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CHRISTMAS STOCKING FUND

Holiday charity making deliveries

Christmas comes early today for some of the less-fortunate families in Hereford and Deaf Smith County.

The Christmas Stocking Fund will be making deliveries of food boxes and some of the vouchers for clothing, utility bills and medical expenses which are provided to the more needy by the holiday charity.

The CSF is administered by an anonymous group of people who screen applications and make the sometimes tough decisions on who gets holiday assistance. The assistance is provided solely on contributions from local residents.

Due to an upswing in contributions this week, the CSF committee went ahead with all the food boxes on an approved list. Most of those are to be delivered today. Many of the vouchers for other assistance will be distributed also. As donations continue, some other vouchers will be delivered.

The CSF is not affiliated with any other organization or entity, but it does coordinate efforts with the Red Cross, church and club groups, and other organizations to avoid duplication of aid. The Red Cross is still working on its Christmas Toy Project. Anyone wishing to donate new toys, or good used toys, can take them to the Red Cross office on South Main.

The Hereford Brand serves as the fund-raising arm of the Christmas Stocking Fund. Cash or check donations are still being accepted until Christmas Eve. Contributions can be taken to the newspaper office, 313 Lee, or mailed to CSF, Box 673, Hereford 79045.

A listing of donors is published from time to time. Those wishing to remain anonymous should so designate. Thursday's total had reached \$17,402.

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Rosemary Parks	100.00
Anonymous	50.00

TOTAL 12-18-97: \$17,402.00

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Mauro hits Bush on auto insurance rates

By DONALD M. COOPER
Brand Editor

Garry Mauro may be trailing George W. Bush by as much as 50 points in the polls, but he's not that concerned. After all, the election is still 47 weeks away.

There is reason for Mauro's optimism about his campaign. In 1991 when he announced his presidential candidacy, Arkansas Gov. Bill Clinton was just a blip on the radar screen while President George Bush was enjoying record levels of popularity.

With 47 weeks to go before the 1994 election, incumbent Ann Richards appeared likely to swamp any opponent, especially George W. Bush, who was best known for being the son of the former president and a part-owner of the Texas Rangers baseball team.

A lot can change in 47 weeks. Mauro, who has been Texas land commissioner since 1983, stopped at the Hereford Senior Citizens Association on Thursday as part of his whirlwind swing through the Panhandle. Mauro also made stops in Amarillo, Dimmit, Tulia and Plainview.

As he has since announcing his candidacy for governor, Mauro hammered away at Bush on auto insurance rates, which he pointed out even the governor has acknowledged have risen since 1993.

Mauro said his campaign represents an effort to put Texas families first. He said his travels around the state have showed him how out of touch the state government is with the "ordinary Texan."

If elected governor, Mauro said he will push to abolish the motor vehicle sales tax, seek to eliminate the sales tax on food and drugs, and pass a "Patients Bill of Rights," which he said would allow cancer patients to seek treatment at one of the National Cancer Centers, such as M.D. Anderson in Houston, rather than having to let the insurance companies make the choice of hospital.

But the centerpiece of the Mauro campaign is his attacks on Bush for the rising auto insurance rates. Mauro noted the governor pushed for tort reform, which Bush contended would help reduce the insurance rates. However, Mauro said, the tort reform has not slowed the gains, and insurance companies are making windfall profits.



Garry Mauro (right) glances at his watch while talking with Leo Witkowski

"Before tort reform, insurance companies kept about 25 percent of the premiums that Texas families paid. Now the keep almost 50 percent. That's too much, and when I'm governor, we'll enforce a 75-percent 'loss ratio' on auto liability insurance," Mauro said. "I think that's a good enough profit."

Mauro also pushed for changes in the state's public education system, saying he supports a \$5,000 pay increase for teachers.

He also said he would try to recruit "the best and the brightest" to become teachers by offering the top students a \$5,000 "signing bonus" to sign a three-year contract to teach school in Texas.

He also said the state should release \$2 billion of the \$16 billion in the Permanent School Fund for construction of new classrooms.

"Every time I pass a new school anywhere in Texas, I see a temporary building on the playground," he said. He said the funds from the PSF should be freed so the schools can build enough classrooms to provide for the needs of Texas young people.

Combest to direct ag panel

WASHINGTON (AP) - Texas Congressman Larry Combest was handed a bitter pill in 1996 when House Speaker Newt Gingrich decided to ignore his seniority and tap someone else as chairman of the powerful House Agriculture Committee.

What a difference a year makes. With Thursday's announcement that Agriculture Committee Chairman Bob Smith, R-Oregon, will not seek re-election next year, Gingrich informed Combest that he will be the chairman of the panel when the 106th Congress convenes in 1999.

Of course, that's provided that the Republicans retain control of the House, as expected, in 1998 and Combest wins re-election as the 19th District representative. Deaf Smith County is part of the 19th District, which stretches across much of the Panhandle.

"I'm obviously very pleased," Combest said in an interview. Having planned for a quiet day on Capitol Hill, where business has slowed to a standstill during the year-end recess, the lawmaker was surprised by the turn of events. "It's turned out to be a little different day," he said, laughing.

Combest found himself embroiled in an unusual - and uncomfortable - situation last year when Republican leaders bypassed him for Smith, a

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HHS assistant principal sues district, claiming pay inequity

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
Staff Writer

An assistant high school principal has filed a suit against the Hereford Independent School District, charging she is paid less than a male predecessor.

The suit by Mary Ontiveros also includes the HISD trustees in their official capacity.

HISD Superintendent Jack Patton said Ontiveros' suit compares the salary for a former assistant principal, a male, with the salary that she was making at the time.

Patton said Ontiveros went through proper procedures, filed a grievance and went through the federal Equal Employment Opportunity Commission protocol.

The EEOC denied the original complaint, which filed in March of 1997.

The district was notified on Sept. 12 that the agency had completed its investigation and case was terminated. The district also was notified that Ontiveros had 90 days to file suit on the same charges.

