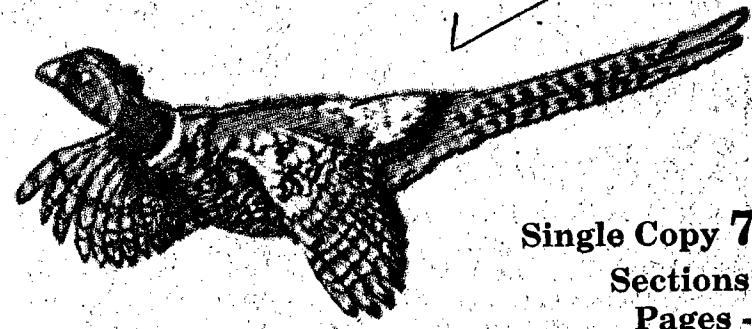


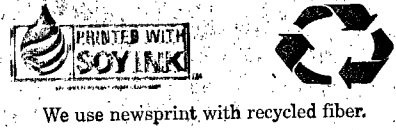
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A Quick Look



Chamber Coffee

WAYNE — This week's Chamber Coffee will be held Friday, March 26 at Gardner Hall on the Wayne State campus. The coffee begins at 10 a.m. and announcements at 10:15.

Story Time

WAYNE — The Wayne Public Library will be hosting Children's Story Time on Saturday, March 27 at 10:30 a.m. This week's theme is celebrate the theme of "The Five Senses."

Toostsie roll drive

WAYNE — The Knights of Columbus will hold the annual Toostsie Roll drive on Thursday-Saturday, April 1-3. The drive helps support the mentally challenged in this area. Organizers of the event are Jerry Sperry and Dan Sukup.

Weather alert tests

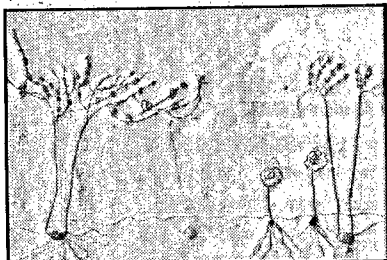
AREA — The villages of Carroll and Winside and the City of Wayne will be conducting tests of the Emergency Weather Alert Sirens on Wednesday, March 31 at 10:55 a.m. The villages of Carroll and Winside will be conducting a second test at 6:30 p.m. on that same date. In the event of severe weather, the tests will not be conducted.

WEB carnival

WAYNE — WEB (Wayne Education Boosters) will hold the annual school carnival on Saturday, March 27 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Middle School. (Note change of location).

Immunization clinic

AREA — Goldenrod Hills will conduct the Wayne immunization clinic on Tuesday, April 6 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. The clinic will be held at the First United Methodist Church in Wayne. For an appointment, call (402) 529-3513. The immunization clinic is open to the public with no income guidelines.



Weather

FORECAST SUMMARY: A few severe storms are possible on Thursday.

Day	Weather	Wind	Range
Thurs.	T-storms	S 15	53/76
Fri.	Storms poss.	SE 20	52/71
Sat.	T-storms	S 30	50/73
Sun.	Pty cloudy		42/63
Mon.	Mslly, sunny		38/68

Wayne weather forecast is provided by

Date	High	Low	Precip	Snow
Mar. 18	49	36	—	Trace
Mar. 19	49	32	—	—
Mar. 20	71	33	—	—
Mar. 21	53	20	—	—
Mar. 22	40	20	—	—
Mar. 23	55	30	—	—
Mar. 24	60	31	—	—

Recorded 7 a.m. for previous 24 hour period
Precip./mo. — 2.13" Snow/mo. — 11.6"
Year/Date — 3.70" Snow/season — 36.7"

Employees participate in health program

Twenty-five Providence Medical Center, Wayne, employees are participating in the hospital's "Big Deal" Employee Health Program that was initiated in January. Organized by PMC employees Jill Belt, Dani Frahm and Linda Carr, the Big Deal Employee Health Program offers an opportunity for a productive, educational year for all of the participants.

With the blessings of the local physicians, the hospital Governing Board and Administration, PMC's first Employee Health Program has "hit the ground running," according to Sandra

Bartling, President of the Foundation and hospital Public Relations Director.

"Available to hospital employees as well as the general public, the Providence Wellness Center, under the direction of Linda Carr, has been in operation for many years, and is known for its extensive array of services and up-to-date equipment. PMC employee, Gunnar Spethman, a graduate of Wayne State College with a Master's Degree in Exercise Science, recently introduced personal training to area residents. This Employee Health Program is yet another example of

Providence Medical Center's commitment to health awareness among its employees and the entire northeast Nebraska community."

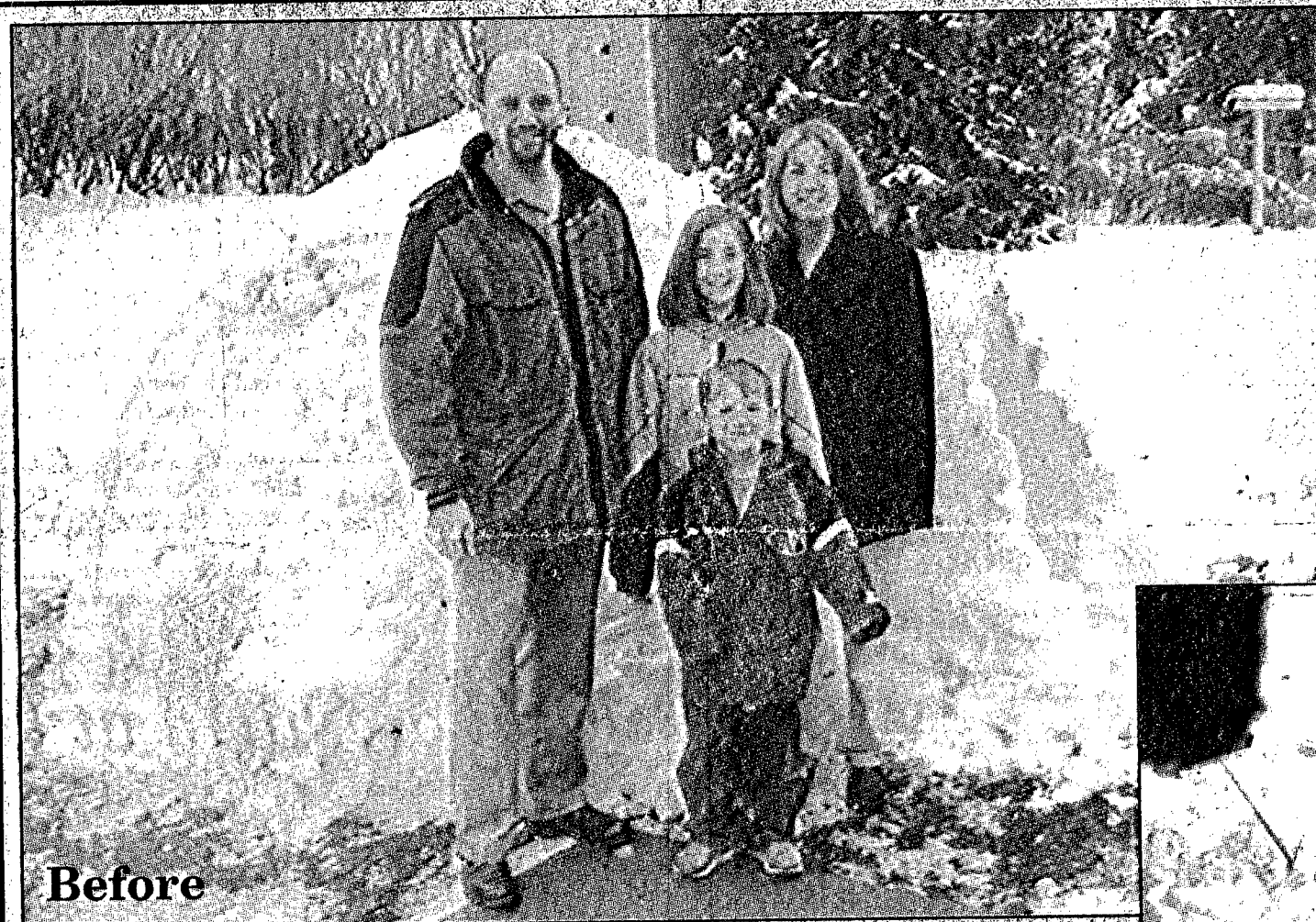
"We have always felt that Providence Medical Center has some of the best-qualified employees in the area," said Marcile Thomas, Administrator. "This health program will help our employees to develop and maintain healthier lifestyles. Healthy employees equate to a happier and more productive staff," she said.

PMC Human Resources Director, Sonja Hunke, added that America's

growing wellness and waistline problems are raising serious human resources issues relating to health care costs, recruiting and employee relations. "Inactivity and obesity really do affect the health and quality of life of employees," said Hunke. "I'm extremely proud to be working with fellow employees and an employer who recognize the importance of wellness in the workplace."

At a cost of \$25, plus the cost of membership to the Providence Wellness

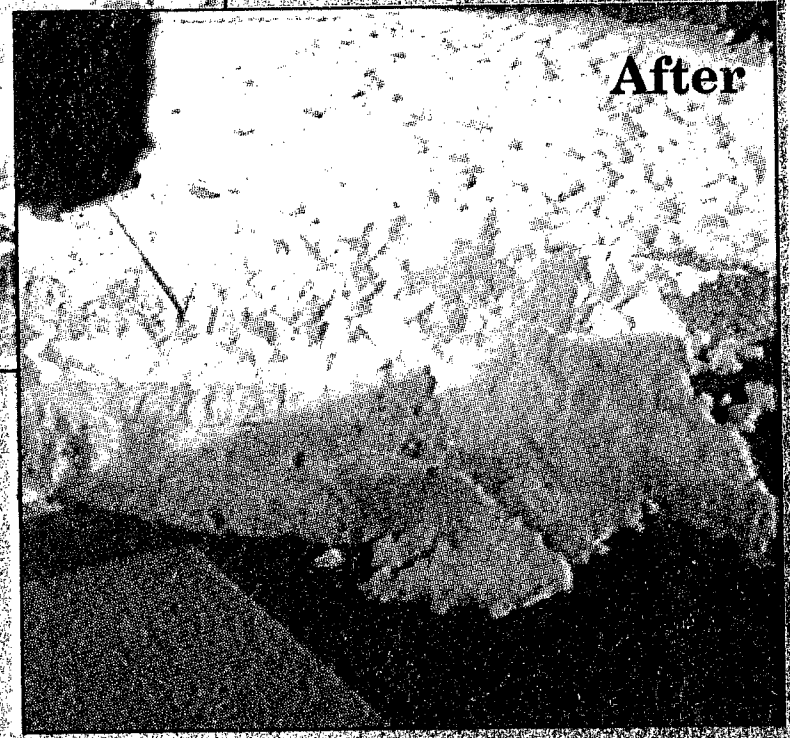
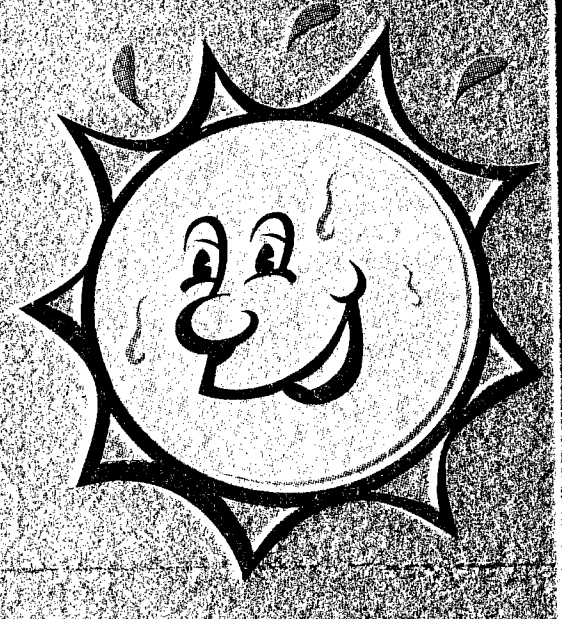
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Before

March in Nebraska

What a difference a half a day can make! Last Monday's snow storm dumped large amounts of wet snow on the area. The snow was ideal for creating mud pies with it when Mike and Sarah Leighty and their children, Jesse and Ryan, all Monday and Tuesday. However, after the rain in Nebraska in March, temperatures warmed enough on Wednesday that by the time the family came home Wednesday afternoon, all that wet mud of the mud pies had turned to ice. The snow was just a pile of snow. All thoughts of snow have disappeared. This week's temperature climbed into the 70s.



After

Foreign exchange student from Germany gives insight on her country and her life

Manon Mumelt is a foreign exchange student from Germany, attending Wayne High School. She came here through the Youth for Understanding International Exchange program and has been staying with the Vince and Dianne Leighty family.

In Germany, Manon attends a large school in Berlin. She travels 45 minutes by bus and subway to get to school. Her school is about four times larger than WHS. Manon does not drive, because you must be 18 years old to take drivers education classes. The classes are very expensive, which prohibits a lot of people from ever having a license.

The school system in Germany goes through 13 years of classes. Students are not required to attend all 13 years but career opportunities are better if they do. Some students attend "University," if they want to get a further degree. Manon said that classes are more difficult in Germany. "You do not choose what classes you want to take." Her classes include math, history, earth science, biology, chemistry, physics, German, English and Spanish. Students start English classes in fifth grade and they choose between French and Spanish in seventh grade. Manon speaks both English and Spanish.

Manon lives in a suburb of Berlin called Mahlow. Mahlow is about the size of Wayne. There are farms around her town, but "I have never seen so many cows as there are in Nebraska. Cows and farms are everywhere!"

There is a beautiful, old brick stable near her home where she keeps her Arabian riding horse, Roma. She rides Roma four to six times a week. She started riding lessons at the age of 9. She got Roma when she was about 12 years old. Manon is an accomplished horsewoman. She does stunt riding and jumps with Roma. She also participates in fox hunts, which are held once a year. "We do not hunt a real fox," Manon said.

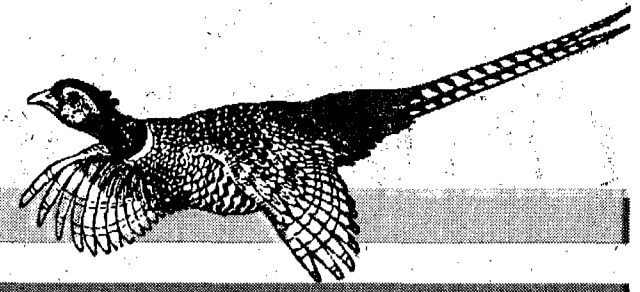


Front, left to right, Manon Mumelt, Jessica and Dianne Leighty. Back, Vince and Austin Leighty.

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Obituaries

Calvin Havorka

Calvin Havorka, 80, of Laurel, died Saturday, March 20, 2004 at the Hillcrest Care Center in Laurel.

Memorial services were held Wednesday, March 24 at United Presbyterian Church in Laurel. The Rev. John Gradwohl and the Rev. Duane Rhoadarmer officiated.

Calvin Lee Havorka, son of Vincent and Amanda (Hinz) Havorka, was born Dec. 13, 1923 at Randolph. He graduated from Randolph High School. On Feb. 8, 1942 he married Betty Jean Oxley at Yuma, Ariz. The couple made their home in San Diego, Calif. where he was employed at Consolidated Air Craft. He served in the U.S. Air Corps from March 29, 1944 until his discharge on Jan. 15, 1946. The couple moved to Laurel in 1947 and established Havorka Motors. The couple returned to San Diego in 1964 until retiring back to Laurel in 1989. He was a member of the United Presbyterian Church in Laurel and the Masonic Lodge.

Survivors include two sons, Larry Havorka of Laurel and Calvin "Lee" and Shari Havorka of San Diego, Calif.; two daughters, Lynn and David Nelson of San Francisco, Calif. and Lori and Robert K. Beeler of San Diego, Calif.; one granddaughter; one brother, Vincent and Dee Havorka of Sidney; two sisters; June LaCroix and Barbara and Bob Gardner of Rapid City, S.D.; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents and wife, Betty in September of 2003.

Burial with military rites was in the Laurel Cemetery in Laurel. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Laurel was in charge of arrangements.

Karl Otte

Karl W. Otte, 74, of Wayne, died Friday, March 19, 2004 at Wakefield Health Care Center in Wakefield.

Services were held Tuesday, March 23 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. The Rev. John Pasche officiated.

Karl Walter Otte, son of Karl F. and Minna (Otte) Otte, was born July 30, 1929 at Leigh. He was baptized at the Lutheran Church in Leigh and confirmed at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. He was diagnosed with polio at the age of seven. He and his brother, Kurt, worked on the farm for Rudy Longe. He graduated from Wayne High School in 1948 and attended Wayne State College. He then worked for Dr. Edenburg at his veterinary clinic in Wayne until going to work with his father at Otte Construction. On Dec. 4, 1960 he married Ardath Koch at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne. The couple made their home in Wayne where he worked as a building contractor and was co-owner of Otte Construction Company. He retired in 1994. He was a member of Grace Lutheran Church. He enjoyed fishing and hunting.

Survivors include his wife, Ardath; one son, Walter Otte of Wayne; one daughter, Karla and Brent Pick of Wayne; two grandchildren; four brothers and two sisters, Ingrid Morlok of Eugene, Ore., Kurt and Bonnie Otte of Wayne, Heinz and Barbara Otte of Mendota Heights, Minn., Elaine and John Moje of Arvada, Colo., Paul and Ginny Otte of Wayne and Allen and Annette Otte of Minneapolis, Minn.; two sisters-in-law, Ardyce and Con Munson of Wakefield and Bonnadell Koch of Wayne; nieces and nephews.

He was preceded in death by his parents; one nephew; one sister-in-law and two brothers-in-law.

Pallbearers were Gene "Swede" Fredrickson, Roger Schwanke, Clifford Pinkelman, Lee Foote, Richard Lund, Wesley Beckenhauer, Ken Hall and Jason Peschel.

Burial was in Greenwood Cemetery in Wayne. Schumacher-Hasemann Funeral Home in Wayne was in charge of arrangements.

Edith Evans

Edith I. Evans, 77, of Wayne died Friday, March 19, 2004 at Mercy Medical Center in Sioux City, Iowa.

Services were held Thursday, March 25 at Meyer Brothers Colonial Chapel in Sioux City. The Rev. Cal Kroeker of Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne officiated.

Edith Irene Evans, daughter of Alvin A. and Stella Mae (Johnson) Thompson, was born July 5, 1926 in Cushing, Iowa. On July 13, 1944 she married John Charles Evans in Cushing. He died Aug. 30, 1992 in Randolph. She was a member of Grace United Methodist Church in Hartington. She had recently been attending Calvary Bible Evangelical Free Church in Wayne. She enjoyed making crafts and making "Barbie Doll" clothes.

Survivors include three children, Ronald J. and Donna Evans of Wayne, Gregory A. and Connie Evans of Wymore and Dolly M. Parnell of Wayne; 18 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, one son, Dale R. Evans and one daughter, Sandra I. Evans and one grandson.

Pallbearers were Ronald Grove, Wade Thompson, Eugene Maffit, Cory Parry, James Fields and Eric Schenzel.

Burial was in the Cushing City Cemetery in Cushing, Iowa. Meyer Brothers Colonial Chapel of Sioux City, Iowa was in charge of arrangements.

Marillyn Munderloh

Marillyn Munderloh, 82, of Bancroft died on Thursday, March 18, 2004 at the Colonial Haven Nursing Home in Beemer.



Services were held on Monday, March 22 at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Bancroft, with the Rev. Terry Daberkow officiating.

Marillyn Munderloh, daughter of Louis and Elsie (Schroeder) Maack, was born on October 22, 1921 in West Point. She married Arthur Munderloh on Sept. 11, 1942 at Grace Lutheran Church in West Point. After living in West Point for a short time the couple moved to a farm west of Bancroft where they engaged in farming until 1999. She belonged to the Lyons Art Club, was a Cub Scout leader, attended and participated in Cuming County Fair yearly, belonged to the Cherrio Club, Bancroft Women's Club. She moved to the Colonial Manor in

Beemer four years ago. Art died Sept. 18, 2003. Survivors include nine children; Rojane and Myron Beineke of Bancroft, Darla and Frank Fisher of Hayard, Calif., Beth and Joe Prazak of San Prairie, Wis., Robin Munderloh of Norfolk, Melanie Krueger of Wayne, Brian Munderloh of Norfolk, Todd and Judy Munderloh of Norfolk, Jeffrey and Ava Munderloh of Fremont and Corey Munderloh of McCook Lake, S.D.; 16 grandchildren and nine great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and her husband Art. Burial was in the Bancroft City Cemetery. Munderloh Funeral Home in Bancroft was in charge of arrangements.

Helen (Mrs. Henry) Wesemann

Helen (Mrs. Henry) Wesemann, 62, of Wisner died Friday, March 19, 2004 at her home.

Services were held Tuesday, March 23 at the Christ Lutheran Church in Wisner, with Pastor Alan Baglien officiating.

Helen Louise Wesemann, daughter of Charles Thompson and Betty Dunsing, was born May 16, 1941 at Eureka, Calif. She grew up in the McKinleyville, Calif. area and attended school at Arcata, Calif. On May 17, 1965 she married Henry A. Wesemann at Eureka, Calif. In 1968 they returned to Wisner, where she was employed at the Milton G. Waldbaum Co. in Wakefield. She had worked as a waitress at various places and was also employed by the VonSeggern Custom Farming Operation out of Wisner. She was a member of the Christ Lutheran Church in Wisner. Her pastimes included fishing, camping and playing card games with her grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband, Henry A. Wesemann of Wisner; four children, Terrie and Rich Kaufman of Norfolk, Tony and Debbie Williams of Killeen, Texas, Steven and Shellie Wesemann of Las Vegas, Nev., Kellie and Brad Kallhoff of Lakeland, Fla.; 11 grandchildren; three great grandchildren; two sisters, Stella and Don McGarvey of McKinleyville, Calif. and Rose and Delroy Barnett of Red Bluff, Calif. and an uncle, Bob Dunsing, Sr and Margaret of Arcata, Calif.

She was preceded in death by her parents. Burial will be in the Wisner Cemetery. Kuzelka-Minnick Funeral Home in Wisner was in charge of arrangements.

Boy Scout Troop to collect food donations

Wayne Boy Scout Troop 174 will go door to door in Wayne from 8:30 to 10 a.m. on Saturday, April 3 to collect food donations for the Wayne food pantry.

Studies indicate that more than 20 million Americans, including 5.5 million children, go hungry at some time every month; those studies reveal, also that there are more hungry people in America now than at any time in the last 25 years.

According to Wayne food pantry volunteers, hunger happens here. The food pantry reports a continual need for food donations for families and individuals in Wayne.

Hunger is a problem that a community can do something about by working together. Scouting for Food is an example of the Boy Scouts long-standing commitment to community service. The Boy Scouts National Good Turn for 2004 is the collection of non-per-

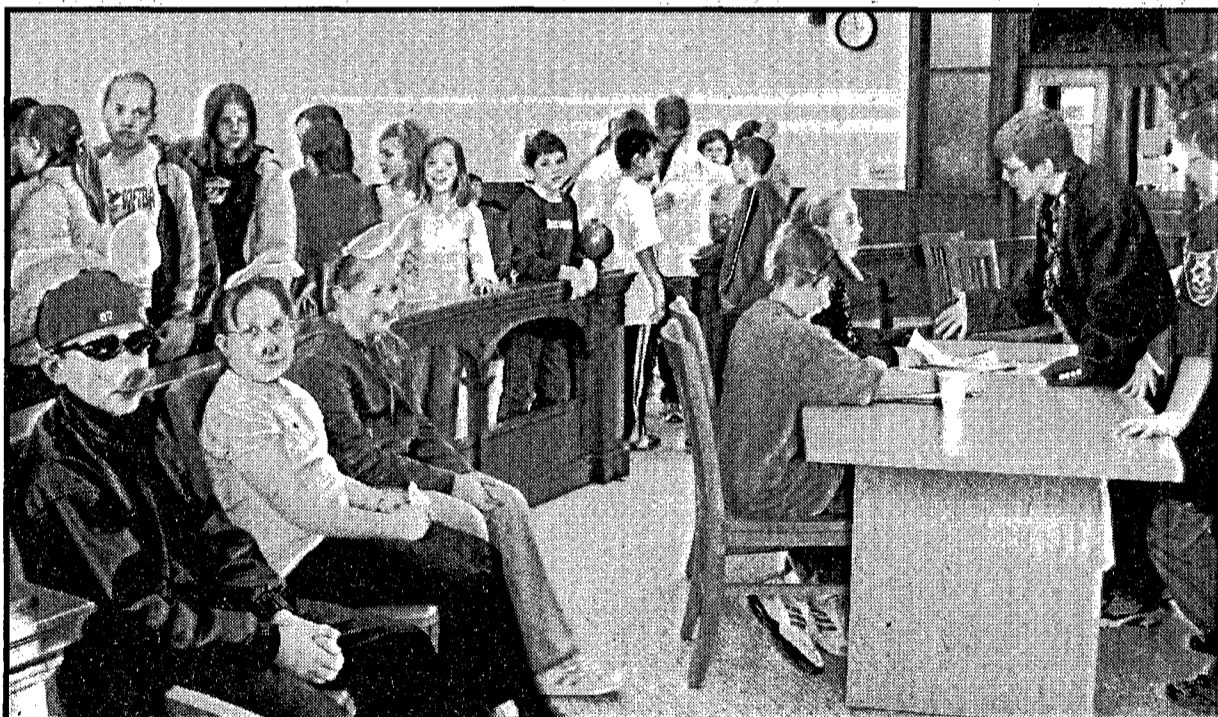
ishable food. The Scouts anticipate that this will result in the largest donation of food ever experienced in the United States. Through this project, the BSA will help meet the needs of the hungry directly, as well as expose its members, particularly youth, to the highest ideals of the Scouting movement through a practical and dramatic experience in the principle of the daily Good Turn.

When many give a little, great things can happen.

The Wayne Food Pantry is most in need of non-perishable food such as peanut butter, baby formula, complete packaged meals and such canned goods as tuna, chunky soups, stews, meats, fruits and vegetables.

Help reduce hunger in Wayne by supporting the Scouts on Saturday morning, April 3.

For more information, contact Jeff Carstens, 375-3840.



This is the way it was, your honor

The Three Little Pigs, (Nick Junck, Kennra Dunker and Jamie Belt, left, testified that William Ian Wolf, (Ian Webster) had blown their homes during the trail held last week at the Wayne Court House. The annual event for fifth grade students, organized by Sheryl Connolly, is designed to help the students better understand the judicial system. The students had previously studied the constitution and how the government works.

1Staff to offer business training

The Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce has announced the innovative partnership, by the chamber, 1Staff Training and Development, and Nebraska Workforce Development to offer a series of training sessions on Microsoft Applications and Business Skills.

The Microsoft training will be conducted in the 1Staff training center in Norfolk. Their center is located at 400 E. Norfolk Ave, corner of N. Pine beside Merchants Gas Station. The Business Skills training will be conducted at the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce's boardroom. Each session will commence at 8:30 am and finish at 4:30 pm with a one-hour lunch break. This training is free for chamber members with a limit of two from any member organization.

Advance reservations are required by contacting Diane or Nick at 1Staff in Omaha at 888-556-7568.

"One of the most important functions of a chamber of commerce is helping organizations improve their effectiveness in the highly demanding business environment of the 21st century," said board chair Galen Wiser, "and we are pleased to partner with one of our members, 1Staff, and Nebraska Workforce Development in bringing this top quality training opportunity to our members."

During a business retention and expansion survey taken among Wayne area businesses by the Nebraska Department of Economic Development last fall, it was noted that the most important need expressed by the respondents was training in customer service. Having this topic offered along with complimentary material in management and communications is therefore very timely and addresses this need.

Microsoft 2000 Access 1 April 20
Access 2 April 22
Excel 1 April 1

Excel 2 April 6
Excel 3 April 8
Outlook 1 April 27
Front Page 1 April 29
PowerPoint 1 April 13
PowerPoint 2 April 15
Word 1 May 4 (tentative)
Word 2 May 6 (tentative)
Word 3 May 11 (tentative)
Business Skills
Customer Service
Fundamentals April 19
Essential Management
Skills April 21
Effective Business
Communications April 23

Last fall, the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce members were allowed 40 slots for the Microsoft Applications training. This year the total allocation has been increased to accommodate 55 participants.

For more information, please contact the office of the Wayne Area Chamber of Commerce at 402-375-2240.

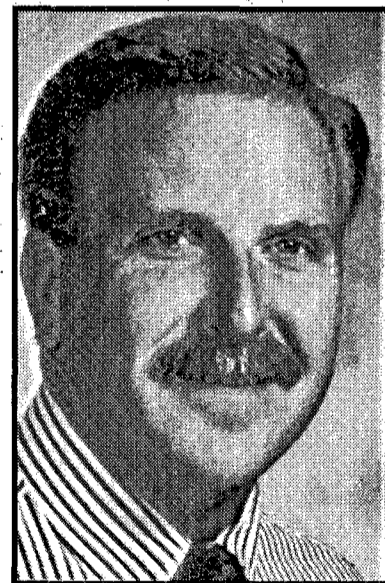
Several are hired at Wayne Schools

Several new personnel have been hired at Wayne Community Schools for the academic year 2004-05.

They include Mark Hansen, high school principal; Eric Henderson, K-8 Elementary teacher; Bradley Hoskins, 7-12 Language Arts teacher; and Anna Combs, Spanish teacher.

Hansen is principal at Axtell Community Schools in Axtell since 1994. Before that he taught

wife are originally from Ashland. Hansen's wife's name is Connie and they have two children,



Mark Hansen

agriculture education, was FFA advisor, coordinator for adult education classes for Young Farmers Organization, and was the assistant coach at West Point Public Schools in West Point from 1982-94. Hansen is married. He and his

Wayne County Court

Criminal Proceedings

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. David Lindner, Wayne, def. Complaint for Driving While Under the Influence of Alcoholic Liquor. Fined \$400 and costs, sentenced to eight months probation, dr. lic. impounded for 60 days and ordered to attend alcohol and drug education classes.

St. of Neb., pltf., vs. Jennifer Holmes, Lincoln, def. Complaint for Minor in Possession or Consumption. Fined \$500 and costs and sentenced to five days in jail.



Eric Henderson

Jennifer, 17, and Nathan, 13.

Henderson graduated from Wayne State College in 2000 with a K-8 education degree and received his coaching endorsement in May, 2001. He is the Assistant Men's Basketball Coach at WSC, Head Men's Golf Coach, and Recreation Center Assistant. He will replace Nadine Fredrickson, second grade teacher, who will be retiring this year. Henderson is married and his wife's name is Alicia. He is originally from Coggon, Iowa.

Hoskins is in his fourth year at Pender Public Schools, currently teaching English in grades 7,8,9,



Brad Hoskins

is Student Council advisor, and coach of three junior high sports.

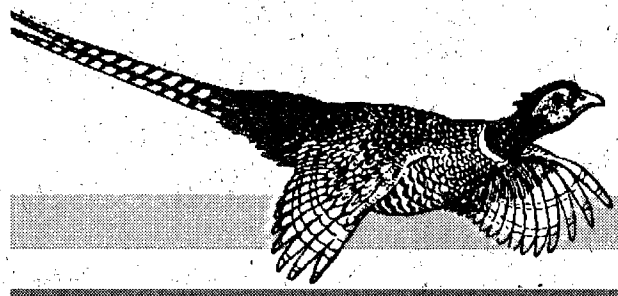
He will be teaching Language Arts at Wayne Middle School.

His wife, Joyce Hoskins, works in the Wayne Community School system as head volleyball coach, assistant track coach, and sixth grade teacher. They have three children, Katie, fourth grade; Ben, first grade; and Molly, 4-years-old. He is originally from Crawford.



Anna Combs

Combs taught Spanish at several schools: Fremont, Cedar-Rapids, Wisner-Pilger, and Madison. She grew up in Wayne. She has a 12-year-old son, Chris, who will be in the seventh grade.



How observant are you? Find out with this quiz

Are you one of those individuals who see all and know all? Well I thought I was pretty knowledgeable about trivial things, but I have to admit I missed 12 of these questions.

There are 29 questions about things we see everyday or have known about all our lives. How many can you get right? These little simple questions are harder than you think -- it just shows you how little we pay attention to the common place things in life. Put your thinking caps on.

No cheating! No looking around! No using anything on or in your desk or computer! Can you beat 23?? (The average is 7). Write down your answers on a piece of paper and check the answer key following the quiz AFTER completing all the questions. The answers are found on the bottom of this page.

Remember - no cheating!!! Let's just see how observant you really are.

- 1. On a standard traffic light, is the green on the top or bottom?
2. How many states are there? (Don't laugh, some people don't know.)
3. In which hand is the Statue of Liberty's torch?
4. What six colors are on the classic Campbell's soup label?
5. What two letters don't appear on the telephone dial? (No cheating by looking!)
6. What two numbers on the telephone dial don't have letters by them?
7. When you walk does your left arm swing with your right or left leg?
8. How many matches are in a

- standard pack?
9. On the United States flag, is the top stripe red or white?
10. What is the lowest number on the FM dial?
11. Which way does water go down the drain, counter or clockwise?
12. Which way does a "no smoking" sign's slash run?
13. How many channels are on a VHF TV dial?
14. Which side of a woman's blouse are the buttons on?
15. On a NY license plate, is New York on the top or bottom?
16. Which way do fans rotate?
17. Whose face is on a dime?
18. How many sides does a stop sign have?
19. Do books have even-numbered pages on the right or left side?
20. How many lug nuts are on a standard car wheel?
21. How many sides are there on a standard pencil?
22. Sleepy, Happy, Sneezey, Grumpy, Dopey, Doc, Who's missing?
23. How many hot dog buns are in a standard package?
24. On which playing card is the card maker's trademark?
25. On which side of a venetian blind is the cord that adjusts the opening between the slats?
26. On the back of a \$1 bill, what is in the center?
27. There are 12 buttons on a touch tone phone. What two symbols bear no digits?
28. How many curves are there in the standard paper clip?
29. Does a merry-go-round turn counter or clockwise?
Well, how do you think you did?

By Ed Howard
Statehouse Correspondent
The Nebraska Press Association
Direct democracy can be a difficult business.
People who take to the streets with initiative petitions in hand, for example, are participating in a legitimate process. It is also a process governed by law.
The "governed by law" thing can sometimes cause trouble for well-intentioned citizenry.
Questions were raised recently about the information given by petition circulators to potential petition signers.

These particular questions centered on a multi-petition effort with a single goal -- to expand gambling opportunities in the state.
The petition circulator reportedly told passers-by that each of the petitions had to be signed in order put the casino option before the electorate.
Critics said such was not the case. They said each individual petition spoke for itself; that it wasn't fair to suggest to potential signers that it was an "all or nothing" deal.

It brought up the perennial issue centering on use of exact explanations of initiative or referendum petitions. The law requires rather specific, limited, explanations. Failure to observe those requirements can get a person in trouble. In jail, even.
Heaven knows, even if some earthbound souls won't admit it, that folks circulating petitions for any number of causes can put on terrific street theater; often of the comic variety.

Over the years I have eavesdropped on lots of chats among circulators and those whom they would have sign on the dotted line.

A favorite involved a decidedly youngish circulator, clearly flustered by a series of questions from a grumpy, older sort of person.

Her rejoinders included one that went something like: 'This petition is so that, you know, you can have the right to vote, because the Legislature won't vote on it, and the petition would let you vote on it, if we get enough signatures. You know? And, the stuff it actually does, is in here, it would be on the ballot, and you could read the whole thing.'

Well, Democracy is a messy business. And direct Democracy

can be messier still, scary though the thought might be.

When a major policy proposal is debated in the Legislature, lots of people have the opportunity to question it, offer amendments, or seek legal advice on its exact meaning, etc.

