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WHITE'S Wagging Tongue

by Cynthia White

I suppose that Barry Switzer is boat shopping by now!

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Have you ever noticed that being a speaker at an event is like being a corpse at a funeral. They need you in order to hold the event, but nobody expects you to say very much.

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You know you haven't had enough sleep when your toothbrush is still wet from the night before.

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A young man recently called home to check on his aging mother and when he asked her how she was doing she replied "Not so well." When he asked what her problem was he learned that she hadn't eaten in 38 days. Why? She didn't want her mouth to be full when he called.

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I have decided that parents, not children, need toys. Our two year old is happiest when he is unraveling audio tapes, wearing underwear on his head, and getting into Dad's tool box. The six year old likes to reprogram computers, take apart the lens on the cameras, and try to figure out the adding machine. Parents need toys to help keep children away from our things.

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A healthy and wealthy 78 year old bachelor who had courted many a woman but never settled on one recently decided to take a trip around the country to look up a dozen or so old girlfriends. When he returned he said he was relieved that he had never married any of them since they were all widows now.

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The Wall Street Journal recently ran an article about the battle for market shares among manufacturers of disposable diapers. The headline read: "Diaper Firms Fight To Stay on the Bottom."

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Parents of college students all seem to agree that sending a child to college is like buying a new car every year and never getting to drive it.

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This past Christmas 6 year old Jenna Williams, daughter of Jan and James Williams, mailed her letter to Santa at the Courier's Santa Mail Box. Upon completing this necessary holiday task Jenna asked her mom just how The Courier got all those letters to Santa. Mom told Jenna that The Courier published all the letters in the paper then sent them to the North Pole via the Internet. This way all Santa had to do was access his computer and pull up the letters from all the kids in Munday. This explanation worked well for Jenna and Santa answered her letter with a nice Christmas. She believed in The Courier so much that she has made a Valentine and addressed it to "Santa and his Elves" and asked The Courier to make sure it gets there prior to February 14. We usually don't correspond with Santa much during January and February but we will certainly endeavor to get this special Valentine to its destination via the Internet!

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Warrant issued for former resident in Quanah homicide

Hardeman County Sheriff's Department issued a murder warrant for 19-year-old Ana Mendiola on Monday, January 22. Ms. Mendiola is wanted in connection with the January 7 death of Catalina Delgado Lopez whose charred body was found smoldering under a bridge near Quanah. Ana Mendiola was residing in Crowell at the time of the murder but has been a resident of Munday at various times in the past. She has not been seen since the time of the murder and remains at large.

Another suspect, Joey Coronado of Crowell, Texas, was apprehended and arrested in Homestead, Florida, and a third suspect is still being sought. A nineteen year old Quanah woman, Rose Mary Martinez, is the third suspect for whom a warrant has been issued. All three suspects disappeared from the area on January 8, one day after the murder was committed.

The victim, Catalina Delgado

Open burning prohibited in Knox County

Knox County Judge David N. Perdue declared that a state of emergency exists in Knox County due to the extreme potential for large and destructive wildfires.

Judge Perdue issued his second emergency order within two months, effective immediately, which prohibits any open burning in the unincorporated areas of Knox County except the burning of combustible material in approved enclosures, such as trash barrels and charcoal grills which are designed to contain all flames and embers.

Dry conditions, and the lack of significant rainfall still exist. Local fire department officials, the National Weather Service and Texas Forest Service personnel advise that there is no present forecast for improving conditions.

The order signed by Judge Perdue provides that repeated or flagrant violations of the order shall constitute a misdemeanor, and that any peace officer of the State of Texas may enforce the order in the venue of Knox County.

This will go into effect immediately and will be in effect for the next ten days, and then will stay in effect until significant moisture occurs.

Retirement of Verna Rawlins announced by First National Bank

The First National Bank in Munday has announced the retirement of Verna Lee Rawlins as of December 31, 1995. According to Gary W. Schur, President, "Verna has been an integral member of our organization for over 38 years. She has guided the bank through numerous changes in the banking world with competence and loyalty. She will be missed greatly by both her fellow employees as well as the many customers who she conscientiously served over the years."

Miss Rawlins was born in Goree where she grew up and finished high school. After working for Lone Star Gas in Seymour for six

years, she began her banking career on June 23, 1957, in the book-keeping department and later served as the proof operator and on to the job of teller. She was named cashier July 1979 and remained in that position until the time of her retirement at the end of the year.

Throughout her tenure, Verna excelled in many banking courses as well as doing some college work. "Verna Lee has been the guiding light of our operations department and had a hand in training virtually all the staff" reports Schur. "All of us who are her banking family wish her every happiness in her retirement years."

Lopez, was stabbed to death in his home and had knife wounds to his chest, throat and stomach. After he died, someone loaded Lopez' body into the bed of a pickup, then doused his body with some kind of accelerant and set the body on fire underneath a bridge on a county road. A hunter discovered the remains when he saw smoke and fire under the bridge.