Since then, Ontiveros has taken her case to a private attorney to be handled as a civil case.

HISD and the individual board members have been served citations, with the last citation being delivered Monday.

Ontiveros' attorney, Matthew Hand, said that during "the last three years, Ms. Ontiveros has seen a number of male counterparts come and go. In that time she has consistently made less than those male counterparts."

Hand said the amount is not so great, but it is the principle that matters most to Ontiveros.

Ontiveros seeks to recover damages in the amount of the difference between her wages and the male employees wages, an additional equal amount as liquidated damages, attorney fees, court costs and interest on the above amount.

Ontiveros assumed her position as assistant principal in August 1992, with 28 years of experience. She now makes \$39,375.

"We regret that this action has been filed. However, the district intends to vigorously defend this matter," said Patton.

The school district has until Jan. 5, 1998, to file its response.

Any more information regarding the suit must come through the district's attorney, Allen Rhodes of Amarillo. Ontiveros could not be reached for comment.

PHONES

SW Bell wants to reach out, touch wallets

AUSTIN (AP) - Southwestern Bell wants to raise the cost of local phone service for many of its customers, though some would see no changes and callers in two small communities would get a rate cut and a refund.

SWB's rate plan, filed Thursday with the Texas Public Utility Commission, faces approval from the PUC before it could take effect. It would increase local phone rates by \$40 million a year in Texas.

PUC officials said it could take about two months to review the plan.

Bell charges residential customers between \$8.15 and \$11.05 a month for local phone service based on the number of residential and business lines a caller can reach without paying long distance charges. Customers who can reach more numbers with local calls pay more than those who have local access to fewer lines.

Business customers pay between \$19.15 and \$28.25 a month for local service.

In Hereford, residential customers would see their monthly rates rise by 20 cents, from \$8.15 to \$8.35, while business rates would increase by 45 cents, from \$19.15 to \$19.60.

The highest rates are charged in Houston and would be charged in Dallas if the PUC approved the changes.

Bell said the number of local phone lines has grown across the state, prompting the need to increase rates.

"Many of our local calling areas have seen tremendous growth in business and residential telephone

lines," SWB Texas President David Cole said. "It's important that we align local calling areas in the right rate groups to make sure everyone is treated equally."

In all, rates would go up in 50 of Bell's 300 calling areas. That would affect about 2.5 million customers.

Bell has a total of some 9 million phone lines in Texas - about 78 percent of all lines in the state.

"This is what happens when monopolies are let loose and there is no competition," said Jane Briesemeister, of Consumers Union.

Ms. Briesemeister said telephone companies for some time have argued that it is more cost efficient to serve densely populated areas. Now, she added, Bell is using the excuse of more lines in an area to increase rates.

Bell's rate plan calls for cuts for customers around Roby in West Texas and around Poteet, south of San Antonio. Monthly rates would fall 65 cents for Roby-area residential customers and 45 cents for residential customers around Poteet.

Business customers would see monthly drops of \$1.05 around Poteet and \$1.50 around Roby.

All customers in those areas would split a \$50,000 refund because they previously were overcharged for local service, Bell said.

The highest residential rate increase is 65 cents for customers around Dallas, from \$10.40 a month to \$11.05. Business line rates would go up \$1.10 around Austin.

NEWS

in brief

IMMIGRATION LAWS TIGHTENED; SPONSORS MUST PROVE INCOME ABOVE POVERTY LEVEL

WASHINGTON (AP) - Starting today, U.S. residents who want to bring foreign relatives here must agree to shoulder financial responsibility for repaying public benefits the new immigrants receive, and they must prove their income is at least 25 percent above the federal poverty level.

U.S. sponsors of immigrants must sign a binding contract agreeing to pay if the newcomers obtain public benefits for which they are not eligible, under the changes in immigration policy taking effect today. The new regulations implement the 1996 immigration law.

Critics complain the new rules will prevent thousands of lower-income Americans from reuniting with their families. They also contend the requirement that sponsors pay for public benefits amounts to an open-ended financial liability that only the well-heeled can assume.

"I think they can scratch out the 'Give me your poor' part on the bottom of the Statue of Liberty," Carl Shusterman, a Los Angeles immigration lawyer, said Thursday. But supporters of the tougher measures say it is only fair that immigrants not become public burdens.

The new regulations affect U.S. citizens and legal immigrants seeking to sponsor spouses, parents, siblings and children, including children adopted from other countries. That family-based visa category normally encompasses about 565,000 applicants a year.

THOUSANDS DIDN'T GET REFUNDS IN '96; IRS WITHHELD DELINQUENT CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENTS

WASHINGTON (AP) - Tens of thousands of parents who may have counted on healthy tax refunds got nothing last year, when the Internal Revenue Service withheld a record \$1.1 billion in delinquent child support.

The refunds went instead to supporting parents and, in the case of families on welfare, to states to offset benefit payments.

"The Clinton administration is sending a strong message to deadbeat parents that you will not escape supporting your children," Donna Shalala, the secretary of health and human services, said in a statement Thursday.

An average of \$857 was collected on behalf of 875,000 families. Collections rose 10 percent over 1995.

Under the program, in place since 1981, states send HHS the names of parents who owe child support. Those parents then are notified that their tax refunds will be withheld if they do not pay.

In 1995, a total of \$15.3 billion in child support was owed nationwide on current obligations; another \$35 billion in back child support was due. That includes only money courts have ordered parents to pay. If such orders were established in all cases, the figure would be much higher.

The IRS withholds a tax refund for welfare families if a parent owes at least \$150 in child support. In nonwelfare cases, a parent must owe at least \$500 for the refund to be withheld.

OPPOSITION LEADER NARROWLY WINS PRESIDENCY OF SOUTH KOREA; FACES AILING ECONOMY

SEOUL, South Korea (AP) - It took Kim Dae-jung four tries and 26 years to win South Korea's presidency and along the way he was jailed, exiled and targeted for assassination. Now comes the hard part.

