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Gingrich to Democrats: Don't just say no

By ALAN FRAM
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WASHINGTON (AP) - As Republicans prepare to take control of Congress for the first time since the Eisenhower administration, one of their leaders is warning Democrats not to become the party that just says "no."

"We'll make mistakes," predicted Rep. Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., certain to be elected House speaker when the 104th Congress convenes Wednesday. "But the key question is what is it the Democrats would do for America, not just how well can they attack Newt Gingrich."

The fiery Gingrich, who has spent much of his 16-year congressional career relentlessly criticizing Democrats, made his remarks in a taped interview broadcast Monday by C-SPAN, the cable television industry's public-affairs channel.

Emboldened by November elections in which not one of their congressional incumbents was defeated, Republicans are out to reverse the direction in which Democrats have steered the government for decades. They want to eliminate entire programs and agencies, slash spending for others and transfer power from Washington to state and local governments.

They also find themselves facing a thoroughly weakened Democratic Party. President Clinton is still feeling his way into an era in which Congress will usually be an adversary, not an ally, thanks to GOP majorities of 53-47 in the Senate and 230-204 in the House.

Democrats were bracing for a difficult transition to the unfamiliar status of congressional minority. Some of them seemed eager for political battle.

Asked if he believed Republicans

would try to railroad legislation through Congress, House Democratic Whip David Bonior of Michigan replied, "We'll blow up the tracks if they do it too often."

Gingrich warned that the voters would not respond to such tactics.

"What the Democrats need to think about is what is their better answer. ... I mean, how would they replace the welfare state? How would they make America competitive? ... This last election was a signal to them that just being negative won't cut it," he said.

Gingrich and the mostly conservative Republicans who will control the House for the first time since 1954 set their near-term agenda in the "Contract With America," their campaign compendium of promises.

As promised in their contract, they will spend Wednesday pushing eight procedural changes through the House. They include cutting committee staffs by one-third, requiring three-fifths majorities to boost income taxes and applying all the laws that private citizens and businesses must obey to Congress itself.

Democrats planned to meet today to discuss how to respond to the GOP proposals. In private, they conceded that the Republican items were likely to attract substantial Democratic support.

Beyond Wednesday's activities, the GOP contract promised House votes on 10 measures within the first 100 days, including anti-crime legislation; tax cuts for families, property owners and businesses; and a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced federal budget.

To achieve that, committees are already planning busy schedules. The House Ways and Means Committee, (See GINGRICH, Page 2)



County officials take oath

Nine Deaf Smith County officials began new four-year terms Tuesday when they took the oath of office. From left are David Ruland, county clerk; Nan Rogers, treasurer; Kenneth Hagar, surveyor; Lupe Chavez, Precinct 2 commissioner; Johnny Latham,

Precinct 4 commissioner; Tom Simons, judge; Roland Saul, criminal district attorney; Lola Faye Veazey, district clerk, and Johnnie Turrentine, justice of the peace. Ruland administered the oath to eight officials and Simons conducted the swearing-in of Ruland.

U.S. to give toward Mexican aid

By BILL CORMIER
Associated Press Writer
MEXICO CITY (AP) - Washington announced it would provide half of an \$18 billion international loan package to help steady the battered peso, but Mexican leaders still could not come up with an economic recovery plan.

In an embarrassing development, President Ernesto Zedillo repeatedly postponed and then did not deliver a nationally televised speech on the plan Monday night after business, labor and government leaders failed to agree on wage and price restraints.

The ability of the government to enforce such caps is critical in averting inflation that would further fuel the crisis.

"This doesn't bode well for the markets," independent economic analyst Sergio Sarmiento said early today.

The peso has lost one-third of its value in relation to the dollar since Dec. 20. The financial crisis was made worse by political turmoil throughout 1994, a year marked by two major political assassinations and an Indian rebellion in the southern state of Chiapas.

Government officials have characterized the crisis, in which American investors lost an estimated \$10 billion on the Mexican stock market, a momentary "bubble" in Mexico's long-term economic expansion.

But Sarmiento said the drawn-out

wrangling over a pact to hold down inflation was troubling.

