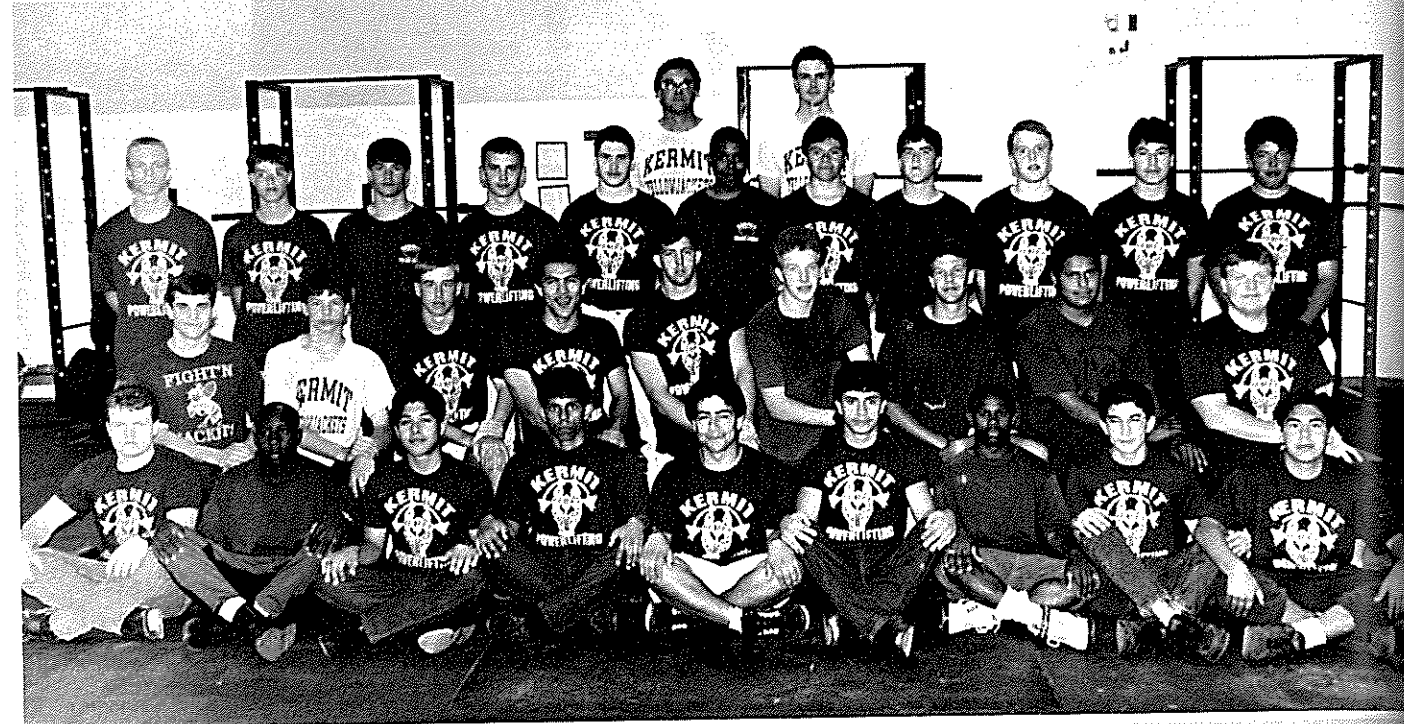
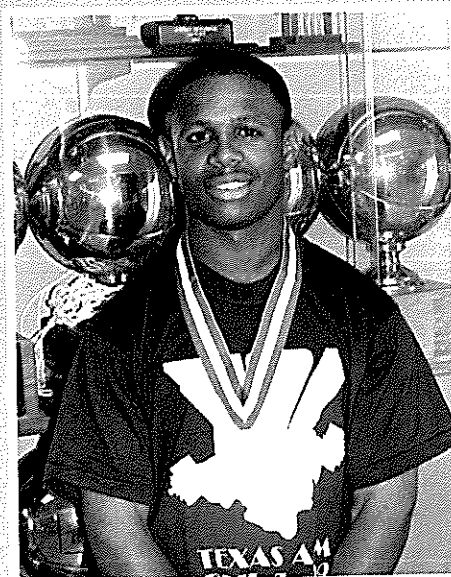