Kim - a veteran opposition leader once persecuted by military dictators - must convince the world financial community he is committed to putting South Korea's ailing economy back on track.

The president-elect tried to do just that in today's acceptance speech, pledging to stick to a strict economic reform plan and pay back a record loan South Korea negotiated earlier this month with the International Monetary Fund.

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Lifestyles



Shotgun winner

Vernon Tohm, right, was the winner of a Beretta shotgun awarded in a drawing held by the Knights of Columbus at the pheasant hunters' breakfast at the KC Hall on the opening day of pheasant season. Making the presentation to Tohm is grand knight Willie Jagers. Tohm purchased his winning ticket at IBT.

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: Because I appreciate your down-to-earth common sense, I have a question for you. Please answer in the column. I want a few people I know to see it. I am a fairly healthy older man. When my wife passed away, I found it difficult to do the cooking, so I hired a woman to come live in my house and prepare my meals. "Gladys" has been living with me for the past six months, and we get along great. We both had some good furniture, so when she moved in with me, we sold some of it and are using the rest. I am past 90, and she is trailing me by only a few years. We are members of different churches, but that isn't a problem. We respect one another's religion and never fuss about it.

In this day and age, with all the divorces, my question is: Do you think Gladys and I should get married, or should we just go along with the tide and keep things as they are? Some of our friends, even my married daughter, say, "Why bother to get married?"

Gladys receives a larger Social Security check than I do. I think my health is better than hers. It is doubtful that either of us will live to see the year 2000. What do you say, Ann? -- No Name in Missouri

Dear Missouri: You say you are past 90 and she is trailing you by a few years? In my opinion, you have earned the right to do whatever you please in this regard. If you want to get married, go ahead and do it. It would not surprise me if you both greeted the next century. I suggest you assume that you will and then plan accordingly.

Dear Ann Landers: I read a letter in your column from someone who said it's the fast drivers who cause accidents. I disagree. It is actually the slow drivers who cause accidents.

There is nothing worse than driving on a two-lane road with a speed limit of 40 mph and coming up behind someone going 25. You have to slow down considerably, and it's frustrating when that driver will neither speed up nor pull over.

On highways, where there are more lanes, slower drivers should move to the right and let the faster drivers pass them. Believe me, Ann, when you're stuck behind someone traveling at a snail's pace and there's no room to get around him, that's what causes road rage and accidents. -- P.M., Vista, Calif.

Dear P.M.: You may be right, but that's no excuse for road rage. Avoiding a slow driver is no reason to take risks. Keep in mind that accidents at high speeds are much more horrendous and take more lives than those at slower speeds. Thanks for the input.

Dear Ann Landers: One of my dear friends asked if I knew the poem about "Wednesday's Child." I used to know it pretty well, but now, I can't get beyond "Tuesday." I'll bet you can find the rest of the poem, Ann. Please help me out. -- Fremont, Calif.

Dear Fremont: I looked it up, and here it is. But it's pure fiction. The day of the week on which a child is born has no effect whatsoever on his or her disposition or the possibility of future success. Here is the poem: Monday's child is fair of face. Tuesday's child is full of grace. Wednesday's child is full of woe. Thursday's child has far to go. Friday's child is loving and giving. Saturday's child works hard for his living.

And the child born on the Sabbath day Is bonny and blithe, and good and gay.

Gem of the Day (Credit Kimberly Johnson): Never ruin an apology with an excuse.

Feeling pressured to have sex? How well-informed are you? Write for Ann Landers' booklet "Sex and the Teenager." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.75 (this includes postage and handling) to: Teens, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$4.55.) ANN LANDERS (R) COPYRIGHT 1997 CREATORS SYNDICATE, INC.

Club hears review

La Plata Study Club met recently for their regular monthly meeting in the home of Betty Taylor with Avis White as co-hostess.

The business meeting was conducted by Ludie Greeson, president.

Dorothy Mercer, program chairman, introduced Carole McGilvary who reviewed the book *Midnight in the Garden of Good and Evil* by John Berendt.

Gifts were exchanged by the club members.

Refreshments were served to Audine Detman, Bonna Duke, Nelda Fortenberry, Mildred Fuhrmann, Annette Holland, Lois Matchett, Betty Mercer, Dorothy Mercer, Mary Helen Miller, Mozelle Neill, Dorothy Ott, Mary Beth Powell, Dorothy Prowell, Yvonne Simpson, Betty Taylor, Peggie Fox, Clara Smith, Taylor, White and guest McGilvary.

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Today in History

By The Associated Press
Today is Friday, Dec. 19, the 353rd day of 1997. There are 12 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
On Dec. 19, 1843, Charles Dickens' classic Yuletide tale, "A Christmas Carol," was first published in England.

On this date:
In 1732, Benjamin Franklin began publishing "Poor Richard's Almanac."

In 1776, Thomas Paine published his first "American Crisis" essay, writing: "These are the times that try men's souls."

In 1777, Gen. George Washington led his army of about 11,000 men to Valley Forge, Pa., to camp for the winter.

In 1907, 239 workers died in a coal mine explosion in Jacobs Creek, Pa.

In 1932, the British Broadcasting Corp. began transmitting overseas with its "Empire Service" to Australia.

In 1957, the musical play "The Music Man," starring Robert Preston, with book and songs by Meredith Willson, opened on Broadway.

In 1972, Apollo 17 splashed down in the Pacific, ending the Apollo program of manned lunar landings.

In 1974, Nelson A. Rockefeller was sworn in as the 41st vice president of the United States.

In 1984, Britain and China signed an accord returning Hong Kong to Chinese sovereignty on July 1, 1997.

In 1986, the Soviet Union

announced it had freed dissident Andrei Sakharov from internal exile, and pardoned his wife, Yelena Bonner.

Ten years ago: The Palestinian uprising in Israel's occupied territories spread to Arab east Jerusalem.

Five years ago: More than 400 suspected Muslim fundamentalists deported by Israel were confined to a makeshift refugee camp in a "no man's land" in Lebanon because of the Lebanese government's refusal to accept them.