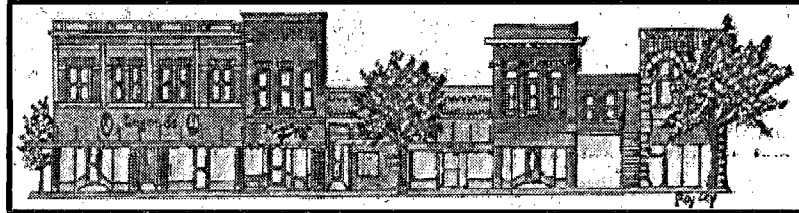
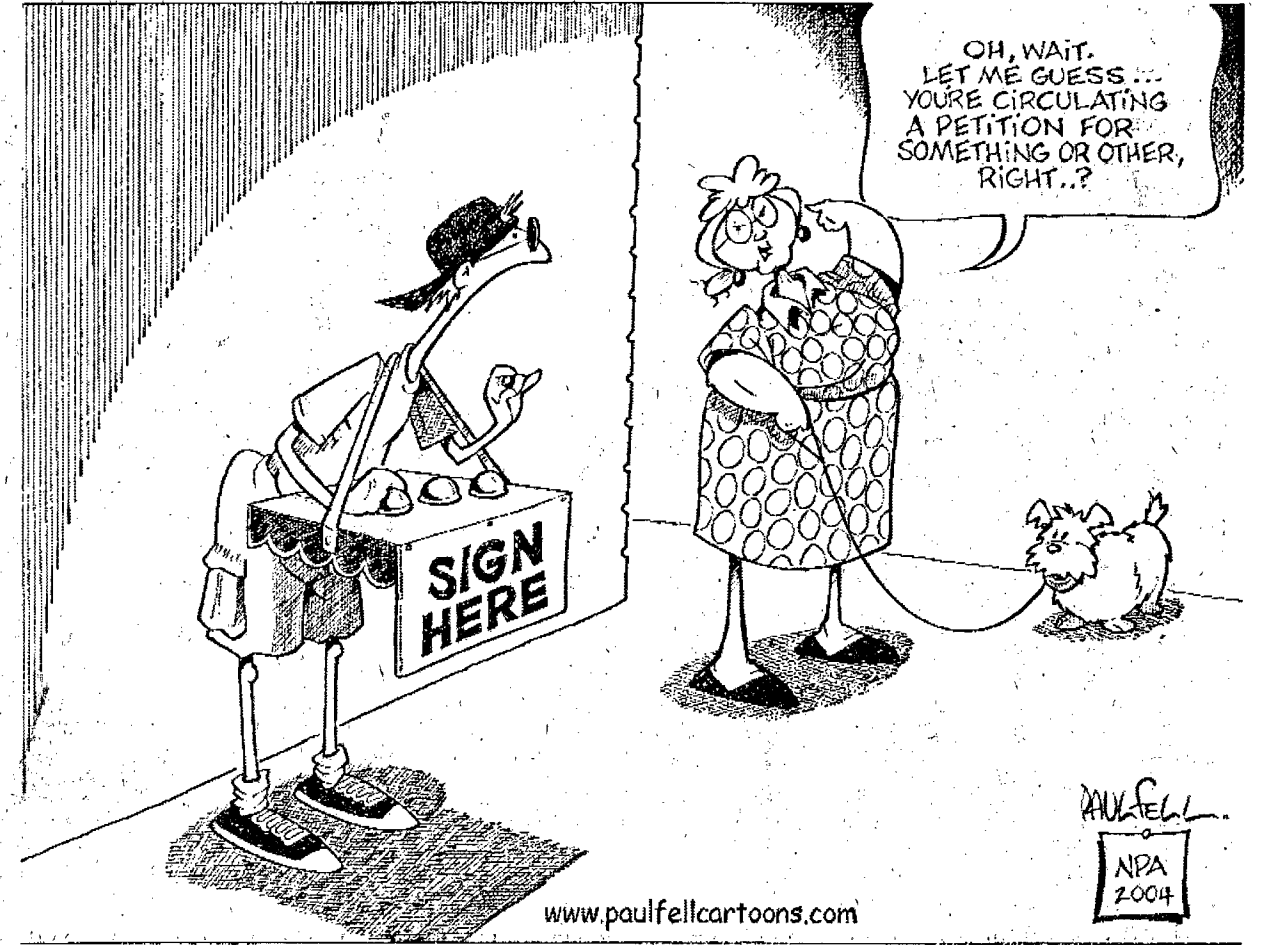
A petition initiative is what it is. If a proposal gets to the ballot and is adopted by voters, done is done.

Sometimes the "true meaning" of measures enacted directly by the people aren't decided until reviewed by the state Supreme Court. The decision of the latter is usually final, and sometimes a sur-

prise to all parties.

In short, the voice of direct Democracy has the constitutional right to be heard in Nebraska. But those who would speak through it have obligations that far exceed simply "getting involved" and putting an idea before the populace.

Those who would make public policy, bypassing elected policymakers, are obligated to make certain that they, and the voters, have as exact and accurate an understanding of their proposal as possible.



Main Street Focus

The Main Street Wayne Program offers congratulations to Marcile Thomas on being chosen as a 2003 Business Woman of the Year. Ms. Thomas, along with other honorees from throughout the nation will be formally recognized at an awards ceremony held in Washington D.C. on April 1.

At our regular meeting on Tuesday, Lacy Schwochow, WSC Student Senate President; Rachael Arterburn, WSC Off Campus Senator; Ashley Nemmers, WSC Terrace Hall Senator and Jenny Kriens, WSC Berry Hall Senator, spoke with the Main Street Program about the Safe Ride Program that the WSC T.R.U.S.T. Coalition has been working on. The core of the discussion was about the possible use of 'The Shuttle' for a pilot or test run on a Thursday night from approximately 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Many serious issues still need to be discussed involving entities besides the Main Street Program. Open discussions will be continuing.

WOW! Wednesday morning was spectacular ... sunny, clear, fresh, birds singing, the promise of warmer temperatures ... visions of sugar-plums, no golf balls, danced in my head.

We are still making plans for Henoween. our entertainment is locked-in, as we received contractual confirmation. Frozen chicken bowling ... think about it? It may be a reality for Henoween (with a donation by the Main Street Program of frozen chickens to the local food bank ... and NO, not the ones we'll use for bowling!) We are not 'scrambling' but are well organized in our planning. Mark your calendar ... Friday night, July 9!

A young lady called the other day about the rental of 'The Shuttle'. If you have a wedding, family reunion, a sales meeting or a community outing ... prom? ...

give Derby Johnson at Wayne State College a call at 375-7472, to make specific arrangements, or call this office at 375-5062 for general information, 'The Shuttle' is also available throughout the



By: Leo Ahmann

summer, so don't limit yourself in your planning.
Stop by our office for other information as well. We are happy to share the informative, National Main Street Newsletter, the Downtown Idea Exchange Newsletter, and the Downtown Promotions Reporter, plus tourist information as well.

On a bit of a personal note ... you know we do that here from time to time ... a very proud Grandma Norma and Grandpa Al Ehlers were in attendance as grandson, Brendon Ehlers, a starter on the Evanston Wyoming Red Devils team won the Class 4-A State boys basketball tournament championship. Brendon was also recently named the Class 4-A state Player of the Year in Wyoming. Congratulations Brendon!

Thanks to everyone that made Nancy's birthday this past Tuesday very special.
Until next time ...

NEW BEGINNINGS!

BUCKS BACK! --the unique Wayne area program that gives you a chance to win back the full (up to \$50) amount of your purchase. This week we feature multiple lines, general stores, that are sponsors of the program.

Making that once a week or twice a week trip to that one-stop shop where you can get many of your house wares, tools, gardening supplies, school supplies, some clothing items, some food items, and

other products that you don't want to visit specialty stores for, can be less time consuming, less stressful, and quicker. But when you add up the cost of these "few" items, the sun can be substantial. So when you consider how much you invest for these expenditures on a regular basis, and when you consider that you have the chance to get some of this back, why not make it a point to make your purchases at the participating Wayne (instead of

Norfolk and Sioux City) merchants in the BUCKS BACK! program?

Pamida, Dollar General, and Bomgaars are all participating merchants in the chamber's BUCKS BACK! program where the more you purchase the better your chances are of getting back the full amount of your purchase (up to \$50) at the first special drawing on June 14. Later in September there will be another drawing. The amounts received will be in the form of Chamber Bucks ("the check that doesn't bounce") that can be used at any chamber retailer in the Wayne area.

Consumers have become accustomed to having many of their needs met at these fine retailers, so ask any clerk the next time you shop at Pamida, Dollar General, or Bomgaars how you can enter the contest.

April 1 will mark 100 days and counting to the 2004 Wayne Chicken Show to be conducted again at the Willow Bowl on the campus of Wayne State College. Again, the chamber has produced a 100-day Countdown Calendar that

features specials from Wayne area food stores, convenience stores, service stores, and other retailers and organizations to make your countdown to the Show worth the wait.

Copy Write, Taco's & More, Godfather's Pizza, Magic Wok, Wayne Greenhouse, Pizza Hut, Heritage Express, McDonalds, Exhaust Pros/Lightening Lube, Pamida, Dairy Queen, and JAYCEES are all generous sponsors of one or more days on this calendar offering discounts and other promotions for goods and services at their stores.

No household in the area should be without a copy of this calendar on the fridge. Calendars have been passed out to all elementary grade students and staff, to individuals at the Senior Center, and are available at the above retailers and the chamber office. If you do not have one, contact the chamber office at 375-2240. They are free and are loaded with discounts.

Until next time, remember, if there is anything that the chamber can do for you, please call us.



Board of Directors

Main Street Board of Directors for 2004-05 include, front row, left to right Mark Ortmeier, Irene Fletcher and Diane Vovos. Back row, Marie Kochenash, Kate Lutt and Craig Walling. Not available for the picture were board members Sandra Gathje, Dr. Chuck Parker and Reggie Yates.

Letters

Thanks blood donors

Dear Editor,
We want to thank the 47 people who registered to give blood at Grace Lutheran Church on March 9. Forty-two units of life saving blood were collected.

The following donors reached milestones in their giving: Randy Lutt, one gallon; Cornelius Sandahl, two gallons; Monica

Carroll, five gallons and Mary Temme, six gallons. We also had three new donors, Deann Behlers, Tony Daws and Allison Lindner.
Thanks again.
We also want to thank the ladies who furnished the snacks.
Grace Lutheran Bloodbank Committee

Answers to quiz

- 22. Bashful
21. Ace of spades
20. ONE
19. Left
18. 8
17. Roosevelt
16. Clockwise as you look at it
15. Top
14. Left
13. Towards bottom right
12. 12 (in #1)
11. Counter (north of the equator)
10. 88
9. Red
8. 20
7. Right

- 29. Counter
28. 3
27. #
26. ONE
25. Left
24. Ace of spades
23. 8
22. Bashful
21. 6
20. 5
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18. 8
17. Roosevelt
16. Clockwise as you look at it
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14. Left

- 6. 1 & 0
5. Z
4. Blue, red, white, yellow.
3. Right
2. 50 (please tell me you got this one!)
1. Bottom

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Center, Providence Medical Center employees are striving to look better, feel better and be better. And that's a big deal. Some of the health program guidelines include exercise at the Wellness Center three times a week for 20 minutes,

attending monthly "Big Deal Connection Luncheons" which include a speaker, health screenings (cholesterol, blood pressure, heart rate, UA and CBC, blood sugar and a mammogram one time a year), and fitness testing which includes body fat composition, aerobic capacity, grip and posture analysis.

Participants are also encouraged to take advantage of the optional buddy system and enjoy a complimentary one-hour employee massage session. Mini-stretching breaks are provided on Tuesdays and Thursdays at 10 a.m. in the morning and again at 2 p.m. Pedometers are utilized to encourage 10,000 steps a day.

Student

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"The dogs are led to the end of the hunt with scent. We would never kill a fox." Manon's friends are taking care of Roma for her while she is here.

Manon was disappointed with not being able to ride when she first arrived in America. It is one of the things she missed most about home.

Dianne's parents, Dale and Norma Lee Stoltenberg, who live on an acreage north of Carroll, took Manon with them to a stable at Elkhorn. There they bought a 4-year-old Paint and a Sorrell Quarter Horse. Manon has adopted the Paint, Little Joe. She rides, whenever the weather permits - and sometimes, when it doesn't. She has become close with Dale and Norma Lee and calls them "Grandma and Pa."

Manon is living with the Leighty family which includes Jessica, 21, a junior at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln. Jessica and Manon have become good friends. Jessica is home often and Manon

has spent time with her in Lincoln as well. Austin, 18, is a senior at WHS. After graduation, Manon's parents have invited him to tour Germany with them for six weeks.

"Manon instantly fit into our family. She is a bright, mature, fun girl. Her English and her manners are impeccable. We all love her very much," Dianne said. "I expected to learn a lot about German cooking. Actually, Manon's favorite foods are the same as Jessica's." (Manon loves pasta with any kind of sauce. The Olive Garden restaurant is her favorite. She also loves salad, cheese, fruits and raw vegetables.) "I will have to wait for her Mom to visit. Manon says she is a wonderful cook."

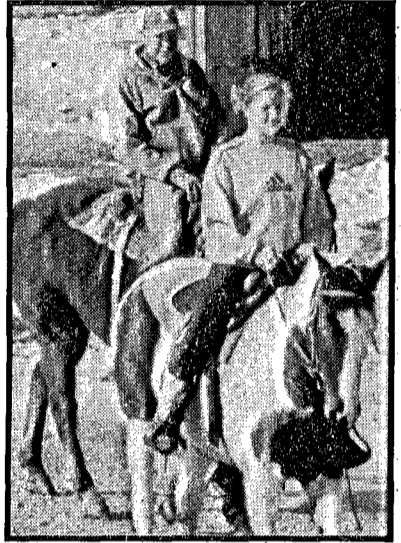
Manon's family consists of her Mom, Christiane, who is a florist; her Dad, Martin, who works for the Phillip Morris Company; and her Brother, Rene, who is 25. Rene was a foreign exchange student in Boston, when he was 17.

Manon's parents, her brother and his fiancée are planning a visit to the United States in May. They will tour the southern states for about a month. During that time, Manon's

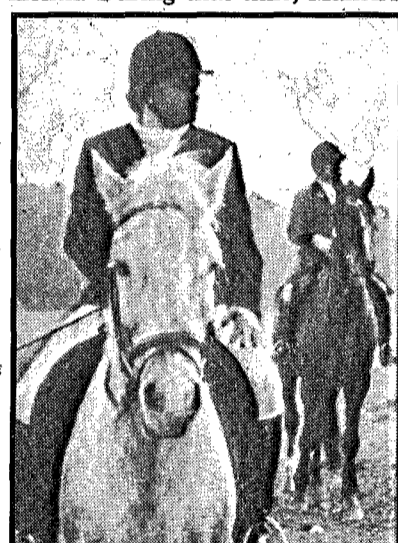
brother will be married in New Orleans. Dianne and Manon are planning a reception for them when they return to Wayne. Austin will return to Germany with them and Manon will go home with the YFU Group in June.

The two families have become friends through email and the telephone. Martin and Rene speak English but Christiane does not. "We are all anxious to meet. My one regret is that Christiane and I will not be able to speak privately," Dianne said. "Christiane is studying English, so we will do our best."

The Leightys say that they had no idea how rewarding this experience would be. "We feel blessed that Manon has come into our lives."



Manon and Dale Stoltenberg riding horses on Stoltenberg's farm.



Manon and Roma at a Fox Hunt in Germany.



Manon's parents, Christiane and Martin.

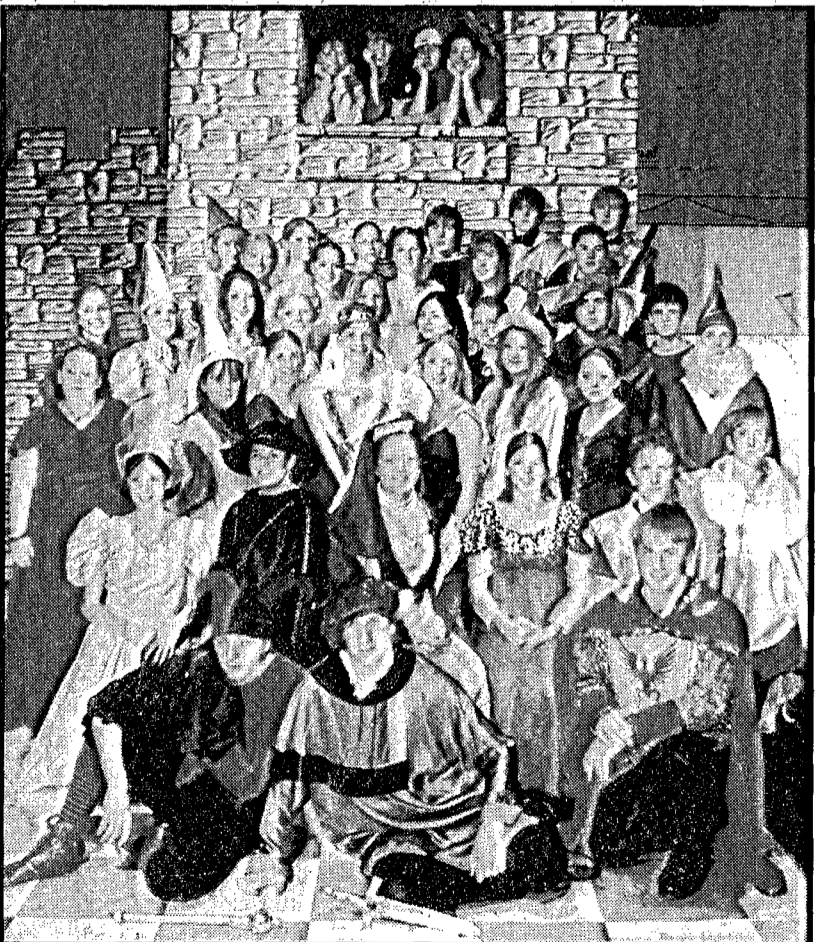


Manon and her brother, Rene.



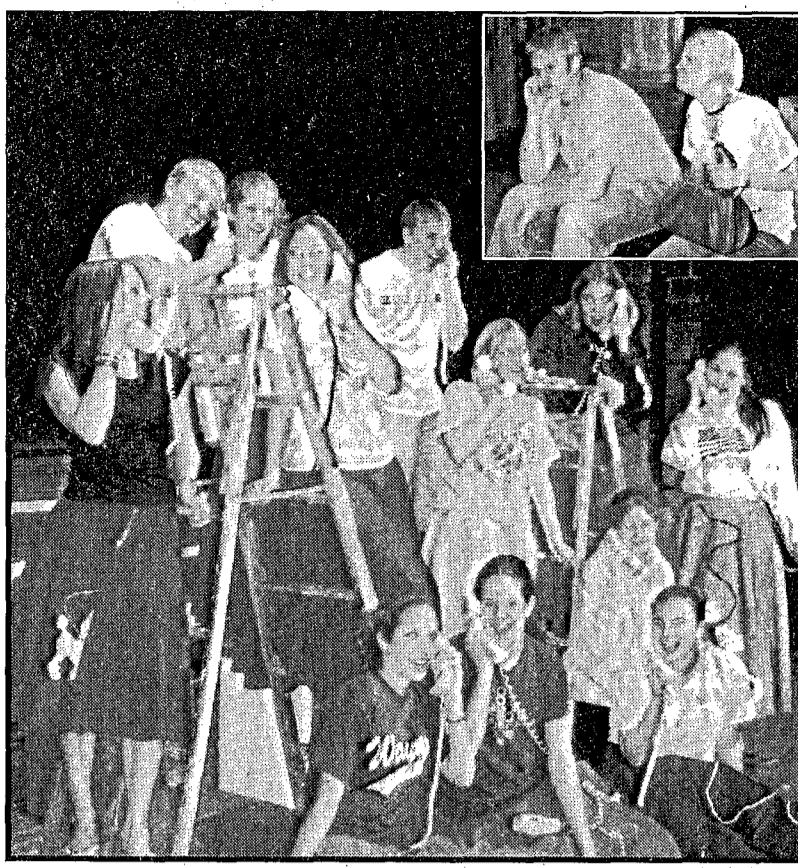
Irish eyes are smilin'

As part of the St. Patrick's Day celebration at the Wayne Senior Center, the Wayne High School Jazz Choir sang several selections, including "Danny Boy" sung by Sean Peterson. The group also performed several numbers from the upcoming musical "Bye Bye Birdie."



'Once Upon a Mattress'

The Allen High School Music Department will present the musical "Once Upon a Mattress" on March 25-26-27 (7:30 pm). "Once Upon a Mattress" is an adaptation of the fable of the Princess and the Pea, with some hilarious twists thrown in. There are many antics of Queen Aggravain, King Sextimus, Prince Dauntless (the Drab), and Princess Winifred (Fred). Chances are you will never look at fairy tales quite the same way again. You can see any Allen Choir member for tickets or they will also be available at the door.



Cast members rehearse for next week's production of "Bye Bye Birdie."

WHS to present 'Bye Bye Birdie'

The Wayne High School Music Department will present "Bye Bye Birdie" on Friday and Saturday, April 2-3.

Performances will begin each evening at 7:30 p.m. in the High School Lecture Hall.

The musical centers on a fictional rock star Conrad Birdie (Jeff Meyer) who has been drafted. His crafty stage manager Albert Peterson (Chad Jensen) and his secretary Rose Alvarez (Amy Kemp) have concocted a publicity stunt which involves Conrad giving a lucky girl Kim MacAfee (Jessica Dickey) as a "goodbye" before he heads off to war. It involves energetic teens, dance numbers and exciting sets.

Other main characters include Doris MacAfee (Ashley Gentrup), Harry MacAfee (Sean Peterson), Randolph MacAfee (Nick Klassen) and Mae Peterson (Charity Kroeker).

Also involved are Austin Leighty, Blair Sommerfeld, Natalie Fendrick, Michaela Vander Weil, Alex Wieland, Blake Lyon, Stefanie Snead, Katie Olson, Marissa Roney, Emily Buryanek, Jessica Monahan, John Temme, Brandon Ecktenkamp, Andrew Snead, Sara Jensen, Sheila Meyer, Rachel Jensen, Keely Reinert, Amy Hype and Aaron Holt.

Teen chorus members include Megan Kardell, Elizabeth Baier, Corissa Arickx, Shannon Connolly, Erin Magnuson, Todd Poehlman and Aaron Lutt.

Shriners are Bren Vander Weil, Dustin Hurlbert, Luke Gentrup, Tim Schaefer and Adam Reinert.

It is based on a book by Michael Stewart with music by Charles Strouse and lyrics by Lee Adams.

Other characters include The musical is directed by Deneil Parker and Mollie Spieker.



Let's make a Deal

Among the evening's activities at the annual Logan Creek Pheasant's Forever Banquet was a game in which a gun was won by Jess Thompson (above). Below, Vanessa Christensen was the winner of a life-time hunting permit donated by Larry Janssen and Brooks Widner.



Planetarium Show to be held at WSC

A new planetarium show emphasizing solar system objects will be presented to the public this semester at Wayne State College.

From March 28 through May 2, the planetarium show will be "Ring World" (there will be no show on Easter Sunday, April 11). This show celebrates the most visually dramatic solar system object, the planet Saturn.

The show (made available from NASA) tells the story of the Cassini/Huygens mission to Saturn and its moons. These spacecraft will arrive at Saturn on July 4, 2004, after a voyage of seven-and-a-half years.

All shows will be held on Sunday afternoons at 3:30 p.m. in the Fred G. Dale Planetarium located at the south entrance of the Carhart Science Building on the Wayne State campus. There is no admission charge. Special showings for school groups and other organizations may be arranged by contacting the planetarium at 402-375-7343.

WEB announces upcoming carnival

The Elementary and Middle School Carnival which will take place this Saturday, March 27 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the Middle School, is one of the of WEB's largest fundraisers.

Many Wayne businesses have made contributions toward this event. There will be approximately 40 different games/booths including the favorite "Cake Walk" and "Face Painting."

Another fundraiser that will take place at the school carnival is the set of Pizza Hut coupons. The cost of this set of coupons is only \$10 with a large amount coming back to the elementary and middle schools.

What is Wayne Education Boosters and what do they do? If you have asked yourself, what is Wayne Education Boosters (WEB) or what does WEB do, you are not alone.

WEB is an organization composed of Wayne Elementary and Middle School administrators, teachers and parents working together to promote the well-being and educational growth of the children.

This organization was previously the Wayne Elementary Boosters

consisting of only the elementary staff and parents. The need for a Middle School boosters was brought up. A decision was made to have a combined organization.

In the past five to six years, WEB has purchased color printers and ceiling fans for each elementary classroom. Library materials including books, videos and unit study resources have also been purchased. Music folders and instruments were purchased. The climbing wall in the elementary gym and physical education mat were purchased.

Elementary teachers each purchased games totaling \$50 for inside recess and \$500 was donated to the the Wayne High School track fund. This year Web will again be paying the admission cost for elementary students (Kindergarten through third grade - fourth grade is paid for with school funds) to attend the Wayne State College Children's Play. Without this donation, the students would not be able to attend.

Reconstruction of the elementary playground continues.

Purchases are beginning to be

made at the Middle School. A refrigerator has been purchased for the concession stand area. Improvements are also being made on the Middle School playground. Some equipment has also been purchased.

These purchases, donations and projects are made possible through fundraisers. Two fundraisers that are done yearly in the elementary and middle schools are t-shirt/sweatshirt sales and a spring carnival. There will be more fundraisers to come within the middle school.

Members of WEB feel the most significant thing WEB does is to show the children, teachers and staff that they are important and that they care about their education. WEB strongly encourages parents to become involved in WEB. With continued budget cuts, involvement in WEB will become even more important. WEB, the teachers and staff and especially the children, will benefit from your time and commitment.

Anyone with questions about WEB is asked to contact Laura Gamble or Teresa Glassmeyer, the current WEB presidents.

Marcile Thomas selected as 2003 Businesswoman of the Year

NRCC Chairman, Congressman Tom Reynolds of New York, has announced the selection of Wayne business leader Marcile S. Thomas as a 2003 Businesswoman of the Year.

Last year Ms. Thomas was appointed to the National Republican Congressional Committee as an Honorary Chairman of the Business Advisory Council.

Ms. Thomas, Administrator of Providence Medical Center in Wayne was selected for her involvement as a community and business leader in the Wayne area, steadfast supporter for Republican ideals such as lower taxes and limited government and for generous support for the Republican Party.

Ms. Thomas, along with other honorees from throughout the nation, will be formally recognized at an awards ceremony held at the 2004 Congressional Tax Summit in Washington, D.C. on Thursday, April 1.

Thomas has been associated with the Wayne hospital for over 35 years and has been the administrator of PMC since 1977. She has spearheaded many projects during her tenure as administrator, including the addition of a new doctor's clinic to the hospital, an education wing, Wellness Center and the 10,000 square foot outpatient wing. PMC has been propelled to a position of prominence under her leadership.

Married to Jimmie Thomas, the couple has lived and worked in Wayne their entire married life. They have raised three children (two daughters and a son) and enjoy attending as many activities as possible that involve their grandchildren.

President Bush, Speaker of the House, Dennis Hastert and Congressional republican leaders will be in attendance at the Spring Gala in Washington, D.C.

"Take Flight with Lewis and Clark" to be Presented at Wayne State

The second of four Lewis and Clark scholar-presentations, "Changed Lives: Lewis and Clark Meet the West," will be held in the Gardner Hall Auditorium on Thursday, March 25 at 7 p.m.

"Take Flight with Lewis and Clark" is the title of the presentation by Carla Wambach of Helena, Mont. Her hands-on presentation will feature actual bird mounts as a vehicle to integrate the confluence of cultures encountered throughout the expedition whose bicentennial is being commemorated from 2004-06.

Wambach, a retired teacher with a master's degree in environmental education, has been the recipient of many awards including the National Presidential Award for Excellence in Teaching Science. She is a member of Montana's Lewis and Clark Bicentennial Educational Committee.

Wayne is one of only 10 communities in Nebraska selected for the Lewis and Clark presentations this year. The Wayne programs are co-hosted by Wayne State College and Main Street Wayne. The presentations center on the theme, "Where Diverse Communities Intersect." The final two programs are scheduled for April 1 and 15 in the Gardner Hall Auditorium on the Wayne State campus. Each will begin at 7 p.m. All programs are free and open to the public.

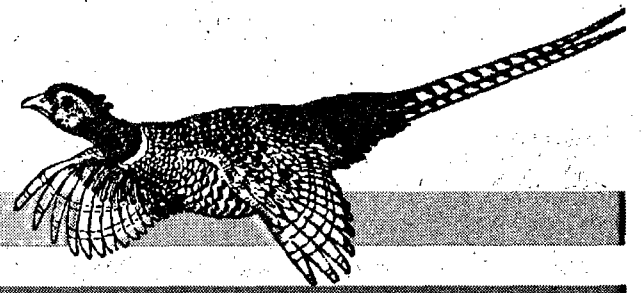
The final two programs will be:

•April 1: "Otoe and Missouri Meet Big Knives." Presenter Matthew "Sitting Bear" Jones, a member of the Otoe-Missouria nation, will examine the first and second meetings that Lewis and Clark held with the Otoe-Missouria nation in 1804, from the Otoe-Missouria point of view. They were the first Native nations to be contacted by Lewis and Clark west of the Mississippi River.

•April 15: "Songs Lewis and Clark Might Have Sung." Singer-songwriter Mary Green Vickrey will perform songs reflecting the diversity of early 19th-century America and the Corps of Discovery. Her trademark humor weaves throughout her selections and her original song about the Expedition.

Lifestyle

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Tips shared on how to disagree

Disagreements are a part of life. Even loving spouses, good co-workers and friendly neighbors don't always agree.

Disagreements can turn nasty when one person won't see the other's point of view. Control a disagreement by making sure your reactions are fair and kind. As yourself "What's good for me and my relationship with this person?"

1. Control your emotions. During a disagreement strong feelings can get in the way of clear thinking. Be aware of strong emotions and learn to control them. Getting mad and yelling doesn't help things.

2. Understand another person's position. Before you disagree, try to understand how the other person sees the situation. But yourself in her/his place. That will keep you from jumping to conclusions about their motives or beliefs.

3. Communicate clearly and

effectively. Don't lecture the other person. Instead, share your views in clear, short statements. Give the other person a chance to

Amy Topp
Extension Educator
4-H & Youth



respond to each point you make.

4. Listen. Listen. Listen. Listen carefully during a disagreement instead of thinking about what you are going to say next. Try not to think ahead. Think about what the other person is saying or feeling. Try to learn something from the other person's ideas. Repeat what you think he or she said. Ask if you hear right. Ask the other person to correct you if you hear wrong.

5. Talk others into seeing things your way, don't force. It's always

better to try to talk others into seeing things your way rather than to bully them.

6. Don't try to be the winner. Both people should feel like winners after the discussion ends or the disagreement will continue for a long time.

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APRIL 4-H CALENDAR

April 3: Rail Fence Pillow Workshop, 9 a.m. to noon at Our Savior Lutheran Church in Wayne.

April 12: Swine weigh-in ends, ID's due.

April 17: Regional Public Speaking Contest, Norfolk.

April 18-24: National Volunteer Week.

April 23: Horse Level Testing Sign-up.

April 26: Horse Level Written Tests.

April 26: 4-H Council.

School Lunches

ALLEN SCHOOLS

(March 29 - 31)

Monday: Breakfast - Ham, hash-browns, toast. Lunch - McRib on bun, corn, pineapple, cookie.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza. Lunch - Chicken fried steak, baked potato, applesauce, roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Pop Tarts. Lunch - Baked rotini, green beans, pears, rolls

LAUREL-CONCORD SCHOOLS

(March 29 - April 2)

Monday: Breakfast - Omelet. Lunch - Hot dog on bun, baked beans, oven fries, fruit, dessert.

Tuesday: Breakfast - Pancake. Lunch - Chicken nuggets, green beans, fruit, tea roll.

Wednesday: Breakfast - Cereal. Lunch - Walking taco, lettuce, dressing, fruit, bread, dessert.

Thursday: Breakfast - Breakfast pizza. Lunch - Chicken noodle soup, carrots, celery, fruit, bread, dessert.

Friday: Breakfast - Muffin & yogurt. Lunch - Grilled cheese, green beans, chips, fruit.

Milk and juice

available for breakfast. Milk, chocolate milk, orange juice available each day.

Wakefield (March 29 - 31)

Monday: Rib sandwich, French fries, peaches

Tuesday: Chicken sandwich, mixed vegetables, fresh fruit.

Wednesday: Ham stromboli, baked beans, pears.

Milk served with every meal.

WAYNE (March 29 - April 2)

Monday: Pork steak on bun, corn, peaches, cookie.

Tuesday: Chili, crackers, celery, applesauce, cinnamon roll.

Wednesday: Hot dog with bun, baked beans, pears, cake.

Thursday: Chicken patty with bun, green beans, pineapple, cookie.

Friday: Macaroni & cheese, string cheese, peas, dinner roll, fruit cocktail, cookie.

Milk served with each meal.

Also available daily: chef's salad, roll or crackers, fruit or juice, dessert

WINSIDE (March 29 - April 2)

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Kindergarten Round-Up

will be held on Friday, April 2, 2004. Students with last names beginning with A-J are asked to attend from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m. Those with last names beginning with K-Z will attend from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m. Parents are asked to attend the Round-Up with their child. If you have not received a letter from the Elementary School, and have a child who will be attending Kindergarten in the fall, please call 375-3854 or 375-5725 for further information.

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Engagements



Abbott - Corbit
Joanna Abbott and Christopher Corbit of Omaha have announced their engagement.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of John and Linda Abbott of Magnolia, Ohio. She graduated from Malone College in Canton, Ohio in 1996 and from The Ohio State University College of Optometry in 2002. She currently practices as an optometrist in Omaha.

Her fiance is the son of James Corbit and Eunice Creamer of Wayne. He graduated from the University of Nebraska at Omaha in 1994 and from the University of Nebraska Medical Center College of Medicine in 1999. He is employed at Methodist Hospital as an Emergency Medicine physician in Omaha.

The couple is planning a May 4, 2004 wedding at First Presbyterian Church in Omaha.



Stankoski - Roeber

Debbie Stankoski and Mark Roeber, both of Columbus, have announced their plans for a May 1, 2004 wedding at United Methodist Church in Columbus.



The bride-to-be is the daughter of Edwin and Judy Stankoski of Silver Creek. She is employed at B-D in Columbus.

Her fiance is the son of Merle and Donna Roeber of Wayne. He is also employed at B-D in Columbus.

Couple married in Wayne ceremony

Jennifer Simpson and Matthew Torczon were married Oct. 11, 2003 at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Wayne.

Father James McCluskey of Laurel and Father Mark Tomaszewicz of Wayne officiated at the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Greg and Denise Simpson of Wakefield, Robert and Christine Steinke of Columbus and Frank Torczon of Duncan.

Grandparents of the couple are Bud and Jean Simpson and Carol Greve, all of Wakefield, Beata Dinslage of West Point, Leo and Isabel Szatko of Clarks, Donna Steinké of Central City and Art and Edna Sutko and Katy Konwinski, both of Columbus.

Music for the ceremony was provided by organist Connie Krueger of Wakefield, friend of the couple, vocalists Chad Boyer of Norfolk and Moriah Zegers of Wayne, friends of the couple and trumpeter Keith Krueger of Wakefield, friend of the couple.

Lector was Angie Thies of Wayne, friend of the couple.

The bride wore a strapless satin A-line gown with champagne trim and lace up the back.

She wore a headband with pearls and champagne enamel flowers and an ivory fingertip veil with crystal and pearls with run edging. She carried an autumnal bouquet.

Matron of Honor was Susan Pryor-Johnson of Wayne, friend of the couple. Maid of Honor was Kristin Preston of Emerson, friend of the couple.

Bridesmaids were Jen Greve of Wayne, aunt of the bride, Emily Schlickbernd of Los Angeles, Calif. and Kristin Eaton of Wakefield, friends of the couple.

The bridesmaids wore long, sleeveless black dresses of their choice. Each carried individual autumnal bouquets.

Flower girls were Danielle Gilliland of Wakefield, cousin of the bride and Haylie Torczon of Wayne, daughter of the couple.

Best Man was Frank Mielak of Lincoln, friend of the couple.

Groomsman were Mike Mathews of Chicago, Ill., Nick Roth of South Sioux City, Sean Mohatt of Lincoln, friends of the couple.



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Open house planned for Caauwe

Don and Caroline (Temme) Caauwe will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary on Sunday, April 4.

An open house will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. at St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, 1015 Lancaster Lane in Lincoln.

Hosting the celebration will be their daughters Kathy and Dan Morgan of Lincoln, Beth Caauwe of Pasadena, Calif. and Jan and Dale Brown of Arcadia, Calif. They also have six grandchildren.

The Caaupes grew up in the Wayne area and were married April 4, 1954 at Grace Lutheran Church in Wayne.

Cards may be sent to them at 1801 North 62nd Street, Lincoln, Neb. 68505.

Card shower requested for Elma Gilliland

The family of Elma Gilliland has requested a card shower in honor of her 90th birthday which is Wednesday, March 31.

Her family includes two daughters, Joyce Goshorn of Stanton and Rosemary Holloway of Vancouver, Wash.; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Cards may be sent to her in care of her daughter at P.O. Box 325, Stanton, Neb. 68779.

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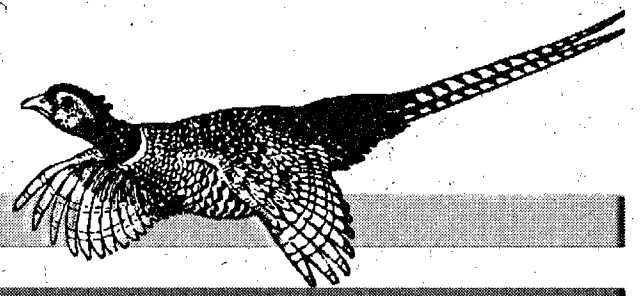
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Sunday: Sunday School, 8 a.m.; Worship, 9 a.m. Tuesday: Adult Bible Study at Immanuel, 7:30 p.m.; Wednesday: Lenten Worship at Immanuel, 7:30 p.m.

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Saturday: Men's Breakfast, 6 a.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Morning Worship, 10:30; Choir, 5 p.m.; Youth Group, Evening Service and Children's Choir, 7 p.m. Monday: Ladies' Bible Study at Donna's, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Lenten Breakfast, 7:30 a.m.; AWANA and JV, "Taco Tower Night," 7 p.m.; Adult Bible Study and Prayer, 7.

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FIRST LUTHERAN
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Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 10. Monday: Birthday party honoring Evelina

Johnson's 98th birthday at Wakefield Care Center, 2 p.m.; Sexuality Study, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Lenten Service at First Lutheran, 7:30 p.m.

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(Dr. Deahl)
(Rev. Chuck Rager, pastor)
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Sunday: Worship Service, 9:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:45; Fellowship and Coffee, 10:30; Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday: Jesus' Kids, 7 p.m.