A pickup truck purchased by Coronado's family has been seized by authorities and tests revealed blood and "drag marks" where it appears that a body had been pulled from the bed of the truck. Lopez' 1991 Oldsmobile Cutlass Calais was found in City Lake just outside of the golf course in Munday three days after he was killed. Due to the remoteness of the lake it had been speculated that someone with knowledge of the area had placed the auto in that location. Authorities were able to identify the vehicle as belonging to Lopez but all other trace evidence had been wiped free of the car.

All three suspects in the case, Coronado, Martinez and Mendiola, were apparently good friends who walked out on their jobs at the Crowell cap factory about one week before Lopez died, a plant supervisor said.

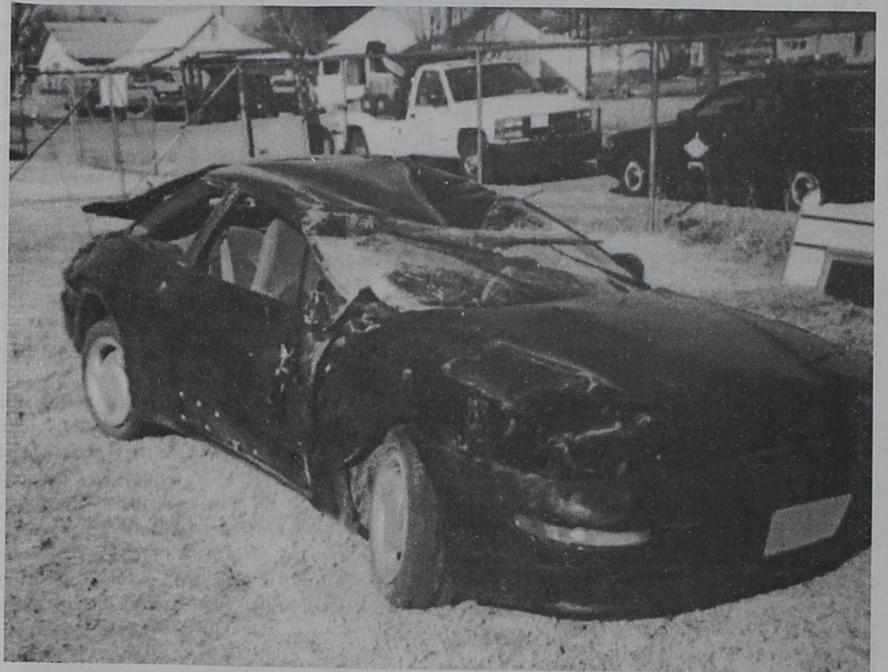
Volunteer Fire Department elects officers

The Munday Volunteer Fire Department elected officers during their first meeting after the Holidays.

Elected to offices for 1996 are: President - Bill Myers, Vice President - Phil Loftin, Fire Chief - Randy Cypert, First Assistant - Bill Longan, Second Assistant - Bill Williams, Training Officer - Freddie Caram, Assistant Training Officer - Rick Moeller, Certification Officer - James Merrell, Secretary/Treasurer - Buford Berryhill, Assistant Sec/Treasurer - Stan Decker, Reporter - Charles Pankhurst, Department Mother - Tamara Loftin, Chaplin - Spike Bryan.

Serving on the Safety Committee will be Jessie Andrade; Ray Lynn Hardin, and Spike Bryan.

Alisha Herring was elected to be the mascot.



A ONE VEHILCE accident occurred this past Saturday, after mid-night. Five individuals were injured, when the driver lost control of the vehicle on the Knox City highway near the Gillispie Community. An official report has not yet been released by local authorities.

County Sheriff voices concerns after accident

Sometimes a picture is worth a thousand words, sometimes one or two words will do, let's try STUPID! There were five young kids in this vehicle, all drinking alcohol, all hurt, and apparently none of the parents knew where their kids were. Every time something like this happens, there comes next, a long list of complaints and excuses. I know that some kids are going to drink regardless of how close their parents try to watch over and protect them, but when a peace officer, realizing this, takes one of the "experimenters" home and the parent(s) jump all over the officer for "allowing" this kind of activity in our community, the same answer applies: STUPID! We all know that I'm not referring to just the kids who wind up in an accident, or taken to jail or worse. I get more complaints about young kids (10 and 12 years old) drinking beer while out at the Rhineland dances than I do about my Deputies enforcing traffic laws. Is it our fault, as law enforcement officers, that this happens? Is it the fault of those hosting the dances? Is our job to accept this and play parent to these kids? If your answer is yes, the same applies: STUPID! Some parents have actually told me, face to face, that they know their kids are drinking, but it is okay because they know where they are! STUPID! Others have told me that they can't control their child, some are being raised in single-parent homes or by other family members such as grandparents, aunts, cousins, etc. The bottom line is that the child is the parent's or guardian's responsibility, not the Cop's, not the school teacher's, not the church official's.