One year ago: The television industry unveiled a plan to rate programs using tags such as "TV-G," "TV-Y" and "TV-M." The school board of Oakland, Calif., voted to recognize Black English, also known as "ebonics," in a decision that set off a firestorm of controversy. (The board later reversed its stance.) Actor Marcello Mastroianni died in Paris at age 72.

Today's Birthdays: Country singer Little Jimmy Dickens is 77. Actor James Booth is 67. Actress Cicely Tyson is 64. Rhythm-and-blues singer-musician Maurice White (Earth, Wind and Fire) is 56. Actor Tim Reid is 53. Paleontologist Richard E. Leakey is 53. Rock singer Alvin Lee (Ten Years After) is 53. Actress Elaine Joyce is 52. Musician John McEuen (The Nitty Gritty Dirt Band) is 52. Actor Robert Ulrich is 51. Singer Janie Fricke is 50. Actor Mike Lookinland ("The Brady Bunch") is 37. Actress Jennifer Beals is 34. Actor Robert McNaughton is 31. Rock musician Kevin Shepard (Tonic) is 29. Actress Alyssa Milano is 25.

Thought for Today: "I never could see why people were so happy about Dickens' 'A Christmas Carol' because I never had any confidence that Scrooge was going to be different the next day." -- Dr. Karl Menninger, American psychiatrist (1893-1990).



Need to know the difference between a dromedary and a bactrian camel? One way to tell is to count the humps. A dromedary has only one.

Class meets for annual dinner

Rosie Wall and Dorothy Sargent hosted the annual Christmas dinner in the Wall home for the Kingdom Seekers Sunday School class of Avenue Baptist Church.

The Wall home was decorated throughout with a musical, jeweled Christmas tree in the entry, lighted candles in the dining area, and an all-red trimmed tree in the den where guests exchanged gifts and secret pals were revealed.

Class president Jessie Sumner presented the teacher, Pauline Landers, a gift from the class.

Nancy Duncan led the group in games and gave a story from the book, "Chicken Soup."

Fannie Townsend gave a devotional entitled "Trouble at the Inn" by Dina Donohu.

Others attending were Velma Carroll, Ruby Skelton, Ruby Stevens, Trudie Gray, Maxine Coleman, Dorra Kirby, Perry Keyes, Louella Thomas, Erma Bain, Kathryn Vardell and Mrs. J.J. Hudson.

Bake sale set

Girl Scout Cadette Troop 283 will hold a bake sale fund-raiser from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday. The girls will have two booths set up, one at Homeland and the other at Thriftway West.

Items to be offered have been baked by the Girl Scouts (with help from their mothers) and include pies, cakes, candies, cookies, breads and many other goodies -- just in time for Christmas.

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Big-time

Betzen went one word further than her coach.

"Pretty cool," she said. "I'm excited; I'm surprised. It makes me feel with us winning a state championship I had a special part."

The selection also took Rampley a little off guard.

"I'm honored," Rampley said. "I'm very surprised. I had a good year. It's just that there's a lot of players who had good years out there. All-state is a big-time honor."

During the regular season, Rampley led the Lady Whitefaces with 409 kills (10.6 per match) and had a .455 hitting percentage. The 5-9 middle blocker also averaged 2.06 blocks and recorded a .680 dig percentage.

"She improved throughout the year," Kitten said. "She became more consistent after she lightened up on herself. She just played better and better, and made fewer mistakes."

Kitten said Rampley had a tough start on the year, owing more than anything to putting too much pressure upon herself.

"She put a whole lot of responsibility upon herself early in the season," Kitten said. "Sometimes I think she felt a little overwhelmed. It took her a little time to realize she could handle an important role."

Rampley said winning individual honors was just about the last thing on her mind when the season started.

"To be honest, I didn't really think about it," she said. "I was thinking more about us winning another state championship."

Betzen, a 5-9 outside hitter, had 266 kills during the regular season,

averaging 7.05 per match with a .336 hitting percentage. She also led the Lady Whitefaces with 41 aces.

"She deserves to be on the all-state team," Kitten said. "I think she got overlooked for the (Class 4A) all-tournament team. She's one of the big reasons we got to play on Saturday (in the final against Magnolia). Her efforts on Friday were just outstanding."

Betzen, though, didn't feel slighted for being overlooked for the all-tournament team.

"I was excited about us winning the state championship," Betzen said. "So it wasn't that big a deal."

"I think they knew I was a good player, but there were also a lot of other good players," Betzen added.

Betzen, like Rampley, came on stronger as the season progressed, Kitten said.

"Early on," Kitten said, "she did not assume as much responsibility as she did later on. Her second half of the season, you could see her aggressiveness. That wasn't there earlier."

The final district match at Dumas was one of her best of the season, according to Kitten.

"She did an outstanding job at the net. I was hoping we would set the ball to her. There wasn't any doubt in my mind she would put the ball away," Kitten said.

Neither player was particularly overpowering, but both made an impact because of their on-court intelligence, Kitten said.

"Catie's just a smart player," Kitten said. "She put the ball where it would score. Catie didn't have to

hit it hard. She could read defenses really well.

"(Julie) was probably the most competitive player I've ever coached," Kitten added. "She's probably small compared to middle blockers on many teams, but she's quicker and smarter than other middle blockers she's playing against. She has an uncanny sense of where to put the ball."

At least two players from state champions in the other classifications, Houston Cypress Creek in Class 5A, Bellville in Class 3A, Poth in Class 2A, and Windthorst in Class 1A were selected to the state first team. Poth managed three players on the first team.

Kristy Rhodes and Marissa Dorcheus of titlist Houston Cypress Creek were joined on the Class 5A team by Malinda Goralski and Cory Hayes of Sugar Land Clements, Robyn Beasley of Amarillo and Erin Dobyanski of Alvin.

Stacey Schmidt and Abby Zwahr of Bellville head the list of selections on the Class 3A team. Others included Karen Gasch and Shiloh O'Donnell of Midland Greenwood, Jennifer Worth of Seminole and Celia Garcia of Alpine.