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Sunday: Worship, 9 a.m.; Sunday School, 9.

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Sunday: Worship Service, 8:30 a.m.; Sunday School, 9:30. Thursday: Lenten Worship Service, 7:30.

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Sunday: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11. Newsletters available to pick up.

CONCORDIA LUTHERAN
(Karen Tjarks, TEEM)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45. Monday: Sexuality Study, 7 p.m.; Birthday Party honoring Evelina Johnson's 98th birthday at Wakefield Care Center, 2 p.m. Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Lenten Worship at First Lutheran, 7:30.

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p.m. Monday: Confirmation class, 4:30 p.m. Wednesday: Lenten Worship with Pastor Rixe, 7:30 p.m.; Choir practice following Lenten service.

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802 Winter St.
(Ross Erickson, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:45; C.E. Board, 7 a.m.; Senior High, 7. Tuesday:

Sunday video on local cable, 10 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Wednesday: Confirmation, 4:45 p.m.; Snak Shak, 6; Pioneer Club, Jr. High Bible Study, 6:30; Bible Study, 7. Thursday: Men's Bible Study at Tacos & More, 7 a.m.; Road Less Traveled, 4 p.m.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN
4 North, 3 East of Wayne
(Willie Bertrand, pastor)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30

Immanuel Lutheran Ladies conduct meeting

Immanuel Lutheran Ladies Aid met March 18. The meeting was opened with the group singing "O That The Lord Would Guide My Ways."

Pastor William Bertrand led devotions and the topic on gentleness, one of the "Gifts of the Spirit."

Mrs. Marlin Schuttler conducted the business meeting. The secretary and treasurer's reports were given.

The Visitation report was given by Mrs. Elmer Schrieber and Mrs. Melvin Meyer.

Mrs. Schuttler displayed items to be included in the layette for the Mother's Touch project.

The LWML workshop will be held Tuesday, April 27 beginning at

a.m.; Worship, 10:30 a.m. Tuesday: Adult Bible Study, 7:30 p.m. Wednesday: Catechism class, 5 to 6:30 p.m.; Lenten Worship at Immanuel Lutheran, 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN
216 West 3rd
(Susan Banholzer, pastor)
Sunday: Church School, 9:45 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m.

ST. JOHN'S LUTHERAN
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Sunday: Worship, 8:15 a.m.; Sunday School and High School Bible Class, 9:15.

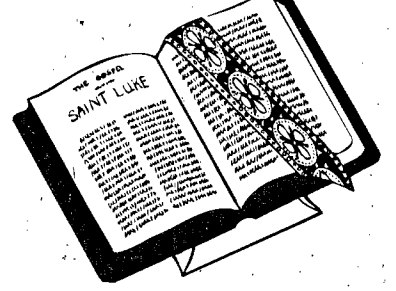
SALEM LUTHERAN
411 Winter Street
(Jerome Cloninger, pastor)
Saturday: Worship with Communion, 6:30 p.m. Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Worship, 10:30; Youth Ice Skating. Tuesday: Bible Study, 10 a.m.; XYZ meeting, 1 p.m. Wednesday: Tape/Video, 9:30 a.m.; WOW, 10:30; Confirmation, 4:30 p.m.; Meal, 6; Worship, 7:30. Saturday: Worship, 6:30 p.m.

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ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN
218 Miner St.
(Pastor Timothy Steckling)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9 a.m.; Adult Bible Study, 9:15; Worship with Communion, 10:30; Youth Bible Study, 7. Tuesday: Bible Study, 7 p.m. Wednesday: Midweek school, 4 to 5:30 p.m.; Lenten Worship, 7 p.m.

TRINITY LUTHERAN
(PMA Glenn Kietzmann)
Sunday: Sunday School, 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 10:30.

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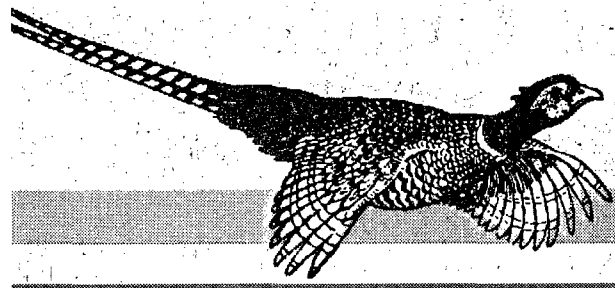
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Everyone is encouraged to share the inspired musical talents of this family.

Honor students named at Winside

The honor roll for the third quarter of the 2003-04 school year have been released at Winside High School.

Named to the Principal's All A List for the second quarter were seniors Annette Boelter, Melissa Heberer and Adam Pfeiffer; junior Lindsay Harmeier; sophomore Jessica Janke; freshman Jared Roberts; eighth graders Virginia R. Fleeer, Teresa Hansen, Jessica Peterson, Sally Schwedhelm and Michaela Staub and seventh graders Katie Gray and Aaron Mangels.

Named to the Honor Roll (A's and B's) for the second quarter were:

Senior: Samantha Bussey.

Juniors: Brandon Bowers, April Darnall, Kimberly Deck, Christina Jaeger, Katie Lage, Monica Marquardt, Stephanie Petersen, Bryce Roberts, Taylor Suehl and Tamarie L. Vogt.

Sophomores: Ashley Frevert, Jessica Hansen, Michael Janke, Colby Langenberg, Andrew Sok and Korrine Stubbs.

Freshmen: Sam Barg, Kristy Doffin and Josie Longnecker.

Eighth graders: Tucker Bowers, Samantha Harmeier, Dean W. Janke, Nicole J. Jensen, Amanda R. Pfeiffer and Mashala J. Thies.

Seventh graders: Amanda Backstrom, Betty Cushing, Andrew Mohr, Caitlyn Prince and

Jaycie Woslager.

Those receiving Honorable Mention (A's, B's and no more than one C) recognition included:

Seniors: Lee Doffin, Stacey Gnrirk, Andrew Peterson and Michael Tomasek.

Juniors: Melyssa Deck, Ashley Jaeger and Jamie Sellin.

Sophomores: Justin R. Nathan.

Freshmen: Zachary Jaeger and Shawn Story.

Eighth graders: Aleisha Perkins, Matthew Peter and Lara Sok.

Seventh graders: Casey Lange, Shelby Meyer and Chelsey Milenkovich.

Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid and LWML conducts March meeting

Grace Lutheran Ladies Aid and LWML met March 10. The meeting was called to order by President Millie Thomsen with 22 members present.

LaVonne Beiermann led the ladies in a hymn sing with Bonnadell Koch on the piano.

Ruth Victor was honored with a gift for 40 years as an active member of the Ladies Aid.

Melvy Meyer gave the funeral report, noting that 113 were served for the Dick Sorenson family. President Thomsen said she would be completing Mary Janke's term on the funeral committee.

The Historian's report was given by Bernita Sherban. She asked for pictures and/or documentation that could be used. All would be appreciated.

The Membership Committee had no report.

Esther Brader reported for the Sewing Committee. The group met Feb. 26 with eight quilts completed. The next Sewing day is scheduled for Thursday, March 25.

Verdell Reeg gave the Visiting report. Her group had visited The Oaks with six members and six guests present. Refreshments were served and fellowship was enjoyed by all.

The Kitchen Committee report was given by LaVonne Beiermann. She said that Betty Wittig and she had counted all the good silver pieces and presented a total count for ordering. The Ladies Aid voted to order 54 spoons and extra forks to bring the set up to 200 place settings.

The Mission Service report was given by KimBerly Hansen. Questioning for the Secret confirmations will be Thursday, April 1 at 7 p.m. at which time Secret pals will be revealed.

Barb Greve will write the Seminary Student for the next month. During the meeting Andre, the Seminary Student, called and expressed his genuine thanks for the supporting letters

and financial help with his books. He said he is very busy and studies are very hard, but he really appreciated what the Ladies Aid was doing for him.

The Pre-School quilt was tabled until the next meeting to discuss with the Sewing Committee.

Pastor Pasche reported that the evening supper meeting with President Summerfield would be Wednesday, April 21 at 6 p.m. which was a change from April 22. Betty Wittig reported that they had received bids from two local businesses and these would be discussed at the April meeting.

Kitchen Committee also reported that they are in need of the plastic trays for serving. The group voted to get 25 trays and some pickle dishes. Esther Hansen will pick them up for the Ladies Aid.

Rhonda Sebade reported that the Mission Council had ordered the new carpet for the front of the church. The Cookie Walk money, which was \$1,490, would be given toward helping with the cost involved. This decision had been voted on prior to the Cookie Walk last December.

Pastor Pasche reported that a few more helpers are needed for March meals for the Campus Center and help is also needed with putting up the display for soldiers serving their country.

Melvy Meyer reported that she would be collecting old greeting cards once again and would need the whole card. A collection box will be placed near the elevator.

LaVonne Beiermann led the group in Bible Study.

Hostesses for April will be Ardene Nelson and Esther Baker.

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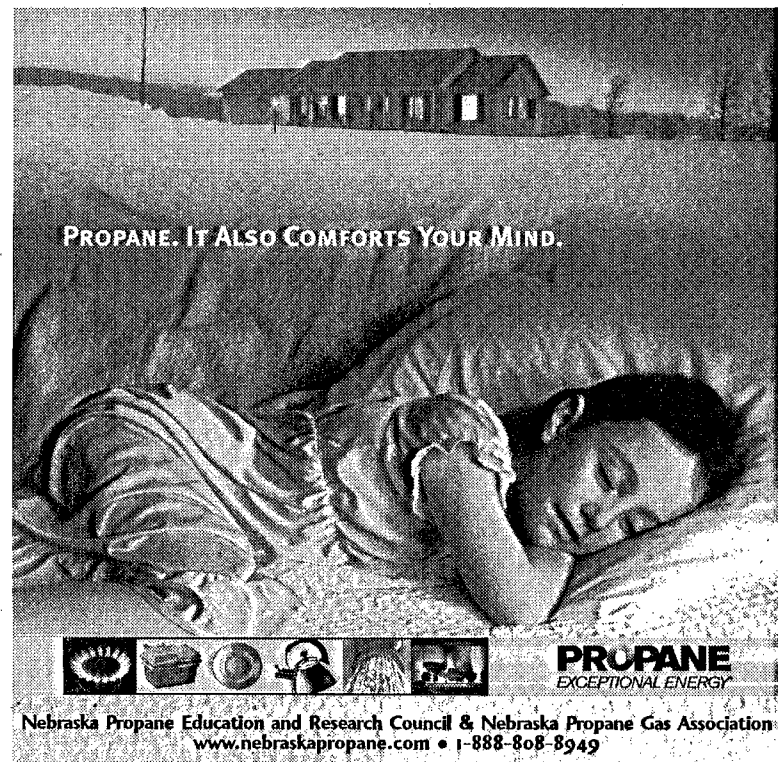
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Five 4-H'ers from Wayne County participated in the 4-H Consumer Challenge Event held March 20 at the Sunset Plaza in Norfolk. The event tested consumerism skills by competing in team challenges. Teams were able to go to different stores to complete their challenge which included shopping for room accessories, comparison shopping for jeans, planning a barbecue and analyzing advertising. Those 4-H'ers participating from Wayne County included Ashley and Alicia Beaty of Norfolk; Kyle Coolidge of Norfolk and Kristin Liska and Lisa Temme of Wayne.

The Consumer Challenge contest replaces the former Family and Consumer Science Contest. The State Event will be held June 28-29 at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln.



Those participating in the Consumer Challenge included, left to right, Kristin Liska, Lisa Temme, Amy Topp, Ashley Beaty and Alicia Beaty. Kneeling is Kyle Coolidge.

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Tips given to handle Heartworm disease in dogs

Heartworm disease in dogs is a serious and potentially fatal disease. Long white worms known as *Dirofilaria immitis*, invade the right side of the heart and adjacent large blood vessels. Here, they have a profoundly negative effect on the circulatory system. Signs of heartworm disease are those associated with right heart failure, such as coughing, sluggishness, labored breathing, and ascites (accumulation of fluid in

the abdomen) may occur in the disease in its advanced stages. Heartworm is transmitted by mosquitoes. A mosquito bites an infected dog, and sucks up blood which may contain microscopic immature heartworm called *Microfilariae*. There, they incubate for 2-3 weeks before they are passed on to the mosquito's next canine or feline victim. Heartworm prevention can be accomplished in several ways.

There are daily or monthly tablets available, and now there is an injection to prevent heartworm for six months. The oral medications are available by prescription from your veterinarian, and the six month injection needs to be administered by your veterinarian. None of the preventions should be started in the springtime without either a blood test, or your veterinarian's approval. If an animal tests positive for

Heartworm disease, treatment is available, but at a cost which is normally 10-20 times as much as annual prevention would be. As with most diseases which affect the animal kingdom, an ounce of prevention usually beats a pound of the cure. Mosquito season will soon be upon us. Please be a friend to your pet and take preventative Heartworm measures today. (Source: the Nebraska Veterinarian Medical Association).

Allen News

Missy Sullivan 402-287-2998
'ONCE UPON A MATTRESS'
The Allen High School Music Department will present the musical "Once Upon a Mattress" on March 24 (12:45 pm) and March 25-26-27 (7:30 pm). "Once Upon a Mattress" is an adaptation of the fable of the

Princess and the Pea, with some hilarious twists thrown in. The many antics of Queen Aggravain, King Sextimus, Prince Dauntless (the Drab), and Princess Winnifred (Fred) will keep you in stitches. Chances are you will never look at fairy tales quite the same way again. See any Allen Choir member for advance tickets. Tickets will also be available at the door.

CONFERENCES
The end of the third quarter was March 19. Parent Teacher Conferences will be on Tuesday, March 30 from 3 pm until 8 pm. School will be dismissed early that day at 1:50 pm with buses leaving around 2 pm. During the hours of 6 - 8 pm, Dr. Frank O'Neill will be present to offer Kid Safe vouchers to any parents who are interested. These vouchers can be sent to the company in exchange for a free ID bracelet and/or photo ID card for your elementary student. Dr. O'Neill is donating the vouchers as a community service.

COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS
Friday, March 26: Joey Fendrick, Garret Brentlinger, Mark Bausch.
Saturday, March 27: Steve Sullivan, Sr., Paul and Colleen Boyle (A).
Sunday, March 28: Richard Bupp, Billy Eisenhauer, Josh Gillespie.
Tuesday, March 30: Catherine Moore, Cindy Schroeder, Brenda Stewart, Randy Ellis, Carter Hedlund, Ray Brentlinger.

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ENDORF VISITS ALLEN
The public is invited to listen to Charlotte M. Endorf from Norfolk present "He Ain't Heavy, Father... He's M' Brother. A History of Girls & Boys Town".

At 10 am on Monday, March 29, the topic presented will tell of the remarkable journey of a tiny youth refuge, Father Flanagan's Boys' Home, from its humble beginnings to its role as a leading national force in youth care. Mrs. Enorf was presented the Distinguished Toastmaster Award in 2001 and has given dozens of speeches.

DIXON COUNTY HEALTH FAIR
The Dixon County Health Fair will be held March 29 at the Ponca High School from 1 to 7 pm. Agenda for the fair includes: Especially for teens (1-3 pm), Especially for Senior & Families (3-7pm), Health Carnival and Activities for Elementary Students (5 - 7 pm), Bicycle Safety Checks, and Car Seat Safety Checks.

The Dixon County Health Fair is sponsored by the University of Nebraska Cooperative Extension in Dixon County, the Ponca Senior Center, St. Luke's Regional Medical Center, Ponca and Newcastle High School, and Wayne State College.

SENIOR CENTER
Friday, March 26: Roast pork/kraut, baked potatoes, carrots, cranberry sauce, and apricots.
Monday, March 29: Taco Salad (lettuce, meat, cheese, tomatoes), fruit salad and cookie.
Tuesday, March 30: Turkey & dressing, sweet potatoes, green beans, plums, white cake.
Wednesday, March 31: Chili

w/crackers, cheese sandwich, relishes, lettuce salad, and peach cobbler.
Thursday, April 1: Swiss steak, w/ tomatoes, green peppers, onions, baked potato, mixed vegetables, fruited coleslaw, and plums.
Friday, April 2: Meat loaf, au gratin potatoes, peas, cherry gelatin/banana, ice cream and cake.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Friday, March 26: Musical "Once Upon a Mattress" at 7:30 pm
Saturday, March 27: Musical "Once Upon a Mattress" at 7:30 pm
Sunday, March 28: Bible Study at United Methodist Church, 7:30pm
Monday, March 29: Somerset at 7 pm- Dixon County Health Fair 1 - 7 pm at Ponca High School-Charlotte M. Endorf presents History of Girls and Boys Town - 10 am at school
Tuesday, March 30: School Early Dismissal at 1:50 pm - Jesus' Kids meet at United Methodist Church- Somerset at Senior Center 1:30 pm- Parent/Teacher Conferences at 3 pm - 8 pm
Wednesday, March 31: United Methodist Lenten Services at Ponca, 7:30 pm- First Lutheran Lenten Services at Allen 7:30 pm- FFA State Convention at Lincoln
Friday, April 2: Birthday Party at Senior Center, noon

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1 Morning Shopper (April 19) and 1 Wayne Herald (April 22)

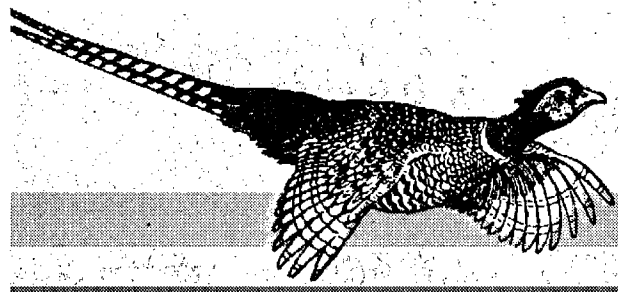
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Don't take life for granted

I've said many times that working in Hospice has taught me not to take simple things for granted; like sunsets, for instance.

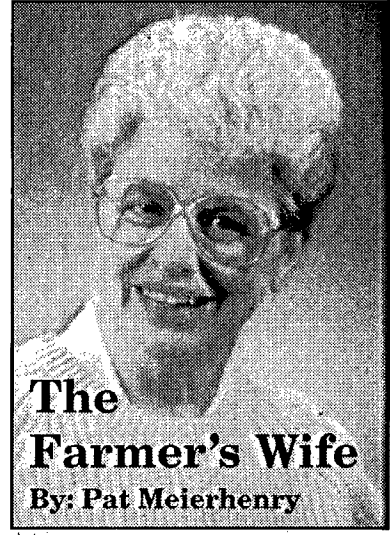
Actually, when you think about it, sunsets aren't very simple; but I guess, because we see them so often, we don't consider what makes them. I do know that many of our city guests marvel at how beautiful they are here in the country.

Anyway, I was reminded again of the way we do take things for granted by a speaker I heard last week. I first heard of Dr. Bill Thomas when Guideposts wrote about this medical director of a long-term care facility in upstate New York who had tried to humanize the institution with plants, birds, pets, and children. He called it the Eden Alternative and wrote a book about it. Gradually, nursing homes here in America and around the world began to incorporate some of the techniques and he's become an internationally known speaker on the subject.

As the lady in charge of his latest project explains: nursing homes were modeled after hospitals, with long halls, double rooms, and nurses' stations. They really don't meet resident's needs. This latest project is called the Green House because things that are green are growing. And Dr. Thomas believes we never get so old that we can't still grow. With the help of Robert Woods Johnson Foundation, he's starting pilot projects in four states to prove a better way.

The Green House is a home,

with ten single rooms, a large living area with a hearth, and a table long enough to seat the residents, the staff, and any family who happens to be around. The cooking area is open, and the ovens are



The Farmer's Wife
By: Pat Meierhenry

available, as is the laundry area. And the residents aren't called residents; they are the Elders. And they are treated with great respect because all their years give them wisdom.

The first Green Houses, four of them, are in Tupelo, Mississippi. The first one in Nebraska will be on the Tabitha campus in Lincoln. Hence, the speaker, and the training.

But what struck me was the emphasis on the cooking in the facility. Because the Elders help with the meal preparation, and the aromas are present while they are being prepared, they noted an immediate improvement in appetite. It didn't hurt that they were seated around a common

table, either. But think about it: the aromas.

Yesterday, I served baked French toast with cinnamon on it, and the smell made us all hungry. When I visit my Mom and she has just taken fresh bread out of the oven, I can hardly wait to cut off the crust and slather it with butter.

I remember that the Home Health office at Lutheran Hospital in Norfolk must have shared some ducts with Radiology because sometimes, in the afternoon, the x-ray techs would make popcorn in their microwave and the aroma would waft into our office; prompting, of course, a search for some corn in our department. I know I'll be more aware of aromas, at least for awhile, after hearing Dr. Thomas.

There were some other interesting facts. They had a hard time getting the new guests to even come in because it had been so long since they had been outside and smelled fresh air. They had to invest in sunscreen and sun hats! And since it was a short distance from each room to the dining area, they began to walk more, making muscles stronger, and causing less reliance on wheelchairs.

It's an exciting concept. I'm putting my Mom on the waiting list. She can bake rolls and cookies to her heart's content there. And we'll visit frequently. Meanwhile, I'm going to enjoy fresh air, sunshine, birds singing, and the ability to walk. The knee is finally cooperating, thank goodness!

Pruning of grapevines begins early

By Delroy Hemsath
Extension Educator

Grapevines can be pruned anytime before the vine begins to "wake-up" from the winter season. Look at the vines and prune out the dead vines and last year's producer vines to get a better look at the entire vine. Grapes are produced on one year old wood.

Locate those healthy, one inch thick vines with about 10-15 buds for grape production this year. The vine should have about four producing "arms" on a vine in order to produce quality sized fresh grapes or for jelly making.

Grape vines take a lot of pruning in the spring because the vines grow quite profusely during the year. This excess growth does not mean more production. In fact, vines with excessive growth, often are poor producers.

When pruning is completed in the spring, the vines should look very bare except for the four arms for this year's production. It is

hard to prune vines without some experience or training because one feels like too much is being removed. Grapevines are pruned to allow sunlight and air to penetrate the foliage for grapes ripening.

Grapevines can be pruned somewhat during the year to control the spread of the vines if they are aggressive and growing where not wanted. This pruning should be kept to a minimum however.

Grapevines should be pruned before bud break in the spring. Pruning early allows the vine to put its energy into the buds

remaining on the vine. One of the benefits from grapevine pruning are the pruned vines themselves that can be made into grapevine wreaths.

The grapevine should have a support system installed on which to train the vines for proper production. There are several types of support systems for grape production and one needs to select the one that is comfortable in using.

Extension offices have some excellent material to help in growing grapes. Contact your nearest office for more information.

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Livestock Market Report

The fat cattle sale was held Friday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. There was a run of 366 fat cattle. Prices were steady to \$1 higher on all classes.

Strictly choice fed steers were \$85 to \$88.40. Good and choice steers were \$85 to \$88.40. Medium and good steers were \$83 to \$85. Holstein steers were \$70 to \$78. Strictly choice fed heifers were \$85 to \$87.20. Good and choice heifers were \$85 to \$87.20. Medium and good heifers were \$83 to \$85. Beef cows were \$47 to \$54. Utility cows were \$47 to \$54. Cannerns and cutters were \$40 to \$47. Bologna bulls were \$60 to \$68.

The Stocker and Feeder Sale was held Thursday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was \$3 to \$5 higher on the 800 head sold.

Good and choice steer calves were \$100 to \$120. Choice and prime lightweight calves were \$120 to \$135. Good and choice yearling steers were \$88 to \$98. Choice and prime lightweight yearling steers were \$100 to \$110. Good and choice heifer calves were \$100 to \$110. Choice and prime lightweight heifer calves were \$110 to \$125. Good and choice yearling heifers were \$90 to \$100.

Dairy cattle were sold Monday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was steady on the 18 head sold.

Crossbred calves were \$170 to \$220; holstein calves were \$100 to \$160.

Army cutworms already are feeding in some alfalfa fields across Nebraska, which means alfalfa growers should be monitoring their fields now, a University of Nebraska forage specialist said.

Army cutworms caught many alfalfa growers by surprise the last few springs, and conditions are favorable again this spring, said Bruce Anderson, forage specialist in the university's Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Army cutworms are the biggest threat to alfalfa fields as the crops break dormancy in early spring. The cutworms feed on newly emerging leaves near the crown of alfalfa. This feeding often slows or delays alfalfa green-up.

Army cutworms feed at night, but during the day can be found in the loose soil surrounding the plant. Growers may need to scratch around in the soil to find the cutworms if they don't see them right away, he said.

The number of cutworm larvae per square foot should be counted in several locations throughout the field to find out if it would be economical to spray for the cutworms. The economic threshold for spraying is four or more army cutworms per square foot on established alfalfa, but just two will be a problem in fields seeded last year.

Once alfalfa is 4 to 6 inches tall, spraying is unlikely to be beneficial unless there is a lot of active leaf feeding, Anderson said.

The best insecticides for controlling army cutworms in alfalfa are synthetic pyrethroids.

The sheep sale was held at the Norfolk Livestock Market Monday with 355 head sold. Spring fat lambs were steady; old crop was lower. Feeder lambs were higher and ewes were lower.

Fat lambs: 110 to 130 lbs., \$95 to \$100; 110 to 160 lbs., \$87 to \$94. Feeder lambs: 40 to 60 lbs., \$130 to \$165; 60 to 100 lbs., \$100 to \$135.

Ewes: Good - \$55 to \$70; medium - \$40 to \$55; slaughter - \$30 to \$40.

The feeder pig sale was held Tuesday at the Norfolk Livestock Market. The market was higher on the 77 head sold.

50 to 60 lbs., \$45 to \$60, higher; 60 to 70 lbs., \$50 to 70, higher.

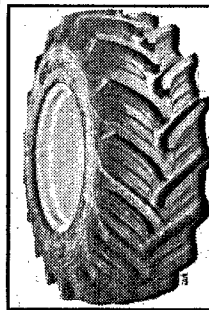
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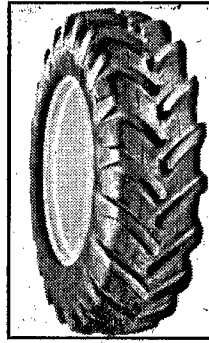
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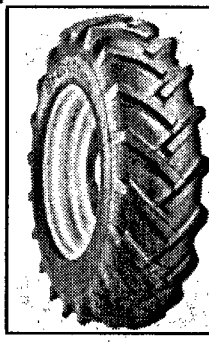


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LENRD approves Leigh Dam project

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The Leigh Dam would be approximately 50 feet tall and would be constructed immediately west of Leigh, across the West Fork of Maple Creek next to the Colfax County fairgrounds. The project would provide flood control for the fairgrounds below the dam as well as property owners on the south side of Leigh, and downstream landowners along the west fork of Maple Creek.

The project would consist of a 480 acre recreation area that would contain a 160 acre lake. The draft copy of the recreation plan includes camper pads, a swimming beach, a walking/biking trail, fishing, boating (5 mph - no wake), and picnic shelters. LENRD Assistant General Manager, Ken Berney, added, "Part of the plan would include raising Highway 91 which would create a sediment retention area to provide good water quality and extend the life of the lake."

LENRD General Manager, Stan Staab, said, "As elected officials the board of directors, realizing the magnitude of both opposition and support for the project, addressed their decision very seriously and decided it was in the best interest of the public to move forward with the project."

The project feasibility study and application for funding will be forwarded to the Nebraska Department of Natural Resources. The department has six months to review the plan and consider funding for part of the project's \$5.5 million construction cost.

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THANK YOU

I would like to thank everyone for their donations of money and thoughts and prayers I received during my surgery and since returning home. I also want to thank my Aunt Holly for caring for my sisters while I was in the hospital and Kristy and Kasey for shoveling my driveway so that I was able to get into my house after my long flight, and drive home. I especially want to thank my Grandma Joni for coming along with me to St. Louis, my Mom and Dad thank you, too. Sorry this is late, but I have been really busy with preschool and physical therapy. I may be small, but my heart is big enough to know and appreciate all of the kind and thoughtful things you have done for me and my family.

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 Ginny Otte

MANY THANKS to everyone for remembering us with prayers, visits, cards and telephone calls. Special thanks to Pastor Stocking for his prayers, visits and calls of concern. Warren and LaJeane Marotz

I deeply appreciate all the visits, prayers, cards and calls from Pastor Bill Koeber, my church family, neighbors, friends, and to Arlin for looking after my house and taking care of my dog and cats while I was hospitalized. I also want to say thank you to the nurses at the hospital and the ones in the therapy department. Hopefully this will be the end of this for me.
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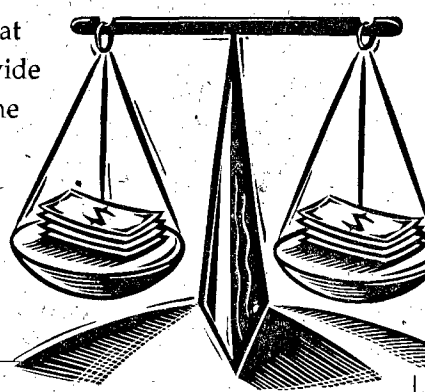

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NOTICE
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF DWIGHT C. DAWSON, Deceased.
Estate No. PR04-10
Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 2004, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Laurie J. Lee, a/k/a Laurie Joan Dawson Lee, a/k/a Laurie D. Lee, 9 Haney Road, Colorado Springs, CO 80906-3315, was informally appointed by the Registrar as Personal Representative of this Estate.
Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before May 10, 2004 or be forever barred.
Carol A. Brown
Clerk of the County Court
510 Pearl Street
Wayne, Nebraska 68787
Michael T. Brogan, Attorney
Brogan & Stafford, P.C.
P.O. Box 667
Norfolk, NE 68702-0667
402-371-9688
(Publ. Mar. 11, 18 & 25, 2004)
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
CASE NO. C103-56
ARL Credit Services Inc., Plaintiff, vs. TIA R. PEDRAZA, Defendant.
By virtue of an Execution issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, upon a Judgment rendered in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, in favor of ARL Credit Services, Inc., the plaintiff and against Tia R. Pedraza, in case number C103-56, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit:
A 1995 Mercury Villager Van, Serial #4M2DV11W1SDJ63728, and I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash at the lobby of the Wayne County Courthouse in Wayne, Wayne County, Nebraska, on the 20th day of April, 2004 at 10:00 a.m., the above described personal property, to satisfy the judgment and costs of said action.
Dated at Wayne, Nebraska, this 23rd day of March, 2004.
LeRoy W. Janssen
Wayne County Sheriff
(Publ. March 25, April 1, 8, 15, 2004)

said funds to be used for the purchase of a GPS Survey System. A copy of the WRLF Application is available for public inspection in the offices of the City Clerk and City Administrator during normal business hours. All oral and written comments on the proposed WRLF Application received prior to and the public hearing will be considered.
Betty A. McGuire, CMC/AEE
City Clerk
(Publ. Mar. 25, 2004)

MINUTES OF BOARD OF EDUCATION
Allen Consolidated Schools
The Allen Board of Education met in regular session on Monday March 8, 2004 at 7:30 PM. Minutes taken by Darlene Fahrenholz.
CALL MEETING - Regular Meeting called to order by Chairman Bock at 7:35 pm in the Allen School Multi-Purpose Room.
PRESENT: Rob Bock, Monte Roeber, Wayne Rastede, Kevin Connot, LeAnn Hoffman, Kent Sachau.
ALSO PRESENT: Superintendent Don Schmidt, Principal Monty Miller, Darlene Fahrenholz, Scott Krominga and Sandy Chase.
Moved by Connot, seconded by Roeber to declare the open and properly advertised by advance notice by posting in the Security National Bank, The Cash Store, and the Post Office. Notice of the meeting was simultaneously given to the president of the board and all members prior to the meeting date. Carried 6-0.
MINUTES: Moved by Hoffman, seconded by Sachau to approve the Minutes of the February 9, 2004 regular Meeting. Carried 6-0.
PUBLIC INPUT - None.
TEACHER REPORTS: Sandy Chase reported on Elementary Physical Education, Fifth and Sixth Grade Sports and physical fitness. High school PEI and PEII. Discussed grading cooperation and skill test. Discussed Athletic Carnival for middle of April and Elementary Track Meet.
Scott Krominga discussed Science Bowl trip to Lincoln with students. Students enjoyed the day. They represented our school with excellent behavior. Bihar Cliff trip with 15 students discussed. Earth Day - April 22nd, Grade 5 fishing trip discussed; also discussed the series of 8 dissections program.
CONSTRUCTION UPDATE: Discussion on construction update and remainder of work to be done. Have unresolved issues. Moved by Rastede seconded by Sachau to authorize \$8,000.00 to Ida Grove Roofing for work performed. Carried 6-0.
Moved by Connot, seconded by Rastede to approve \$47,500.05 to Sioux Contractors pending completion of roof repairs in the 1960 addition and ceiling repairs in entrance of 1974 addition. Carried 6-0.
CONSENT CALENDAR: Bills for March, Construction bills, payroll vendors, activity and hot lunch discussed. Moved by Hoffman seconded by Connot to approve consent calendar except for Sioux Contractors. Hold check pending completion of projects. Carried 6-0.
INSURANCE discussed for the Allen Consolidated Schools. Superintendent to check into possibility of bidding out package for cost comparisons.
POLICIES -
First Reading - Emergency Response to Life Threatening Asthma or Systemic Allergic Reactions. New policy discussed according to Nebraska Department of Education, Chapter 59 Regulations for School Health and Safety.
First Reading - Correspondence classes in relationship to graduation credits.
2004-2005 BUDGET discussed. Reviewed legislation concerning possible change of the Kindergarten deadline for turning 5. Also discussed State Aid, cash reserve and possible cuts.
SCHOOL CALENDAR - Moved by Hoffman seconded by Sachau to adopt the 2004-05 calendar that calls for schools starting on August 23, 2004 and finishing on May 19, 2005. Carried 6-0. The board also discussed the possibility of graduation being on Saturday, May 14, 2005 rather than on Sunday, May 15, 2005.
DRIVER EDUCATION for summer of 2004 discussed. Moved by Roeber, seconded by Hoffman to increase the tuition rate for summer driver education by \$25.00 to \$150.00 for resident students, \$185.00 for Option In Students and \$200.00 for non-resident students. Carried 6-0.
SUPERINTENDENT REPORT -
a. Board Retreat scheduled for 5:00 pm on Tuesday, March 23, 2004.
b. American Legion Post #131 are donating a fringed American flag and a fringed Nebraska State Flag and poles. Poles will be plated and assembled by American Legion Post #131 and placed in the commons area of the school.
PRINCIPAL REPORT -
a. Option Student in from Ponca - Kathryn Ketelsen for the 2004-05 school year.
b. Option Student out from Allen to Ponca - Katie Mahon for the 2004-05 school year.
c. Gym work fundraiser
d. Discussed possible Alumni/Board Foundation meeting.
NO FURTHER BUSINESS - Moved by Sachau, seconded by Connot to adjourn meeting at 10:16 pm.
Sioux Contractors, Inc., 75,000.00; Ace Refrigeration Engineering, 5,954.00; Allen School #70, 1,005.09; Allen Service, 1,165.87; APPEARA, 60.84; Aramark Uniform Services, 336.22; Butch's Truck Repair, 890.58; C&H Heavy Duty Specialties, Inc., 1,827.50; Cash Store, 89.17; Cellular One, 225.03; Cornhusker Int'l. Trucks, Inc., 164.44; Darlene Roberts, 55.00; Data Team Systems, Inc, 1,200.00; Don Schmidt, 157.03; Ekberg Auto Parts, 89.02; E.S.U. #1, 13,054.25; Hillyard Floor Care, 63.75; Linwald (Lincoln Welding), 82.29; Marx Leasing, 125.00; Mecca Tech, Inc., 677.51; Menards, 16.79; Northeast Ne Telephone Company, 54.14; Northeast Ne Cooperative, 3,327.86; Northeast Ne Public Power, 1,549.44; Orkin Pest Control, 45.00; PARI Respiratory Equip, 52.79; Perkins Office Solutions, 576.09; Pin Collection, 131.17; Sachaus Garage, 72.50; Sam's Club, 172.30; Shade Trees, 166.15; Sioux Contractors, Inc., 47,509.05; Super 8 Motel, 147.00; United Bank of Iowa, 373.27; Village of Allen, 184.10; Wayne Herald, 53.69.
Report Total \$156,556.93
Payroll \$63,153.05
Payroll Vendors \$47,217.67
Total Expenditures \$266,927.65
MEETING ADJOURNED by Chairman Bock at 10:16 pm.
Kevin Connot, Secretary
Board of Education
(Publ. March 25, 2004)

NOTICE OF MEETING
There will be a meeting of the Planning Commission, Monday, April 5, 2004, at 7:30 P.M. in the Wayne City Hall. An agenda for such meeting, kept continuously current, is available for public inspection in the City Clerk's Office.
Betty McGuire, City Clerk
Planning Commission
(Publ. Mar. 25)