Millions of Mexicans have seen the purchasing power of their wages erode by almost 60 percent since 1982, and many remain untouched by benefits of the North American Free Trade Agreement launched a year ago.

"I don't think Mexico can avoid a wage and price spiral," said Sarmiento. "The big hope is that this will be just a bump on the road and that Mexico will return to stability in three or four months' time. I find that very difficult to believe."

Zedillo has been sharply tested just one month into the six-year term he began on Dec. 1. Prior to the peso's slide, he had forecast annual inflation of 4 percent for 1995 and growth of 4 percent. Those goals, however, have now been abandoned.

Economists say inflation could probably be kept to 13 or 15 percent, and growth could at best be only 1 or 2 percent.

The emergency plan was expected to include measures to speed up the privatization of state-owned companies and steps to cut spending.

The Washington Post quoted

officials in Mexico City as saying parts of the federal railroad system, toll roads and electric power plants, along with a major branch of the state-owned oil company, Petroleos Mexicanos, would be put on the auction block in an effort to raise \$5.5 billion in hard currency.

Labor Department sources who insisted on anonymity said the main disputes in the talks Monday night were an increase in the minimum wage and guidelines for price increases. The talks were expected to resume later today.

In Washington, Acting Treasury Secretary Frank N. Newman said Monday the United States would contribute \$9 billion, or half, of the international support package to defend the Mexican currency from further devaluation.

Newman cited "the importance of the U.S.-Mexican economic relationship, the substantial economic reforms that Mexico has undertaken in recent years and the strong program announced ... by President Zedillo."

Newman's announcement was supposed to have come at the same time as Zedillo's televised speech.

The biggest other contributor to the \$18 billion package is the Bank for International Settlements, based in Basel, Switzerland, with \$5 billion in potential loans. The bank represents the United States and other major countries in Europe and Asia.

Canada, a partner with the United States and Mexico in NAFTA, agreed to put up \$1 billion. Commercial banks, including several in the United States, have offered an additional \$3 billion.

So far, Mexican authorities have said they have not had to borrow any of the \$9 billion pledged by the United States to defend the peso's value. But if they do, the money would be a loan that Mexico would repay at a rate equal to a three-month U.S. Treasury bill.

Rep. Henry Gonzalez, D-Texas, has called for hearings into the advisability of making such a large line of credit available to Mexico. Gonzalez was chairman of the House Banking Committee in the last Congress but becomes the ranking minority member with the Republican takeover.

A three-year-old trade deficit, now estimated at \$28 billion for 1994, and the fact that the peso was overvalued for more than a year, strongly undermined Mexico's economy.

27 die on state roads over holiday weekend

AUSTIN (AP) - Accidents on Texas roadways claimed the lives of 27 people - including five in one accident near Laredo - as of Monday evening, Department of Public Safety officials said.

The DPS had predicted that as many as 25 people could die during the 78-hour reporting period, which ended at midnight.

"We're disappointed, of course, that the death count exceeded our estimate," DPS spokesman Mike Cox said. "We never do those estimates to prove how accurate we are. We always view those as a worst-case scenario. We think one of the reasons the count went over is because of three multiple-fatality accidents we had."

In the weekend's worst accident, five people were killed in a head-on collision about 11:30 a.m. Sunday on Texas 359, nine miles west of Laredo, the DPS said.

Killed were Marco Garcia, 19, and Luis Fernando Ramiro, 22, both of

Bruni; and Phillip Cervantes, 19, of Laredo. Two occupants in the second vehicle also were killed. They are Oscar Sanchez and his 13-year-old daughter, Karla Ortiz Sanchez, both of Saltillo, Mexico.

Three teen-agers were killed in a 10 p.m. Sunday crash when a vehicle lost control on an icy road just northwest of Jayton in West Texas. Passengers Cory Morris, 17, of Spur; Devin Galloway, 17, of Aspermont; and Sher Lynn Stanaland, 16, of Jayton died in the accident on Farm-to-Market Road 1228.

Three teen-agers also were killed Sunday in a one-car accident in the Fort Worth suburb of Haltom City. The DPS said the three died when the car in which they were riding left the road and hit a brick mailbox and then a tree. The 16-year-old driver and another passenger also were injured.