Poth landed Lisa Gorzell, Jennie Felix and Lisa Serna on the Class 3A all-state team. Others included Jarrell's Cheryl Townley, Feer's Terri Guajardo and Earlanda Williams of Flatonia.

Windthorst's Heather Schreiber and Erica Schroeder were joined on the Class 1A team by Toni Aguilar of Marathon, Mia Waak and Misty Nelius of Round Top-Carmine and Wink's Jess Anne Fernandes.

The Associated Press contributed to this report.

Zampese resigned to losing job as offensive coordinator

IRVING (AP) -- Dallas Cowboys offensive coordinator Ernie Zampese expects to lose his job because of the team's lack of touchdowns the past two seasons.

"Someone always is held accountable when you lose,"

Zampese said Thursday. "I'm the offensive coordinator, and it's my responsibility to get guys to play and to score touchdowns."

"We haven't done either one real well this year."

Owner Jerry Jones has remained

quiet about the status of Zampese and other coaches, including head coach Barry Switzer.

Zampese, 61, has a contract with the Cowboys through next season, but doesn't sound like he expects to be around.

Faith

patience of Job.

Berry's dreams were realized four years ago when the Rogers school board hired the young former Southlake Carroll assistant to become their new head football coach. Berry was following in the footsteps of his father, Donnel, who coached at several schools for 25 years.

But instead of being overwhelmingly accepted into the fold, Berry's hiring caused a firestorm of dissent.

Berry was replacing Donald Godwin, one of the winningest coaches in Texas high school football. Godwin spent 31 years building a wildly successful program in Rogers.

Many in the town expected Al Hefft, Godwin's assistant of 17 years, to be handed the job. When he didn't much of the resentment from Godwin-Hefft loyalists was directed at Berry.

"It was a double emotion for me," said Berry. "I'd always dreamed about getting that first head coaching job."

"The other emotion was the challenge," he said. "I was faced with a new job and the changing of the head coach. It was a challenge and a lot of emotions came into play in a small town. There are a lot of ties to athletics and change doesn't come easy."

Rather than give in and give up because of a few people's actions, Berry stood firm and went about the business of charting his own course for the Eagles.

"It was very emotional," said Rhonda, who since coming to Rogers has given birth to Braxton, now 2, and Brock last April. "We had no idea what we were getting into. We'd take the hate phone calls and the hate mail."

"What got us through is that we prayed for those people who were the meanest to us," she said. "Some of those people are now friends. We were waiting on the Lord. At first we wanted to run, but now we're happy here. God knew this was the place for us."

Their faith allowed the Berrys to ride the waves of turbulence and see those first months for what they were. It also keeps Joel from the temptation of rubbing their current success in the faces of those who were against him.

"There's no doubt this has been a life-changing experience," he said. "I've become a better person, husband and father. It's what you take from those experiences."

"(Faith) is the mainstay you have to have, the substance you base everything on," he said. "The Lord is always there, even when it seems like everything is upside down."

"The end result is that you have to take things one day at a time," he said. "You have to fight battles and persevere, stay strong in the faith and stay strong for the kids. I want to be a witness that life is great, but it's hard work. That's everybody's life."

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Sealy

Although Commerce features two first-teamers in offensive lineman Brian Oellerman and defensive back Cornelius Hines, Lineweaver said the team's strength is the fact it has no stars.

"I had a college guy out to look at us and we didn't have anybody he was interested in," Lineweaver said. "It's not that we have great athletes, we just have really good high school football players. They enjoy the game and are really supportive of each other."

Lineweaver was a first-year coach two seasons ago when Commerce scored a touchdown to get within an extra point of Sealy in the last minute of the finals.

Had they made the kick and the game ended in a tie, both teams would've been champions, not co-champs.

Nonetheless, Commerce went for two and the victory. It failed and Sealy had its second straight title.

Lineweaver said revenge isn't any motivation this week, although they may be fired up by the idea of trying to slay the giant.

"To win would be a tremendous achievement," Lineweaver said. "But to dethrone Sealy would be an extra achievement."

Conradt picks up 700th win

AUSTIN (AP) -- Edwina Brown had 22 points and 9 rebounds Thursday night and Texas held off Northwestern 89-86 for the 700th victory of coach Jody Conradt's career.

Conradt, the all-time winningest coach in women's college basketball with a record of 700-202, is the first women's college coach and only the eighth -- men's or women's -- to reach the 700-victory milestone.

The company includes the likes of North Carolina's Dean Smith and Kentucky's Adolph Rupp.

"Relief was about the only emotion I could feel when that buzzer went off," she said.

"When this game was going on, I thought it was the ugliest game I'd ever seen in my life, but when it was all over, I thought it was just about the most beautiful."

Texas (3-4) jumped out to a 26-17 lead on a 3-pointer by Vanessa Wallace with 9:03 left in the first half and led 42-31 at halftime.

Conradt is currently the second active all-time winningest coach, trailing Indiana men's coach Bob Knight, who has 706 victories.

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Restrictions: Elementary grades only. Exception: Kindergarten children who meet the age requirements for the 8 & Under division.

Dates: Teams play and practice once a week after the season starts. Practice starts the week of Jan. 12th (depending on availability of gyms) and games begin Saturday, Jan. 17th.
 *Coaches will be notified of game location and date of Coaches Meeting.

League Fee and Eligibility: League fee will be \$20.00. Additional children in same family \$15.00 each. All participants must be YMCA members.
 YMCA Memberships for youth are \$25.00 a year. (Partial memberships are available)
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NEWS

in brief

CLONED LAMBS CONTAIN HUMAN GENE; SCIENTISTS HOPE TO TREAT HEMOPHILIA WITH MILK

WASHINGTON (AP) - Using a technique pioneered with their famous cloned sheep, Dolly, Scottish scientists now have cloned two lambs with a human gene that will cause them to produce in their milk a substance able to treat human hemophilia.