NOTICE OF FORMAL APPOINTMENT OF PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Case No. PR04-3
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
In the Matter of the Estate of Esther V. Batten, Deceased.
STATE OF NEBRASKA
To All Persons Interested in Said Estate
Notice is hereby given that William S. Batten, whose address is Route 1, Box 53A, Callaway, Nebraska, has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate. Creditors of this estate must present their claims on or before the 10th day of May, 2004, or be forever barred.
Dated this 8th day of March, 2004.
(s) Carol A. Brown, Clerk-Magistrate
(Publ. March 11, 18, 25, 2004)
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NOTICE
IN THE COUNTY COURT OF WAYNE COUNTY, NEBRASKA
ESTATE OF HAROLD J. OLSON, Deceased.
Estate No. PR04-11
Notice is hereby given that on March 9, 2004, in the County Court of Wayne County, Nebraska, the Registrar issued a written statement of Informal Probate of the Will of said Decedent and that Lorie L. Bebee whose address is 519 N Nebraska Street, Wayne, Ne 68787 has been appointed Personal Representative of this estate.
Creditors of this estate must file their claims with this Court on or before June 2, 2004 or be forever barred.
Carol A. Brown
Clerk of the County Court
510 Pearl Street
Wayne, Nebraska 68787
Duane W. Schroeder #13718
Attorney for Applicant
110 West Second Street
Wayne, Nebraska 68787
(Publ. March 18 & 25, April 1, 2004)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
The Wayne City Council will hold a public hearing regarding the Wayne Revolving Loan Fund (WRLF) Application of Terry and Leslie Schultz, a/k/a Schultz Land Surveying during their regular meeting, Tuesday, March 30, 2004, at or about 7:55 P.M. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 306 Pearl Street. The WRLF Application is for \$18,865, with

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MINUTES: Moved by Hoffman, seconded by Sachau to approve the Minutes of the February 9, 2004 regular Meeting. Carried 6-0.
PUBLIC INPUT - None.
TEACHER REPORTS: Sandy Chase reported on Elementary Physical Education, Fifth and Sixth Grade Sports and physical fitness. High school PEI and PEII. Discussed grading cooperation and skill test. Discussed Athletic Carnival for middle of April and Elementary Track Meet.
Scott Krominga discussed Science Bowl trip to Lincoln with students. Students enjoyed the day. They represented our school with excellent behavior. Bihar Cliff trip with 15 students discussed. Earth Day - April 22nd, Grade 5 fishing trip discussed; also discussed the series of 8 dissections program.
CONSTRUCTION UPDATE: Discussion on construction update and remainder of work to be done. Have unresolved issues. Moved by Rastede seconded by Sachau to authorize \$8,000.00 to Ida Grove Roofing for work performed. Carried 6-0.
Moved by Connot, seconded by Rastede to approve \$47,500.05 to Sioux Contractors pending completion of roof repairs in the 1960 addition and ceiling repairs in entrance of 1974 addition. Carried 6-0.
CONSENT CALENDAR: Bills for March, Construction bills, payroll vendors, activity and hot lunch discussed. Moved by Hoffman seconded by Connot to approve consent calendar except for Sioux Contractors. Hold check pending completion of projects. Carried 6-0.
INSURANCE discussed for the Allen Consolidated Schools. Superintendent to check into possibility of bidding out package for cost comparisons.
POLICIES -
First Reading - Emergency Response to Life Threatening Asthma or Systemic Allergic Reactions. New policy discussed according to Nebraska Department of Education, Chapter 59 Regulations for School Health and Safety.
First Reading - Correspondence classes in relationship to graduation credits.
2004-2005 BUDGET discussed. Reviewed legislation concerning possible change of the Kindergarten deadline for turning 5. Also discussed State Aid, cash reserve and possible cuts.
SCHOOL CALENDAR - Moved by Hoffman seconded by Sachau to adopt the 2004-05 calendar that calls for schools starting on August 23, 2004 and finishing on May 19, 2005. Carried 6-0. The board also discussed the possibility of graduation being on Saturday, May 14, 2005 rather than on Sunday, May 15, 2005.
DRIVER EDUCATION for summer of 2004 discussed. Moved by Roeber, seconded by Hoffman to increase the tuition rate for summer driver education by \$25.00 to \$150.00 for resident students, \$185.00 for Option In Students and \$200.00 for non-resident students. Carried 6-0.
SUPERINTENDENT REPORT -
a. Board Retreat scheduled for 5:00 pm on Tuesday, March 23, 2004.
b. American Legion Post #131 are donating a fringed American flag and a fringed Nebraska State Flag and poles. Poles will be plated and assembled by American Legion Post #131 and placed in the commons area of the school.
PRINCIPAL REPORT -
a. Option Student in from Ponca - Kathryn Ketelsen for the 2004-05 school year.
b. Option Student out from Allen to Ponca - Katie Mahon for the 2004-05 school year.
c. Gym work fundraiser
d. Discussed possible Alumni/Board Foundation meeting.
NO FURTHER BUSINESS - Moved by Sachau, seconded by Connot to adjourn meeting at 10:16 pm.
Sioux Contractors, Inc., 75,000.00; Ace Refrigeration Engineering, 5,954.00; Allen School #70, 1,005.09; Allen Service, 1,165.87; APPEARA, 60.84; Aramark Uniform Services, 336.22; Butch's Truck Repair, 890.58; C&H Heavy Duty Specialties, Inc., 1,827.50; Cash Store, 89.17; Cellular One, 225.03; Cornhusker Int'l. Trucks, Inc., 164.44; Darlene Roberts, 55.00; Data Team Systems, Inc, 1,200.00; Don Schmidt, 157.03; Ekberg Auto Parts, 89.02; E.S.U. #1, 13,054.25; Hillyard Floor Care, 63.75; Linwald (Lincoln Welding), 82.29; Marx Leasing, 125.00; Mecca Tech, Inc., 677.51; Menards, 16.79; Northeast Ne Telephone Company, 54.14; Northeast Ne Cooperative, 3,327.86; Northeast Ne Public Power, 1,549.44; Orkin Pest Control, 45.00; PARI Respiratory Equip, 52.79; Perkins Office Solutions, 576.09; Pin Collection, 131.17; Sachaus Garage, 72.50; Sam's Club, 172.30; Shade Trees, 166.15; Sioux Contractors, Inc., 47,509.05; Super 8 Motel, 147.00; United Bank of Iowa, 373.27; Village of Allen, 184.10; Wayne Herald, 53.69.
Report Total \$156,556.93
Payroll \$63,153.05
Payroll Vendors \$47,217.67
Total Expenditures \$266,927.65
MEETING ADJOURNED by Chairman Bock at 10:16 pm.
Kevin Connot, Secretary
Board of Education
(Publ. March 25, 2004)

NOTICE OF MEETING
The Wayne County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session on Tuesday, April 6, 2004 at 9:00 a.m. at the Wayne County Courthouse. The agenda for this meeting is available for public inspection at the County Clerk's office.
Debra Finn, County Clerk
(Publ. Mar. 25)

NOTICE OF 2004 PRIMARY ELECTION

OFFICE OF DEBRA FINN, WAYNE COUNTY CLERK
WAYNE, NEBRASKA

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 11th day of May 2004, at the designated polling places in the precincts of Wayne County, Nebraska an election will be held for nominating, or in some cases electing, candidates to various offices and for voting on measures. The polls will open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 8:00 p.m.

PRESIDENTIAL TICKET
FOR PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES
Four Year Term - Vote for One

Republican George W. Bush	Democrat Howard Dean John Edwards John F. Kerry Dennis J. Kucinich Al Sharpton Lyndon H. LaRouche, Jr.	Libertarian Michael Badnarik Gary Nolan
		Nebraska No Filings

CONGRESSIONAL TICKET
FOR US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - DISTRICT 1
Two Year Term - Vote for One

Republican Andrew J. Ringsmuth Daniel Manning Curt Bromm Jeff Fortenberry Greg Ruehle Bob Van Valkenburg Greg Walburn	Democrat Phil Chase Matt Connealy Janet Stewart Charlie Matulka	Libertarian No Filings
		Nebraska No Filings

STATE TICKET
FOR PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSIONER - DISTRICT 4
Six Year Term - Vote for One

Republican Mary Delka Rod Johnson	Democrat No Filings	Libertarian No Filings
	Green No Filings	Nebraska Peter P. Rosberg

COUNTY TICKET
FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER DISTRICT TWO
Four Year Term - Vote for One

Republican Robert Nissen	Democrat Mark C. Ahmann	Libertarian No Filings
	Green No Filings	Nebraska No Filings

FOR COUNTY CONVENTION


REPUBLICAN DELEGATES Ward Two - Nominated Paul Biermann Strahaly Wilbur - Nominated Faye E. Mann Frederick H. Mann	REPUBLICAN DELEGATES Ward Four - Vote for up to Two Carol M. Rethwisch Dwaine Rethwisch Peggy M. Webster	DEMOCRATIC DELEGATES Ward Four - Nominated Charles A. Shapiro
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NON-PARTISAN TICKET
In compliance with Section 32-802 and Section 32-811 R.R.S., Nebraska 1943, where the names of candidates properly filed for nomination do not exceed two candidates for each vacancy to be filled, these candidates shall be declared nominated and their names will not appear on the Primary Election Ballot. The names will advance to the General Election Ballot.

FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION - DISTRICT 3 Four Year Term - Vote for One Jim Scheer Jim Halferty Rodney V. Garwood	FOR WAYNE CITY COUNCIL WARD ONE Four Year Term - Nominated Douglas A. Sturm	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT #2 Pierce Four Year Term - Vote for up to Three Dominic Hoffmann Helen Wichman Steve Ussery Kelly Druyor Misty Wortman Gary Hilkemann Ruth K. Jaeger
FOR LEGISLATURE DISTRICT SEVENTEEN Four Year Term - Vote for One L. Patrick Engel Dave Bloomfield Machelle Bowman Dass	FOR WAYNE CITY COUNCIL WARD TWO Four Year Term - Nominated Darrel D. Fuelberth	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT #2 Madison Four Year Term - Nominated Alfredo Ramirez Jane McDaniel Thaddeus Roberson Francis Rohrich Clark D. Froehlich Tom D. Davis
FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE - DISTRICT ONE Four Year Term - Nominated Nanci Lingenfeller	FOR WAYNE CITY COUNCIL WARD THREE Four Year Term - Nominated Dennis Linster	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT #17 Wayne Four Year Term - Nominated John B. Dunning Kaye L. Morris Richard I. Metteer Jodi S. Pulfer
FOR BOARD OF GOVERNORS NORTHEAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE - AT LARGE Four Year Term - Nominated J. Paul McIntosh	FOR WAYNE MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY Six Year Term - Nominated Dave Zach David R. Ley	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DIST #30 Wisner-Pilger Four Year Term - Nominated Mark Glaubius Ron Wolverton Marvin Seier
FOR LOWER ELKHORN NRD SUBDISTRICT ONE Four Year Term - Nominated Warren L. Renter	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT #1 Pender Four Year Term - Nominated Franklin Fendrick, Jr. Robert McQuistan	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DISTRICT #45 Randolph Four Year Term - Nominated Gregory J. Robinson
FOR LOWER ELKHORN NRD SUBDISTRICT FIVE Four Year Term - Nominated Stanley G. Baier Warren D. Hanson	FOR BOARD OF EDUCATION SCHOOL DIST #560 Wakefield Four Year Term - Nominated Mark Victor Tim Bebee Kim Cloninger	
FOR PENDER COMMUNITY HOSPITAL DISTRICT Four Year Term - Elect Two Robert Morgan Daryl G. Harrison		

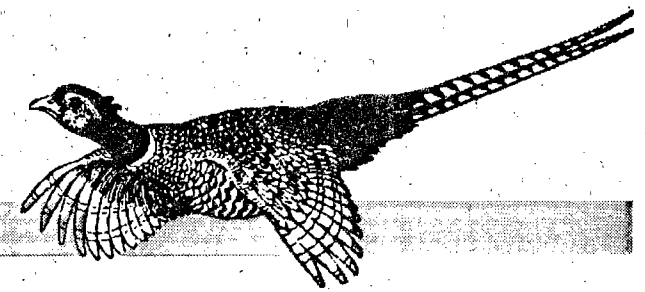
The Hoskins Fire District levy over-ride proposition will be published once each week for three consecutive weeks preceding the election. The publication will be a true copy of the title and text of the measure to be submitted. All filings for Village Board of Trustees, Public Power Districts and Educational Service Units will appear on the General Election Ballot.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this 22nd day of March 2004 at Wayne, Nebraska.

 Debra Finn
Debra Finn, Wayne County Clerk

Sports

The Wayne Herald



Bryan Fink, Karissa Hochstein named MVP's

Blue Devil track teams shine in opener at Wayne State

Several new meet records were set by the Wayne track team in the season-opening WSC Class I Indoor Invitational held last Saturday at the WSC Recreation Center. 15 teams competed in the meet. No team scores were kept.

Bryan Fink led the Blue Devil boys team by setting new meet records in the 1600 and 3200 meter runs while Karissa Hochstein broke her own record in the 200 meter dash. Both athletes were named the MVP's of the meet for their performances.

"We were happy with the performances that our kids produced," said veteran Wayne coach Dale Hochstein. "The meet not only was larger, but the times this year were much better than in the past."

Hochstein earned the MVP honor for the second straight year to lead the Wayne girls. The senior won the 200 meter dash in 27.88 seconds, topping her meet record of 28.30 set last year. She also won the shot put (37.2.75) and took first in the 55 meter dash with a time of 7.65 seconds.

The only other individual medal

for the Wayne girls was by sophomore sprinter Jean Pieper, who finished second in the 200 meter dash with a time of 28.80 seconds.

Three relay teams picked up medals for the Blue Devil girls. The 4 x 160 meter relay of Pieper, Kayla Hochstein, Amber Lutt and Renee Theobald took first in 1:32.58; the 4 x 400 quartet of Theobald, Jordyn Doescher, Kayla Hochstein and Karissa Hochstein finished second in 4:31.28 while the 4 x 800 meter relay team of Brooke Anderson, Doescher, Regan Ruhl and Allison Hansen came in fifth with a time of 11:12.11.

"Our quality on the girls side showed as nine individuals helped contribute to our scoring," added Coach Hochstein.

Fink dominated the 1600 and 3200 meter runs to lead the Wayne boys effort.

The junior won the 1600 meter run in 4:49.03 to set a new meet record. The old mark was 4:49.4 set by John Grebe of Gretna in 1996. Fink also won the 3200 meter run with a time of 10:28.27, topping the old mark of 10:32.0

also set by Grebe in 1996.

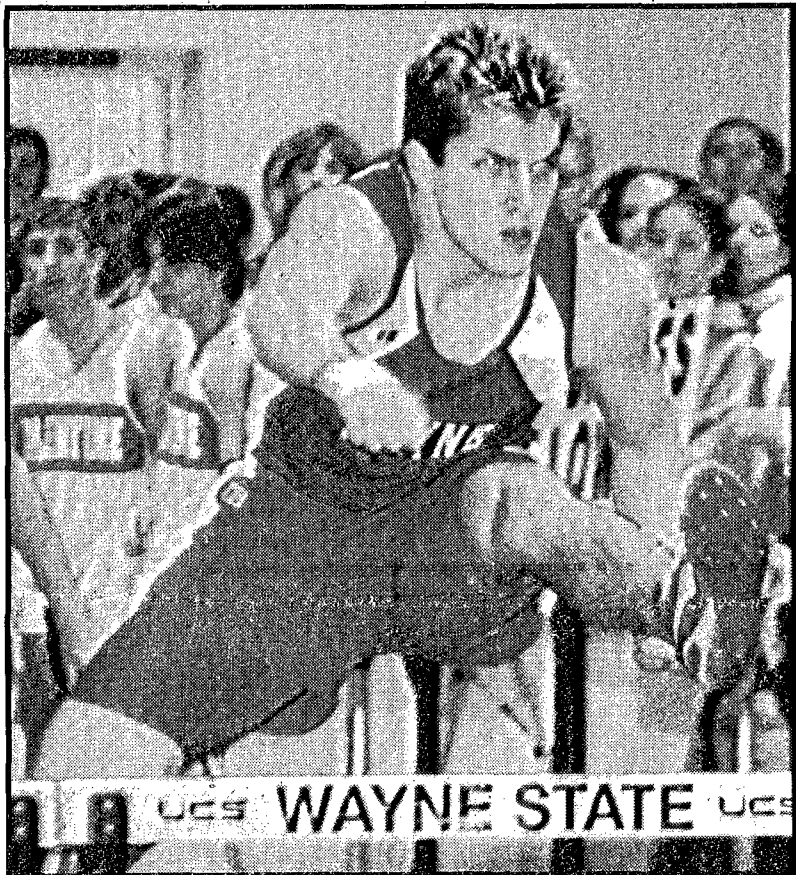
Senior Caleb Garvin took first place in the shot put with a toss of 48-6. Josh Davis finished second in the 55 meter hurdles with a time of 8.49 seconds and freshman Joe Mrsny earned a fifth place finish in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:19.69.

The Wayne boys 4 x 400 meter relay team of Nate Finkey, Dana Schuett, Nathan Milander and Davis placed fifth with a time of

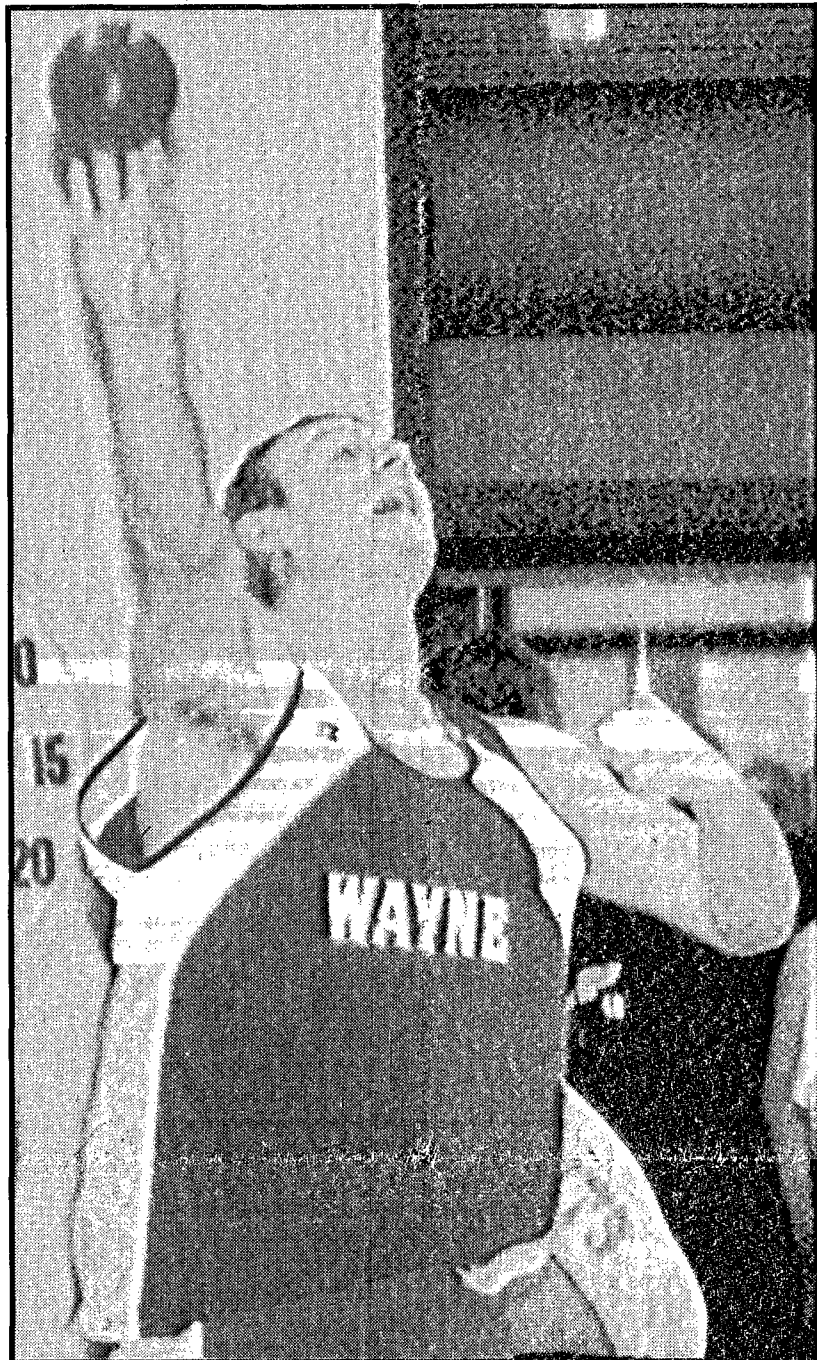
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"We ran many solid times and now have an indicator of what we need to work on," stated Coach Hochstein.

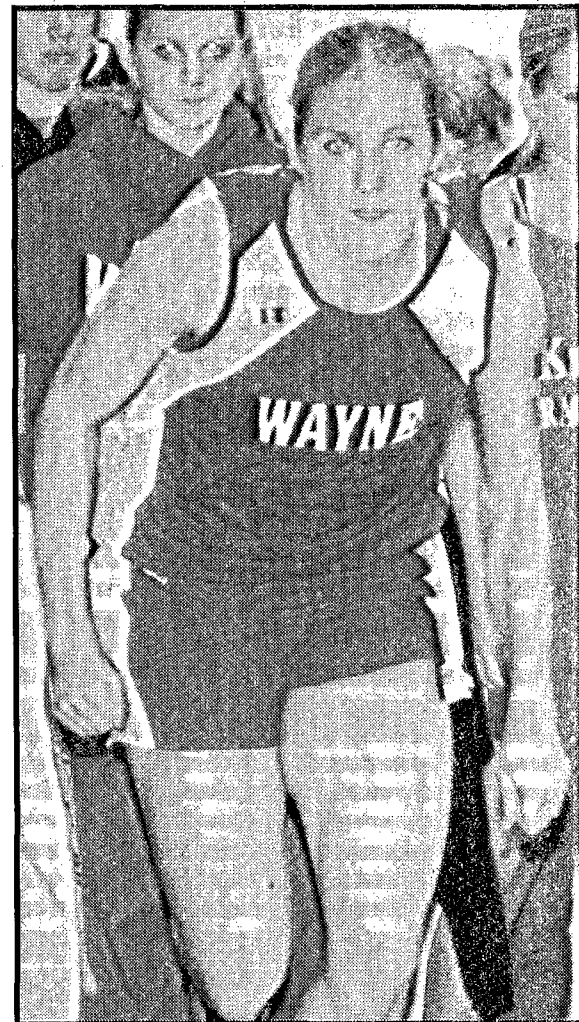
The next action for the Wayne track teams will be at the Dan Lennon Invitational in Vermillion on Tuesday, March 29 starting at noon. The Blue Devils will also compete in the Laurel-Concord Relays on Thursday, April 1 beginning at 1 pm.



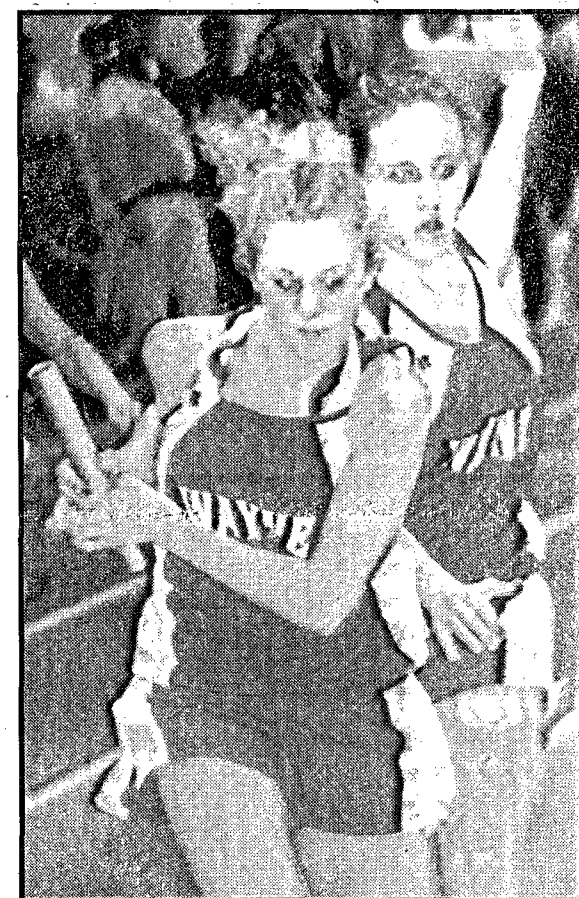
Josh Davis of Wayne placed second in the 55-meter hurdles at the WSC Indoor Invitational Saturday with a time of 8.49 seconds.



Wayne senior Caleb Garvin launches one of his throws while competing in the shot put at the Wayne State Indoor Invitational Track Meet Saturday at the WSC Rec Center. Garvin took first place in the event with a throw of 48 feet, 6 inches.



Karissa Hochstein of Wayne bolts out of the blocks in the 55-meter dash at Saturday's season-opening track meet at the WSC Rec Center. The Blue Devil senior won three events—55 meter dash, 200 meter dash and the shot put to earn Most Valuable Player honors at the meet for the second straight year.



Amber Lutt of Wayne (left) takes the baton from Kayla Hochstein while running the 4 x 160 meter relay event at the WSC Indoor Invitational Saturday. Wayne took first place in the event with a time of 1:32.58. The other two runners on the relay team were Jean Pieper and Renee Theobald.

Erin Keitges, Kelli Rastede set new meet records

Allen, Winside open track season at Wayne State Invitational

The Allen and Winside track and field teams opened the 2004 season last Friday at the Wayne State College Indoor Invitational held at the WSC Rec Center. 14 teams competed in the meet. No team scores were kept.

The Allen girls team had five individual medal winners and two of those set new meet records to win their event.

Senior sprinter Kelli Rastede won the 400 meter dash in a new meet record time of 1:03.39. The old mark was 1:03.9 held by Susan Klitz of Dodge in 1996. She also placed second in the 200 meter dash in 28.45 seconds.

Sophomore Erin Keitges set a new meet record by winning the 3200 meter run in 12:26.64, breaking the old mark of 12:32.2

set by Winside's Melinda Mohr in 1995. Keitges also finished second in the 1600 meter run with a time of 5:43.72.

Alyssa Uldrich finished second in the shot put with a mark of 33-3.75.

The Eagles had three relay teams that also placed. The 4 x 160 meter team of Carla Rastede, Uldrich, Alycia Stewart and Kelli Rastede finished third with a time of 1:33.51; Jennifer Keitges, Brittany Klemme, Stewart and Erin Keitges placed third in the 4 x 800 meter relay with a time of 11:20.41 and the 4 x 400 quartet of Carla Rastede, Stewart, Erin Keitges and Kelli Rastede came in fourth at 4:41.46.

Coach Denise Hingst said she was happy with the results and

meet records for the season opener. "As a team, the girls have just begun their workouts. The field event entries did a great job with little or no practice on runways or in the rings," remarked Hingst. "The new members of our team are showing great strides and it looks very promising for the track meets ahead."

The Allen boys had five individual placers to go with three relay teams that earned medals.

Senior Scott Blohm captured first place in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:15.41.

Corey Uldrich sprinted to a second place finish in the 200 meter dash (25.47 seconds) and finished fourth in the shot put with a toss of 41-7.5.

Bart Sachau earned a third place finish in the triple jump (39-1) and was fourth in the 55 meter dash with a time of 7.18 seconds.

Andrew Sachau finished third in the 55 meter hurdles (8.95 seconds) and Aaron Smith came in fourth in the 400 meter dash with a time of 56.50 seconds.

The Allen 4 x 160 meter relay team captured first place with a time of 1:21.30. Runners included Bart Sachau, Smith, Blohm and Uldrich. The 4 x 400 relay of Brett Koester, Derick Nice, Luke Sachau and Ross Rastede finished third at 4:00.87 while the 4 x 800 relay team of Sturges, Chad Oswald, David Rastede and Duane Rahn crossed the tape in sixth place with a time of 9:42.91.

"I thought we competed exceptionally well for the first meet when you consider seven of the boys had not put on track sweats until the day of the meet," said Allen track coach Dave Uldrich. "Almost everyone met a personal goal at the first meet, which is good to see as well as the number of individual performances that

won medals." Lindsay Harmeyer paced the Winside girls team with a second place finish in the triple jump (33-2) and a fifth place finish in the long jump (15-0).

Freshman distance runner Amber Aulner finished sixth in the 1600 meter run (6:23.06) and sixth in the 3200 meter run (14:53.65). Felicia Reed placed sixth in the 55 meter dash with a time of 8.13 and the 4 x 800 meter relay team of Aulner, Sam Bussey, Brittany Greunke and Stacey Gnirk came in fifth at 11:56.26.

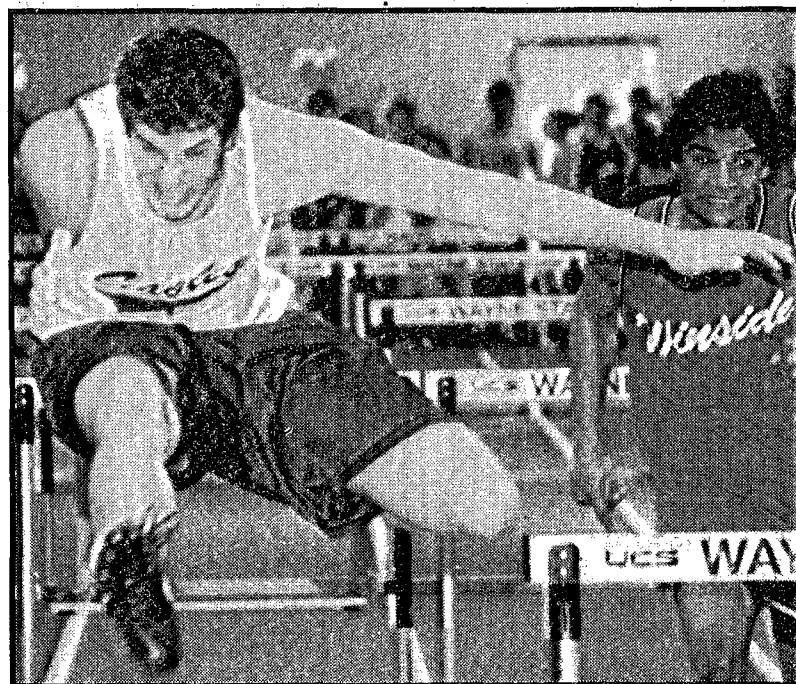
The Winside boys placed in six events. Senior Nate Wills came in second in the 400 meter dash with a time of 55.15 seconds.

Kass Holdorf tied for fourth in the high jump (5-6) and was sixth in the 55 meter hurdles (9.40 seconds). Mark Hawkins tied for fourth in the high jump (5-6) and Dewey Bowers placed fifth in the 800 meter run with a time of 2:24.24.

The 4 x 160 meter relay team of Bo Brummels, Dewey Bowers, Wills and Holdorf earned a fourth place medal with a time of 1:22.74 while the 4 x 800 quartet of Russ O'Connor, Nathan Stevens, Jarad Thies and Wills placed fifth in 9:22.90.

"I was very pleased with our performance, it was a great start to the season," said Winside track coach Tori Moser. "We've been training in some very tough conditions and for most of the kids, this meet was the first chance they had to go all out in their event."

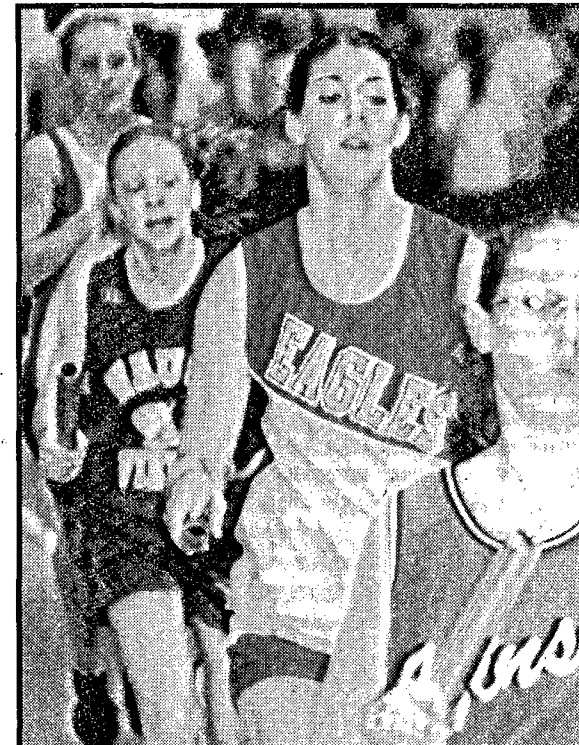
The next action for Allen will be at the Laurel-Concord Relays on Thursday, April 1 while the Winside track teams compete at the Dan Lennon Invitational in Vermillion on Tuesday, March 29. Winside will also be at the Stanton Invitational on April 1.



Andrew Sachau of Allen clears the final hurdle just ahead of Winside's Kass Holdorf in the 55-meter hurdle finals Friday at the WSC Indoor Invitational. Sachau placed third in the event while Holdorf came in sixth.



Allen junior Alyssa Uldrich opened the season with a second place finish in the shot put at the Class II Wayne State Indoor Invitational track meet Friday at the WSC Rec Center. Uldrich's best throw was 33 feet, 3.75 inches.



Amber Aulner of Winside leads a group of runners while running a leg of the 4 x 800 meter relay during Friday's WSC Indoor Invitational.

16-6 Wildcats ranked 20th in latest NCAA Div. II poll

Wayne State baseball team sweeps UNK, takes three out of four from UNO

The Wayne State College baseball team battled Nebraska-Omaha in a home and home series last weekend.

Saturday's games in Omaha saw the Wildcats sweep UNO 9-3 and 12-5 while the two teams split Sunday's twinbill in Wayne with WSC winning the first game 4-3 while UNO avoided a four-game sweep with a 9-4 win in the nightcap.

Senior lefthander Nathan Miller (4-1) tossed a complete game three-hitter to lift WSC in Saturday's 9-3 win. Miller struck out three and walked one to shut down the Mavericks.

Tim Richt and Scott Bidroski produced three hits apiece to pace a 14-hit attack for WSC. Richt had a home run, double and single while Bidroski banged out three singles. Justin Conley added a home run and triple.

Matt Fjelland contributed two singles with Chris Pedroza, Kyle Hansen, Brian Disch and Mike Stice each adding singles.

The Wildcats produced 12 more hits in a 12-5 win over UNO in Saturday's second game.

Fjelland laced two doubles and a single to pace Wayne State at the plate. Disch and Travis

Oosthoek added two singles each. Stice contributed a three-run double while Bidroski, Hansen, Richt and Conley each accounted for singles.

Damien Hecklesmiller (2-0) worked four innings to earn the win. He allowed five hits and three runs over four innings, walking three and striking out one. Nate Gettler (one inning, two hits and two runs) and Dustin Nilius (two innings, two hits, no runs) also pitched for the Wildcats.

Sunday's doubleheader in Wayne saw the Wildcats score the game-winning run in the bottom of the seventh inning for a 4-3 win. Pedroza's sacrifice fly to centerfield with one out scored Dustin Jones from third with the winning run.

Reliever Dustin Nilius (1-0) struck out five of the six batters he faced to get the win. Freshman Nick Schumacher worked the first five innings, allowing three runs on six hits with five strikeouts and two walks.

Wayne State outhit the Mavericks in the win 8-6. Richt had a double and single while Oosthoek, Bidroski, Fjelland, Pedroza, Hansen and Disch all

added singles.

Nebraska-Omaha salvaged the final game of the series with a 9-4 win over the Wildcats. Russ Emerick (1-2) was tagged with the loss, allowing five runs in two and one-third innings. He gave up only two hits, but walked five batters and had three wild pitches to go with one balk. B.J. Wierzbicki pitched two and two-thirds innings of relief, allowing three runs on three hits with two strikeouts and two walks. Joe Wall tossed the final two innings and allowed one run on three hits and two strikeouts.

The Wildcats were held to just five hits in the game. Fjelland had two doubles with Dan Bengel, Bidroski and Pedroza each contributing a single.

Wayne State swept in-state rival Nebraska-Kearney last Wednesday in Kearney, winning 2-1 and 5-3.

Senior All-American pitcher Travis McCarter (2-1) earned the win in the opener. He worked five innings, giving up just three hits, one walk and no runs with five strikeouts. Wall tossed the final two innings to get his third save of the season, allowing two hits and one run with one strikeout.

Both teams had five hits in the game. Disch and Stice each doubled while Mike Sorensen, Hansen and Oosthoek all laced singles.

The Wildcats held off a late UNK rally to win the second game 5-3. WSC held a 5-0 lead entering the seventh inning, then watched the Lopers score three runs in the bottom of the seventh before holding on for the win.

Wierzbicki (2-1) tossed six shutout innings to get the win, giving up just three hits while striking out seven. Wall struggled in the seventh, allowing four hits and three runs in two-thirds of an inning before freshman Nick Schumacher recorded the final out to end the rally and earn his first save.

WSC had 12 hits in the game to UNK's seven. Conley had three singles to lead the Wildcats at the plate. Oosthoek and Stice added two singles apiece. Richt hit a solo home run with Hansen, Jones, Disch and Bidroski each producing singles.

Following a 5-1 week, Wayne State cracked the latest Collegiate Baseball Magazine NCAA Division II Top 25 poll released Monday afternoon tied for 20th with a 16-6 overall record.

"Overall the team played very well in both series," said WSC Baseball Coach John Manganaro. "Timely hitting, good pitching and solid defense were the key to our success. We have improved since the start of the season as reflected by our record."

The Wildcats also learned this week that All-American pitcher Travis McCarter will be out for one month with a strained ligament in his pitching elbow.

The senior from Overton suffered the injury during last Wednesday's 2-1 win over Nebraska-Kearney.

McCarter is 2-1 with a 1.33 ERA and one save this season. In 27

innings pitched, he has yielded just 14 hits, five runs (four earned) with 29 strikeouts and 10 walks.

