveled with Miss Moore to Wichita Falls where they met Mr. Rix who had arranged a tour of the Vernon College Century City campus and the Skills Training Center. At the Century City Campus they toured the Cosmetology Department, the Computer Department, the Nursing Department, the EMT Department, and saw a demonstration in the Criminal Justice Department. At the Skills Center which is a hands on learning center, the students got to weld in the Welding Department, view the Electronic Department, the Computer Department, and learned about putting in a central air conditioning unit. Students making this trip were Tino Castorena, Jorge DeHaro, Adella Garcia, Andrea Garcia, Sylvia Garcia, Juana Llamas, and Maria Reyes.

On Thursday, April 4th, the Goree Jr. High Track team traveled to Guthrie to compete at the District Track Meet. Participants were Tiffany Denton, Maria Garcia, and Will Hagel. These students repre-

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(Notifíquese, por las presente, que las casillas electorales citadas abajo se abrirán desde las 7:00a.m. hasta las 7:00p.m. el 4 de mayo 2002 para votar en la Elección para consejos de la escuela)

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April 26, 2002 26 de abril, 2002 (date) (fecha)

Issued this the 20th day of February, 2002 (Emitada este día 20 de febrero, 2002)

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Mogulettes take 4th place at District track meet

The Munday Mogulettes took fourth place as a team at the District meet held in Graham last Friday. They trailed behind first place team of Windthorst who had 141 points, Alvord with 124 and Muenster with 112.

In the Shot Put event Dee Toliver took first place with 34'6.75". Jennifer Sosa was 5th in the High Jump with 4'410" and Jara Gray was 2nd in Pole Vault with 6'6". The 400 meter relay

team of Eden Collier, Tiffany Myers, Laurie Welch, and Danielle Betts was 2nd with 57:36.0. Toni Tidwell was 2nd in the 100 Hurdles with 17.16. Eden Collier took 3rd in 100 meter Dash with 13.5. Laurie Welch finished in first place in the 400 meter dash with 1.03.55 and Eden Collier was 6th in the 200 meter Dash with 29.07. The 1600 M Relay was 2nd with 4.28.15.

Munday junior high girls take second at District track meet

The Munday junior high school girls track team totaled 154 points to take second place at the District meet held in Munday last Thursday. They trailed only behind Windthorst who had 195 points total.

Crystal Sample was third in the Triple Jump with 17'9 1/4" and Tamara Dockins was 6th with 26'3 1/2". Katie Myers took second in the High Jump with 4'6" and was first in the long Jump with 14'6 1/4". Broke Rocha was second in the 2400 m Run with 10.18.49 and Tonya Gray was 3rd with 10.20.45. The 400 m relay took second with 56.85. Tamara Dockins took a first place win in the 800 m run with 2.52.59 and

Ashley Crownover was second with 3.04.65. Ashton Smith was 4th in that even with 3.08.78. Jalenn Earle was second with 20.31 in the 100 M Hurdles and Crystal Sample took a first place win in the 400 M Dash with 69.72. The 800 M Relay team took first with 2.02.02 and the 1600 M Relay team took first with 4.42.52. In the 1600 m Run Brooke Rocha was second with 6.36.46 while Kelli Cypert was 4th with 6.56.14 and Ashley Crownover was 6th with 7.16.21. Jalenn Earle was 4th in the 300 Hurdles with 65.80 and Crystal Sample was 5th in the 200 M Dash with 31.33

Moguls and JV Moguls turn out for District track meet

The JV and Varsity Mogul track teams traveled to Graham last week for the District track meet.

Individual results for the JV are: Eddie Lloyd, 1st, 100 M Dash; Jerome Flye, 3rd, 100 M Dash; Jerome Flye, 1st, 400 M Dash; Manuel Nunez, 5th, Shot Put, 32'9.5"; Eddie Lloyd, 1st, High Jump, 5'8"; Eddie Lloyd, 1st, Long Jump, 20.8; Eddie Lloyd, Triple Jump, 41'7".

The Varsity boys individual results are: Erik Sosolik, 2nd, Shot Put, 43'2 1/2"; Erik Sosolik, 3rd, Discus, 129-0; Josh Myers, 1st, Pole Vault, 9'6"; Trey Taylor, 3rd,