Last New Year's weekend, 28 people died in traffic accidents around the state.



New Year's arrival

The first baby born in Hereford in 1995 made her appearance on Monday. Pearl Renee Estraca was born at 2:03 p.m. in Hereford Regional Medical Center. She weighed in at 6 pounds 5 ounces and was 20-1/4 inches long. Here she poses for a picture with her parents, Betty Garcia and Reymundo Estraca Jr. She is the couple's first child.

Snow, sleet hit parts of state

By The Associated Press
Snow and sleet struck North Texas and parts of West Texas on Tuesday, burying some areas under as much as 8 inches of snow.

Abilene reported its heaviest snowfall in 10 years Tuesday morning.

The National Weather Service recorded 5 inches of snow on the ground early Tuesday morning at its airport office. However, as much as 8 inches fell near Clyde and Baird, about 20 miles east of Abilene.

Snow accumulations of about an inch were reported in scattered areas around North-Central and Northeast Texas.

The storm was blamed on a combination of cold Canadian air and an upper-air disturbance.

Winds behind the front were from the north at 15 to 25 mph and gusty over the Panhandle, lowering wind chills to below zero at both Amarillo and Dalhart. Light and variable winds prevailed elsewhere.

But forecasters say worse winter weather could lie ahead. Another cold front approaching from the west is expected to arrive in West Texas on Wednesday and North Texas on Thursday, bringing a greater potential for sleet and snow over the northern half of the state.

Early morning temperatures were mainly in the 30s in North Texas and much of West Texas, but in the 20s in the Panhandle.

Cloudy skies with drizzle and rain were the rule in South Texas and

along the coast. Early morning temperatures ranged from the 30s in the Edwards Plateau to the 40s along the coast and in the Valley.

The North Texas outlook calls for mostly cloudy and cold tonight with lows in the mid-20s west to the lower 30s southeast. Wednesday will be mostly cloudy and cold Wednesday with a chance of snow toward Abilene. Highs will be in the mid-30s around Abilene to the mid-40s around Tyler. Wednesday night should be cloudy with a chance of snow or sleet from Abilene to near Interstate 35. Lows will reach the mid-20s west to the lower 30s southeast.

West Texas should be cloudy with a chance of snow tonight through Wednesday from the Panhandle to the Permian Basin and over the moun-

Bush tabs Bomer for insurance post

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov.-elect George W. Bush will name a Democratic state legislator to serve as the next state insurance commissioner, a spokeswoman for Bush said today.

Bush will name Rep. Elton Bomer of Montalba to replace interim commissioner Rebecca Lightsey, whose term ends Feb. 1.

Karen Hughes, the governor-elect's press secretary, said Bomer will be "a good, balanced commissioner between consumers and the insurance industry."

Reports of Bomer's possible appointment last week brought cheers

from the insurance industry. Consumer advocates said he didn't have a pro-consumer voting record.

Bomer served in the Texas House from 1981 to 1985. He then left the Legislature and lobbied on behalf of several businesses. He re-entered politics and won election again in 1990.

Bomer said the fact that he and Bush, a Republican, are from different political parties wasn't a problem. He said he agreed with Bush's philosophy.

The position pays \$150,000 per year.

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Local Roundup

Board slates meeting

The Hereford Economic Development Corporation board will meet in regular session Wednesday, beginning at 4:30 p.m., in the City Commission Chamber of City Hall. Consideration of lending and personnel policies, discussion of an agreement between HEDC and the City of Hereford for services and an update on projects are items on the agenda.

Brrrr! Cold and snowy

Plummeting temperatures and a chance of snow are in the forecast for the next couple of days. Tuesday night will be cloudy and cold with a 20 percent chance of snow and a low in the 10-15-degree range. The chance of snow rises to 40 percent Wednesday when the high will be 20-25 degrees. Northeast winds, 10-20 mph, Tuesday night will shift to east-southeast, 10-20 mph, Wednesday. Monday's high temperature in Hereford was 43 degrees and the low dipped to 20 degrees Tuesday morning.