Wayne State was scheduled to host South Dakota Wednesday afternoon in a nine inning game. The Wildcats will open the NSIC schedule at home this weekend, hosting Minnesota-Duluth on Saturday at 1:30 pm and Sunday at noon in a four-game series. WSC is also scheduled to host Augustana on Wednesday, March 31 in a doubleheader at 1 pm.

"I believe Minn-Duluth is the team to beat in our conference, so we will see just how much we have improved," added Manganaro.

Wildcat softballers sweep Concordia, struggle at Missouri Western Tournament

The Wayne State College softball team rebounded from a tough weekend tournament at Missouri Western to win two games at Concordia University in Seward Tuesday evening.

The Wildcats downed Concordia 6-1 and 8-6, improving to 9-7 on the season.

Junior lefthander Whitney Wilczynski tamed the Bulldogs offensively by tossing a one-hitter to lead Wayne State to a 6-1 win in the first game.

WSC snapped a 1-1 tie in the sixth inning by scoring four runs. The big hit in the inning was a two-run double by freshman Breann Parks.

The Wildcats used a seven-run third inning to take the nightcap 8-6. Wayne State used five hits, a walk and an error to spark the big inning.

Concordia outhit WSC in the second game 11-6. Seward native Karen Hain was the winning pitcher for the Wildcats.

After opening the season with a 7-2 mark on their annual spring trip to Orlando, Florida, the Wayne State softball team ran into some stiff competition at the Missouri Western Tournament in St. Joseph, Miss. last weekend, losing all five games they played.

Coach Jon Misfeldt said it was a tough weekend for the Wildcats. "We definitely felt the effects of not being able to practice outside all week due to the snowstorm. It really showed on the defensive side of the ball," he remarked. WSC had 24 errors in five games.

Misfeldt added that the competition in the tournament was very tough.

"Truman State, Emporia State and Central Missouri State will all be post-season teams and Missouri Western went 6-0 on the weekend," he said.

Wayne State opened the tournament Saturday with a 13-2 loss to Missouri Western. The Wildcats held a 2-1 lead before the host Griffons scored five runs in the third and seven in the fourth to break open a close game.

Junior outfielder Katie Johnson had two doubles and drove in both runs for the Wildcats. Breann Parks added a double with Kristina Walker and Courtney Shanno each adding a single to round out the hitting for WSC. Mindy Guenin (2-2) was the losing pitcher.

The second game Saturday saw South Dakota State down the Wildcats 6-3. WSC threatened to rally in the seventh inning with runners at second and third with one out, but couldn't finish the comeback. Whitney Wilczynski (2-2) was the losing pitcher.

Johnson had three hits, including a home run, and two RBIs to lead a nine-hit attack for WSC. Shanno also contributed two hits.

Sunday's first game saw Wayne State fall to Truman State of

Missouri 5-2. The Wildcats had seven hits in the game to five for Truman State (19-2).

Wilczynski (2-3) suffered the loss. Truman scored four runs in the third inning on several walks and four straight hits to key the pivotal inning.

Guenin had two singles to pace WSC at the plate while Johnson hit her second home run of the weekend. Parks added a hit and scored a run while sophomore Stacy Shonka (Schuyler) hit a line drive single for her first collegiate hit.

Emporia State roughed up WSC pitching with three home runs in a 12-4 win over the Wildcats Sunday afternoon. Wayne State also had six errors in the game.

Freshman pitcher Karen Hain (Seward) suffered the loss (3-1). She also led the Wildcats in hitting with a single and double to account for two of the team's four hits. Walker added an RBI single.

Central Missouri State downed Wayne State in the final game of the tournament on Sunday 6-1. Guenin (2-3) was tagged with the loss.

Senior Theresa Garlow had an RBI double to lead WSC's four hit attack. Parks, Jackie Harrison and Johnson also had hits for the Wildcats.

Coach Misfeldt said despite the weekend losses, "our heads aren't down."

"We still hit the ball pretty well and we're confident we'll bounce back this week," he added.

Wayne State is scheduled to host South Dakota State on Friday at 2 pm, then travels to Maryville, Miss. to play at the Northwest Missouri State Tournament on Saturday and Sunday. The Wildcats will then host Augustana on Tuesday, March 30 at 2 pm.

Wayne State hosting softball camp

Wayne State College will host a softball fundamentals camp on April 24 at the WSC Softball Complex.

The camp is for girls age 10-18 and will focus on fielding, throwing, hitting and base-running. Cost of the camp, which runs from 9 am until 4 pm, is \$40 per player. Campers will receive lunch, a t-shirt, games and prizes.

To sign up for the camp, call WSC Softball Coach Jon Misfeldt at (402) 375-7522. Registration deadline is April 10.

There's nothing like March Madness

I decided that after working here at the Wayne Herald for more than 20 months that I would finally break the ice with a column. It's something I hope to do on a monthly basis.

-Is there a better sporting event than the NCAA Basketball Tournament?? I think not. March Madness is a nationwide epidemic. Where else can you find an event when an Average Joe (not the TV show) can predict the winners of the tournament with as much or more success than a basketball know-it-all??

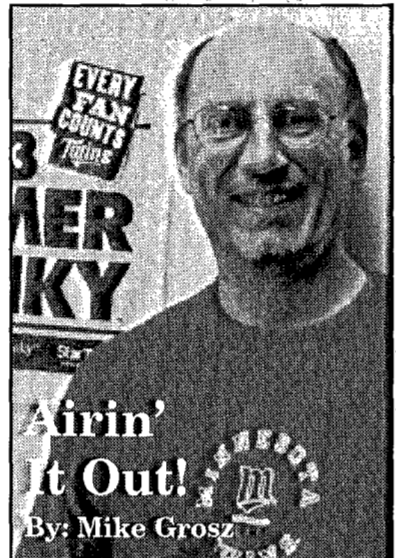
Speaking of March Madness, congratulations to former Wayne State coach Greg McDermott and his great season with Northern Iowa. The Panthers got hot at the right time of the season and nearly upset Georgia Tech in the first round of the NCAA Tournament. UNI finished 21-10 in the McDermott's third season. Look for great things from the

Panthers in 2004-2005.

While on the topic of former WSC basketball coaches, hats off to Steve Aggers (1985-90) for rebuilding, another struggling program. Aggers led Loyola Marymount University in California to a 15-14 record this season in his third year at the school. It was the first winning season at Loyola in eight years and he did it with 11 freshmen and sophomores.

Prior to arriving at Loyola, Aggers spent five years at Eastern Washington and led the school to the Big Sky Conference championship in 1999-2000. The Eagles made their first-ever trip to the NCAA Tournament this season.

-Call me old-fashioned, but I believe tattoos should not be a part of high school sports. I realize we live in a society where piercings and tattoos are common place, but if a high school athlete



has a tattoo, it should be covered by clothing when he or she competes in a high school sporting event. You can show off your tattoos when you get to college. I applaud major league baseball's decision this week to make Toronto Blue Jays pitcher Justin Miller wear a long-sleeved shirt because his tattoos are distracting to hitters. More than 50 percent of his body is covered by tattoos.

-I can't wait to cover track meets again at Wayne State College. The same can be said for Wayne High School.

Last fall, a new surface was put down at Memorial Stadium /Cunningham Field and it is awesome. This spring, Wayne State will hold an outdoor meet for the first time in a number of years (April 6) and several of the area's premier high school meets, like the Lewis and Clark Conference Meet, will also return to the college.

It's a win-win situation for everyone involved. High school

kids get to compete at a premier facility in a college setting.

Wayne High School also has a new track, Kern Field. An early April snowstorm last year caused Wayne to cancel its only home meet of the season, so here's hoping we have nice weather for the Blue Devil Invitational set for April 6.

-We need more people in this world like Lee Koch of Winside. He is the greatest promoter/supporter of high school sports and athletes I have ever seen. You see him at nearly every Winside sporting event, home or away. Whether it's helping organize a track meet, spot or keep stats at a football game or take pictures at a basketball game or wrestling match, Lee is there. He devotes many hours of his time to help the coaches and athletes at Winside. And when it comes to wrestling, Lee is the best.

He offers to help various publications cover various meets and does very good work. If there was ever a person who deserved to be recognized for his support of high school sports, it is Lee Koch. I know he makes my job in covering Winside sports a lot easier. Someday he may accept something for his work from me, but I doubt it.

That's all for this time, talk to you again soon. GO TWINS!!!!!!

Five Wayne basketball players receive Mid States All Conference honors

The Mid States Conference released its 2003-2004 All-Conference Basketball Teams last week.

Junior Bryan Fink was named to the Boys All-Conference First Team. Receiving honorable mention honors from Wayne were seniors Caleb Garvin and Chris Nissen.

Representing Wayne on the Girls All-Conference First Team was senior Karissa Hochstein. Named to the honorable mention list from Wayne was senior Allison Hansen. A picture of the All Conference selections will appear in next week's issue.

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More tournament information & schedule in next week's Wayne Herald Rugby Tournament sponsored by Wayne County Visitors and Convention Bureau

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Wayne youth basketball teams compete at Pierce Tournament

Several Wayne youth basketball teams played in the Pierce Tournament last weekend.

The eighth grade boys won their third tournament of the year, winning two games.

Reggie Ruhl scored 10 points to lead Wayne over Battle Creek in the first game 33-21. Jesse Hill added eight points and Max Stednitz had five.

In the championship game, Wayne outscored Pierce 45-30 thanks to 22 points from Hill. Stednitz also reached double figures with 12. The Wayne eighth graders are now 9-1 on the year.

The Wayne eighth graders went 2-1 to capture third place.

Wayne lost their first game in overtime to Pierce/Battle Creek 16-14. Samantha Dunklau and Michelle Jarvi scored four points each for Wayne.

The next game saw Wayne defeat Norfolk 25-13. Mirisa Carroll produced 12 points in the win with Jarvi adding 10.

Wayne dominated Clearwater in the third place game 32-7. Jarvi poured in 12 points and Justine Carroll added eight for Wayne, now 7-7 on the season.

The Wayne Basketball Development Association sixth grade boys team went 2-1 to finish in second place.

Wayne opened the tournament with a 21-11 win over Norfolk. Derek Poutre accounted for 10 points in the win with Geoff Nelson adding six.

The next game saw Wayne down Clearwater 28-21. Nine different players scored in the game, led by Poutre with seven points. Nelson followed with five.

Pierce edged Wayne in the championship game 19-18. Poutre dropped in 10 points with Jordan Barry adding four. The Wayne sixth grade team is now 6-9 on the year.

The WBDA sixth grade girls team lost a pair of games. Norfolk Catholic defeated Wayne in the opener 46-4 with Shannon Jarvi scoring four points for Wayne.

The second game saw Norfolk Christ Lutheran edge Wayne 26-19. Riley Hoffart poured in eight points for Wayne with Jarvi and Kayla Grono adding four apiece.

The Wayne Basketball Development Association fifth grade boys team claimed first place honors by winning two games.

Wayne blasted Lutheran High in the first game 44-18 with Zach Thomsen scoring 14 points to lead Wayne. Jacob Zeiss added nine points and Seth Onderstal had seven.

The championship game saw Wayne take care of Pierce 33-16 with Zeiss scoring 14 and Thomsen adding 12. The fifth grade boys are now 10-2 overall.

A number of Wayne youth teams will compete in the Norfolk YMCA Tournament this weekend.



The Wayne County Jaycees Super Shooters placed second at Saturday's State Competition held in Louisville. Pictured front row: left to right, are Tory Booth, Jalen Barry, Abbie Hix and Jordan Barry, all of Wayne. Back row: Nebraska State Jaycees President Gene Stoddard of Lincoln, Louisville Jaycees President Charlie Denson and Nebraska Jaycees Youth Competitions Program Manager Chadd Frideres of Wayne.

Super Shooters team places second at state

Four youth from Wayne County competed at the State Jaycees Super Shooters Competition held in Louisville on Saturday, March 20. 25 teams from across the state participated in the contest.

Representing the Wayne County team were Tory Booth, Jordan Barry, Jalen Barry and Abbie Hix. The Wayne team finished in second place, trailing only Kearney in the team standings.

Individually, Jordan Barry captured first place in the 10-11 year old division; Tory Booth placed third in the 12-13 year old division; Jalen Barry finished fourth in the 8-9 year old division and Abbie Hix was ninth in the 6-7 year old division.

WCS hosting youth tournament

The Affiliated Foods/Wayne State College Youth Basketball Tournament will be held on Friday and Saturday, April 2 and 3 at the WSC Recreation Center.

The tournament is open to boys' and girls' teams in the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grade divisions. Entry fee is \$85 per team based on a ten-player team. There is a \$5 charge for extra players.

For entry information, contact WSC Women's Basketball Coach Ryan Williams at (402) 375-7311.

March Madness Rugby in Wayne this weekend

The second annual March Madness Rugby Tournament will be held in Wayne on Saturday and Sunday.

All Wayne State games will be played at the WSC football practice field area just north of the Wayne State Rec Center.

Thirty-eight rugby teams from 12 different states, along with a team from Canada, will be in Wayne for the two-day tournament. The WSC men and women will have nine games over the weekend.

The highlight matchup of the weekend features the WSC women battling Purdue University on Sunday at 12:15 pm. WSC rugby coach Darrin Barner says it is the first time WSC has ever faced a Big 10 school and will be the highlight of the spring season.

This weekend's tournament is a tuneup for the WSC teams as they prepare for the first round of the national playoffs next week.

Wayne State opened the 2004 spring season last weekend at the Chadron State Tournament. The WSC women picked up a pair of wins, downing nationally-ranked Wyoming 41-12 and blanking Chadron State 24-0. Angela Matthews and Steph Binder scored three touchdowns each to pace the Wildcats in the Wyoming win. Shannon Corke accounted for three scores in Wayne State's triumph over Chadron State.

The WSC men split their two games, edging Chadron State 7-3 and losing to Regis College 22-0. Wayne State scored on a 40-yard play in the final minute to defeat Chadron State. Freshman Matt Parsons ran 25 yards with heavy pursuit, then pitched the ball to Marshall Touchberry who scampered to the endzone with the game-winning score.

Wayne youth wrestlers place at Pierce

The Wayne Youth Wrestling Team competed at the Pierce Tournament on Saturday, March 20. 24 wrestlers from Wayne earned medals at the meet.

Ben Hoskins, Drew Loberg and Luke Trenhaile each claimed first place.

Seven wrestlers came in second place, including Trevor Beza, Payton Janke, Maverick Lozano, Seth Onderstal, Sheldon Onderstal, Brady Soden and Colton Uhing.

Third place finishers included Trent Beza, Ben Braun, Drew Carroll, Austin Hammer, Dustin Heikes, Ramsey Jorgensen, Wyatt Legler, Logan Owens, Tyler Poehlman, Dalton Uhing and Ian Webster.

Noah Braun, Luke Pulfer and Seth Trenhaile each finished with fourth place medals.

Sports Briefs

Wayne baseball pancake breakfast

WAYNE-The annual Wayne Junior and Senior Legion baseball pancake breakfast will be held on Sunday, April 4 at the Wayne VFW Club (220 Main Street) from 9 am to 1 pm.

Cost is \$4 for adults and \$2 for children under age 13. All proceeds go to the Wayne baseball teams.

Youth soccer camp to be held

WAYNE-The Wayne State College women's soccer program and the Wayne Recreation Department are sponsoring youth soccer camps for boys and girls in grades one through six. A \$5 participation fee is required by April 23rd with pre-registration at the Wayne Community Activity Center.

Practices for fourth-sixth graders will be held on April 26, 28 and 30 from 4-5:30 pm with first-third graders to be held on April 27 and 29 from 4-5:15 pm. All practices will be held at the Community Activity Center field.

For additional information, contact the Wayne City Recreation Department at 375-4803.

Volunteer coaches/helpers needed

WAYNE-Volunteer coaches are needed for the summer baseball and softball programs in Wayne for kids ages 5-10. The Wayne City Recreation Department is also looking for parental volunteers to help with the Park Recreation program June 7-18 from 8:30-10:30 am. If interested, contact Jeff at the City Recreation Department at 375-4803.

Summer registration set for May 1

WAYNE-Registration for summer recreation activities (park rec, golf, tennis, youth baseball and softball ages 5-10) in Wayne will be held on Saturday, May 1 at the Community Activity Center from 9 am-2 pm. Swimming pool registrations will also take place the same day. A brochure with more details on summer activities will be available soon.

Workers needed for Wayne track meet

WAYNE-Workers are needed to help run events for the Blue Devil Invitational track meet to be held in Wayne on Tuesday, April 6. Field events begin at 1:45 pm with running events set to start around 3:45 pm. If interested in helping, contact WHS athletic director Rocky Ruhl at 375-3150.

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Some sun.	A chance of rain.	Some sun.	Some sun.	Some sun.	Times of clouds and sun.	Some sun.	Partly sunny.
67	49	72/46	64/41	62/39	58/38	59/35	62/38

THE WEEK AHEAD... NATIONAL SUMMARY

Warm air will remain over much of the country, especially across the Great Plains and eastern Rockies where temperatures may average some 10-15 degrees above normal. A series of storms pushing through the western Plains will bring above-normal rainfall to the area. The Southeast will run below normal with no significant storms expected.

U.S. TRAVELER'S CITIES

City	Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday
Atlanta	74 52 pc	76 54 pc	76 54 pc	76 56 pc
Boston	60 46 c	56 40 pc	52 40 s	52 38 sh
Chicago	64 49 r	62 48 pc	62 42 t	58 38 pc
Cleveland	66 47 sh	64 49 pc	60 50 t	59 46 sh
Denver	81 44 s	70 34 sh	53 30 t	58 35 pc
Des Moines	68 51 t	70 50 t	68 42 t	67 45 pc
Detroit	64 46 sh	62 44 pc	64 48 t	67 45 pc
Houston	80 62 pc	80 62 pc	80 62 pc	76 60 pc
Indianapolis	63 51 sh	71 53 pc	73 52 t	69 51 pc
Kansas City	70 54 t	74 54 t	75 52 s	70 49 sh
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New Orleans	80 62 pc	78 59 pc	79 61 s	78 63 s
New York City	63 51 pc	61 46 sh	58 45 s	57 47 sh
Omaha	68 50 t	68 48 t	63 42 t	62 44 r
Phoenix	88 62 pc	80 52 s	79 54 s	83 57 pc
San Francisco	62 48 sh	64 48 s	64 48 s	63 50 s
Seattle	53 41 sh	54 42 c	58 44 pc	59 42 c
Washington	70 54 pc	70 48 sh	64 48 s	64 44 sh

SUN & MOON

Sunrise: 6:21 a.m. Sunset: 6:47 p.m.
Sat. 6:19 a.m. 6:48 p.m.

Moonrise: 9:08 a.m. Moonset: 12:00 a.m.
Fri. 9:47 a.m. 1:02 a.m.

MOON PHASES

First Quarter: 28
Full Moon: 5
Last Quarter: 11
New Moon: 19

Weather (W):
s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, ice.

WORLD TRAVELER'S CITIES

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Berlin	58 24 pc	41 29 sh	47 34 pc	50 34 pc
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Cairo	84 56 s	91 63 s	93 68 s	92 67 s
Jerusalem	73 53 s	78 61 s	82 59 pc	79 58 s
Ljubljana	78 57 pc	77 58 pc	77 55 pc	75 58 pc
London	47 33 pc	49 36 pc	47 34 c	51 37 pc
Madrid	53 29 pc	45 29 pc	49 30 r	54 36 pc
Mexico City	73 45 pc	73 44 pc	74 44 pc	70 33 pc
Moscow	43 26 sh	45 31 pc	49 33 pc	51 34 c
Paris	63 51 pc	75 68 c	76 68 c	76 67 sh
Rio de Janeiro	78 65 pc	57 42 r	63 49 pc	65 45 pc
Rome	63 31 pc	64 32 pc	63 32 pc	63 30 pc
San Juan	83 71 pc	84 72 sh	83 72 pc	83 70 pc
Seoul	58 40 s	54 39 s	54 39 s	54 39 s
Sydney	88 62 s	80 58 pc	80 64 pc	87 58 pc
Tokyo	49 38 pc	50 40 s	49 41 s	59 45 sh
Toronto	62 40 sh	56 38 pc	56 38 sh	56 42 sh
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Zurich	41 26 sh	47 34 pc	49 33 pc	51 36 r

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Jussel selected as Eglin AFB Airfield Management NCO of the Year

Air Force Tech Sgt. Michael W. Jussel, a graduate of Laurel-Concord Public Schools and son of Gene and Marlene Jussel of Laurel, has been selected as the Airfield Management NCO of the Year for both Eglin Air Force Base at Ft. Walton Beach, Florida, and Headquarters Air Force Materiel Command. He will now be competing for NCO Airfield Manager of the Year at the Air Force level.

TSgt. Jussel has been in the Air Force for 12 years.

As his supervisor, Mr. Timothy Gunnison, Chief Airfield Manager at Eglin AFB said, he's the number one airfield management non-commissioned officer (NCO) for Air Force Materiel Command (AFMC).

"Tech. Sgt. Jussel is an NCO who continually produced Senior

NCO results," Gunnison said. "He expertly transitioned from the Base Operations dispatch counter to the back office; currently filling dual management roles. This TSgt. is excelling in positions that were previously filled and performed by a Senior Master Sgt. and Master Sgt."

During 2003, Gunnison noted TSgt. Jussel presented a positive attitude and impeccable military professionalism and courtesy gaining him the squadron First sergeant's number one choice to attend the NCO Leadership Academy. He was also selected twice in 2003 as the 46 OSS' Airfield Management NCO of the Quarter for April - June '03 and again from October - December, '03.

Also in 2003, he supported 92

percent of AFMC's share of Airfield Management personnel for Operations "Enduring Freedom and Iraqi Freedom" deployments. In addition, he spear-headed the first-ever initiative to train airfield managers in use of Night Vision Goggles during airfield inspections to ensure quality trained airmen and uninterrupted airfield services during blackout situations at austere locations.

Gunnison added that TSgt Jussel was the 46th Operations Group Commander's "go-to" man for integration of the airfield and Notices to Airman into the improved Weather Dissemination System (IWDS) which provided local aircrews a single source for accurate and current airfield information and restrictions.

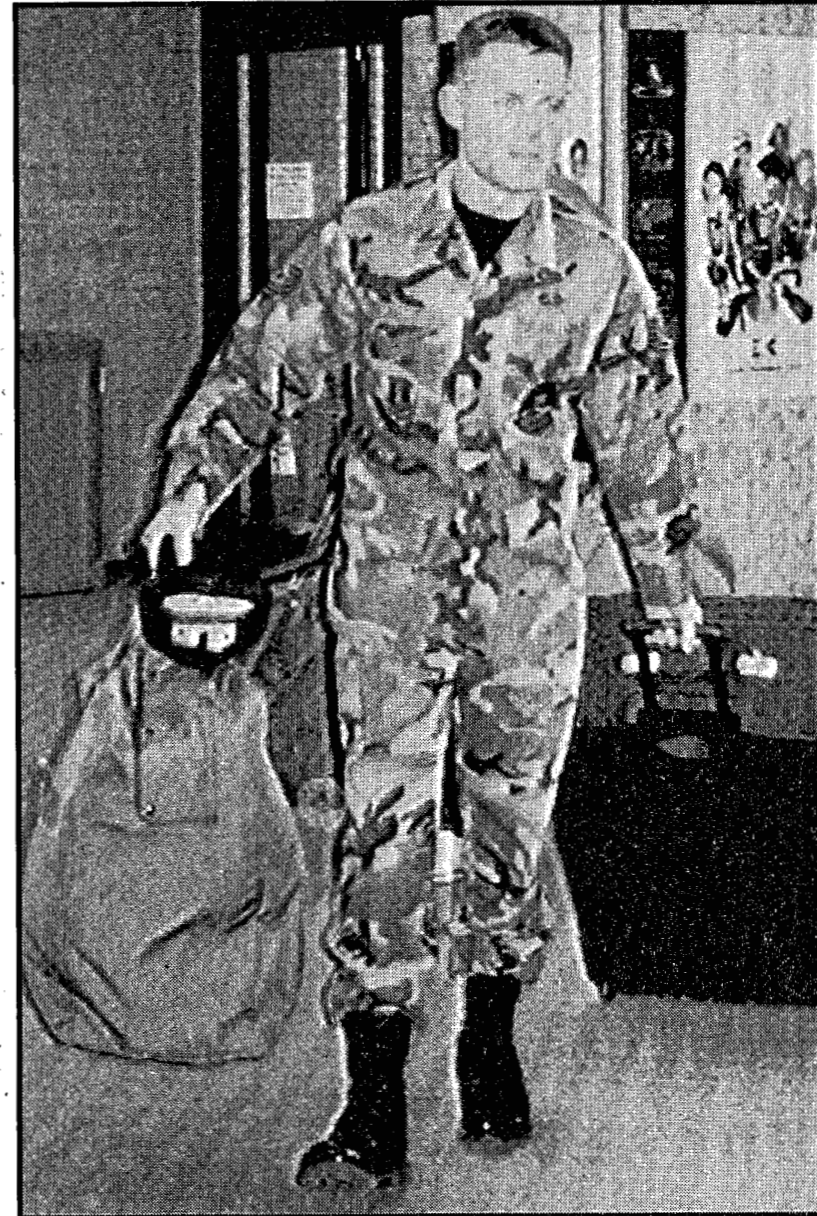
"TSgt Jussel coordinated on and

assisted in several tomahawk launches, Combat Archer exercise, US Navy COMPTUEX, and US Army's Stinger/Hellfire missile testing," Gunnison said. "He recognized and corrected flight planning conflicts and aircraft parking arrangements without delays, his decisive actions resulted in zero aircraft delays allowing warfighter wins."

He made sure his personnel were ready and prepared for every opportunity. He was responsible for graduating two NCOs from the NCO Academy, three NCOs from the Airfield Management 7-level upgrade school, one SNCO and himself from the 9-level Chief, Airfield Management course.

"TSgt. Jussel takes it personal and stays involved when his folks deploy," Gunnison said. "He addressed upfront, all questions, concerns, and anxieties experienced by the junior airmen facing their first deployment during hostile, wartime conditions. He maintained personal contact with deployed airmen and their families; often proving to be the main link for support. He personally mowed grass for deployed airmen and their families; assisted a spouse experiencing car troubles and dedicated to see departing folks off at the airport and be the first to welcome them home upon their return."

Gunnison summed it up by saying that TSgt. Jussel is an invaluable asset to the 46 Operations Support Squadron and continually reflects a positive image of Eglin and the Air Force to their guests.



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NO NAME
Dwight and Connie Oberle hosted the March 20 No Name Kard Klub with 10 members present. Thirty-point pitch was played with prizes going to Dale and Ruthie Jaeger, Ernie Jaeger and Toni Schrant. The next meeting will be in September at the Schranths.

SCHOOL CALENDAR
Tuesday, March 30: Northeast Community College Jazz Festival, Junior High Chorus, Jazz Band, Swing Choir; USD Indoor Track Meet.
Wednesday, March 31: Elementary Reading Program with Author Marsha Diane Arnold.
Thursday, April 1: Track at Stanton, 1 p.m.
Friday, April 2: Wayne State College's Children's Theatre for K-6.
Saturday, April 3: Pierce Honor Band.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR
Friday, March 26: Open AA meeting, fire hall, 8 p.m.
Saturday, March 27: Public Library, 9 a.m. to noon and 1 to 4 p.m.
Sunday, March 28: Sewers and Growers 4-H Club, Winside Legion, 3 p.m.
Monday, March 29: Public Library, 1 to 6 p.m.; Alumni Banquet meeting at Carolyn Slahn's, 7 p.m.
Tuesday, March 30: Public Library, 4 to 8 p.m.
Wednesday, March 31: Public Library, 1 to 6 p.m.

Beckman graduates from basic military training

Air Force Airman Jamie A. Beckman has graduated from basic military training at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

During the six weeks of training, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization, and military customs and courtesies; performed drill and ceremony marches, and received physical training, rifle marksmanship, field training exercises, and special training in human relations.

In addition, airmen who complete basic training earn credits toward an associate degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Beckman is the daughter of Cindy and Dennis Beckman of 573rd Ave., Wayne, Neb.

She is a 2003 graduate of Wayne High School.



Airman Jamie Beckman

Twenty-second annual jazz festival planned

Northeast Community College in Norfolk will be the site of the twenty-second annual jazz festival on Tuesday, March 30, in the Cox Activities Center.

Performances by approximately 3,000 high school and junior high school musicians will begin at 7:40 a.m. and run through approximately 9 p.m. The public is invited.

About 85 different performing groups from throughout the Midwest will compete. Trophies will be awarded to the top four jazz bands and swing/jazz choirs in each of the four levels of competition. Outstanding instrumental soloist and vocal soloist awards will also be presented. A sweepstakes trophy will be awarded to the top jazz band and swing choir.

Sara Stauffer named Presidential Scholar

Sara Stauffer, a high school senior from Wayne, has been named a Presidential Scholar at Bradley University at Peoria, Ill. She is a senior at Wayne High School.

Scholarship selection is based upon grade point average, high school class rank, ACT or SAT scores, leadership and community service. Bradley's Presidential Scholars represent the top five percent of all college-bound students in the nation.



Sara Stauffer

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Retired School Personnel travel to Lincoln

Five members of the Wayne Area Association of Retired School Personnel (WAARSP) traveled to Lincoln on March 16 to attend a press conference on March 17 in the Rotunda of the Nebraska State Capitol Building.

The press conference was sponsored by the Nebraska Association of Retired School Personnel (NARSP) and AARP Nebraska.

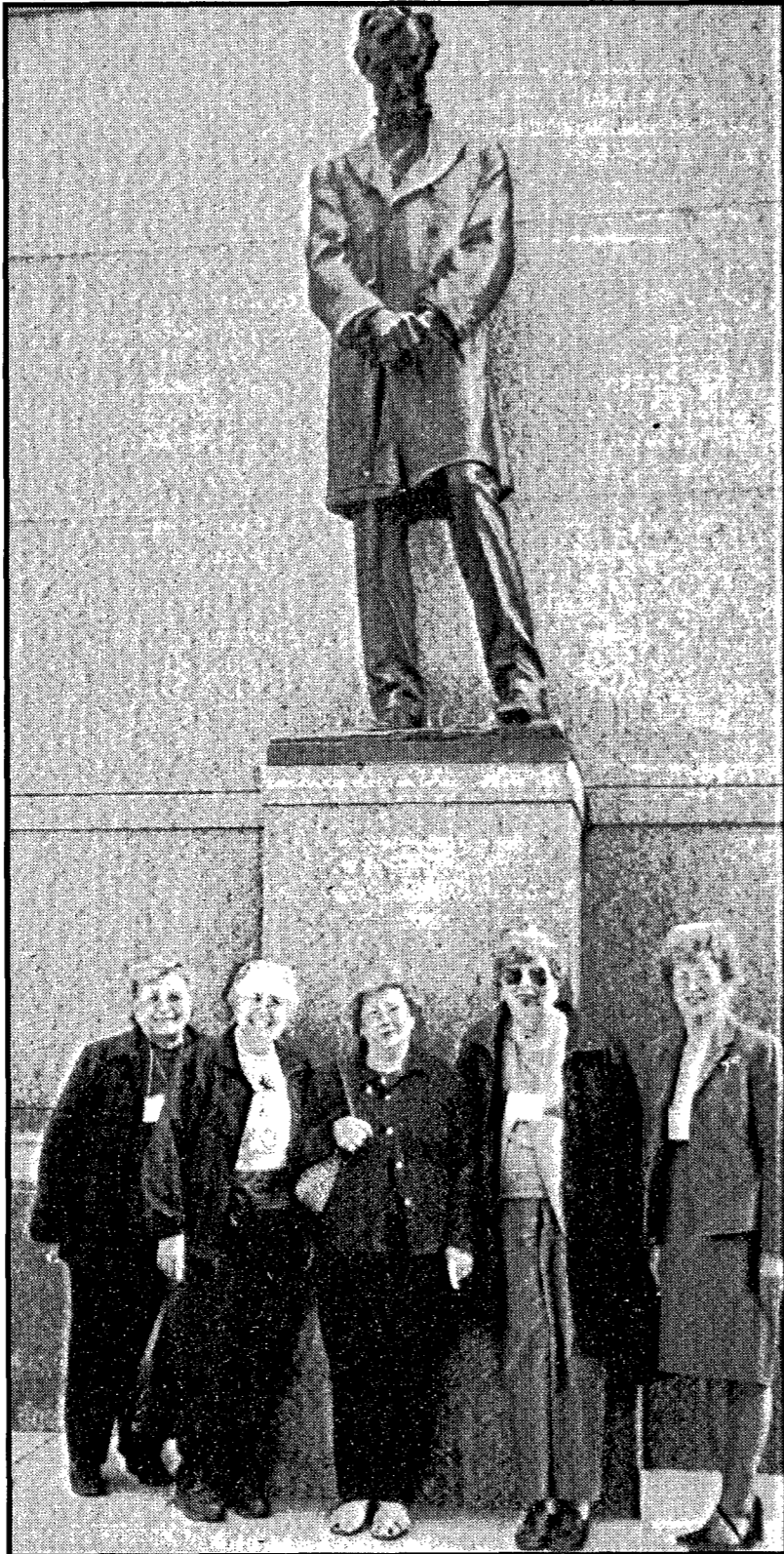
Related to this press conference was a booklet of profiles of 12 retired teachers who range in age from 84 to 105 years. The report is titled: "Shortchanged: Living with Low Teacher Pensions in Nebraska."

One of the teachers profiled in the report is Orvella Blomenkamp of Wayne, who lives and taught in Wayne and retired in 1978. The report details the differences in retirement pay for the older retirees. The state organization, NARSP, is promoting investigation of solutions that might remedy this problem.

The present session of the Nebraska Legislature has resolved in LR 255: "1. That the Nebraska Retirement Systems Committee of the Legislature shall be designated to conduct an interim study to carry out the purposes of this resolution. 2. That the committee shall, upon the conclusion of its study, make a report of its findings, together with its recommendations, to the Legislative Council or Legislature."

After the press conference, members of the NARSP delivered packets of information, including the Profile Booklet to each State Senator's office. Many were able to speak with the Senator representing their own district.

The Wayne Area members who attended the press conference were Alice Schulte of Hartington, Irene Burbach of Wynot, Gloria Leseberg and Arlene Ostendorf, both of Wayne and Mary Lou George of Winside.



Retired School Personnel traveling to Lincoln were, left to right, Irene Burbach, Wynot; Mary Lou George, Winside; Gloria Leseberg, Wayne; Arlene Ostendorf, Wayne; Alice Schulte, Hartington.

Presentation on Lewis and Clark given at Wayne State College

The second presentation in the series of "A Meeting of Two Cultures; The Lewis and Clark Expedition" was held Monday night at Gardner Auditorium on the Wayne State College campus.



The presentation, "Geologic and Geographical Observations on the Missouri River" was given by Dr. Randy Bertolas, who teaches geography at Wayne State College. Dr. Bertolas has graduate degrees in Geography from the University of Vermont and the University of New York at Buffalo.

Dr. Bertolas noted both Meriwether Lewis and William Clark were experienced in the wilderness and had military experience. Lewis had scientific training and Clark was a mapmaker. The men were well-suited for the expedition.

The Louisiana Purchase doubled the size of the U.S. and through the expedition along the Missouri River, President Thomas Jefferson and others hoped for an easy northwest pas-

sage to the Pacific Ocean, which was never found.

The Corps of Discovery left St. Louis in May, 1804 and returned in September, 1806. The group explored the Missouri River to its source, westward in 1804.

The expedition was not easy. On their journey, Lewis and Clark found the weather could be really hot in the summer and really cold in the winter. They found the weather could be violent with powerful storms. The further the men traveled to the northwest, the drier it became. And, there were less trees.

Besides their difficulties, Lewis noticed many beautiful sights along the way and wrote of them in his journal.

Reaching their destination, the crew was anxious to return to St. Louis and made record time. Once there, they were treated as heroes for awhile but the glory soon faded. Lewis wanted to publish his journals but his untimely death (possible suicide) kept that from happening for awhile. Clark later published some of Lewis' work.

The presentations are a joint venture of the Wayne Libraries: Wayne Public Library, Wayne Public School Libraries, and Wayne State College Conn Library.

The following are responsible for underwriting and contributing to the programs: City of Wayne, Nebraska Game and Parks Commission, Nebraska Humanities Council, Pamida Foundation, Runza Corporation, Wayne Kiwanis Club, Wayne Library Foundation, Wayne Optimists, Wayne Public Schools, Wayne Super8, Wayne State College.

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April schedule for Siouxland Community Blood Bank

Friday, April 9: United Methodist Church, Laurel, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

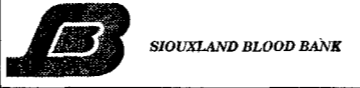
Wednesday, April 14 and Thursday, April 15: Student Center-Elkhorn Room, Wayne State College, Wayne, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Thursday, April 15: Great Dane Trailers, Wayne, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Wednesday, April 28: American Legion Hall, Winside, 2 - 6 p.m.

Thursday, April 29: Providence Medical Center, Wayne, 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Friday, April 30: Great Dane Trailers, Wayne, 11 a.m. - 4 p.m.



Faculty art show planned

The public is invited to attend a reception at 4:30 p.m. on Monday, March 29 for the opening of the Annual Art and Design Faculty Exhibit in the Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery, located in the Val Peterson Fine Arts Building on campus.

Faculty showing new work will include Wayne Anderson, Judith Berry, Steve Elliot, Dr. Pearl Hansen and Vic Reynolds.

The Wayne State College art faculty will be displaying works until April 21. There is no admission charge for the opening or to view the exhibits.