If you feel that as a parent or guardian of a "problem" child, that you can't discipline your child for fear of being "turned into CPS", then call the Child Protective Services yourself. I'm not the perfect parent, no one is, but my kids are my responsibility. I don't blame anyone else for any problems I may have. Child Protective Services deal with problems of abuse and/or neglect, parents deal with raising the child. Who has not at

sometime allowed a child to drive a vehicle before the child is licensed? Something as innocent, and sometimes necessary in our farming communities, as that has led to "joy riders" -or sneaking the car out at night for "just a spin". Then we get complaints that we, the law enforcement, are the ones letting these kids drive around with out a license! STUPID! This is just my opinion. Parents better wake up to the fact that more and more laws are including the parent being responsible. Does it take writing the parent a citation for allowing an unlicensed driver to operate a motor vehicle before a parent starts to wake up? What happens when a child causes an accident and the parent gets sued? We all know how Law-Suit-Happy our society is becoming! Being written a citation seems to have more impact on a parent than the child getting hurt does! STUPID! Law enforcement personnel, don't "allow" kids to drink, or drive with out a license, and the reputation hanging over the Rhineland dance is not caused by those hosting the dance! Problems are caused by irresponsible parents who either don't know or don't care what their kids are doing or with whom they do it with.

I know what I am saying will make some people upset. Good! Great! Maybe you'll get mad enough to try and prove me wrong! Good, get after it! Get angry enough to know where your kids are! Get angry enough to take control of the few problem ones that do get in trouble! Get angry enough to think about it!

Band Boosters schedule February meeting

The Band Boosters of the Purple Cloud Band of Munday High School have scheduled their February meeting for Monday the 5th at 7:00 p.m. The meeting will take place in the band hall and all parents and interested parties are encouraged to participate.

MIKE CARLSON, SHERIFF KNOX CO., TX

In the Texas Criminal and Vehicle Handbook, Chapter 12 describes The Parent-Child Relationship.

Section 12.04 Rights, privileges, duties and powers of parent.

Except as otherwise provided by judicial order or by an affidavit or relinquishment of parental rights executed under Section 15.03 of this code, the parent of a child has the following rights, privileges, duties and powers:

(2) the duty to care, control, protection, and reasonable discipline of the child;

Health Department schedules vaccination clinics in area

The Texas Department of Health in Stamford holds regularly scheduled immunization clinics to ensure that all children in Haskell and surrounding counties are protected from vaccine preventable diseases. Children who receive their vaccinations on a timely basis benefit from the protection these vaccinations provide and contribute to the well-being of everyone.

Fees for these immunizations are based on household size and income. In most cases there is little or no cost. Please bring you child's shot record, social security number, and medicaid number if receiving medicaid. Our next regularly scheduled clinic for February will be held at the following locations; Haskell American Legion Hall, from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on February 15; Knox City Community Center from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on February 20.

If your child needs to begin or continue his immunizations and you are unable to attend one of these clinics, you may call (915) 773-5681 and arrange a time and date for immunizations to be administered.

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Calendar of Events

- February 2 - Aspermont vs JV Girls & Boys, Varsity Girls & Boys There.
- February 5 - Band Boosters; Masonic Lodge; Volunteer Fire Department; Toastmasters International - 7:00 p.m., Munday First United Methodist Church.
- February 6 - Brazos Valley Young Farmers; Lions Club.



Caught doing good!

This week's Shining Star Student of the Week at Munday Elementary School is Ashley Crownover.

Ashley is in Mrs. Nancy Wilde's first grade class but was chosen for the honor by the P.E. Instructor, Ms. Mary Jane Kuehler.

Ashley was chosen for her good listening skills, being ready to participate no matter what game the class is playing and for never complaining.

Proud parents of Ashley are Robbie and Beverly Crownover.

Birthdays & Anniversaries

- January 31 - Kristen Hunter, Nancy Shahan.
- February 2 - Janice Albus, B.J. Hart, Don Bowman, Jamie Welborn.
- February 3 - Karen Andres; Jackie & Christy Workman.
- February 4 - Todd Meers, Chelesa Booe, Melinda Hawkins.
- February 5 - Kyle Meers; Jeremy & Vicki Wilson.

John Weeks settles in as new City Manager

Munday seems to have made a fine choice in hiring its new City Manager, Mr. John Weeks. He is already on the job and going at break neck speed after having settled the family into their new home and school situation.

Mr. Weeks is emphatic about how nice the citizens of Munday have been to help him get settled in and adjusted to his new job. He states, "We feel really fortunate to have such a great staff around us and to have such wonderful people helping us out as we moved into town. Everyone has been super nice to my family and we really appreciate it." He also adds that he has met many people in and around town but that if he hasn't met you then you are welcomed to come by and have a cup of coffee with him.

Mr. Weeks wants to have an "open door" type policy on his office. If you have a complaint or an objection on a subject that should concern the City Manager then he invites you to call or come by his office. If he does not have an answer to your situation readily available then he will endeavor to get an answer to you, even though it may not be the specific answer you're hoping for. The old saying "You can't fight City Hall" is true because Mr. Week's says he will not fight but he is readily accessible for genuine discussions.