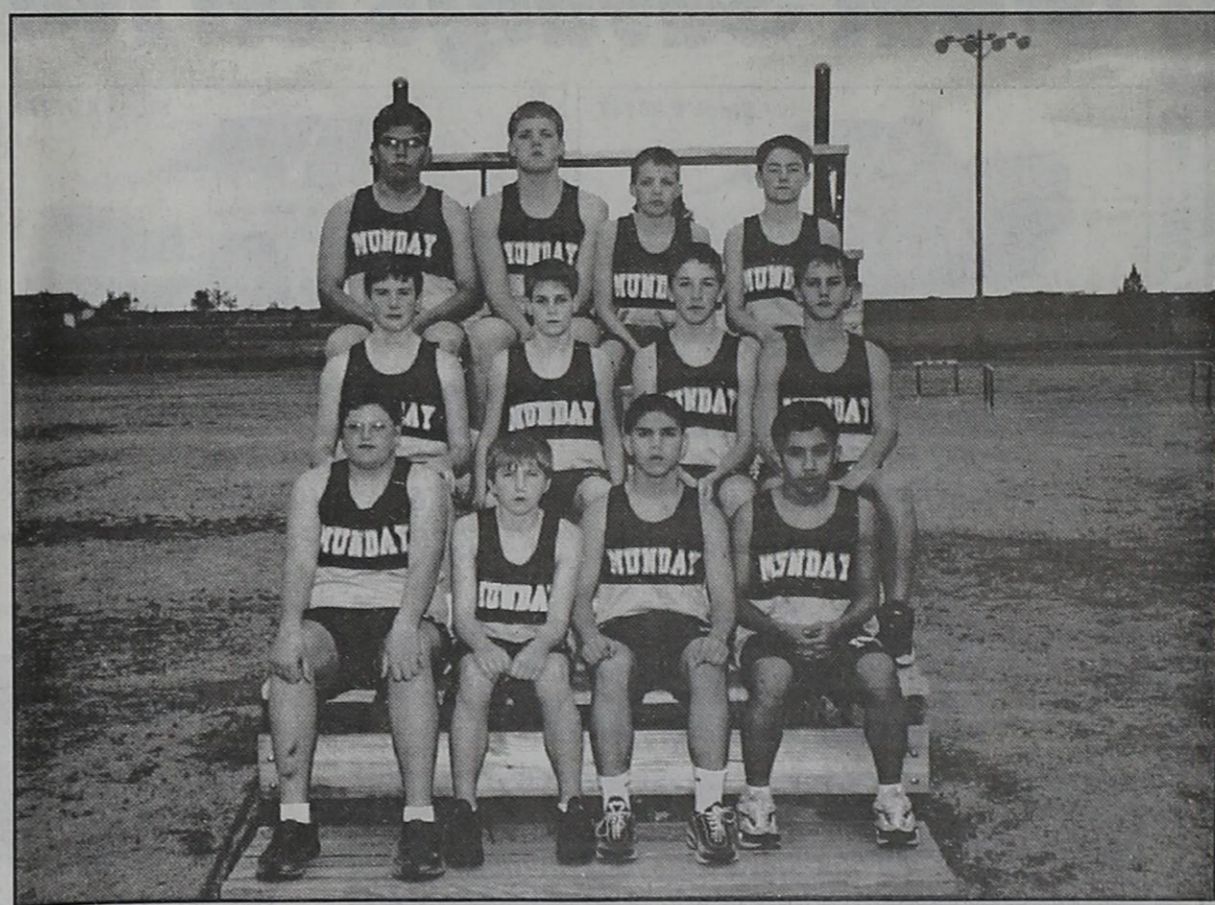
Pole Vault, 8'6"; Matt Arismendez, 4th, Pole Vault, 8'6"; Shawn Scarborough, 2nd, 3200 M Run, 11:009.2; 4 X 100 Relay, 3rd, 45.79. Chance Myers, Zack Sanchez, Brandon Urbanczyk, and Jeffrey Urbanczyk; Justin Josselet, 2nd, 800, 2:11.92; Brandon Urbanczyk, 4th, 100, 11.52; Jeffery Tolliver, 3rd, 400, 55.34; Chance Myers, 2nd, 200, 23.85; Shawn Scarborough, 1st, 1600, 4:54.82; 4 X 400 Relay, 2nd, Chance Myers, Zack Sanchez, Jeffrey Urbanczyk, and Jeffery Tolliver, 3:40.03.



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Cattle and crops to hi-light Vernon Field Day

Farmers and stockmen can update their knowledge of wheat production, grazing and tillage systems, cool-season forages and stocker cattle management at a April 18 field day hosted by Texas A & M's Agricultural Research and Extension Center here.

Field tours will highlight this event, which begins with coffee and registration at 8 a.m. at the nearby Texas Foundation Seed Service facility.

Participants can choose to take the morning field tour at three times: 8:30 a.m., 9 a.m., or 9:30 a.m. Each field tour will include four presentations/stops.

Bill Pinchak, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station ruminant nutritionist, will give an overview of current grazing studies at Stop 1. Jackie Rudd, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station wheat breeder at Amarillo, will cover forage and grain wheat breeding at Stop 2.

John Sij, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station agronomist, and Darius Marlinowski, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station forage agronomist, will overview an ongoing tillage study and information on forages at Stop 3. Todd Baughman, Texas Cooperative Extension agronomist, will discuss clearfield wheats at Stop 4.

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The tours return to the foundation seed facility around 11 a.m. Participants can then learn about the latest options-opportunities in wildlife management from Dean Ransom, Texas A & M wildlife ecologist, and stocker cattle management-budgeting from Stan Bevers, Extension economist.