The Nordstrand Visual Arts Gallery is open Monday through Friday, from 9 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. when classes are in session. For more information, please call (402) 375-7359.



Stan Gardner, Wayne State College library director, introduces Dr. Randy Bertolas, WSC instructor and presenter of "Geologic and Geographical Observations on the Missouri River, held Monday night on the WSC campus.

Barry graduates from University of Northern Iowa

Kristin Barry of Wayne was among some 816 new alumni added to the roster of graduates of the University of Northern Iowa in December.

Barry received a bachelor's degree in elementary education, middle level education. She graduated with high honors.

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Students attend Celebrate Creativity Workshop

Eleven high achieving eighth grade students from Wayne Middle School received an invitation to the Celebrate Creativity Workshop on March 10 at the Joslyn Art Museum in Omaha.

The event, sponsored by the Omaha Symphony and Creighton University Lied Center, exposed students to a variety of art forms including watercolor, carving, origami, stage make-up, Tae Kwon Do, cyber art, improv, collage, percussion, magic, playwriting, storytelling, acting, Shakespeare and a museum tour. Students attending with sponsors Joan Sudmann and MaryAnn

Lutt included Renae Allemann, Kaitlyn Centrone, Heidi Garvin, Jennifer Holm, Maddie Jager, Michelle Jarvi, Shawn Jenkins, Abby Kenny, Jessica Kranz, Maddie Moser and Bill Smith.

A performance by the Omaha Symphony and the Bellevue West Choir highlighted the experience.

Students had the following reactions to the event, "I'm glad I got the opportunity to go." "I thought the workshop was a great learning experience." "I'd never been to the Joslyn Museum - I was amazed." A sentiment shared by many: "I wish we could've stayed longer."



Students attending the Creativity Workshop include, front row, left to right, Renae Allemann, Abby Kenny, Kaitlyn Centrone, Michellé Jarvi and Maddie Jager. Back row, Heidi Garvin, Bill Smith, Jennifer Holm, Maddie Moser, Jessica Kranz and Shawn Jenkins.

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University research finds positive energy balance for corn-based ethanol

(Editor's note: This story is from the spring/summer issue of Research Nebraska magazine, which is published twice annually by the University of Nebraska's Agricultural Research Division in the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources. A color illustration to accompany this story is available electronically by contacting Shawn Sheets at (402) 472-3030, or e-mail IANRNews@unnotes.unl.edu)

By Vicki Miller
IANR News Service
Dan Walters thinks ethanol gets a bad wrap energywise and he's got numbers to prove it.

Grain-based ethanol is a cleaner-burning, renewable alternative to fossil fuels. But critics cite studies showing ethanol production uses more energy than it produces. "The problem is that's all old data," said Walters, a University of Nebraska-Lincoln soil scientist. Such studies are based on figures from the late 1980s and early 1990s, yet much has changed in agriculture and ethanol production in the past decade.

"If you're making public policy, we need modern data that reflects the energy efficiencies of current or future farming and ethanol processing," he said. To calculate a modern energy balance for ethanol, Walters gathered and assessed current information on all the fossil fuel needed to grow and transport corn and to convert it to ethanol, blend it with gasoline and get it to the pump.

Today's ethanol has a positive energy balance, he found. It provides more energy than is used to produce it. Walters calculated the energy output to energy input ratio for converting irrigated corn to ethanol is 1.3-to-1 and 1.4-to-1 for dryland corn.

"We're about 30 percent ahead" energywise, the Institute of Agriculture and Natural Resources scientist said.

Advances in ethanol conversion and plant efficiency are part of the equation, he said. In 2002, a bushel of corn produced 2.7 gallons of ethanol, up from 2.5 gallons in 1990. Ethanol byproducts such as livestock feeds enhance efficiency because energy would be needed to

produce these products if they weren't made during ethanol conversion.

On the crop production side, nitrogen is the largest energy factor, accounting for 30 percent to 50 percent of all energy needed to raise corn, Walters said. Nitrogen efficiency has improved immensely over the past 20 years, and continues improving by an average .013 bushels of grain per pound of nitrogen annually.

Improvements in seed genetics, water use, crop management and production equipment also help boost efficiency.

"These efficiencies rely on normal best management practices and judicious nitrogen use to optimize, not maximize, productivity," he said. Much of Walters' production data comes from 160-acre fields in the university's ongoing carbon sequestration research, but he said national averages are similar.

"I'm confident we're still in positive energy balance," he said.

Irrigation requires extra energy but compensates by boosting yields and nitrogen efficiency, Walters said.

"That bodes very well for Nebraska," he said, where irrigation is widely used and 23 percent of the corn crop is sold for ethanol. "We can compete with rainfed corn growing states for ethanol production."

Walters calculated the ethanol energy balance while working on broader energy use and carbon assessments for the carbon sequestration project. More than half of corn's carbon is in grain, but scientists don't factor it in long-term carbon storage because grain's carbon recycles back to the atmosphere as feed or food in a year or so.

But converting grain to ethanol helps offset carbon emissions from fossil fuels, Walters said.

Typically, 10 percent ethanol is blended with conventional unleaded gasoline to produce E-10 Unleaded.

"When we put gasoline in our car, we're using carbon that has been stored for millions of years," Walters explained. "When we put E-10 in the tank, carbon dioxide emissions are 10 percent less than someone who burns straight fossil fuel because ethanol is a biofuel. It's made with carbon from the atmosphere that's recycled through the corn plant."

He predicts ethanol's energy equation will continue improving along with farming and processing efficiencies.

"That picture gets better and better."

A U.S. Department of Energy grant helps fund NU's carbon sequestration research.

Winside Legion receives new Squadron charter

Roy Reed Post #252, The American Legion of Winside has announced the receipt of the Charter for the Sons of the American Legion (SAL) Squadron at Winside.

To establish a Squadron, the Post had to secure at least commitments from 10 male descendants of Veterans who served during the eligibility dates for membership in the American Legion, notably during World War I, World War II, Korean War, Vietnam War, Lebanon and Grenada, Panama and Persian Gulf War to present.

The Winside Post was able to secure 12 commitments to form a Squadron, including Robert G. Neel, John G. Neel, James R. Neel, James Story, Shawn Story, Stanley Stenwall, Scott Stenwall, Austin Keiser, Colby Keiser, Daryl Mundil, Kyle Mundil and Keith Mundil.

The Charter remains open to accept additional members until such time as the Post decides to close the Charter.

After the Charter is closed, additional memberships may be secured and share the same benefits of a chartered member. Membership eligibility applies to sons, grandsons, adopted sons and/or stepsons of Veterans having served during the above dates.

The Sons is an extension of The American Legion and was established in 1933 at Portland, Ore. Since then, the Sons have assisted The Legion with their programs and activities. In 2002, the Sons, attained an all-time high membership with over 266,000 members nationally.

Lewis and Clark book reviewed

Editor's note: The following book review was provided by the Wayne libraries in honor of the celebration of the Lewis and Clark bicentennial.

Passage of Discovery: The American Rivers Guide to the Missouri River of Lewis and Clark By Daniel B. Botkin, Robert Redford and Stephen E. Ambrose.

The 1804-1806 Missouri River journey of Lewis and Clark in search of an all-water route to the Pacific Ocean was the most important expedition in American history.

When it was finished, the country and the world were forever changed. Now, renowned biologist and author Daniel B. Botkin retraces the Missouri River passage of that historic journey in the modern world by following the route of Lewis and Clark, guiding readers to nearly 50 legendary sites of historical and environmental importance — with driving directions all the way from the river banks of St. Louis to the river's headwaters in Montana — in a lively, compelling book that brings this voyage of discovery to life.

The book has an introduction from Stephen E. Ambrose and an afterward by Robert Redford.

Botkin is also the author of Our Natural History: The Lessons of Lewis and Clark.

This book is not located in the libraries in Wayne, but can be acquired through Interlibrary loan at either Wayne Public Library or Conn Library on the Wayne State campus.

RECIPE BIRCHEN CAKES
Quick Garden Cheese Soup
Lois Yongerman

1 cup sliced celery	2 cups frozen broccoli, cauliflower and carrot combination
1 cup chopped onions	1 cup frozen hash brown potatoes
1 tbsp. margarine or butter	3 cups half & half
2/3 cup unsifted flour	2 1/2 cups shredded cheddar cheese
2 cups water	
6 chicken-flavor bouillon cubes	
1/4 tsp. pepper	

In large kettle or dutch oven, cook celery and onion in margarine until tender; stir in flour until smooth. Gradually add water, then bouillon, pepper and vegetables; bring to a boil. Reduce heat, cover and simmer 15 minutes. Add milk and cheese. Cook and stir until cheese melts and soup is hot (do not boil).

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Dean Jacobs tells of his tour of Guatemala

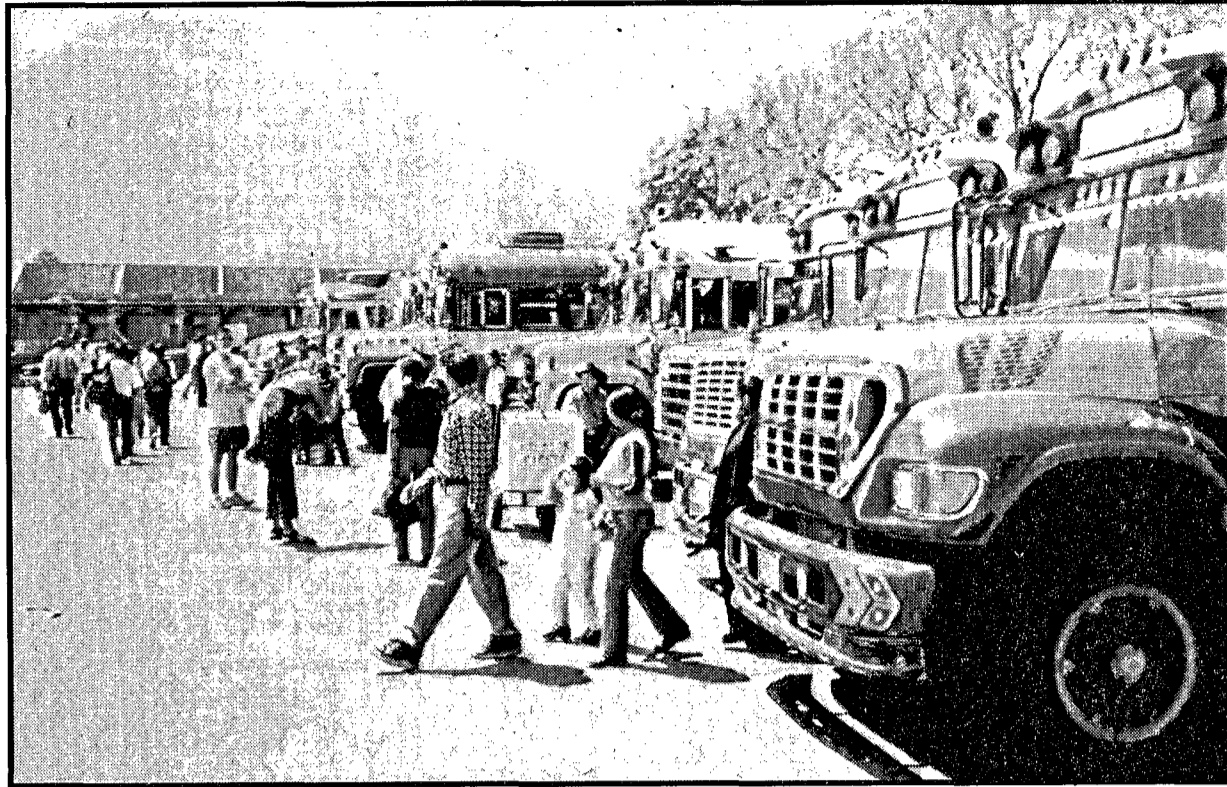
Learning how to hitch a ride is a necessary requirement when traveling in Guatemala. Generally, the bus will bring you close to your destination, but rarely at your doorstep. During our stay in El Ramate, I made a fifteen-mile trip to the town of Flores to find the nearest Internet cafe. Getting back to El Ramate turned out to be more challenging.

After boarding a bus in Flores, I was dropped off at a remote intersection with three miles yet to go. I started to get concerned as darkness would soon be approaching, and I had just read about some past problems in the area that occurred after dark. With no vehicles on the road, I started walking and soon came across a Pepsi truck making a delivery. With my limited Spanish skills, combined with body language and a smile, I was able to persuade the driver to give me a lift and a free Pepsi as we drove back to the small town.

A few days later we were faced with a larger challenge. At two in the afternoon, we were dropped off on a dirt road in the middle of nowhere. The map said there was a town there, but the town consisted of a roadside shack at an intersection in the countryside.

We waited around for a couple of hours and became concerned as a few of our roadside companions tried to explain to us that there would be no more buses that day. It gets a little confusing sometimes because when we arrived, people told us there would be several more buses or rides. Apparently after 2 p.m., transportation options dramatically decline.

The proprietor of the roadside shack offered to rent us his bedroom for \$1.20. In an emergency I would have taken him up on his offer, but at this point we had met a Swiss couple in the same predicament. The room was a too small and rugged with dirt floors



Shown are the famous "chicken buses" of Guatemala with a volcano in the background.

and a tiny bed to squeeze in all four of us. So after thanking him for his generous offer, we went back to the road to find a ride.

Eventually, we flagged down a pickup that was willing to stop and give us a ride to the nearest town some 10 miles away. I gave him money for the ride and was pleasantly surprised when he gave me change, for I had not expected to get any, which happens often, and was just happy to avoid sleeping in someone's pasture. The ride costs me 25 cents instead of 50 cents.

Early the following morning, we boarded another painted school bus or "chicken bus" as they call them, because often you share the ride with farm animals on their way to market. Our route to Lanquin wound through the mountains with a narrow road often just wide enough for the bus, with tree branches brushing the sides. This became even more interesting during the

sections of the road that were literally carved out of the side of the mountain.

Half way to Lanquin on the road was a smashed up bus that had recently went over the edge and down a cliff. "Oh man," I said, "just what I didn't need to see." But luck was with us; after 6 hours, tired and dirty we rolled into Lanquin for the next several days.

As you travel by bus, you soon learn that it is best to take care of your personal needs before departure. Once the bus starts moving the breaks are unpredictable and finding facilities often takes some degree of creativity. I follow the lead of the locals, which generally takes me to a tree or bush. It is not a place for the shy or squeamish. For sure, a long bus trip becomes an endurance test that requires patience and a bit of faith. The roads are often rugged and unpaved, so you end up looking

like one of those toy dogs people used to set in the back window of their car or a bobble-head attached to a jackhammer. But the best part is there's always a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow in the way of a new place to experience and explore or the new friends you meet along the way.

In Lanquin we were rewarded with a swim in the amazing limestone pools of Semuc Champey. The naturally formed swimming pools were crystal clear and refreshing. Recently, I met a woman by the name of Maggie, 22, in Antigua. Currently an office manager at a language school, she also previously worked at a travel agency and law office. She shared about her wish to one-day come to the states. Her motive was driven by economic opportunities and like many Latinos living there, a desire to send money home to help her family.

Her comments to the ordinary

RC & D holds their meeting

The RC&D had their meeting on Feb. 23 with a call to order with Bob Porter presiding. The agenda was approved: Rural/Virtual Storefront under Ag Economics, and Ashfall Signs under Tourism. Dale Morrill made the motion to approve the amended agenda. The motion seconded and passed. Complete volunteer timesheets were discussed.

A program, Meth Awareness presentation, was given by John Hanson from Congressman Osborne's Office.

Out migration of the youth in our rural area is major concern of Osborne's. Methamphetamine addiction rates are two times as high in rural over urban areas. Methamphetamine use starts with teenage binge drinking in Nebraska. Many teens start drinking in the home.

There's increased crime by methamphetamine addicts. Meth gives the highest highs for the money. People are often hooked after two to six hits. Methamphetamine labs smells include ammonia and/or either. Treatment rates are very ineffective with almost 80 percent recurrence. Stressed the need for education and awareness in adults as well as youth.

A motion was given by Gary Howey to approve the minutes. Motion was seconded and passed.

Roll call was taken: Guests: Speaker John Hanson, Sgt. Randy Morehead, Nebraska State Patrolman Bruce Mitchell, Nebraska State Patrolman J. Dale Harris, Nebraska State Patrolman Blausey, Donna Christiansen, Carmen Shaffer, Ken Larson, Pauline Einrem, Bruce Jorgensen, Audrey Green, Marcelline Ross.

Present for roll call: Don Meadows, Duané Fanta, Mary Rose Backhaus, Cy Pinkelmann,

Dale Morrill, Julie Joyce, Chris Kreycik, Bob Porter, Myron Miller, Gary Howey, Merlin Frevert, and Jim Einrem. Excused were: Butch Hergert, Darrel Magnuson, Barb Hayford, Lisa Lutz and Bud Knuth. Absent were: Ruth Weinrich, Bud Twiss and Phil Wendzillo. Delmar Gansbom resigned. Staff includes Jan Jorgensen, and Clo Ann Shamblen.

A motion was made by Gary Howey to approve the payment to the Nebraska Humanities Council and it seconded and carried. A motion was made by Julie Joyce to accept the finance report and it was seconded. Discussion focused on the money to the Corps of Discovery Welcome Center. A motion was made by Gary Howey to cut the check to the Corps of Discovery Welcome Center, which was seconded and passed. Original motion to accept the treasurer's report and pay the bills was passed.

Committee project reports and requests included: **Tourism Indians and Pioneers Tourism and Marketing:** (tabled from 1/19) - (Chris Kreycik and Julie Joyce). Join a region with southern South Dakota, northern Nebraska and eastern Wyoming to promote tourism activities throughout. Discussion concerned the lack of details, too busy now, great distances to participate, and whether there was any benefit to join at this time. A motion was made by Cy Pinkelmann to table indefinitely which seconded and passed.

Another project is **postcards:** (Dale, Julie, Carmen). Fifty postcards will be provided to GROW Nebraska to sell. The retail price was set at \$0.40/each and the agreement with GROW was signed. Shannon Trail and

Outlaw Trail will put links on their websites for the postcards.

Pride of the Plains project: (Ken Larson). Decided marketing assistance is needed to promote the band festival event so are asking for assistance to get the word out and maybe provide some volunteers. Discussed an Oct. 16, 2004, 2 PM parade and competition to tentatively start at 5:30 PM. Julie Joyce moved to take this on as a project. The group has agreed to promote the RC&D along with their own event. A motion was made, seconded and carried.

Ashfall Signs: Dale Morrill reported on the progress of the new signs, which is slower than expected. Discussion centered on the amount of writing on the sign.

Environment-Missouri National Rec. River Protection Strategies "River Futures" - (Cy, Donna C., Bob P). RC&D will provide grant writing skills, meeting space, and networking. Cy will keep close tabs on this project.

A motion was made by Dale Morrill to accept this as a project, which was seconded. Discussion focused on the lack of landowners at the meetings. Also brought up was the top down style of management utilized by most federal agencies versus the bottom's up approach used by the Rain Water River Basin Joint Project. Motion passed with Don Meadows casting a nay vote.

Job Opportunities-Enterprise Facilitation - (Carmen S.) Discussion was held on whether to continue support of this program. The discussion centered on the cost of the program. Can this be done without the aid of the Siroli Institute? Support was stated for the Siroli in a previous meeting.

Artists 2004- CloAnn Chris Kreycik made the motion to

approve the artists project which seconded and passed.

Ag Economics-Dairy Study (approval) - Cy Pinkelmann referenced the information on the sheet enclosed with the monthly packet. Jan further explained the 3/15/04 dairy forum will gather information for a study being planned by Sen. Doug Cunningham. Existing regulations seem to be hampering small on-farm processing of dairy products. A motion was made by Gary Howey to approve it. It seconded and passed.

New board appointments- Donna Christiansen has been approved for Pierce County and Eric Fredrick has been approved to fulfill the unexpired term of Delmar Gansbom. Still need a rep from Cedar County and representative from Dixon County.

Western Association Conference report- Julie Joyce commented on the vast amount of interesting information available on tourism... especially Lewis & Clark. Additional information will be presented at the next meeting since there was not sufficient time to give full reports.

State association- Bob Porter is networking with a couple of other RC&D's in the North/North-Central Region of Nebraska. He thinks this may be a benefit to all the RC&D organizations as each will be kept informed about what is going on in other areas.

Highway 14 had a meeting on March 4 and they received an \$8,000 tourism marketing grant for distribution of their new brochure. Tilden also got a tourism marketing grant for developing an annual festival based on the national exhibit Listening to the Prairie-Farming in Nature's Image.

Respectfully Submitted, Cy F. Pinkelmann, Secretary, Northeast Nebraska RC&D

people back in the states were these: "Stop the fighting and spend more time helping the small towns and the poor in America." She felt the power and capacity of the United States could be better served in helping others rather than fighting.

For me personally, it is a little disheartening to constantly encounter people who believe the

U.S. "likes" war. I listen quietly and do my small part to ensure that not all are eager for such things, only those who profit from it.

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Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. followed by rolls and coffee.

Greetings will be given by Mayor Jay Vavricek. Exhibits will be open with t-shirts and visors available for sale.

Group pictures will be taken by Fox. Prizes will be awarded and a raffle held.

Among the entertainment will be the Senior Citizen Band from the Grand Generation Center.

Grand Island columnist Wendel Potter will be the featured speaker.

Each Betty Chapter will be asked to give a written report on their club's activities for the past year.

Anyone named Betty is invited to attend.

Those interested in attending are asked to send the registration fee of \$30 to Betty Green, 305 Oxnard Avenue, Grand Island, 68801 (308) 384-6690. Checks should be made payable to "The

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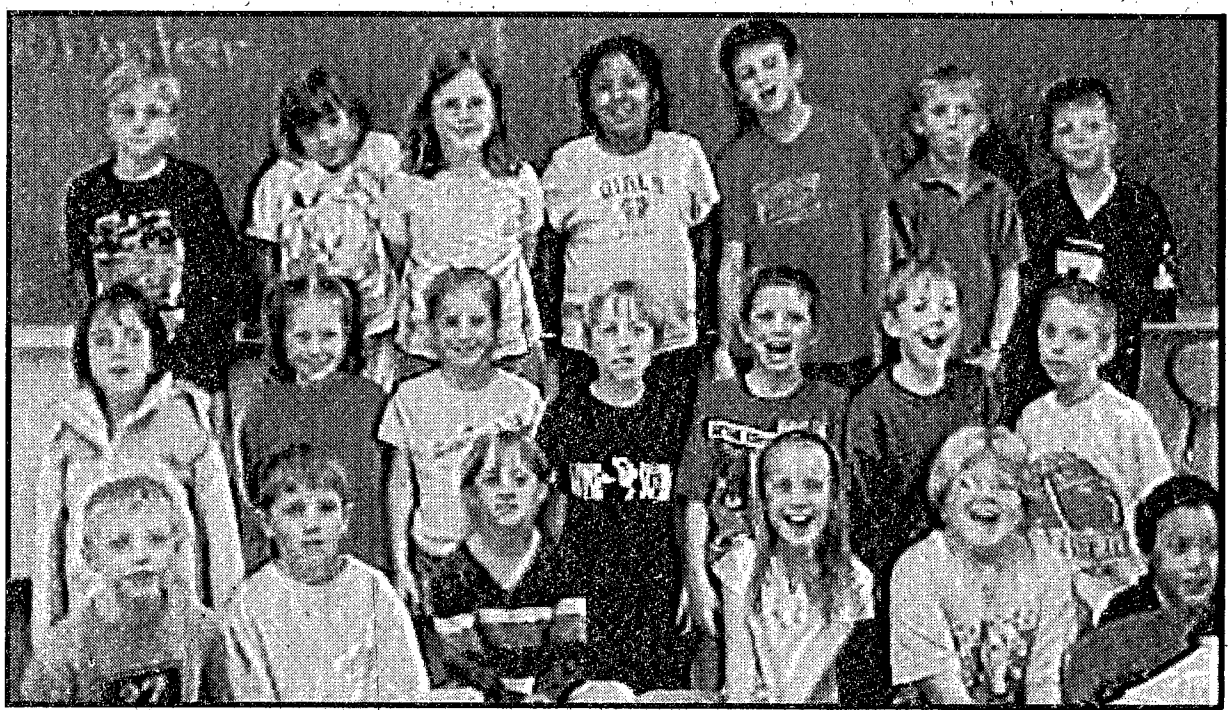
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The Wayne High School Jazz Band performed at the recent assembly at Wayne Elementary School.



Character Train Students from each homeroom were also recognized at the assembly.



Mrs. Fredrickson's class was named as the Homeroom of the Month for the month of February.

Character Train students recognized at Wayne Elementary School

February Character Train students were recognized March 16 during an assembly at Wayne Elementary School.

Mrs. Fredrickson's Second Grade homeroom was the Homeroom of the Month.

Brad Weber and Jazz Band I performed for the elementary students, and Mr. Weber highlighted

the March Character Word, "Perseverance."

He talked about how the Jazz Band rehearses twice a week at 7:15 a.m. and how many of the students are involved in sports, speech team, the musical, Choir and Jazz Choir, part-time jobs, as well as being Honor students. He pointed out that accomplishing all

this takes a great deal of perseverance.

February Character Train Students include:

Kindergarten: Jenkins - Micahel Parker; Tiedtke - Danica Schaefer; Heikes - Morgan Carson.

First Grade: Colleen Janke - Caleb Beede; Kris Janke - Carlos Carranza; Ostrand - Saige Francis.

Second Grade: Suehl - Nuh-Tayla Olmer; Fredrickson - Jalen Barry; Jaixen - Jaci Jenkins.

Third Grade: Garvin - Danny Melena; Thomas - Jason Holt; Hansen - Sarah Maxson.

Fourth Grade: Lutt - Cassy Miller; Spethman - Katelyn Matthes; Ruskamp - Tanner Schopke.

Lucas Mohr named to dean's list

Lucas Mohr of Carroll was one of about 1,820 students who were named to the Winter 2003 Quarter Dean's List at Metropolitan Community College.

The criteria to be named to the dean's list includes: students must have a minimum of 12 earned credit hours in grade 100 level or above classes; they must complete at least six credit hours in grade 100 level or above classes for the quarter they are qualifying for; they must achieve at least a 3.5 out of a possible 4.0 grade point average for the quarter they are qualifying for.

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Tamra previously worked at Wayne State College in the Facility Services Department as an Office Assistant III. Prior to that she was employed at Wayne Sport & Spine, PC as the Office Manager/Owner. Tamra attended the University of Nebraska/Lincoln and graduated from Wayne State College with a degree in Social Sciences and Business Administration. Tamra likes outdoor activities, gardening, reading and spending time with family.
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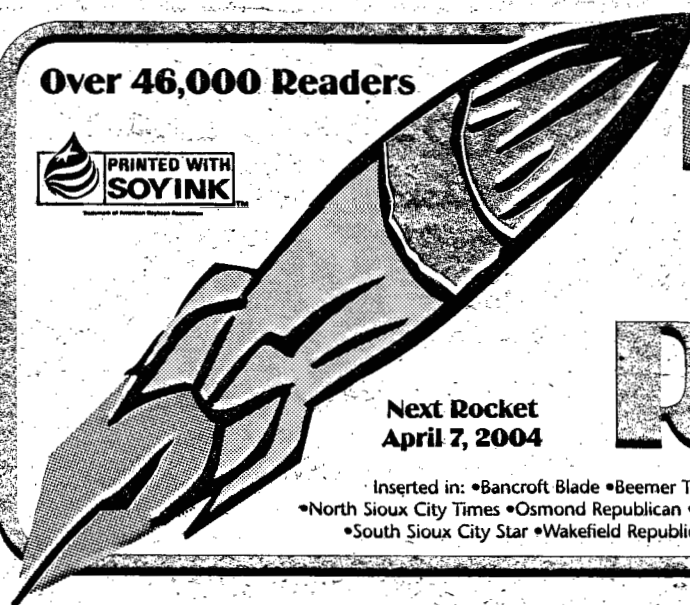
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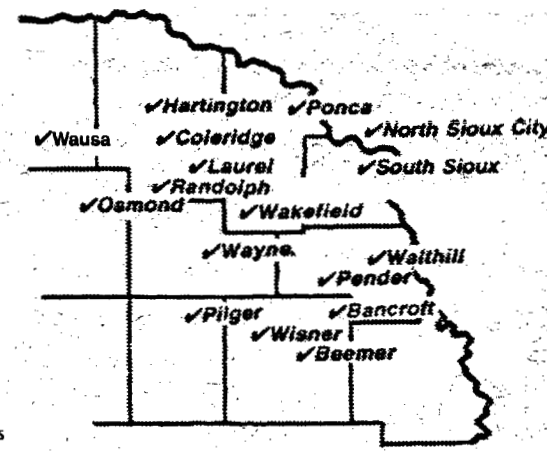
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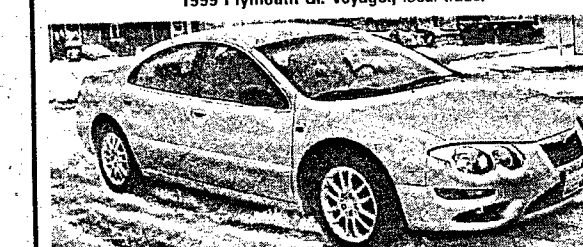
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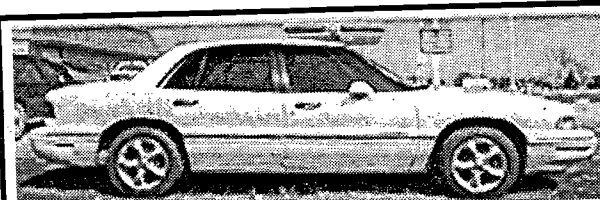
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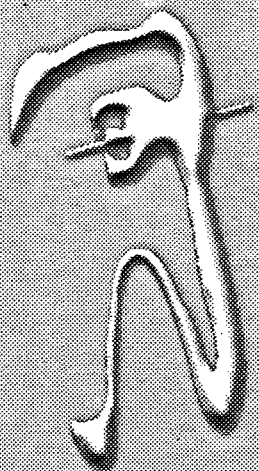
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Assorted timers
Manuals, books
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Many items too numerous to list

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KitchenAid dishwasher
Microwave stand
Computer stand
New punch bowl set
Misc. small kitchen appliances
Used commercial coffee maker
w/new servers
Safe — Desk
3-drawer file cabinet
Misc. office supplies
Lilton microwave & cookbooks
Assorted cookbooks
Misc. pots, pans, dishes, etc.
Old Town Canoe, Pathfinder 17-ft.
Other misc. items

ANTIQUES

1930 Ford 2-door body
1931 Ford 4-door body
1931 Ford Coupe, 2 door
w/mother-in-law trunk lid
Assorted A & T frames, parts
Model T set of 4 wheel jacks
1924 Model T runabout with parts
1948 CJ2 Jeep frame w/OHV motor
Oval Penzoil sign & other signs
Dixon Elevator match holder
5-wire spoke wheels for Ford
Trombone
Collectable Avon & Beam bottles
Other items

VEHICLES

1970 Elkhart Mobile home,
salvage, no title

1971 Valiant mobile home, 12x56,
shed/cabin, title
1979 Chev El Camino Royal
Knight, rebuilt motor, 350
1974 Dodge Charger, small block,
no motor
Misc. auto & truck books
1984 Dodge Mini Motor Home,
.318 motor
1979 Chev 4 door, 305 V-8, runs
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CVA 54 cal., bolt action, new
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600	CH Char. Ang.-X Calves, home-raised, precon.	David & Justine Shoemaker
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280	CH Ang. Cvs., precon., heifers replacement quality	Jim Strong
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200	CH Ang., Ang. Char. & Red Ang. Char.-X, precon., weaned, 500-675#	Minarik Farms
195	CH Ang. Calves, precon., home-raised, 600-750#	Dwight Nichols
180	CH Ang. Fall Calves, precon., weaned, BQA certified, no implants, 450-600#	Dicke Ranch
150	CH Ang. Steers, precon., 775-850#	Lowell Krieger
150	CH Ang. & Ang.-X Strs., precon., green, 500-600#	Steve Grudzinski
138	CH Ang. Hrs., precon., OCV, replacement quality, 700#	Galyon Ranch
100	CH Ang. Mostly Strs., green, precon., 550-600#	Sterling Ritz
80	CH Char. & Char. Ang.-X Calves, precon., 500-700#	J.J. Carraher
74	CH Ang. Hrs., home-raised, OCV, precon., 675-700#	Carr Ranch
70	CH Ang. Calves, precon., 550-700#	Ken Kasselder
70	CH Ang. & Char. Ang.-X Calves, precon., 650-750#	Troy & Cara Douglas
65	CH Ang. & Ang. Char.-X Calves, green, precon., 500-600#	James Ritz
65	CH Ang. Mostly Hrs., precon., 500-600#	Dave Nichols
65	CH Ang. Hrs., precon., 500-600#	John & Linda Schaal
35	CH Blk., BWF Strs., precon., no implants, 700-750#	Terry Kaczor
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Roskelly 1440 metal lathe w/3 Chucks & attachments, 3 & 4 jaw	Milwaukee cut-off saw	2 running gears	16-in. steel culverts
Barnes Mo 221 1/2 drill press, 5 hp 3 phase adj. bed, (various chucks) auto. feed	Various bench vises		9 Cement culverts, 10-ft., 4-ft. & 3-ft. heights (8 oval & 1 round)
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Miller CP 300 wire welder, 3 ph	Parts carts		(2) 110-gal. poly tank, new oil
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DoAll band saw, 13-in. clearance 22-in. cut w/roller bench		PARTS & INVENTORY	6-ft. oak desk
Metal band saw, 36-in. Heavy duty winch hoist, 3 ph		(New JD parts from Logan Valley Impl.)	Window air conditioner
Hydro power washer, 250 psi w/kerf heater		Hardi 45-ft. folding sprayer boom w/triple nozzles, new	(3) 5th wheel plates
Black hawk bench drill press, 5/8-in.		JD cornhead parts, new	4 payloader tires w/rims, (JD 544) 16.00/25
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Astroline porta power, 4 T., body & frame, 3 exts, 3 adaptors		Wilrich cult. parts, new, 8-row misc.	7-Up pop machine
Enterpac elec. porta Power, Mo. PEM-1541, 1/3 hp, 120V		Farmhand F-11 loader cylinder, new	Other items
Super winch Mo. W115, 110V w/Eaton I beam trolley		JD 535 bale monitor	IRRIGATION EQUIP.
Hyd. pipe bender		Gehl baler monitor	lockwood irrigation pipe, 6 7/8-in. (new, old style)
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		Hardi sprayer hose	Misc. irrigation parts
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		Plastic bander	Cat TC30 propane fork lift, 4-ft. forks, hard tire
		3 time clocks	Mustang 330 skid loader, 42-in. bucket
		200-ft. chain link fence w/4gates	H&H 20-ft. trailer, 6000# tandem axles w/ramp, bumper hitch
		Blocks bearings, pipe fittings	Gehl HD skid loader trailer, tandem axles w/ramps
		Hyd. cylinders	1988 Ford F-250 D. pickup, 4x4 w/flatbed
		Grinder mixer parts	J.D. amt 600 5-wheel
		Alternators, hazard lights	
		Mid fittings, JD mirrors	
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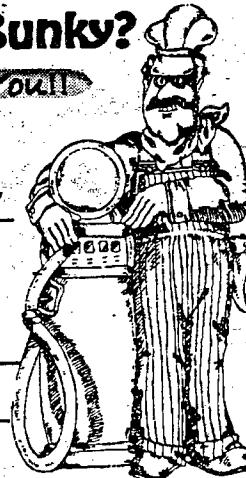
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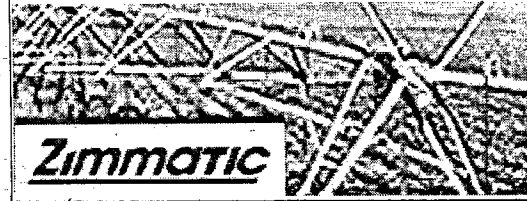
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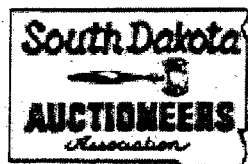
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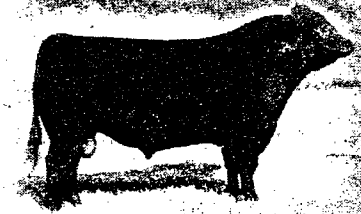


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 3:30 p.m. — Diabetes—Targeting Healthy Lifestyles—Elkhorn Logan Valley Health Department
 4:00 p.m. — How Older Adults can Maintain Fitness—Kelly Heithold, Wayne State College
 4:30 p.m. — Hearing Loss and Tinnitus—Cindy Johnson, Family Audiology and Hearing Care
 5:00 p.m. — Living Wills, Leslie Schulz—Providence Medical Center
 5:30 p.m. — Steps for Health Orientation—Sandy Preston, UNL Cooperative Extension—Dixon County
 6:00 p.m. — Controlling Stress in Your Life—Jill Belt—Providence Medical Center
 6:30 p.m. — Public Health Emergencies—Northeast Nebraska Health Department

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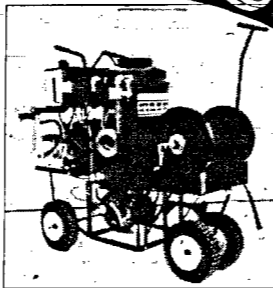
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FSA INFORMATION: FSA maps and information packets available upon request.