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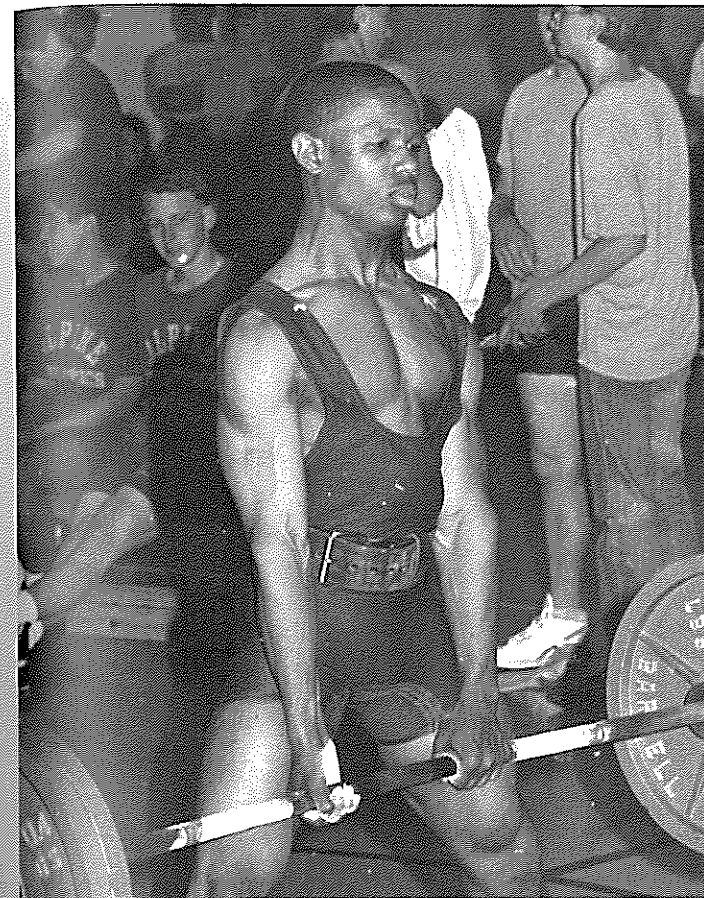
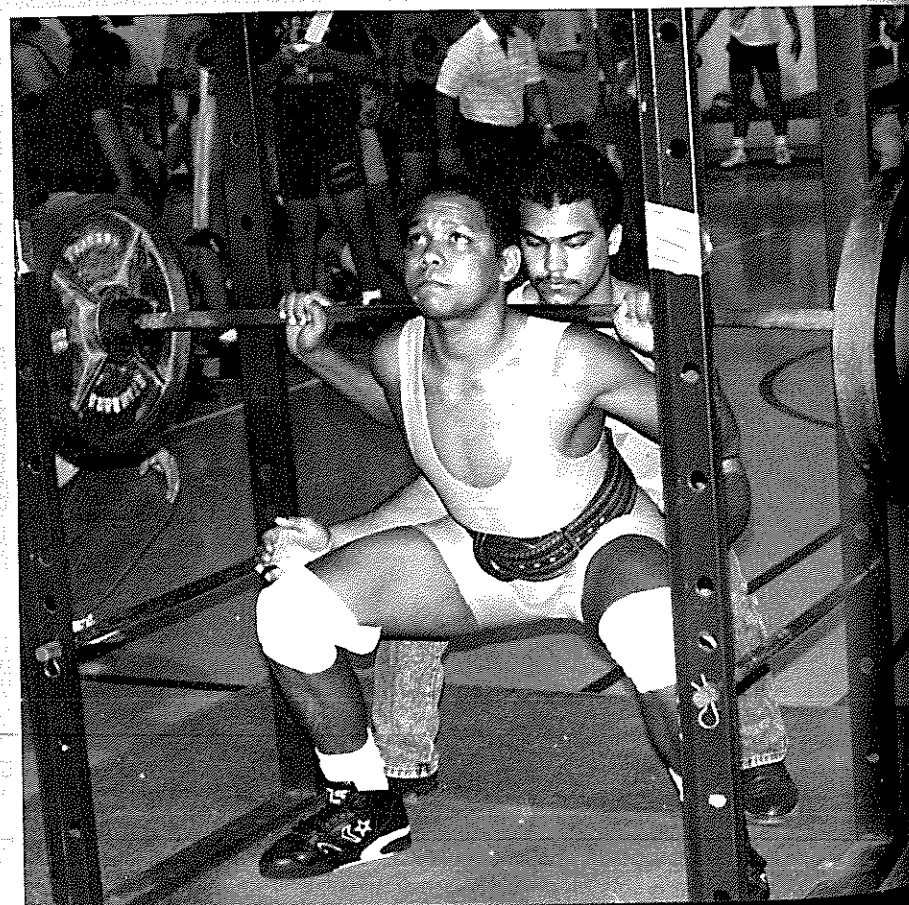