Dr. Ian Wilmut and his team at the Roslin Institute in Scotland reported today in the journal *Science* that the lambs, Molly and Polly, were born in July and will be tested next spring to see if their milk produces useful quantities of factor IX, a protein that helps blood clot.

It is hoped that the factor IX could be extracted from the milk and used to treat patients with hemophilia, an inherited bleeding disorder in which the blood lacks the ability to clot, Wilmut said.

Experts said the creation of Molly and Polly was the logical next step following last year's cloning of Dolly, the first mammal cloned from an adult cell. The new work could prove that cloning is an efficient way to create herds of cows or flocks of sheep that act as drug-making factories.

Wilmut said Molly and Polly were produced with the same technique, called nuclear transfer, used to make Dolly. But the original cell used to clone the lambs came from a sheep fetus instead of from an adult animal.

In nuclear transfer, scientists remove the nucleus from an egg and replace it with the nucleus from another cell. The egg is then placed into the uterus of a surrogate mother that gives birth to an offspring that has only the genes of the original cell.

In Dolly, the original cell came from an adult ewe's udder.

BLUBBERY COMEDIAN FARLEY, 33, FOUND DEAD ON FLOOR OF HIS CHICAGO APARTMENT

CHICAGO (AP) - Growing up in Wisconsin, Chris Farley idolized comic John Belushi.

Farley even managed to trace nearly the same career footsteps, joining Chicago's Second City improvisational troupe, then the cast of NBC's "Saturday Night Live" before he went on to star in such movies as "Tommy Boy" and "Black Sheep" and "Beverly Hills Ninja."

Inspired by Belushi, the blubbery comedian's specialty was sweaty, tightly wound characters who erupted in vein-popping frenzies. Like his comic idol who died young, Farley lived large, overeating and by many accounts abusing drugs and alcohol.

Farley was found dead on the floor of his apartment Thursday, clad in pajama bottoms. He was 33.

The cause of death was not known, although police said there was no sign of foul play. An autopsy was planned for today.

COUNTRY MUSIC FOUNDATION BOSS GETS NOD FOR NEA

WASHINGTON (AP) - William Ivey, director of the County Music Foundation, reportedly is President Clinton's choice as chairman of the National Endowment for the Arts.

"This is a very important agency, particularly in its role nurturing excellence in all the arts," Ivey was quoted in today's editions of *The Washington Post*. "I would welcome the possibility of being able to work in a leadership role and it would be an ultimate job for me."

The Post and the *New York Times*, citing either a senior administration official or a White House official that they did not further identify, said the White House has settled on Ivey to replace actress Jane Alexander at the NEA's helm.

ATF WARNS ABOUT ALCOHOL IN GINSENG PRODUCTS

WASHINGTON (AP) - The government is warning that ginseng products sold at health-food and convenience stores may contain up to 34 percent alcohol.

Only seven of 55 different ginseng products tested by the Treasury Department's Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms contained no alcohol. All the others had varying amounts, including some that were as much as one-third alcohol.

The alcohol content came to the agency's attention after several inquiries, including one from New York state, where a public school teacher notified authorities after several students fell asleep in class.

Ginseng is a bittersweet root, native to China. It's purported to cure everything from the common cold to failing memory to impotence. It's usually sold in small vials for about \$1 and can be found near checkout counters alongside gum, candy and other items.

FIRED WORKER KILLS 4 BEFORE HE'S KILLED

ORANGE, Calif. (AP) - A disgruntled state transportation worker shot and killed four men at a maintenance yard before he was shot dead by police in a gun battle that sent his former co-workers hopping fences and diving for cover.

An officer and another man were hospitalized for their injuries. More than 60 people were at the yard run by the state Transportation Department when Arturo Reyes Torres stormed in Thursday afternoon, armed with an assault rifle, a shotgun and a handgun, authorities said.

Witnesses said Reyes circled trailers in the pelting rain, firing through the windows with his assault rifle and methodically picking off employees, police Lt. Art Romo said.

Workers in white helmets and orange suits scrambled behind cars and hopped fences as they screamed in terror.

"I'm in the stockroom, and I hear bang, bang, bang!" Thien Nguyen said. "We just ran."

When police arrived, Reyes started to drive away, but a motorist blocked his car and the gunfight broke out.

"This guy in a brown Mercedes was shooting at vehicles in the lot, at tires, engines. Bam! Bam! Bam!" said George Priest, 53, of Anaheim, who saw the shooting unfold from a transmission shop where his car was being repaired. "This squad car pulls up and there's this full-scale exchange."

TOBACCO FIRMS FINANCED SYMPATHETIC RESEARCHERS

WASHINGTON (AP) - Tobacco industry lawyers scoured the nation for sympathetic scientists and channeled hundreds of thousands of dollars to them under the guise of the supposedly independent Council for Tobacco Research, newly released documents show.

The disclosures were among more than 20,000 pages of industry documents that a congressional committee put on the Internet Thursday, ending the tobacco industry's decades-long battle to keep the papers secret.

Cigarette makers have argued the documents were protected under law because they represent attorney-client discussions. But a Minnesota judge ruled Tuesday that the papers are not protected because they contain evidence of an industry "conspiracy of silence and suppression of scientific research."

Separately, Rep. Tom Bliley, R-Va., made the pages public two days later as part of Congress' consideration of the proposed \$368 billion tobacco settlement between the states and the industry.

JUDGE RULES THEATER MAY BAR KIDS FROM NIGHT SHOWS

DETROIT (AP) - A judge sent a message to parents whose noisy young children disrupt movies: Get a baby sitter.

Judge Deborah A. Thomas ruled that the owner of two Detroit-area theaters acted properly in banning children younger than 6 from nighttime shows.

Her ruling Wednesday overturned a decision by the Michigan Department of Civil Rights, which said the theaters had violated state civil rights laws.

"A theater owner has a responsibility to all moviegoers - those under seven to those above 70," Thomas said. "Adults should be able to be entertained without being bothered by constant disruptions from children. ... There's no rewind button at the theater."