LOCATION: 1/2 mile East of Thurston, Nebr., and 1 1/2 miles North.

OWNERS: Gerald Schnier c/o Ronald Schnier, POA.

TERMS: Property will be sold to the highest bidder with 10% down on date of sale, balance due on closing, on or before April 25, 2004. Premises sold with 2003 and all prior real estate taxes paid, but subject to easements of record. Buyer shall pay the 2004 and all future taxes. The land is being sold subject to a one year carry-over lease on a cash rent basis. The successful purchaser will receive the landlord's share of the 2004 rental payments. Title insurance will be furnished to be paid one-half by Seller and one-half by Buyer. Sellers reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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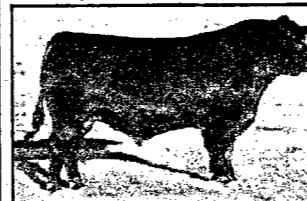
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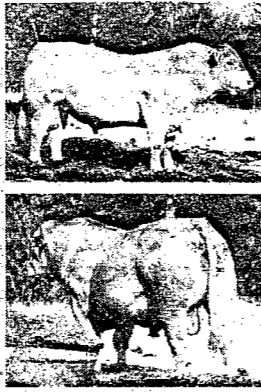


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 1997 Ford E350 Cutaway Van \$6,000
 1995 Chevy Suburban 1500 4x4 350 auto, nice, blue/gray, \$7,950. WOW \$6,500
 1988 Chevy Suburban 1500, 4x4, 350, auto, rear air, black-gray, 114K Local trade. \$3,450. \$2,500
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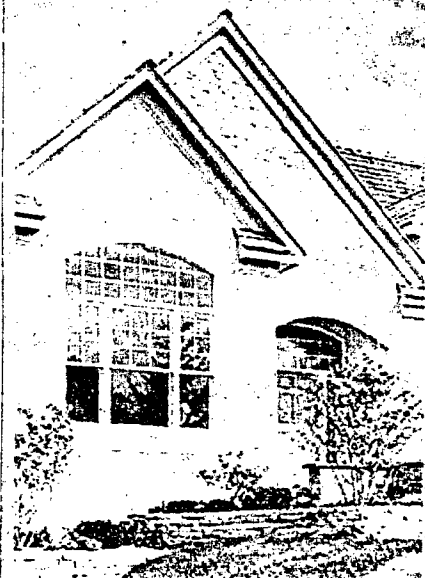
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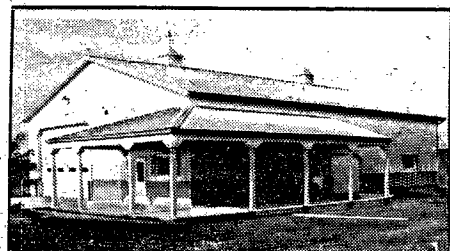
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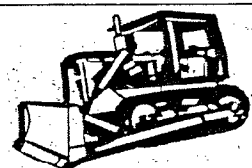
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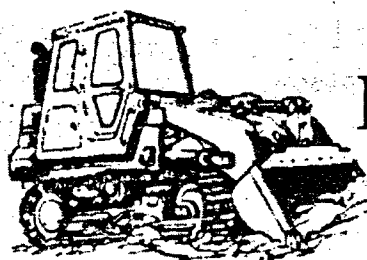
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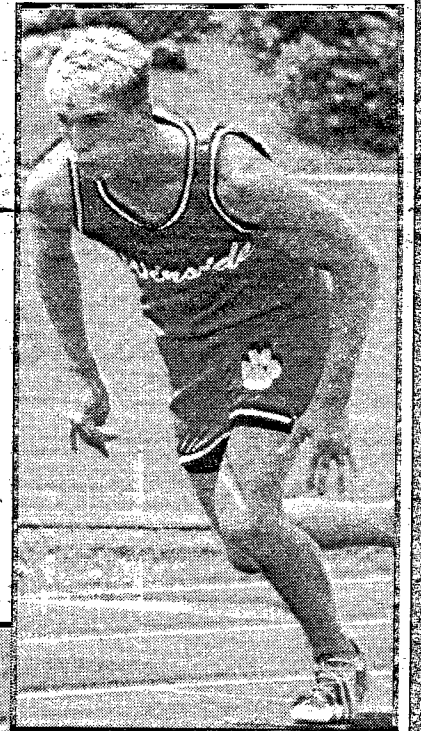
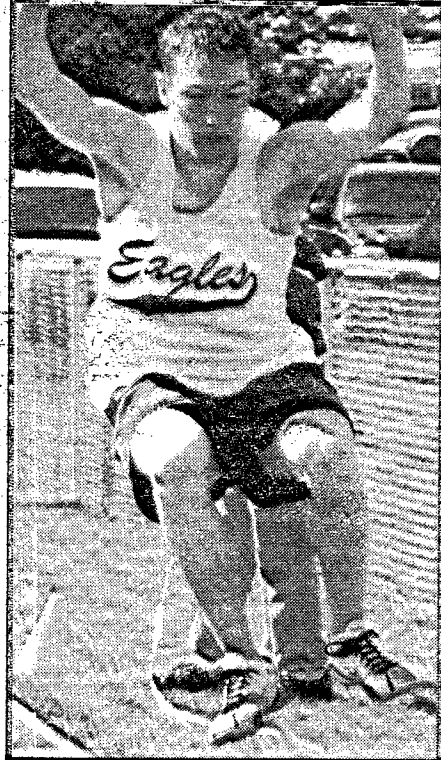
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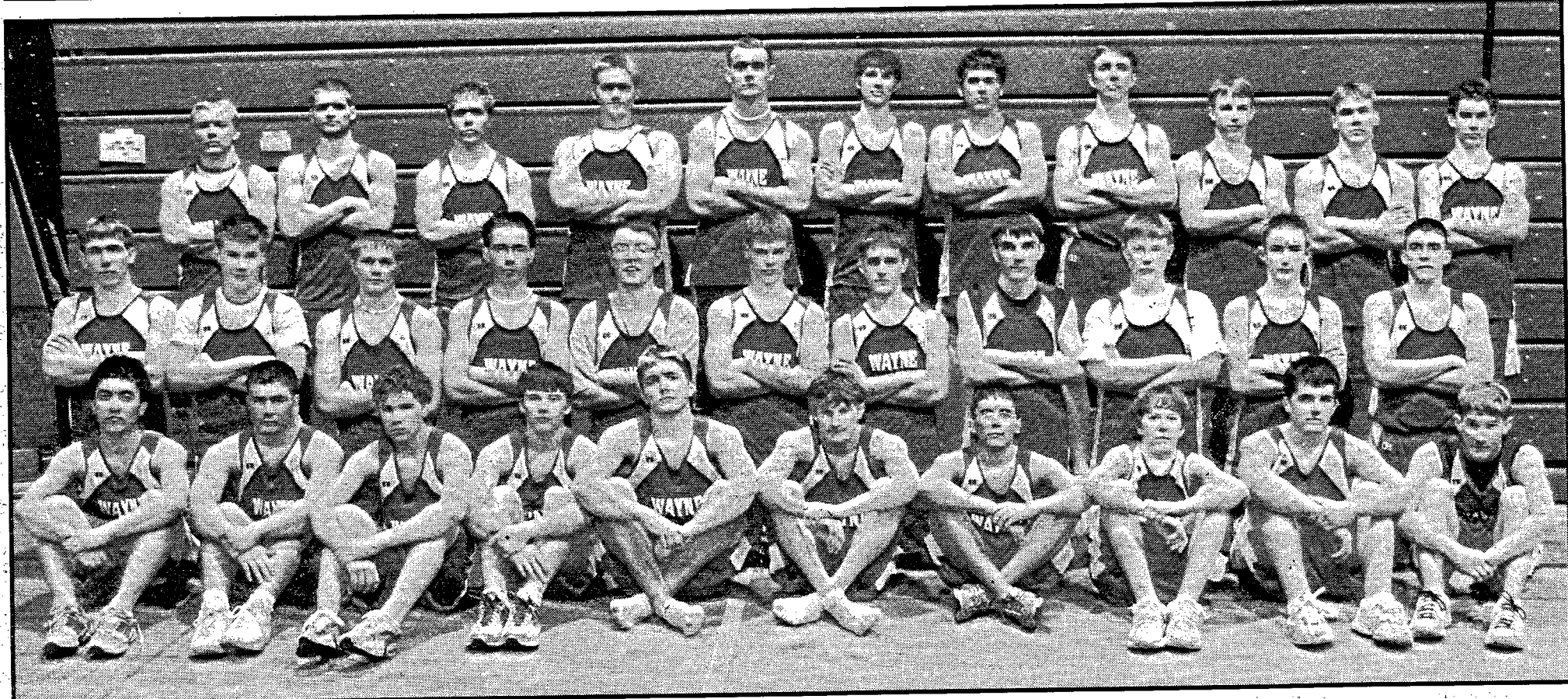
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March 29 Kan Lennon Invitational 12 p.m. at Vermillion
April 1 Laurel-Concord Relays 1 pm at Laurel
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April 22 Schuyler Central Invitational 2 pm at Schuyler
April 27 Pierce 9/10 Invitational 3 pm at Pierce
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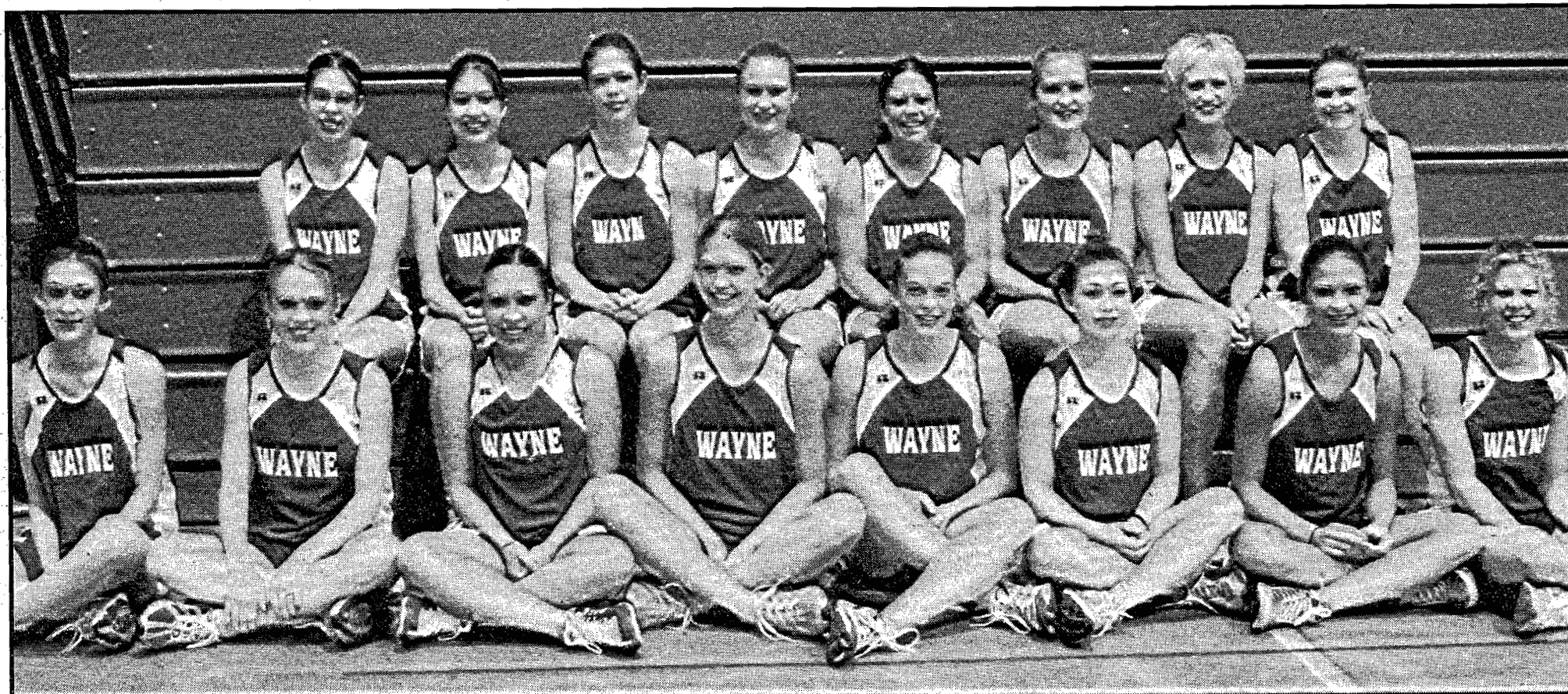


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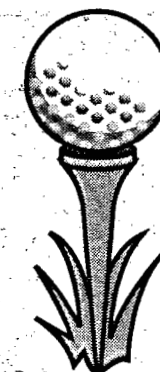


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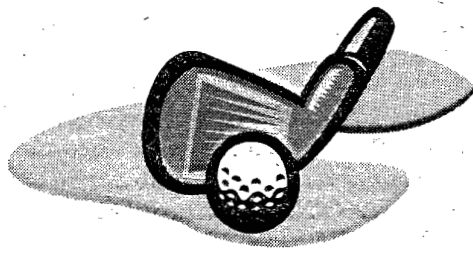


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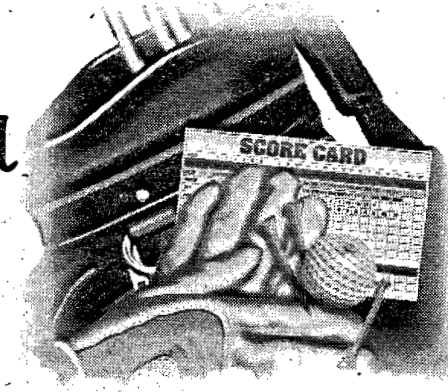


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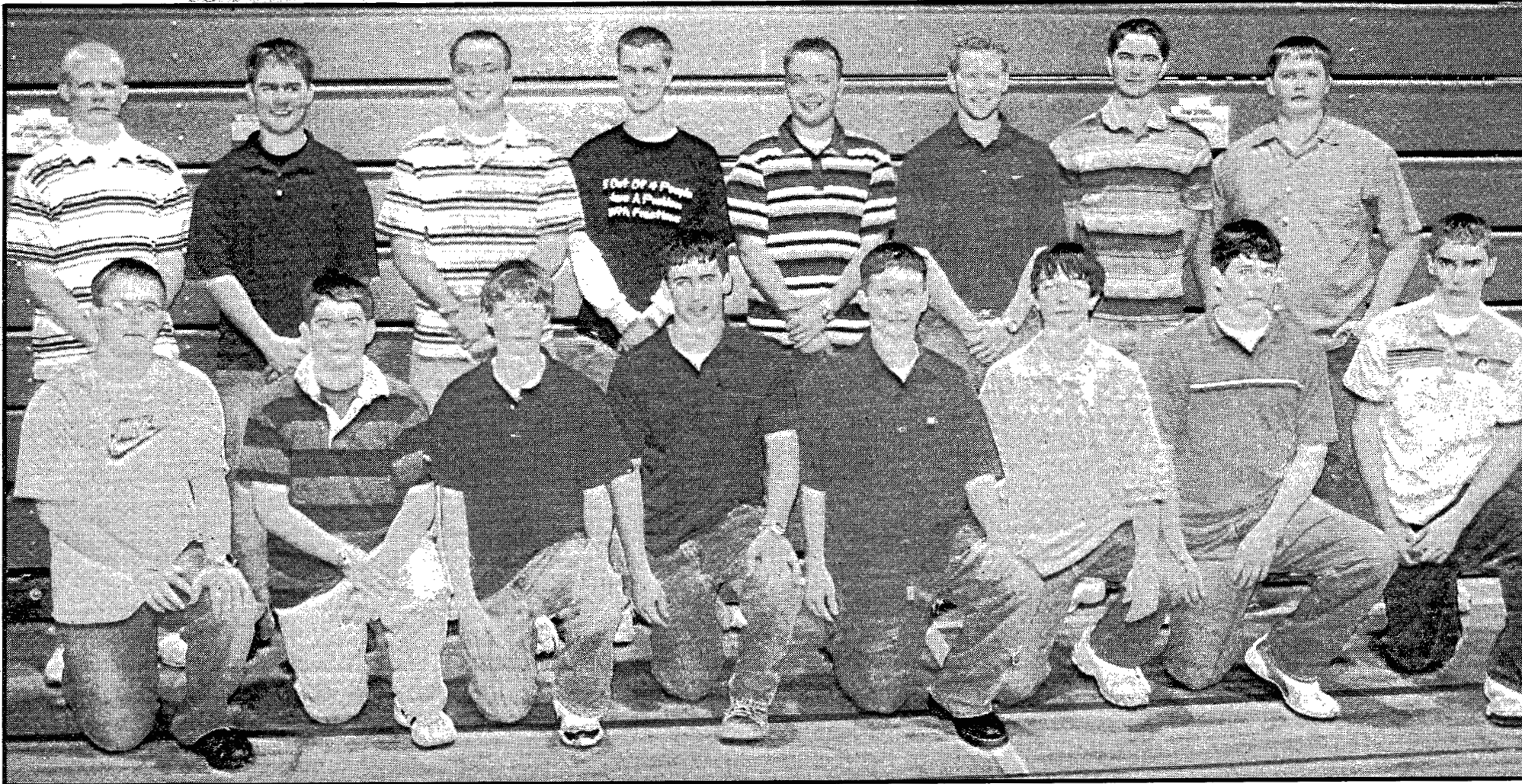


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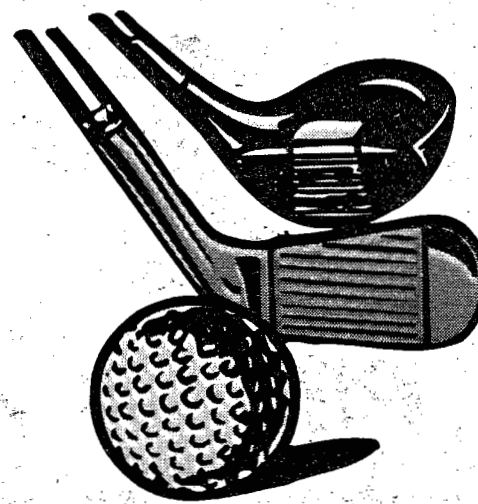
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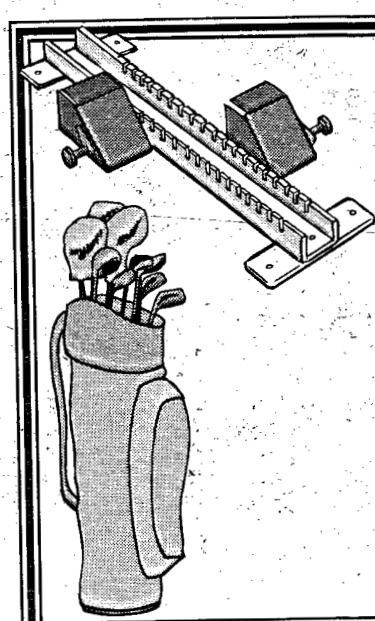
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 April 6 Schuyler dual 4 pm at Wayne
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 April 15 Laurel-Concord Invitational 9 am at Laurel
 April 17 Plainview Invitational 8:30 am at Plainview
 April 19 Norfolk High dual 4:30pm at Norfolk
 April 19 Pierce/Hartington CC triangular 4 pm at Wayne (JV)
 April 22 Columbus Scotus Invitational 9 am at Columbus
 April 22 O'Neill Invitational 9 am at O'Neill (JV)
 April 24 Mid States Conference Meet 10 am at Battle Creek
 April 29 Columbus Lakeview Invitational 9 am at Columbus
 May 1 Oakland-Craig Invitational 8 am at Oakland
 May 1 Pierce Invitational 9 am at Pierce (JV)
 May 4 Laurel-Concord/Crofton triangular 4 pm at Laurel
 May 6 Wayne "Mac" Invitational 9 am at Wayne
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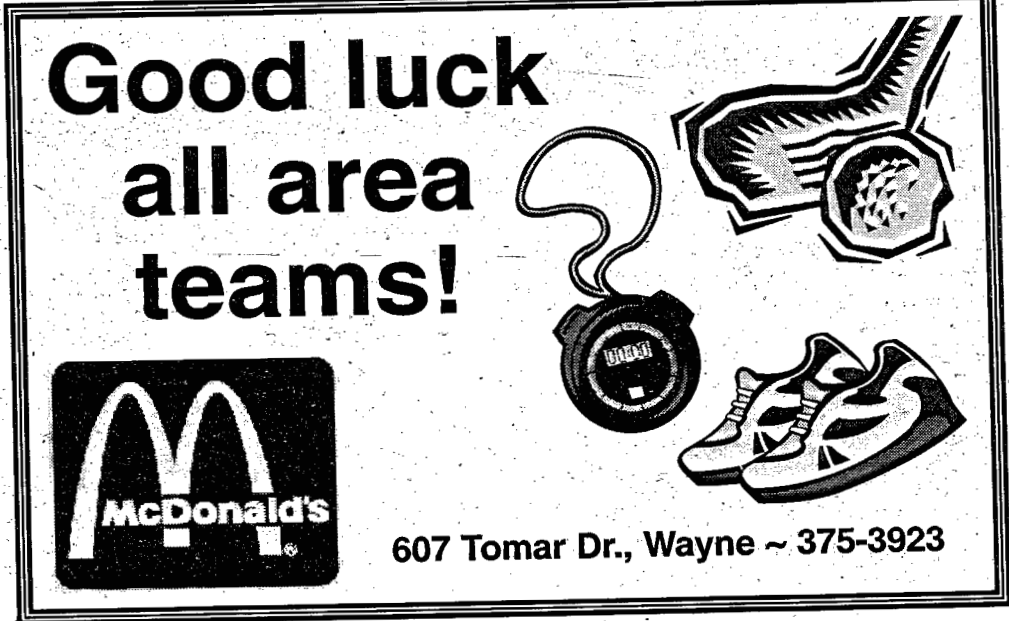


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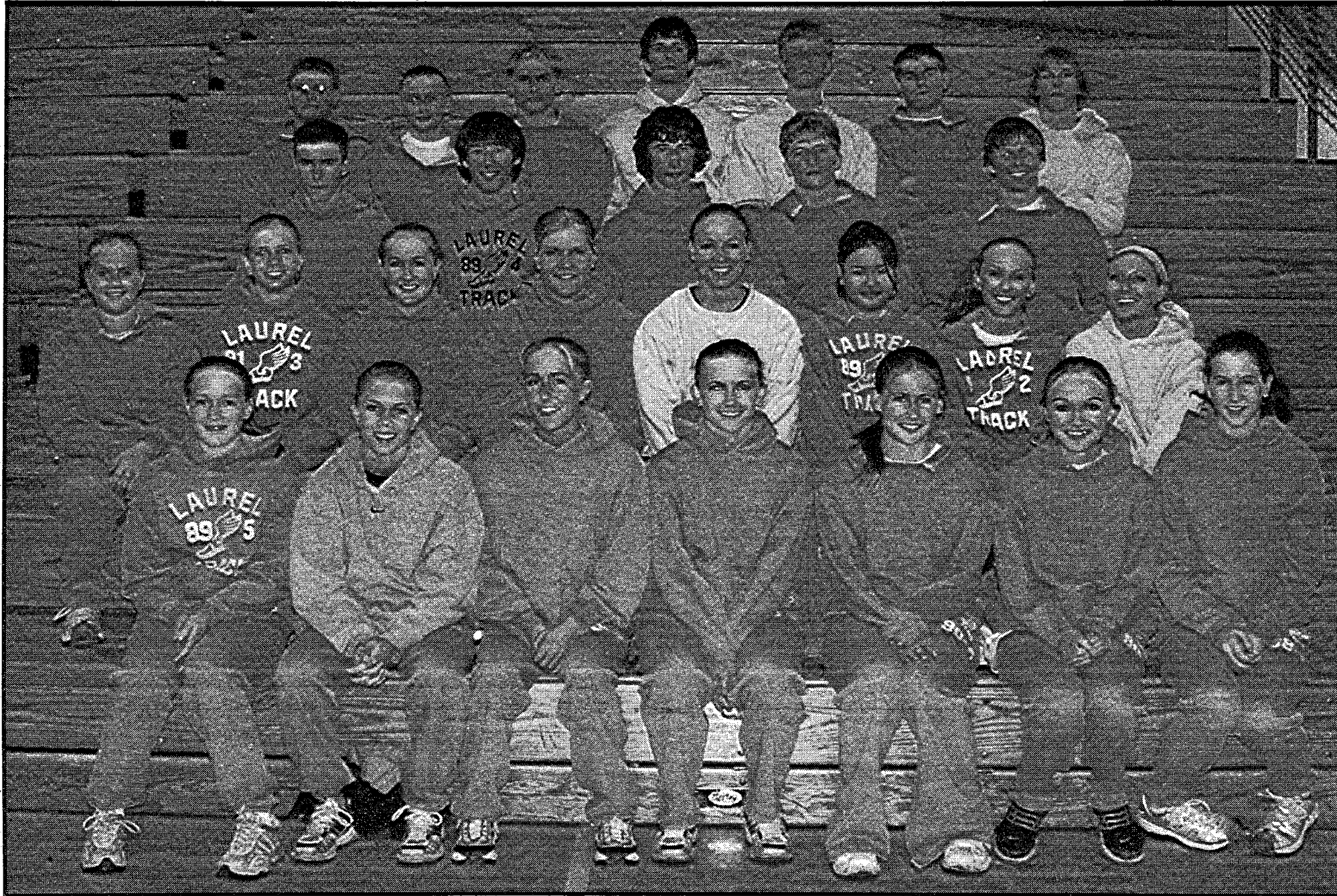
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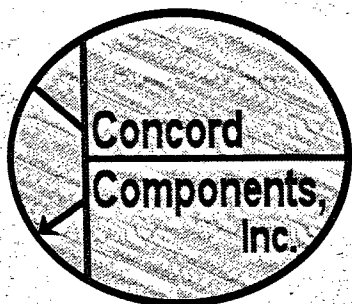
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March 26 Warrior Relays 3 pm at Neligh
 April 1 Laurel-Concord Relays 1 pm at Laurel
 April 8 Krumwiede Invitational 10 am at Homer
 April 15 Homer Invitational 4 pm at Homer

April 20 Laurel Invitational 2 pm at Laurel
 April 24 Sioux City Relays 8 am at Sioux City
 April 27 Pierce 9/10 Invitational 3 pm at Pierce
 April 29 Creighton Invitational 2:30 pm at Creighton

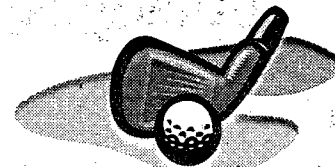
May 4 Randolph Invitational 2:30 pm at Laurel
 May 7 NENAC Track Meet 3:30 pm at Creighton
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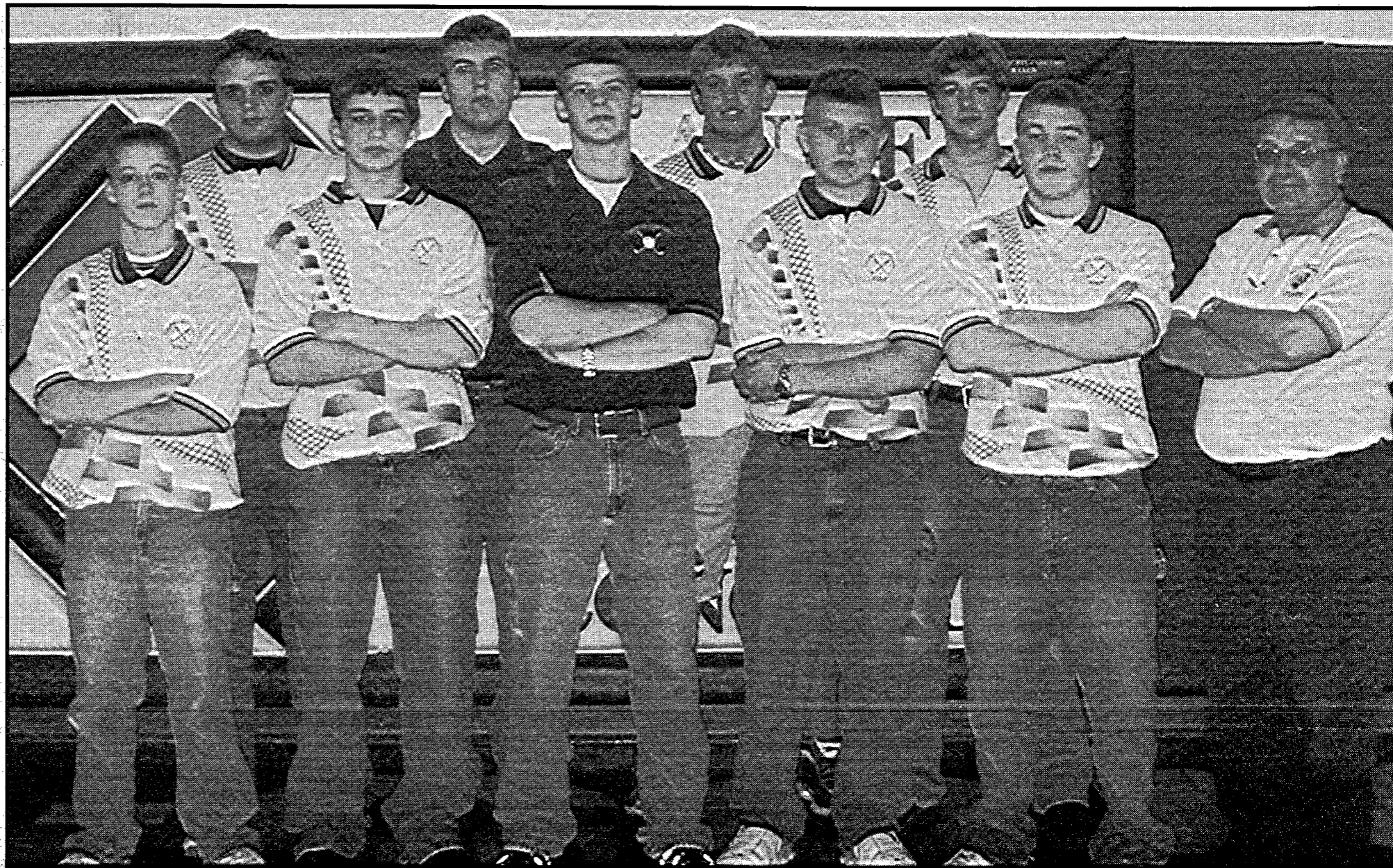
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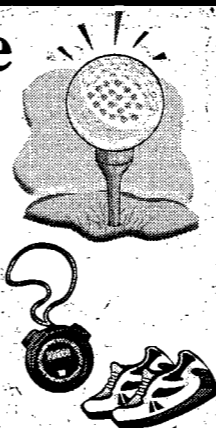
Laurel-Concord Boys Golf



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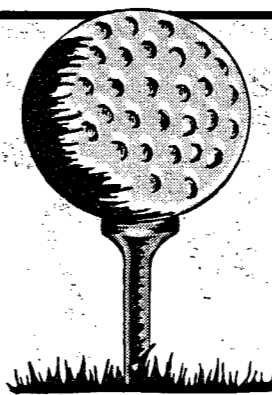
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April 13 Creighton/Randolph triangular 4 pm at Creighton	April 24 Neligh-Oakdale Invitational 8:30 am at Neligh	May 6 Wayne Invitational 9 am at Wayne	May 11 Wayne dual 4:15 pm at Wayne
April 15 Laurel-Concord Invitational 9 am at Laurel	April 27 Hartington Invitational 9 am at Hartington	May 8 Wakefield Invitational 9 am at Wakefield (JV)	May 18 Class C-1 District 3 Tournament at Norfolk TBA
April 17 Plainview Invitational	April 29 Ponca dual 4:15 pm at Laurel	May 8 NENAC Tournament 9 am	May 25-26 State Golf Tournament at Lincoln TBA

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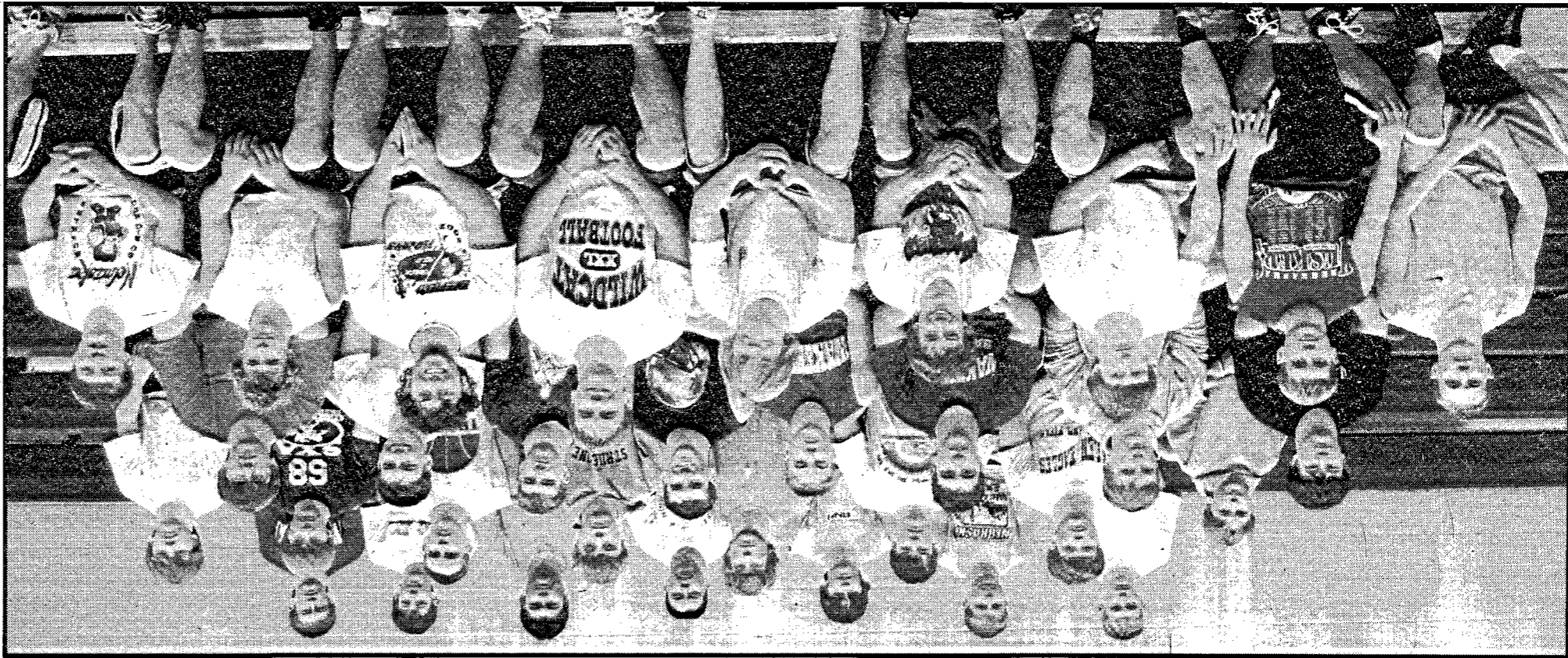


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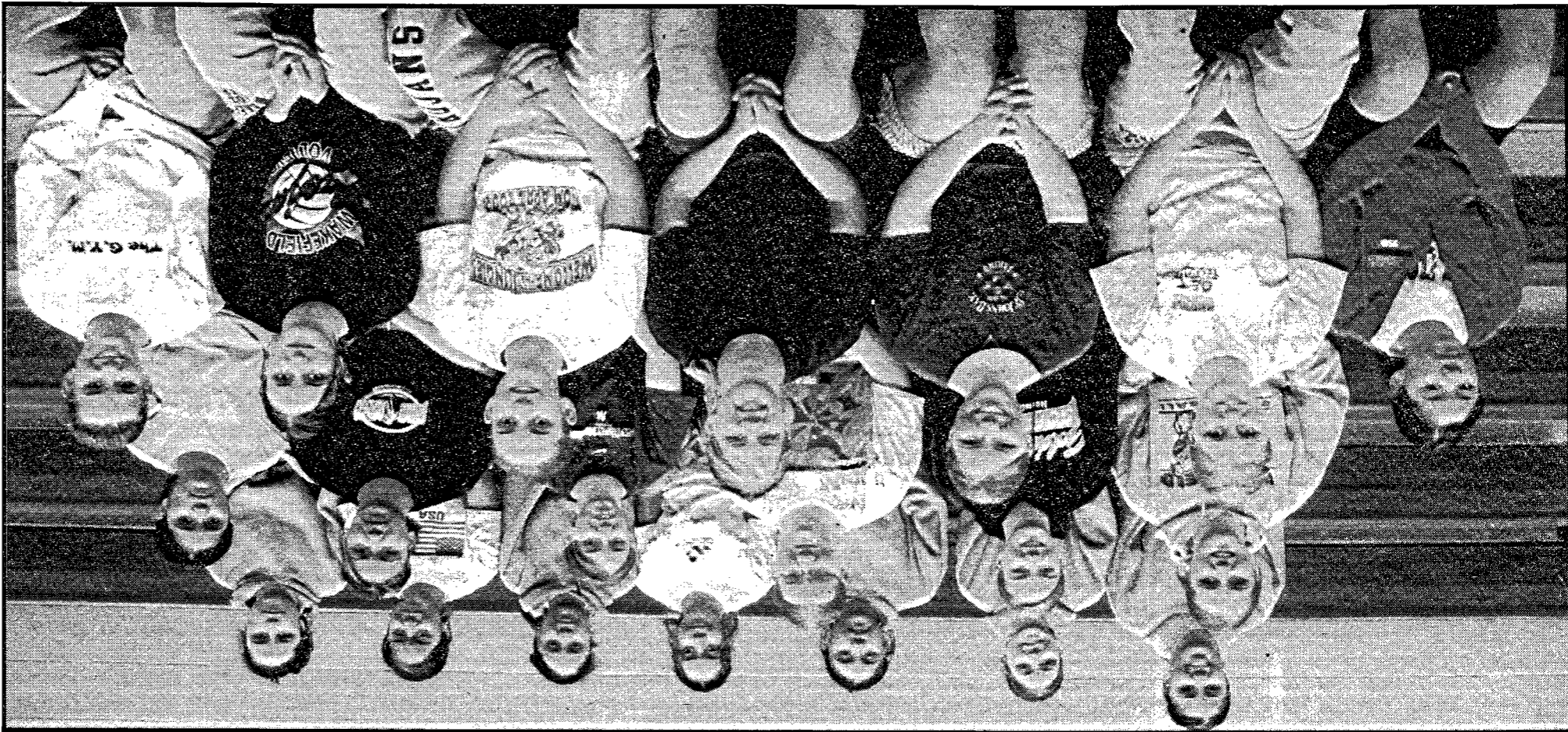