Mr. Weeks is concerned with several issues that affect the quality of life in Munday and will be addressing these problems in the near future.

One of the problem areas that concerns him the most is the volume of decaying and dilapidated

buildings in the town. City Hall is currently seeking legal advice on how to improve the looks of some of the areas around town and how to go about enforcing the City Ordinances against such properties. He says that the City will try to work with the owners of the properties in question but hopes that the owners will voluntarily clean up the buildings and lots that are in need of such attention since notices will be mailed out to owners of said properties in the near future.

Paving of streets that are in need is another area of concern to the new City Manager. He welcomes your input but can't promise any specific actions on these streets until he gets the proper authority. Many people have already requested that the paving of B Street beside the Elementary School be at the top of this list.

Stray dogs on the run are another problem that citizen's have complained about and Mr. Weeks would truly like to remedy the situation before a child gets needlessly hurt. He realizes that there is no quick fix and he welcomes ideas to help solve the problem.

Once you talk to John Weeks you realize that he truly has Munday's concerns at heart and that he is adjusting to our town quite well. He is already saying "ya'll" and has purchased a pickup truck so he is fitting in just fine.

He also adds that his wife would love to purchase a horse so if you have one for sale please don't tell her. The Week's children, Colter, a fourth grader in Mrs. Hall's class, and Cody, a Kindergarten student of Mrs. Pankhurst, have been enjoying school and are anxious to become more involved in sports and church activities. Little Cody accompanied his dad to the Stock Show and has decided that he would like a pet pig - over Mom's objections, of course.

Be sure to get to know our new City Manager. He is anxious to serve.

Thank You

I wish to thank the Munday Fire Department and my friends and neighbors who helped put the fire out. You are all very appreciated.

Anna Urbanczyk

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Send or bring us a photo of your child, grandchild or that special someone. We'll place it in a heart along with the child's name, parent's names or grandparents name. For that special someone, we'll put up to fifteen words of approved text inside the heart.

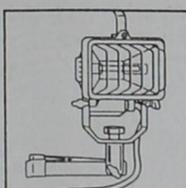
The cost of each heart is \$12.50 and must be paid in advance for publication in the Wednesday, February 14 issue. Deadline for photo drop-off is Friday, February 9.

Please mark each picture with your Valentine's name to insure proper placement in the paper.

Out of town residents who want to send one of these special greetings are also invited to participate. Send your photo and check to: P.O. Box 130, Munday, Texas 76371. Please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope if you wish to have your photo returned.

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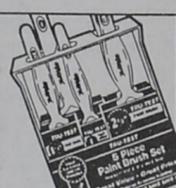
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Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wayne Phemister

Jamie Howry and Marcus Phemister united in marriage

Jamie Elaine Howry and Marcus Wayne Phemister were married January 6, 1996 at First Baptist Church in Munday. The Reverend H.B. Graves officiated at the ceremonies.

Amanda Sanders of Weinert, was the maid of honor and bridesmaids included Amanda Jordan of Abilene, Brandi Crawford, Kandis Longan, and Kacy Longan all of Munday, and Diane Casias of Knox City.

David Mejia of New Braunfels was the best man and groomsmen were Bryan Phemister of Brownwood, Jeremy Sanders of Weinert, Kenny Forehand of Abilene, Chad King of Munday, and Greg Phemister of Abilene.

Abby Sanders and Kelsey King were flower girls and Kendell King was ring bearer. Wes Crawford was candlelighter and Amy Huffman registered guests.

Guests were ushered in by Gary Crawford, Bill Longan, Kerry King, and Jerry Stanford.

Instrumental music was performed by Bobby Hudson and Carolyn Welch. Traci King, Kacy Longan, and David Phemister were vocalist and Karen Longan video taped the ceremonies.

The bride choose hunter green and burgundy as her colors. A reception followed the wedding where cake and punch were served by Toni Sellers, Cheryl Crawford, Mary Ann Yruegas, and Kristy Jo Yruegas. Jason Howry, the bride's brother, passed out rice bags before the couple left on their honeymoon to Abilene.

The grooms parents, David and Peggy Phemister honored the wedding party with a rehearsal dinner on Friday night before the wedding. A western theme was the order of the evening.

The couple lives in Weinert until Marcus enters the Air Force in February. They will then live in Wichita Falls until he receives a permanent station assignment.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Gary Howry and James King, of Jacksboro, and the groom is the son of Rebecca Bogard of Denver, Colorado and David and Peggy Phemister of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. The bride's grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Crawford and Dorothy Lee Howry of Munday. Mrs. Myrtle Phemister, of Weinert, is the groom's grandmother.

Former resident Floyd Conwell passes away

Mr. Floyd C. Conwell, former resident of this area passed away at his home in Fort Worth, Tx on Thursday, January 18, 1996 at the age of 86.

Mr. Conwell was born on September 29, 1909 in Reno, Texas. He moved to Munday in 1927 with his parents, four brothers and two sisters. He married Miss Pearl Priddy in 1930 and lived here until 1943 when he and his wife and children moved to Fort Worth. Mr. Conwell retired from General Dynamics in 1972.