A featured luncheon speaker will present the latest information on the farm bill now under consideration in Congress. After lunch, representatives from the Texas Department of Agriculture, Oklahoma Wheat Commission, and the Texas Wheat Producers Board will discuss current regulations on Karnal bunt and the possibility of deregulation of this crop disease.

"This field day will offer farmers and stockmen the latest information on crops, forages, cattle, and management," said Galen Chandler, Texas Cooperative Extension district agriculture director. "We also plan to have several agribusiness exhibitors on hand, to showcase their products and equipment."

"There is no charge to attend, registration is free. Lunch will be served at the foundation seed facility next door to the Vernon center." For more information on the April 18 agriculture field day, call the Texas A & M Research and Extension Center in Vernon at (940) 552-9941, or Trish Jones at (940) 454-2651.

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Munday students competing in the Area Trackmeet

Varsity Girls:



Dee Toliver
Shot Put

Jara Gray
Pole Vault

4 X 100 Relay
Jennifer Sosa, Eden Collier,
Tiffany Myers, & Laurie Welch

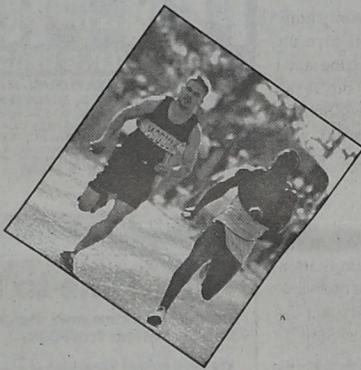
Toni Tidwell
100 Hurdles

Eden Collier
100 M Dash

Laurie Welch
400 M Dash

4 X 400 Relay
Jennifer Sosa, Tiffany Myers,
Laurie Welch, & Danielle Betts

Varsity Boys:



Erik Sosolik
Shot Put & Discus

Josh Myers
Pole Vault

Trey Taylor
Pole Vault

Shawn Scarborough
3200 M Run & 1600 M Run

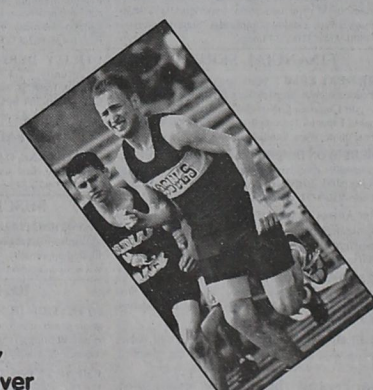
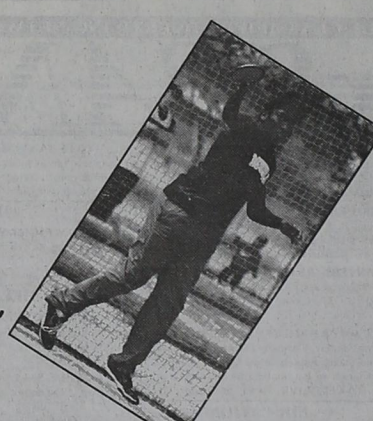
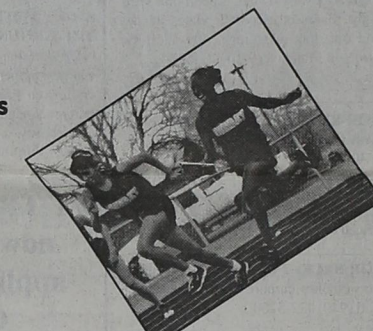
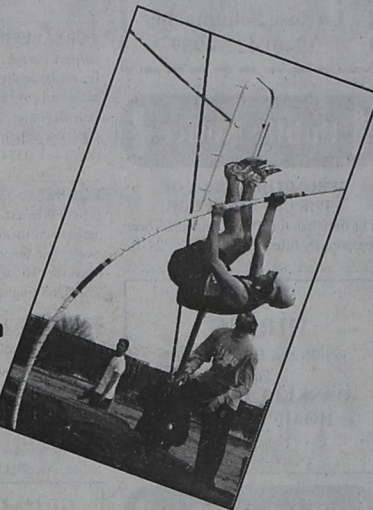
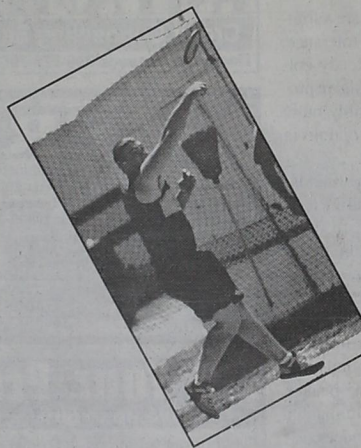
Sprint Relay
Chance Myers, Zack Sanchez,
Brandon Urbanczyk,
& Jeffrey Urbanczyk

Justin Josselet
800 m Run

Jeffery Toliver
400 m Dash

Chance Myers
200 m Dash

4 X 400 Relay
Chance Myers, Zack Sanchez,
Jeffrey Urbanczyk, & Jeffery Toliver



Area Trackmeet: Friday at Graham

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