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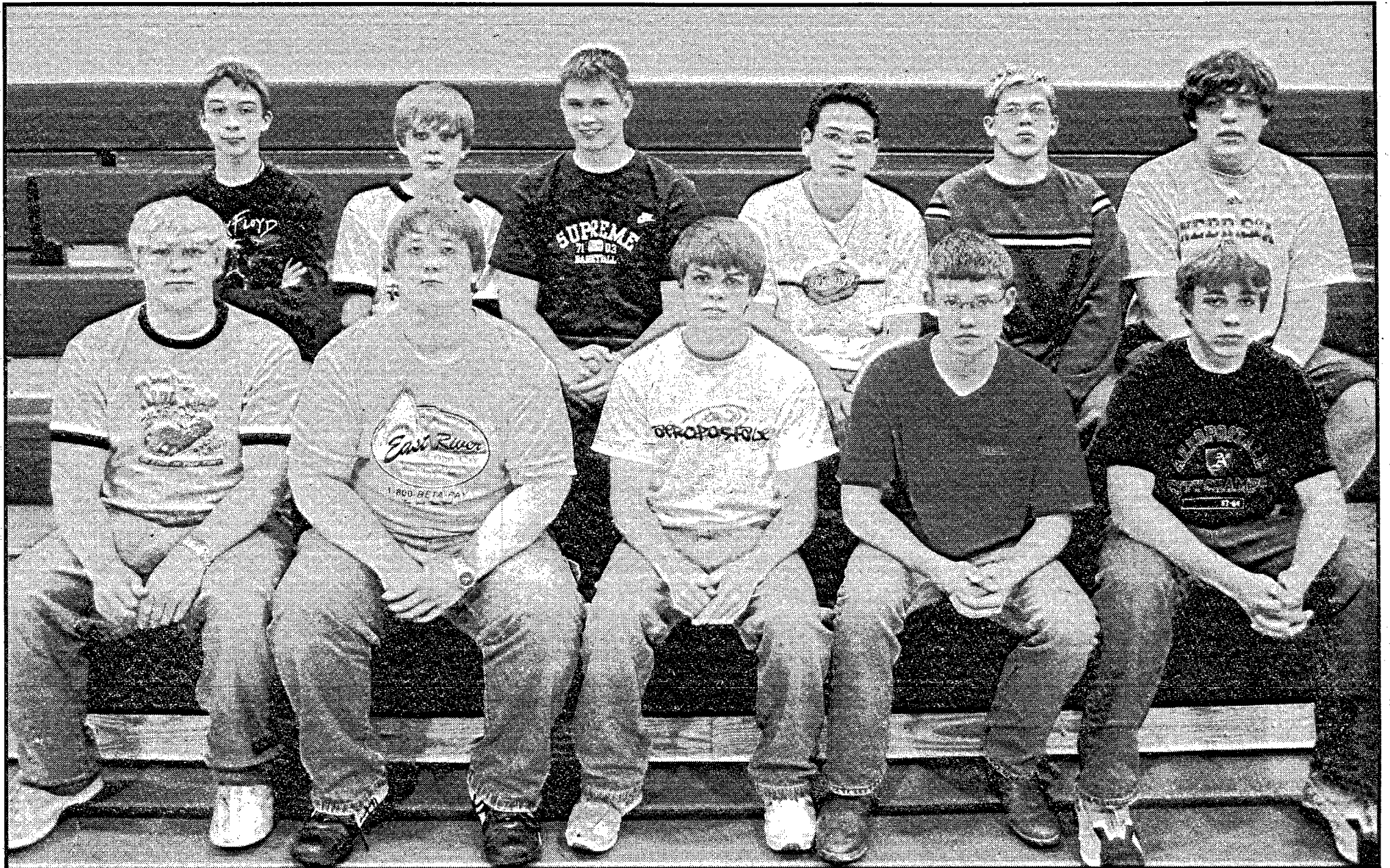
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 am at Lyons
 April 20 Knight Invitational 4 pm
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 April 27 Ponca Invitational 4 pm
 at South Sioux City
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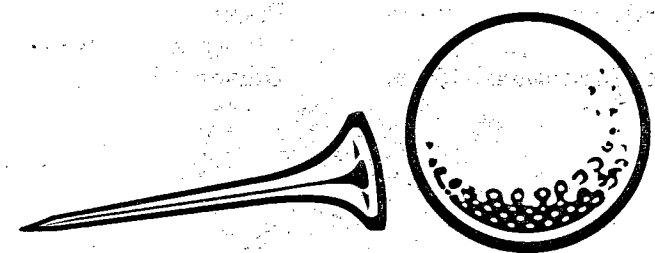
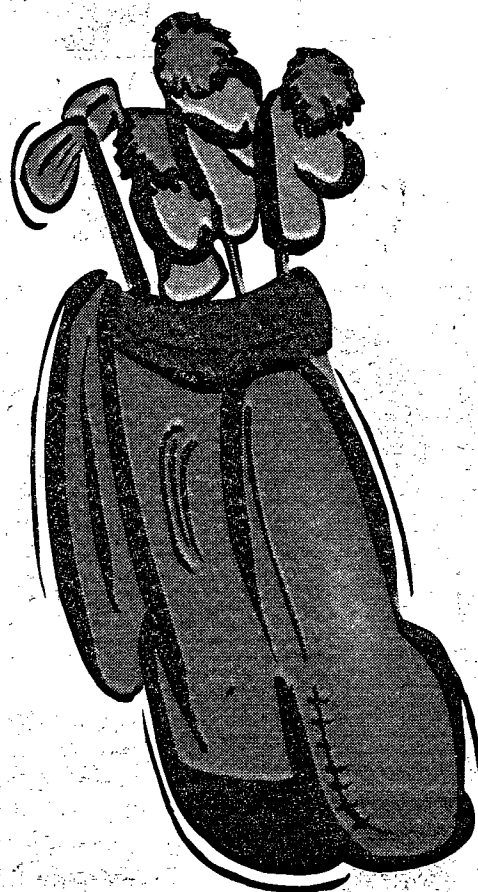
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Wakefield Boys Golf



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April 24 Osmond Invitational 9:30 am at Osmond
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May 7 Stanton Invitational 9 am at Stanton
May 8 Wakefield Invitational 9 am at Wakefield
May 10 Hartington triangular 4 pm at Hartington
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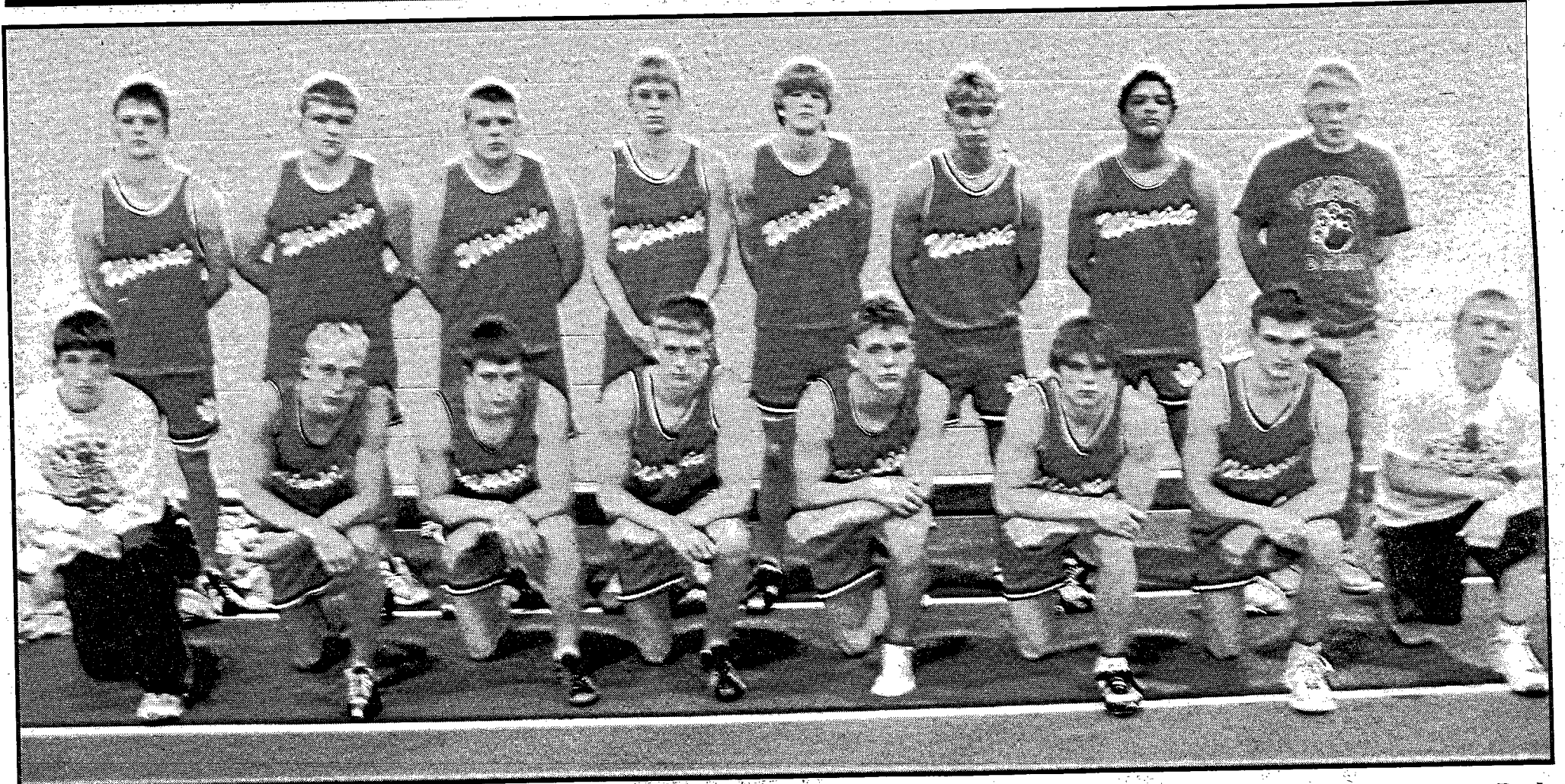
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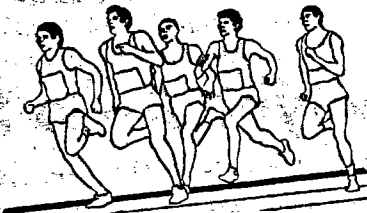
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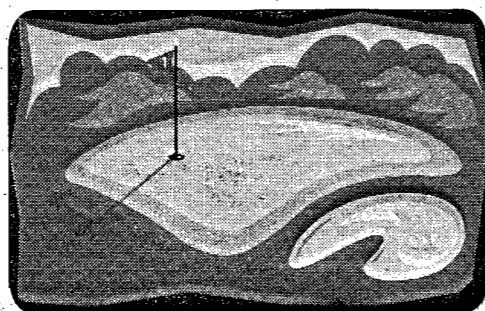
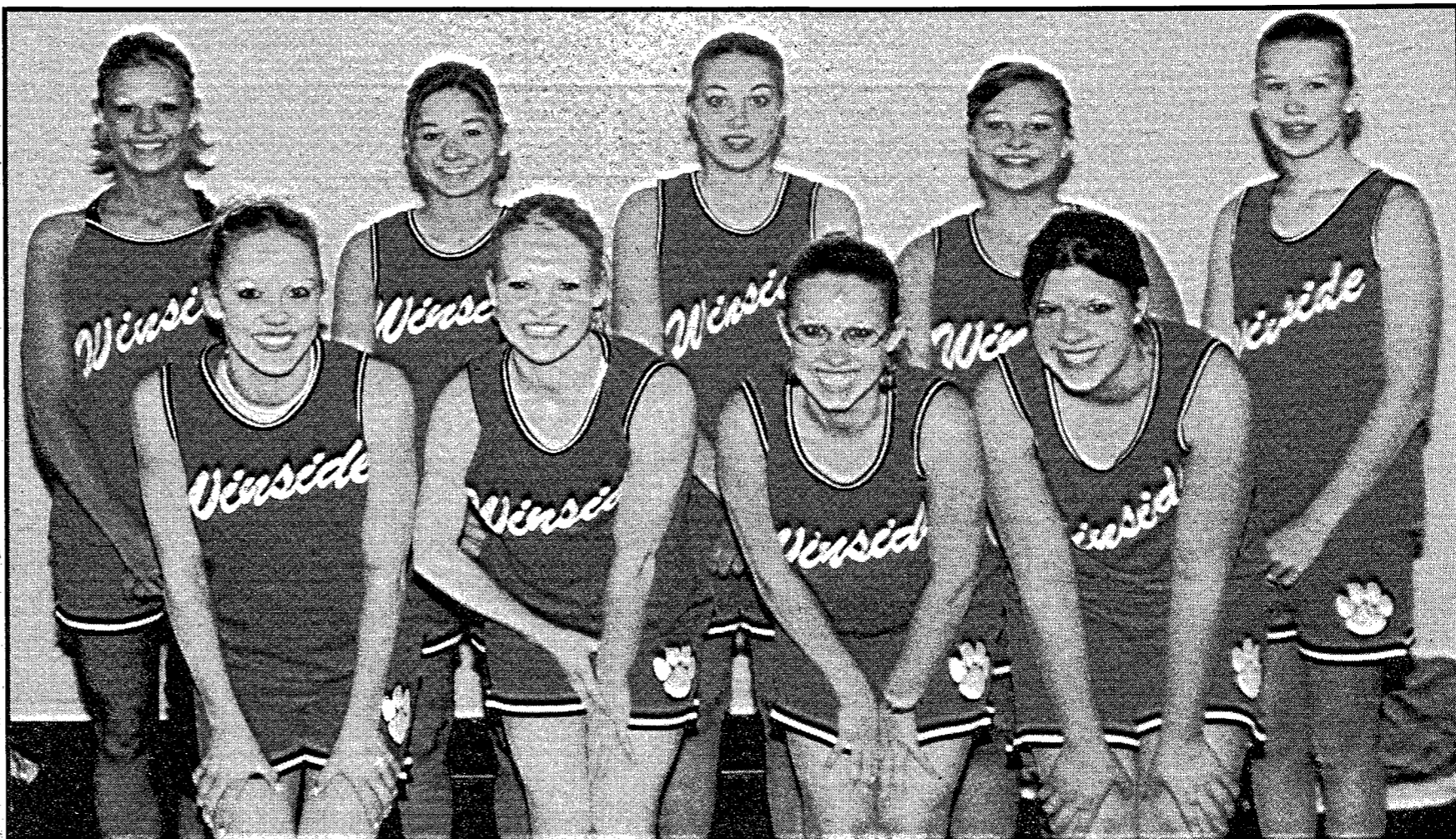


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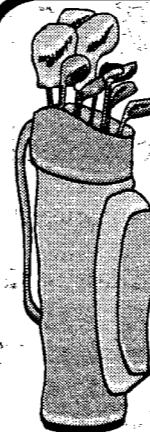
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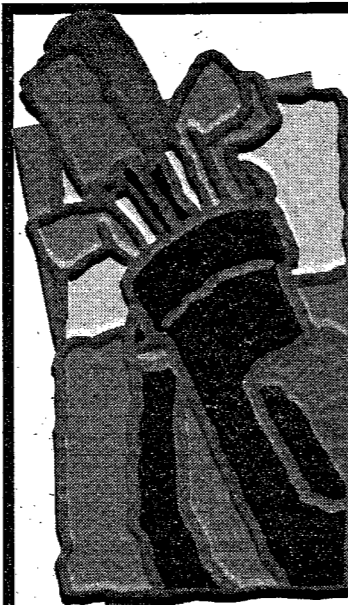
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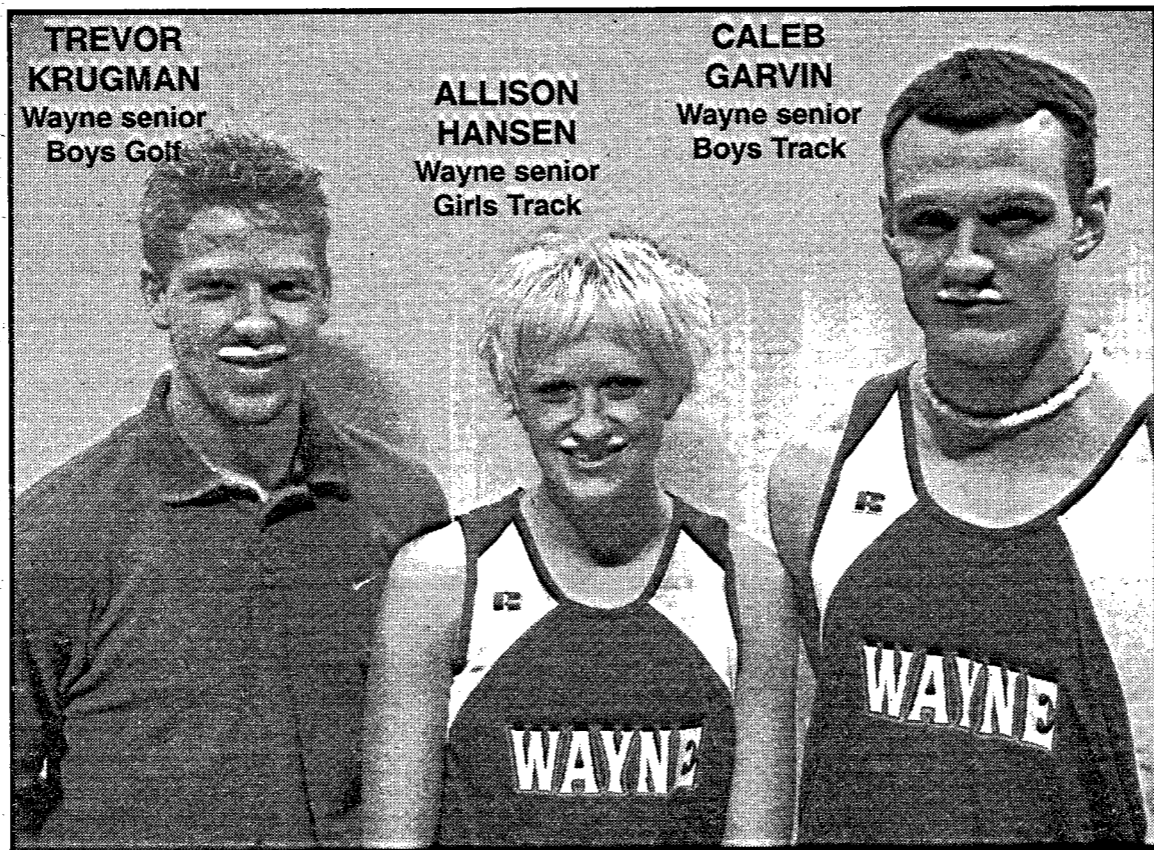
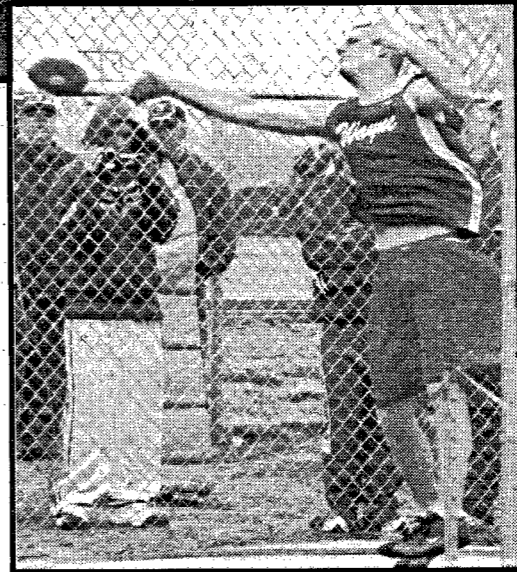
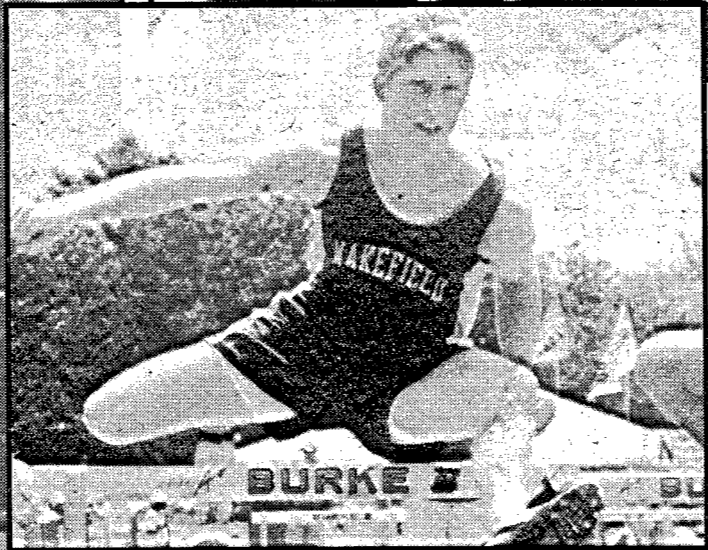
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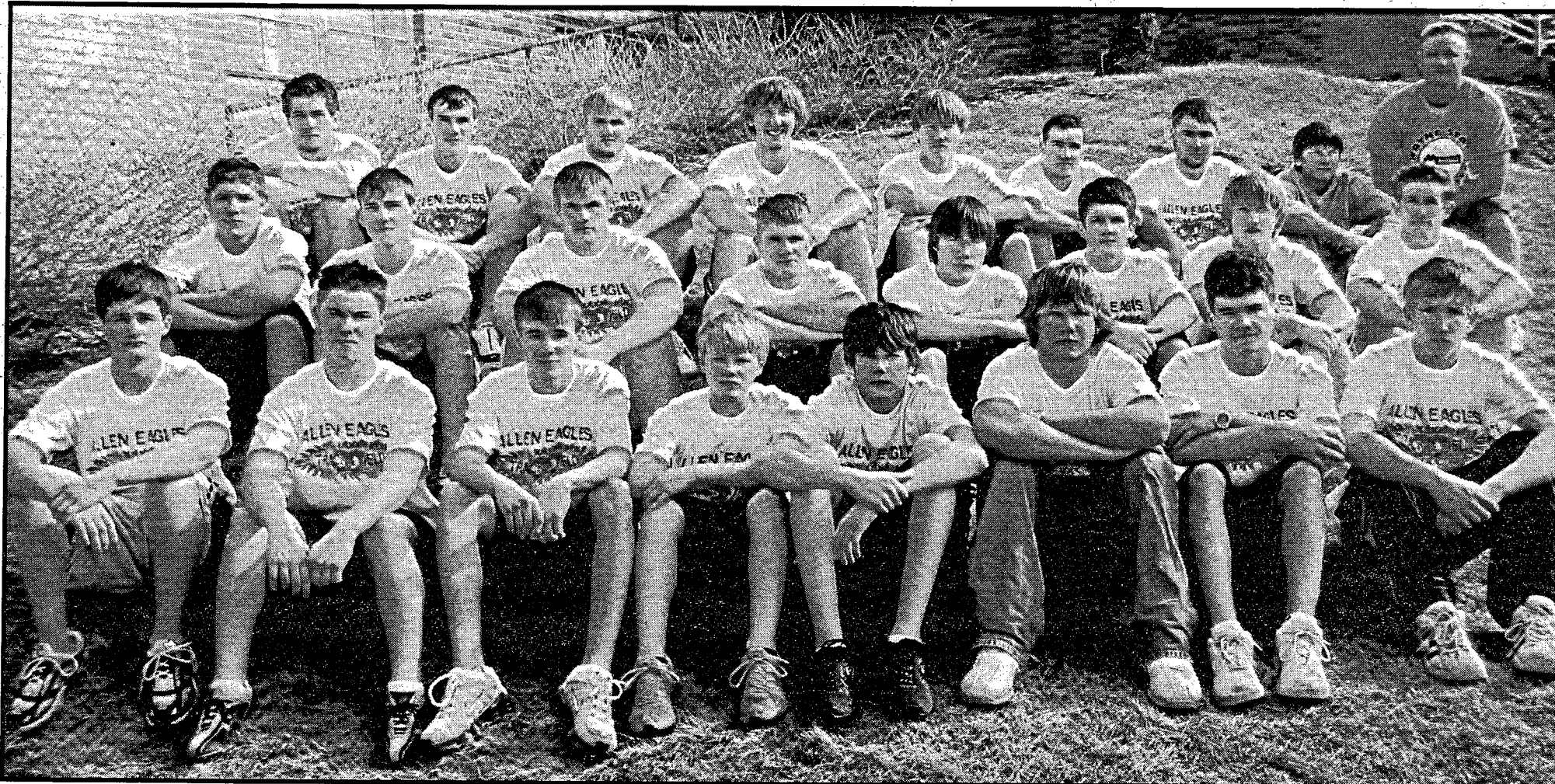
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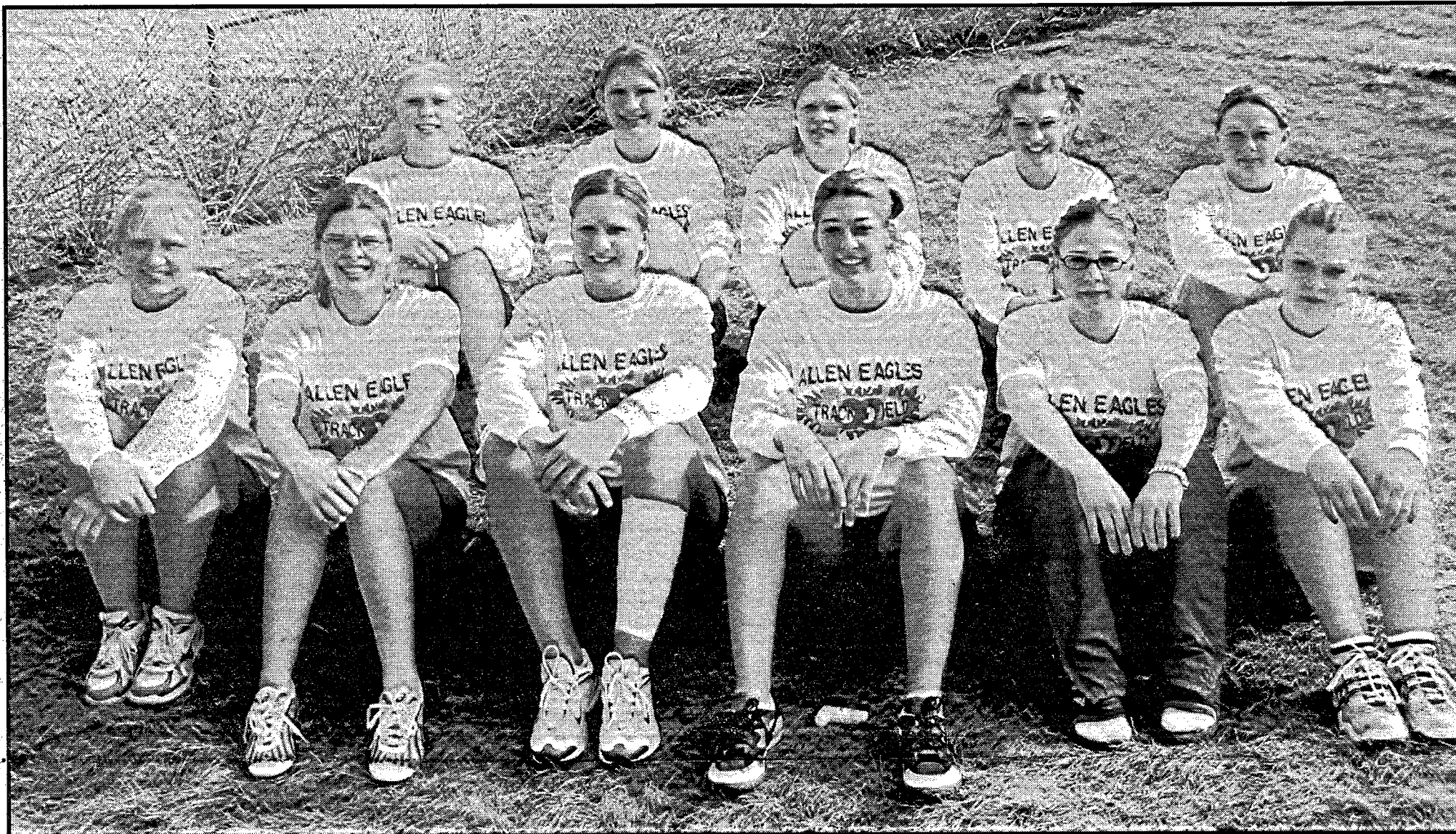


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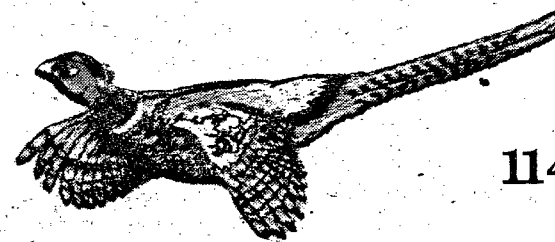
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Spring numbers up for most area schools

By Mike Grosz
Of the Herald

The following is a brief preview of area teams from Wayne, Allen, Laurel-Concord, Wakefield and Winside.

A reminder to coaches that you are encouraged to send meet results to the Wayne Herald by fax (402) 375-1888 or e-mail them to mikegrosz@wayneherald.com. Our deadline is Wednesday morning at 9 am.

Thanks again to all coaches for your continued cooperation and good luck this season.

BOYS TRACK

Wayne: Coach Dale Hochstein returns three athletes with state experience from last year.

Senior Caleb Garvin won the Class B discus in 2003 and also competed at state in the shot put.

Junior Bryan Fink should be extremely strong in the distance races again after qualifying for state last year in the 1600 and 3200 meter runs.

Josh Davis, a senior, gained state experience last year in the 110 hurdles and could add the 300's to his list this year according to Coach Hochstein.

Hochstein says he is excited to have 32 boys out for track this season.

"The increased numbers will lead to some good competition to push for varsity positions. We have a lot of guys in new events and are trying to fill the gaps we have in our depth in all events. Every season brings about some new surprises and talents that were untapped in the past," said Hochstein.

Allen: The Eagles look to be much improved this season with the most kids out for track at the school since 1983.

Coach Dave Uldrich has 25 boys to choose from, up from 13 last year. The increased numbers mean the Eagles look to be more competitive this year.

"With more kids out for track, we can put together some good relay teams," said Uldrich. "We also have some depth that we haven't had in the past."

Uldrich sees senior Bart Sachau as one of the top triple jumpers in the area in Class D this season. Corey Uldrich (shot put and 200 meters), Aaron Smith (400) and Andrew Sachau (110 hurdles) all have potential to qualify for state in their respective events.

Coach Uldrich sees Wakefield and Newcastle as top teams to watch for in the Lewis and Clark Conference this season.

"Our goal for the season is for the kids to get better, giving them a sense of accomplishment," added Uldrich.

Laurel-Concord: Jon Dickey is the lone senior on a 12-man roster for veteran coach John Jonas.

Junior Jeff Knudsen was a state qualifier last season in the high jump. Eight of the 12 boys out for track are freshmen and sophomores.

Winside: Tori Moser takes over the reigns of the Wildcat track program following the retirement of long-time coach Jim Winch.

Moser, who spent four years as an assistant under Winch, says she is pleased with numbers on this year's team (16 compared to 11 last year).

"Our strengths should be in the middles distances and jumps with some potential in the sprints," said Moser.

The Wildcats have one returning state qualifier, junior Kass Holdorf in the 300 intermediate hurdles.

Nate Wills, a senior middle distance runner, just missed qualifying for state last year and should have a big season according to Moser.

Wakefield: The Trojans have four athletes that return with state experience from last year's team that won a second straight Lewis and Clark Conference title and a third consecutive Class C District title.

"The good news is we have more kids out for track than ever before at Wakefield (58 boys and girls)," said veteran Coach John Torczon. "The bad news is we have to sort them out and find a place for them to compete."

Cory Nicholson (110 and 300 hurdles), Jake Olsufka (shot put), Andy Hampl (800 and 1600) and Taylor Peters (relays) all competed at the State Track Meet last year. Hampl and Peters were part of the 3200 meter relay team that placed third.

GIRLS TRACK

Wayne: A young team (three seniors and one junior) with quality that should make us pretty competitive. That's how Blue Devil Coach Dale Hochstein describes this year's girls track team that has 16 girls out this season.

Senior Karissa Hochstein is the team's returning scorer from last season, qualifying for state in the 200 and 400 meter dashes along with running a leg on the 4 x 100 meter state qualifying team.

Allison Hansen and Sara Stauffer have battled some injuries the past two years and Coach Hochstein hopes the two seniors can have injury-free seasons.

Coach Hochstein has a talented returning group of sophomores, led by sprinters Jean Pieper and Renee Theobald, who have state experience in the 4 x 100 relay. A promising group of freshmen will provide depth in several areas for the Blue Devils.

Allen: Quality, not quantity, would best describe the Lady Eagles' squad in 2004.

Coach Denise Hingst, in her sixth season, has only 14 girls out for track at Allen. But five of those girls have state experience.

Allen scored 21 points at last year's Class D State Track Meet to finish in a tie for sixth place.

Sophomore distance runner Erin Keitges is back after placing second in the 3200 and sixth in the 1600 as a freshman. She also anchored the second place 3200 meter relay team, which also returns Jen Keitges and Alycia Stewart.

Senior sprinter Kelli Rastede was a state qualifier last year in the 200 and 400 meter dashes, earning a fourth place medal in the 400.

Laurel-Concord: Three of the 16 girls out for track have returning state experience for the Bears.

Kristen Koch, the lone senior on the team, placed fourth in the Class C 3200 meter run last season. Junior Angie Peters was a state qualifier in the shot put and junior Makayla Hansen ran a leg on the 4 x 400 meter relay team at state.

Laurel-Concord will field a young girls team this season with 13 of 16 on the team freshmen or sophomores.

Wakefield: Veteran coach John Torczon sees better things for the Lady Trojans in 2004.

"We should be strong in the sprints and get some points in the field events, which we haven't had for several years," he said.

Junior Regina Dutcher heads a group of strong sprinters for Wakefield after qualifying for state last year in the 100 meter dash. She is also one of three returning members of the 4 x 100 meter relay team that ran in Omaha. Other returnees include Vanessa Nelson and Amanda Nelson.

Winside: Junior Lindsay Harmeier heads a group of nine girls out for track at Winside this season for new head coach Tori Moser.

Harmeier was a state qualifier last season in the long jump and triple jump and should be one of the better

jumpers in the area this season.

The Wildcat roster also boasts freshman distance runner Amber Aulner, who qualified for the state cross country meet last fall and should score points in the 1600 and 3200 meter runs.

BOYS GOLF

Wayne: With the loss of six graduating seniors from last season's state qualifying team, Wayne boys golf coach Terry Munson said the 2004 team will have a lot of new faces.

The Blue Devils return four varsity letterwinners, led by senior Trevor Krugman, a member of last year's state tourney team. Other returning letterwinners include juniors Ben and Brian Mohl along with sophomore John Whitt.

Munson said, "We won't have as much depth as far as challengers for varsity positions."

The goal for the season, according to Munson, is to challenge the players to step up as a team and continue the strong tradition of the Blue Devil golf program.

Laurel-Concord: Six of the nine players on the Bears golf roster are seniors according to head coach Don Helgren.

Four of the seniors—Brent Hoelsing, Cassidy Neuhalfen, Eric Nelson and Zach Roeder—played varsity last season and form a solid nucleus for this year's team.

Helgren says his team has a good shot at winning the NENAC title this season and the goal is to place in the top five of major tournaments and finish in the top three at districts to qualify for the state tournament in Lincoln.

Wakefield: First year coach Kevin Roberts inherits a young squad this season that has no returning letterwinners.

Roberts expects Evan Bartels, Andy O'Neill, Chase Cleveland, Brent Roeber and Mark Schroeder to contend for varsity positions.

"Our goal this season is to improve as the year goes on and to be competitive," said Roberts.

Winside: Seven players are on this year's roster according to Coach Marland Erbst.

The Wildcats open the season at the Ponca Invitational on April 19.

Adam Pfeiffer, Brandon Bowers, Bryce Roberts and Justin Nathan are the top returning players according to Erbst.

He says the goal for this season is to get all players to shoot under 100 and give several players a chance to medal.