He is survived by his wife Pearl of Fort Worth, son David Conwell and his wife Jung of Mansfield, Tx, and daughters Laverne Drea and husband Wayne of Lewisville, Texas and Genell Sears of Crowley, Tx and sister Vera Mae Cluck of Seymour, Texas along with seven grandchildren, eleven great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

Services were held by Reverend Hubert Godbey at Laurel Land Memorial Chapel in Fort Worth on Saturday, January 20, 1996.

Mystery Dinner Theatre to be staged by Noah Project

The Noah Project - North's annual Mystery Dinner Theatre will be Saturday, February 3, at the Haskell Civic Center at 6:00 p.m. Make your plans to attend a night of fun, food, and sleuthing! Tickets are \$10 in advance, or \$12 at the door. They may be purchased from any Advisory Committee member or call 817-864-2551 for further information.

The Noah Project - North is selling tickets for a chance on winning a quilt the night of the Mystery Dinner Theatre, February 3, at the Haskell Civic Center. Tickets are a dollar each or six for five dollars. Tickets may be purchased from any Advisory Committee member of call 817-864-2551.

LOCAL NEWS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Myers was Mrs. June Adams of Fritch, Texas. June is a sister of Mrs. Myers.

HAVE A NICE DAY!

Truscott-Gilliland News

By Mrs. Clara Brown

Besides the low temperatures early last week, the most interesting weather news were the events of Wednesday afternoon. A red cloud of dust rolled in from the west and while it was here moisture fell briefly, resulting in a mud shower. Our two walkers, Ila Mac Bullion and Geraldine Tomanek braved the wind and the dust haze, but the mud shower sent them home.

News will be short this week as your writer was on go-fer duty Sunday afternoon.

Mike Jackson's mother had open heart surgery last week. We hear she is coming along all at this time.

Vula, Derrell, and Randall Hord went to Childress shopping Sunday afternoon.

Scottie Burgess has been helping her daughter, Sharon Hughes, move into another house at Vernon.

Bette Barry visited her mother Carrie Barry over the week-end.

Peggy Plunk and her daughter, Kim, visited their mother and grandmother, Irene New, last week.

Norma Lee of Vernon visited with her brother, Vernon Jones, and sister, Clara Brown, Sunday afternoon.

Truscott grandmas are reminded that a planning meeting will be at 9:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 30, in

the center to plan the February 11 Grandma's Sunday Dinner.

Recently some strangers (thieves) have been visiting Truscott. They got a stove from one closed, vacant building. This was in the daytime. The people who saw them were visiting Truscott people and reported a brief conversation to their hosts. By the time it was confirmed that no permission had been given to enter

the building the three vehicles, including one that pulled a stock trailer, were gone. If you see anyone stopped at a vacant building or at a home where the residents are temporarily away, try to write down the license numbers and a description of the vehicle. You might even stop and ask, "Can I help you?" in a neighborly way, so you can get a closer look.

The vehicles mentioned above were reportedly seen on two consecutive days by different people. It wasn't known that the "visitors" were in town twice in a row until people started trading stories.

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Sunday School 10:45 a.m.
Evening Service 5:00 p.m.

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THE JUNIOR VARSITY MOGULETTES FOR 1996 are (top row) Laura Aguayo, Lois Reneau, Angela Albus, Shelly Scott, Cynthia Thomas, Jennifer Dockins, Rebeca Dena, and Valerie Dominquez. (Kneeling) Traci Tomlinson, Briana Alexander, Andrea Brown, Kandis Brown, Taneka Hamilton, Melinda Latham, and Shonda Jordan.

Girls Basketball Report

On Tuesday night the Varsity girls basketball team defeated Knox City 72 - 37. Ten players scored for the Mogulettes on a night that saw them shoot 68% from the floor. Scorers for the Mogulettes were Ambra Welch with 16 points, Mindy Zeissel had 15, Jennifer Yates put in 10, Lori Clem had 8, Michelle Phillips and Kizzie Shields each scored 6, Heather Brown had 4, Kandis Longan put in 3, and Lanesa Wilson and Brandi Hall had 2 each. The leading rebounder was Zeissel with 7.

Coach Curtis Goforth reports, "It was one of those nights when everything went right. We had great selection in our half court offense and ran our break extremely well. We played good defense and out rebounded the Houndettes 32 - 12."

On Friday the Mogulettes traveled to Crowell knowing it was a must win situation to keep their playoff hopes alive. The Mogulettes came through with a 55 - 42 victory. This pulled Munday into a tie with Crowell for second place. It was a very physical game but the girls did a great job of keeping their composure and did the things that you have to do to win important games. Coach Goforth states, "We shot 50% from the floor, out rebounded Crowell 48 - 25, and kept

them off the free throw line. Munday only committed three second half fouls."

Coach Goforth further adds, "Lori Clem had an outstanding game offensively and Ambra Welch and Mindy Zeissel did a super job of rebounding. I was very pleased with the efforts that Michelle Phillips and Kandis Longan made coming off the bench to give us good games."