The case began 10 years ago when moviegoers complained to Bob Sloan, owner of the Norwest Theater in Detroit and the Ford-Tel Theater in Dearborn Heights, about noisy children at movies rated for teen-agers or adults.

POSTAL WORKER KILLS 1, WOUNDS 2

MILWAUKEE (AP) - A postal employee who had been denied a promotion opened fire in the main post office early today, killing a co-worker and wounding two others before he apparently shot himself dead.

Two bodies were taken from the post office and loaded into hearses about 3:40 a.m., nearly three hours after the shootings. Police refused to identify the dead.

The gunman opened fire in an all-night mail-sorting room busy with holiday work. A witness told WTMJ-TV she counted 12 shots.

"I saw the guy holding his gun in the air. He seemed calm. Then I saw a lady crouching down near me. Then I knew something was up," said worker David Norcross.

"The first thing I did was duck and make a beeline for the exit," said worker Skip Teitz.

Employee Robbie Jungbluth, a former official in the postal union, said supervisors had picked on the gunman, who had recently been transferred against his will and passed over for a new job.

"It was just difficult for him to adjust and management made it more difficult," she said. "Management pushes people, they harass people and intimidate them ... It was just a matter of time."

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LUTHER VANDROSS
GREENWICH, Conn. (AP) - This conservative town is getting a little rhythm and blues.
Popular singer Luther Vandross closed a deal last weekend on an \$8.8 million house in a private enclave.
The 19,659-square-foot mansion has 25 rooms, including 11 bathrooms and nine bedrooms. The property also features a tennis court and pool.
Vandross, a 44-year-old bachelor, joins several other celebrities in this affluent suburb of New York City, including Frank and Kathie Lee Gifford, Mel Gibson and Ron Howard.

NATHAN LANE
DENVER (AP) - A funny thing happened to Tony-award winning actor Nathan Lane while making his new movie "Mouse Hunt." He had to act with real mice, animatronic ones and computer-generated images.
The 41-year-old star of the movie "The Birdcage" and the Broadway revival of "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum" said he's much more comfortable with low-tech than high-tech.
"These kinds of films are hard to make," he said. "It makes you want to get back to acting, because so much is about technical stuff that looks great but is hard to do."
"I'd like to do a small independent film where I go home for Christmas and have a lot of internal monologues and then kill myself."

MAGIC JOHNSON
LOS ANGELES (AP) - Magic Johnson will soon be playing again across the country.
The former basketball star's new talk show, "The Magic Hour," has been sold in syndication to 22 Fox-owned TV stations.
"I couldn't be more excited at the chance to get into the late-night game," Johnson said. "Don't forget I'm used to competing - and winning."
The show is scheduled to debut in June 1998.
Johnson, the longtime Los Angeles Lakers star, retired from basketball in 1991, when he announced he has HIV, the virus that causes AIDS. He

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Names in the News

made brief comebacks as a player and coach.

OCTAVIO PAZ
MEXICO CITY (AP) - Nobel Prize-winning poet Octavio Paz made a rare public appearance at the inauguration of a cultural foundation honoring him.
The 83-year-old Paz dropped out of sight last year when his apartment caught fire, partly destroying many precious books, mementos and art objects. He also was later hospitalized with an undisclosed ailment.
He appeared visibly aged but lucid Wednesday. He smiled as Mexican President Ernesto Zedillo praised him as a prominent "poet and man of action."
Paz thanked the 300 people who packed the ceremony and spoke about his favorite subject - the soul of Mexico. "A sunny country, a nation where the sun abounds, a prodigious sun, but also a dark and black country," he said.
"And this duality has me preoccupied since I was a child," he said.

MIKHAIL GORBACHEV
NEW YORK (AP) - Mikhail Gorbachev's days as a pizza pitchman are over.
The former Soviet leader set aside his diplomatic credentials last month to star in a Pizza Hut commercial in Moscow. But he said it was a one-time job he took out of desperation to raise money for the Gorbachev Foundation, which oversees his library and archives.
"I will not do it again," he vowed Thursday at City Hall, where he met with Mayor Rudolph Giuliani.
"I found myself in a difficult situation, so I decided to accept on a one-time basis this offer of doing this commercial," he said through an interpreter. "Pizza is a popular food

after all, so I thought I did not sin that much."

Gorbachev is shown offering a slice of pizza to customers who cry out: "Long live Gorbachev, who brought us Pizza Hut!" He didn't divulge how much he was paid.
Pizza Hut spokesman Jay Allison declined to discuss the ad or when it would air. It will not run in Russia, where Gorbachev is unpopular and is blamed for the Soviet downfall.

CHARLES BARKLEY
ORLANDO, Fla. (AP) - Charles Barkley, who makes headlines for his slam dunks on and off the court, was charged with throwing a bar patron through a window.
The Houston Rockets basketball forward was charged Thursday with battery, disorderly conduct, criminal mischief and resisting an officer without violence.
Barkley, who was in town Oct. 26 for a preseason game against the Orlando Magic, says Jorge Lugo provoked him by throwing a glass of ice at a table where he was sitting with three women. Barkley chased Lugo, caught him and threw him through the window, police said.
The 11-time All-Star allegedly told Lugo as he lay bleeding on the ground: "You got what you deserve. You don't respect me. I hope you're hurt," according to the police report.
It was at least the fourth time Barkley has been accused of involvement in a bar fight. Lugo, who suffered a cut to his right arm, also was charged Thursday with disorderly conduct.