Kermit's powerlifting squad is becoming recognized throughout not only the area, but the state as Jeff Thompson set more state records and brought home his second state crown. Members of the squad include FRONT Kory Baker, Edward Draughn, Mark Chacon, Cesar Saenz, Moises Leyva, Chad Clary, Jeff Thompson, Homer Hernandez, Anthony Masias SECOND ROW Matt Walker, Chase Mills, Brent Mitchell, Ignacio Valenzuela, Justen Bradford, Roland Holder, Clint Kidd, Mauricio Orona, Toby Payne BACK ROW Corky McLean, Jeff Duncan, Bubba Bowerman, Tony Nix, Shane Johnston, Coach Billy Kidd, Devalon Bryant, Coach Doug Young, Cande Montes, Daniel Lowe, Bubba Seales, Jesus Caballero and Chris Heredia.

Sophomore Devalon Bryant prepares to lift in the 181 lb. squat competition. Camilo Montoya spots him.

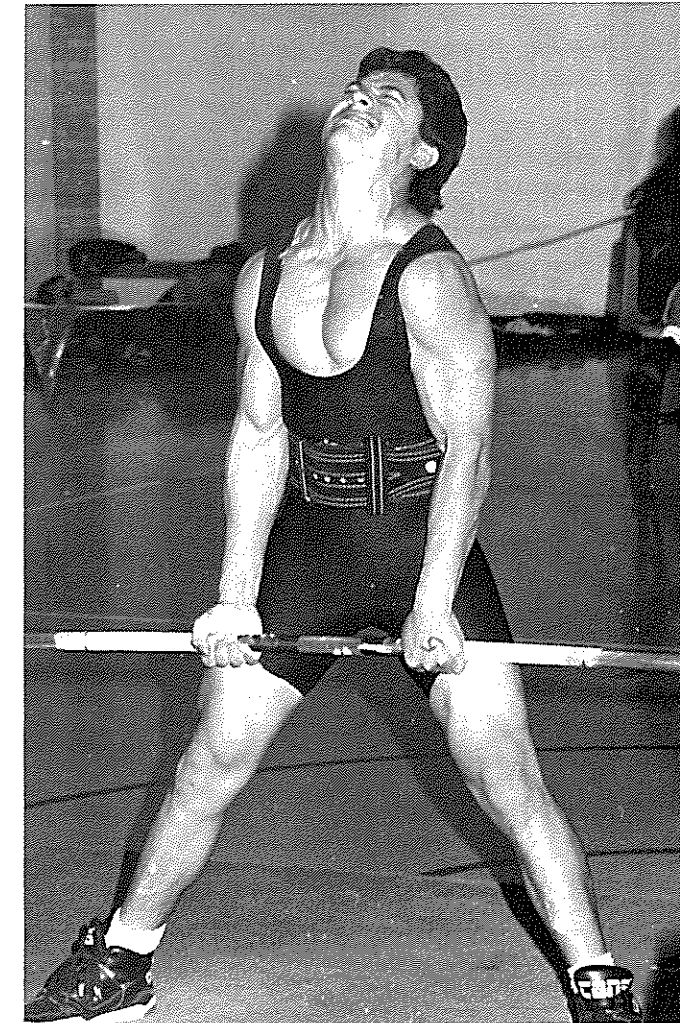
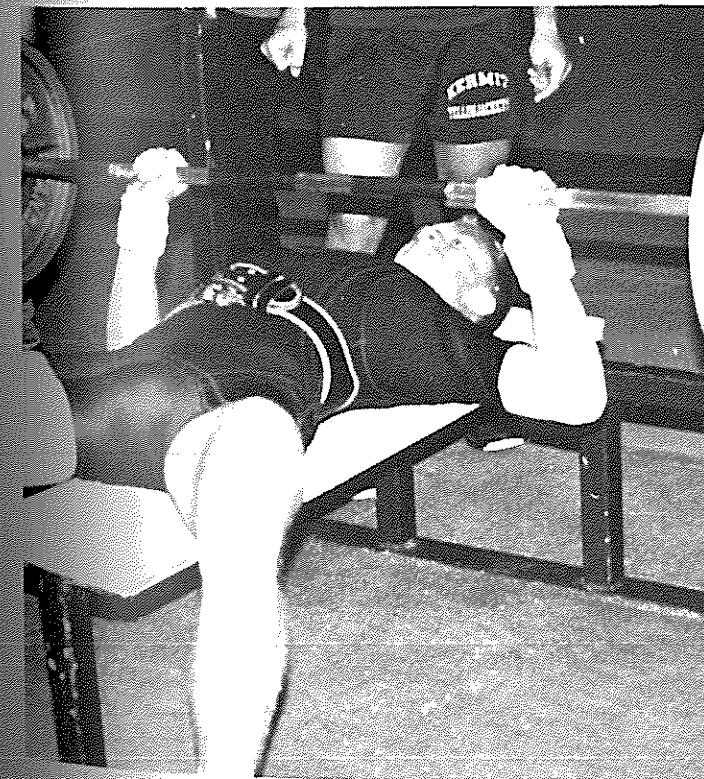


Senior Jeff Thompson made his third trip to the State Powerlifting Meet and brought home his second gold medal in two years.

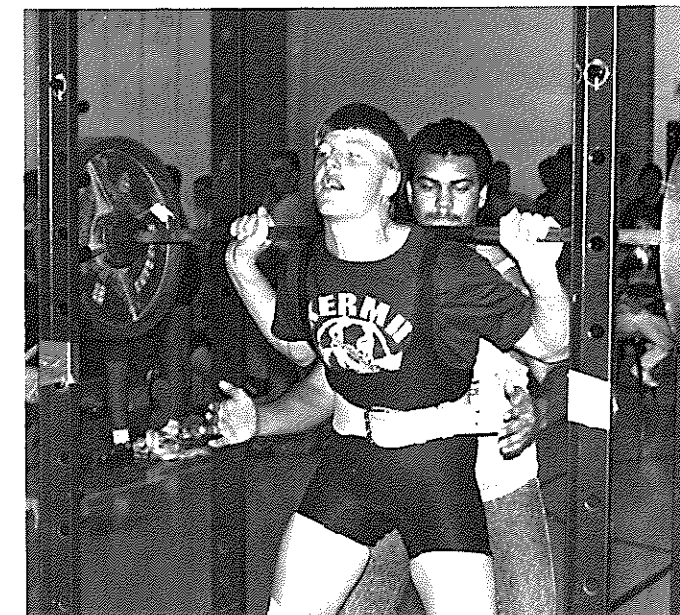


Senior Jeff Thompson makes his third state qualification in a row. Thompson is shown competing in the 123 lb deadlift competition at the Kermit Invitational Powerlifting meet. He won first in State.

Sophomore Corky McLean is ready to go for still more weight in the bench press.



Senior Chad Clary works hard in the 165 lb. deadlift competition.



Freshman Bubba Seales gives it all in squat competition, while Camilo Montoya spots him.