Scoring for the Mogulettes at this game were Lori Clem with 23, Mindy Zeissel had 13, Jennifer Yates made 7, Ambra Welch had 5, Michelle Phillips put in 4, Kandis Longan made 2, Brandi Hall made 1. Mindy Zeissel had 15 rebounds and Ambra Welch had 12 rebounds.

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS

The J.V. girls defeated Knox City on Tuesday night by a score of 60 - 20. All ten girls hit the scoring chain as the J.V. girls posted their sixth consecutive victory. Scoring in this game was Briana Alexander with 14, Andrea Brown and Kandis Brown had 10 each, Taneka Hamilton made 8, Cynthia Thomas put in 6, Shonda Jordan scored 4, Shelly Scott had 3, Lois Reneau and Angela Albus each put in 2. On

Friday night the J.V. girls suffered their first district loss of the season to Crowell by the score of 44 - 43. Andrea Brown had 18, Cynthia Thomas made 15, Shelly Scott put in 6, and Briana Alexander ended up with 4.

JR. HG. GIRLS

On Saturday the junior high girls basketball teams participated in the Crowell Tournament. Both teams brought home championships. The "Gold" team defeated Quannah 29 - 20 in their opening round game. Scoring was Julie Clairday with 17, Crystal Zeissel and Jessi Coulson with 4, Daniella Martinez and Nicole Allen with 2. In the championship game, the "Gold" team defeated the Crowell 7th Grade team 27 - 23. Scoring was Crystal Zeissel with 2, Jessi Coulson made 3, Jacy Haynie had 4, Nicole Allen put in 6, and Julie Clairday was leading scorer with 12.

The "Purple" team defeated Quannah 54 - 8 in their opening round game. Nicole Urbanczyk put in 18, Keisha Collier had 16, Amanda Myers scored 8, Mandy Myers made 6, Laci Myers put in 4, and Melannie Martinez had 2. In the championship game the "Purple" team overcame early foul problems to defeat Benjamin 48 - 33.

Erica Gray was lead scorer with 14, Amanda Myers put in 12, Laci Myers and Nicole Urbanczyk each made 8, Keisha Collier put in 4, Larinda Smith scored 2. Coach Goforth relates, "Both teams did a great job of competing and I was very proud of their efforts in all four games."

Monday night the "Purple" team defeated Paducah 57 - 42. "The girls played extremely well in the first half jumping out to a 38 - 16 lead," added a proud Coach Goforth.

Scoring in the Paducah game was Erica Gray leading the way with 15, Miranda Zeissel had 11, Nicole Urbanczyk put in 10, Laci Myers had 9, Amanda Myers added 5, Larinda Smith scored 4, Mandy Myers put in 2, and Sheila Allen had 1.



THE JUNIOR VARSITY MOGULS FOR 1996 are Leonard Sepeda, Brandon Sosa, Adam Quintero, Ray Bradley, Wesley Spells, Justin Gray, Ramiro Nunez, and Mario Aguayo.

Boys Round Ball Action Continues

Last week the Munday High School Moguls defeated the Crowell team 74 - 44.

Jonathan Reagins was the leading scorer of the night with 23 points, Gerald Taylor shot 16, Zane Donoho put in 14, Robbie Vaughn had 10, Ricky Serrato put in 5, Chris Torres, Cody Perry and Will Dutton each had 2 points.

The Varsity boys lost to Knox City last week by a score of 56 - 45.

Once again Jonathan Reagins was lead scorer for the Moguls with 17 points, Gerald Taylor had 13, Robbie Vaughn put in 10, and Ricky Serrato made 3.

JUNIOR VARSITY

The Junior Varsity boys team beat the Greyhounds from Knox City with a final score of 38 - 34. Brandon Sosa scored 10 points

for the Moguls and was their leading scorer. Others scoring were Wesley Spells with 9, Jr. King made 8, Ray Bradley had 4, Roberto Nunez put in 4, and Adam Quintero scored 3 points.

The Junior Varsity boys also defeated the boys from Crowell

with a score of 12 - 9.

In this game Cody Perry was leading scorer with 13 points, Jr. King made 6, Ray Bradley, Wesley Spells, and Brandon Sosa each made 4, and Jason Hise put in 1

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Wildcat Wisdom News from Goree School by grades 3 and 4

Our riddle this week is for all the people who have been sick.

Doctor: How did you get here so fast?

Patient: Flu!

On Monday our junior high hosted Throckmorton. We lost both games. Scoring for the girls was Jennifer Hernandez 8, Kat Mitchell 6, Kourtnee Harris 4, Jamaica Dixon 2, Trish Garber 2, and Adella Garcia 2. Kory Hardeman had 14 for the boys, Robert Castorena 8, Ocziel Castorena 8, Danny Barrera 5, and Antonio Garcia 2.