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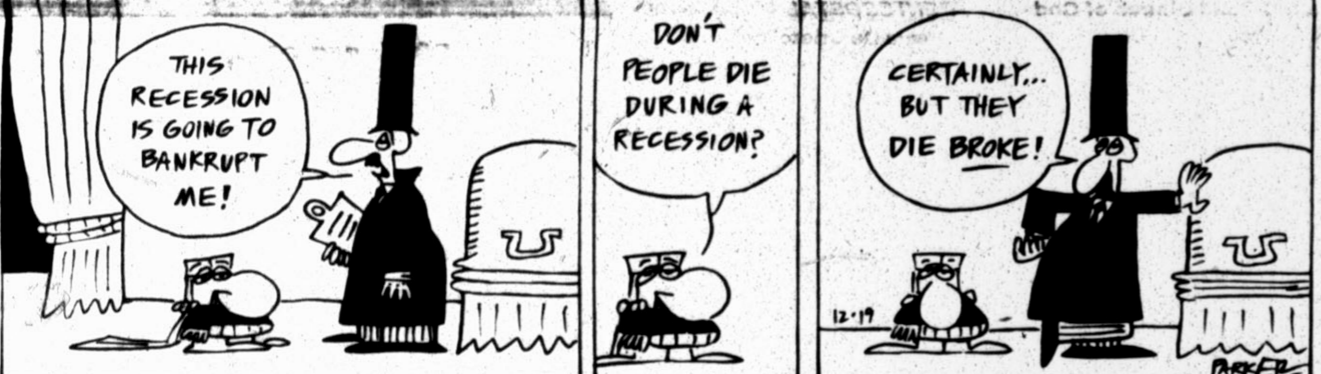
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Religion in brief

PARISHIONER LEAVES \$1.8 MILLION TO CHURCH

GREENSBORO (AP) - It's not that the folks at Centenary United Methodist Church aren't grateful. But the generosity of one parishioner who left the church \$1.8 million has stunned the church's leaders.

"It frightens you," said church pastor C.M. Worthy Jr. "It's a wonderful gift. It's exciting, but frightening. The magnitude of a gift like that can hurt a church or help a church. You hope members don't feel like they can quit giving."

The gift comes from Elizabeth Kimrey, who died last year at the age of 83, leaving the bulk of her estate to the church where she had been a lifelong member. Only recently did the church learn the size of her gift.

Through shrewd investments, the tiny woman with a knack for growing African violets amassed a \$2.25 million fortune. She willed the church 80 percent and left the rest to her stepson.

Thanks to Mrs. Kimrey's gift Centenary is debt-free. The money will not pad the church budget, the pastor says. Instead, the church will use it on as-of-yet undetermined community projects.

NEW BISHOP NAMED IN ALLENTOWN

ALLENTOWN, Pa. (AP) - A new bishop was announced this morning for the Diocese of Allentown.

Pope John Paul II appointed Bishop Edward P. Cullen to the post, the Archdiocese of Philadelphia announced.

For the past ten years, Cullen has served as the vicar for administration for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia. He oversaw the daily operations of the archdiocese and served as chief adviser to Cardinal Anthony Bevilacqua.

Cullen, 64, is the third bishop of Allentown. He replaces Bishop Thomas J. Welsh, 75. Welsh has served as bishop of Allentown since 1983. He submitted his resignation to the pope last year, asking to step down because of his age.

The Allentown Diocese has a Roman Catholic population of 260,000 and 153 parishes.

THEOLOGIAN THANKS LUTHERANS FOR ASSISTANCE

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP) - Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, which has been part of the Columbia landscape for 167 years, is well on its way to an extensive face-lift.

School officials announced that \$11.7 million has been raised, exceeding the first-phase goal by more than \$1 million. The 12-year goal is \$30 million and will be complete in 2005.

The fundraising campaign is the seminary's largest and most ambitious in school history.

Cosby found solace in Kipling poems

LOS ANGELES (AP) - His son dead and an affair exposed, Bill Cosby unexpectedly found himself gaining comfort from a British writer known for controversial views on race.

"Because of Ennis's murder, I found myself dealing with a man I had often argued with," Cosby told The Associated Press. "I had many, many arguments with him. That was Rudyard Kipling."

Kipling, who died in 1936, wrote a number of books inspired by his experiences working for the British

government in colonial India.

But he also wrote poetry, one of which was titled "White Man's Burden," in which he glorified the colonization of foreign lands.

Another, "Gunga Din," is about the devotion of an Indian servant to British soldiers battling in the Punjab.

Cosby had long objected to Kipling, and yet could not help being drawn to one of his works, the poem "If."

"The first paragraph I kept reading. I didn't want to memorize it. I just kept reading it over and

over."

The poem, recited by countless schoolboys over the century, begins: "If you can keep your head when all about you

Are losing theirs and blaming it on you,

If you can trust yourself when all men doubt you,

But make allowance for their doubting too;

with lies,

Or being hated, don't give way to hating,

And yet don't look too good, nor talk too wise ...

"It was very calming, very calming," Cosby said. "Because there were times when you wanted to yell out and just be a nasty person. Reading that paragraph over and over, I was able to suppress it."

On Jan. 16, Cosby learned that his only son, Ennis, 27, had been shot to death in Los Angeles.

NEWS in brief

JUDGE: TEAMSTERS MUST PAY FOR "THE MESS"

NEW YORK (AP) - A federal judge says the Teamsters "made the mess" that has forced the union to hold a rerun election for a president and therefore must pay the full cost of the process.

"The time has come when the IBT (International Brotherhood of Teamsters) must bear its own costs for cleansing its Augean stable," U.S. District Judge David N. Edelstein wrote Thursday. "In plainer words, they made the mess. It is their job to clean it up at any price."

The Teamsters had agreed to pay half the cost of the rerun, which is expected to cost \$7.4 million, and wanted the government to pay the rest.

TURKEY BLAMES GERMANS FOR EXCLUSION FROM EU

WASHINGTON (AP) - Blaming Germany for Turkey's exclusion from membership in the European Union, Prime Minister Mesut Yilmaz says the aim is creating "a Christian club" of intolerance.

"They have no right to discriminate against Turkey," he said Thursday at a news conference and in a speech to the U.S. Chamber of Commerce.

One result of excluding Turkey, which is mostly Muslim, and welcoming Cyprus for negotiations is apt to be the permanent partition of the Mediterranean island, Yilmaz said.

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