The high school teams went to Paint Creek on Tuesday. The girls lost 29 - 49. Crystal Huffman led in scoring with 10, Amy Raoms 8, Crystal Hibdon 5, Lolly Jacques 4, and Melissa Horton 2. The boys lost 43 - 66. Art Ramos and Mike Hernandez each had 17, Gilbert Castorena 8, and Boni Sandoval 1.

Wednesday was the 100th day of school for us, the students at Goree. We did lots of neat things. We made a list of 100 good things about Goree School, found and classified 100 animals, and made up 100 cat names to go with Milions of Cats. Then on the 100th minute of the school day, we set sail 100 helium balloons with messages in them. We each had to bring 100 items to be counted in Math. We also had 100 cupcakes numbered 1 - 100. Mrs. Messer was sponsor for the 100th day.

"Back the Wildcats" day was on Friday. We had to wear our clothes backwards. Then a free admission ticket to the ballgame was given to a winner in each grade. Winners were Rueben Castillo, Sam Pierce and Alvin Adams (tie), Adrian Garcia, Josh McKinney, Tino Castorena, Mary McKinney, and Jamaica Dixon.

On Friday afternoon the high

school classes went to DeLong Sewing Factory in Seymour, as part of their clothing class.

Jorge De Haro was voted Student of the Week by his classmates.

The high school girls played Megargel on Friday night. We won 38 - 32. Next week they face Paint Creek and Throckmorton.

Munday School Lunchroom Menu

February 5-9, 1996

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Monday - Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk

Tuesday - Toast, Jelly, Juice, Milk

Wednesday - Sausage, Biscuit, Juice, Milk

Thursday - Cinnamon Toast, Juice, Milk

Friday - Cereal, Toast, Juice, Milk

Lunch

Monday - Corn Dogs, Pinto Beans, Cole Slaw, Brownies, Milk

Tuesday - Tacos, Beans, Lettuce, Peanut Clusters, Milk

Wednesday - Stew, Crackers, Cornbread, Cheese Wedge, Cake, Milk

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Nursing Center News

Last week Reverend H. B. Graves came for the Bible Study at 3:00 o'clock. Mrs. Anita Thigpen played the piano and Mrs. Ruby Kiser played the organ from 2:00 until time for the Bible Study.

Elizabeth Watson of Goree came Wednesday afternoon and visited with friends.

Royce W. Miller of Seymour visited Wednesday afternoon with his Grand Pap, O. R. Miller.

Elaine Gully and Bobbie Kegley called bingo on Tuesday. Fifteen resident's played. Gary Sanders and Etta Frazier won the black out game.

John Phillips came to see his sister, Helen Phillips, on Tuesday, January 23.

Annie Smajstrla and Alice Reneau from the Catholic Church called bingo on Thursday. Helen Phillips and Gary Sanders won the black out.

Jo Heard and The Tale Spinners met on Friday at 2:30 p.m. We read some in Proverbs. The Ideal Book was read about friendship and country poems. We read about Tootles the Train and today's "This is Your Life" was about O. R. Miller.

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"On A Wizer Note"

By Paul Weiser,
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Those who do raise sheep are probably well aware of the National Sheep Referendum on February 6, 1996. This referendum will be for the "Sheep and Wool Program, Research, Education, and Information Order". Anyone who raised or fed sheep during the time period of January 1, 1994 through December 31, 1994 are eligible to vote.

Voting will take place at the Texas Agricultural Extension Service office in each county. Voting hours will be regular office hours — 8 a.m. through 5 p.m. These ballots will then be collected by the Farm Services Agency for counting.

Once again, this is for anyone who fed or raised lambs or sheep in 1994. This includes 4-H and FFA show lambs.

Speaking of 4-H, the Knox County 4-H Valentine's Dance is scheduled for Saturday, February 10 beginning at 7 p.m. All 4-H members are welcome to attend and bring a guest. Each member is asked to bring a 2 liter soft drink or a plate of snacks as a cover charge. We will also be playing Bingo. For this, 4-H'ers are asked to bring a white elephant gift.

The weekend of February 9-11 will also be the date of the 1996 District Beef Show in Wichita Falls. Several steer and heifer exhibitors from Knox County will be attending.

Other stock shows in the near future are the San Antonio Livestock Exposition - February 3-18; Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo - February 16-March 3; and the San Angelo Stock Show March 2-10, 1996. Good luck to all the 4-H and FFA exhibitors at these shows.

Farmers and ranchers will also have a show of their own coming up. The Texoma Farm & Ranch Show will be in Wichita Falls on Wednesday and Thursday, February 21 and 22, 1996. On Wednesday, beginning at 8 a.m. a program will be conducted. This program will offer 5 CEU's toward pesticide licenses. Topics for this program include: "Peach and Pecan Production"; "Wild Oat Control"; "Wheat & Cotton Pest Management"; "Wheat Breeding and Management"; and "Laws and Regulations".

Other upcoming CEU opportunities include: "Lawn and Garden Insect Pest Control" - February 20 in Munday; "Cow/Calf Production Seminar" - mid April (probably in Benjamin); "Knox County Spring Crops Tour" - May 6. Details on these programs will be released on a later date.

For more information on any of the items listed in this article please contact Paul Weiser in the Knox County Extension office in Benjamin at 817/454-2651.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Myers visited in Ozona with Mrs. Mary Phillips, Rebecca, Jonathon and Tyler. They enjoyed seeing Rebecca play on the Ozona undefeated 7th Grade Basketball team. The final score was Ozona - 24, McCamey - 14. Rebecca scored 12 points and is the leading scorer on the team.



MUNDAY ELEMENTARY fifth and sixth grade students took second place team honors at the Stamford Math and Science Meet. Standing left to right are Cindy Hunter, Alicia Herring, Laurie Welch, Kylie Myers, and Chris Bibb. Middle row: Jason Josselet, Erik Sosolik, Shane Melton, and Jennifer Carlson. Kneeling: Celia Lara, Megan Myers, Brandon Melton, and Charles Reneau.

Elementary students take 2nd place team honors at Math-Science meet

Thirteen bright students from Munday's Elementary School participated in the Stamford Math-Science Meet for 1996 on Saturday, January 27. The students competed with young scholars from nine other elementary schools and walked away with the second place honors for the over-all team scores.

The students competed in four categories including Number Sense, Calculator, Math, and Science.

The first place team was the group from Stamford who scored a total of 1493 points in the four events with Munday scoring 1356 points from the same four events. Other elementary schools that participated were Ballinger, Seymour, Aspermont, Springtown, Hamlin, Gordon, Post, and Merkel.

Students from the 5th and 6th Grades were eligible to compete and the team from Munday consisted of Eric Sosolik, Megan Myers, Celia Lara, Cindy Hunter, Alicia Herring, Charles Reneau, Jennifer Carlson, Brandon Melton, Kylie Myers, Laurie Welch, Chris Bibb, Jason Josselet, and Shane Melton.

In the Number Sense category Brandon Melton took second place honors and Kylie Myers took fourth place honors in the Grade 5 category. Eric Sosolik took fourth place in the Grade 6 category with the overall team placing second in that event.

The Calculator team took second place in that event.

Brandon Melton placed second, Kylie Myers took third place, and Jennifer Carlson placed sixth in the Grade 5 Math category. For the

Sixth Grade Cindy Hunter took second place, Erik Sosolik took third place, Celia Lara placed fourth and Charles Reneau took fifth place and the overall team took first place honors in the Math Category.

For the Science event Shane Melton took first place, Brandon Melton placed second, and Jennifer Carlson took fourth place for Grade 5. In Grade 6 Cindy Hunter took third place and Erik Sosolik placed fourth. The team took the first place mark.

Congratulations to all the students who participated in this academic event.

Kyler Urbanczyk becomes a big brother

Hi! My name is Kyler Kent Urbanczyk, I'm 2 1/2 years old, and I want everybody to know that I'm a big brother! Andrea Kaylan Urbanczyk made her arrival at 1:34 p.m. on Thursday, January 11, 1996 at Wichita General Hospital. Kaylan tipped the scales at 7 pounds and 10 ounces and she measured 19 1/2 inches long. Our proud Daddy and Mommy are Kent and Sheila Urbanczyk of Goree.

Equally proud are our maternal Paw-Paw and Maw-Maw, Donnie and Candy Estes, and our paternal Pap-Pa and Grandma, Louis and Margaret Urbanczyk, all of Goree. Our great-grandmother "Gram" is Anna Urbanczyk of Munday. I've already told Kaylan that she won't have any trouble being spoiled. We have plenty of aunts, uncles, and cousins standing in line to make her as rotten as I am!

"Be wiser than other people if you can, but do not tell them so."
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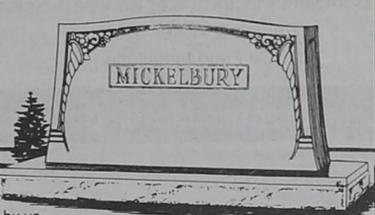
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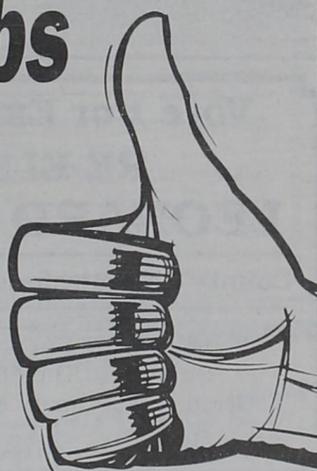
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Send or bring us a photo of your child, grandchild or that special someone. We'll place it in a heart and along with the child's name, parent's name and grandparent's name only for a child or grandchild. For that special someone one, we'll put up to 15 words of your choice.*

*With approval. The Courier reserves the right to refuse any response.

Cost is \$12⁵⁰ per heart.
Your Valentine will appear in our paper on Wednesday, February 14
Deadline is Friday, February 9

Please mark each picture with your Valentine's name to insure proper placement in the paper. If mailing, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope for return of your picture.