News Digest

World/Nation

WASHINGTON - As Republicans prepare to take control of Congress for the first time since the Eisenhower administration, one of their leaders is warning Democrats not to become the party that just says "no."
GROZNY, Russia - A three-day pounding by Russian tanks fails to wrest the Chechen capital from rebel hands and Russian troops are forced to regroup. The badly outnumbered Chechens fight the Russians street-by-street and hold on to the presidential palace in the heart of the Grozny, the capital.
WASHINGTON - A new strain of meningitis quietly made its way from Norway to Spain, jumped over an ocean to cause epidemics in Cuba and Brazil - and then somehow sneaked into Oregon and began sickening Americans. Now the government is setting up the nation's first early warning system for these emerging diseases.
JERUSALEM - Israel and the Palestinians prepared to renew peace talks today after Israeli troops killed three PLO police in a confused Gaza shootout and the Israeli Cabinet failed to completely halt construction in an Jewish settlement.

State

WASHINGTON - The U.S. Supreme Court has cleared the way for the scheduled Wednesday execution of a man who confessed to a 1986 murder, then recanted. But two justices dissented with the decision not to stay the execution of Jesse DeWayne Jacobs. Jacobs, 44, was convicted in 1987 of the Feb. 21, 1986, shooting death of Etta Ann Urdiales, 25, a Conroe paramedic whose estranged husband was the boyfriend of Jacobs' sister.
DALLAS - The plaintiff in a landmark 1973 case that prompted the Supreme Court to overturn Texas' anti-abortion statutes, undercutting similar laws nationwide, says she fears returning to her job at a local clinic. Norma McCorvey says her fears stem from the shooting deaths of two women at two suburban Boston clinics Friday.
DALLAS - Vehicle emissions testing got off to a slow start Monday as compliance with the federal Clean Air Act began in parts of Texas, despite some state officials' opposition. "It's been a little slow, but maybe it's because it's a holiday and a lot of people are watching football," said Tommy Burden, manager of a Texas Air Care facility in north Dallas.
HOUSTON - More smugglers have been trying to get heroin and cocaine into the United States via "swallowers," federal authorities say.

Police, Sheriff, Fire Reports Emergency Calls

Weekend emergency services reports contained the following information:

HEREFORD POLICE
Tuesday
-- A 30-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
-- A 49-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
-- Unauthorized use of a motor vehicle was reported in the 400 block of Avenue E.
-- Assault was reported on 15th Street.
-- Theft was reported in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Avenue, where a juvenile allegedly took some markers valued at \$8.75.
-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 700 block of Knight, where a vehicle was scratched; in the 100 block of North 25 Mile Avenue, where words were painted on the side of a building; and in the 700 block of Avenue G, where a window was damaged on a trailer house.
-- Criminal trespass was reported in the 600 block of Irving.
-- Death by natural causes was reported in the 400 block of Jack Griffin.
-- A damaged gas meter was reported in the 300 block of Avenue C.
-- Telephone solicitation was reported in the 100 block of Pecan.
-- A report was filed in reference to a juvenile turning himself in to an officer at the bus station on U.S. 60, reporting himself as a runaway from California.
-- Officers issued six traffic citations.
Monday
-- A 27-year-old male was arrested for disorderly conduct.
-- A 28-year-old male was arrested on a Potter County warrant for theft and traffic warrants.
-- A 20-year-old female was arrested on DPS warrants out of Randall County.
-- Assault was reported in the 300 block of Avenue H.
-- Harassment was reported in the 200 block of Greenwood.

-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 600 block of Union, where vehicle tires were punctured, causing about \$150 damage.
-- Theft of beer was reported in the 900 block of East Park.
-- Theft of a bike was reported in the 200 block of Elm.
-- A report of a mental case was filed in the 100 block of Union.
-- A runaway was reported in the 300 block of Avenue H and later located by police officers.
-- Officers issued 28 traffic citations.
-- There was one accident reported.
Sunday
-- A 48-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
-- A 29-year-old male was arrested for DWI.
-- A 33-year-old male was arrested for public intoxication.
-- An 18-year-old male was arrested for driving while license suspended.
-- A 28-year-old male was arrested for aggravated assault.
-- A 24-year-old male was arrested for public intoxication.
-- A 20-year-old male was arrested for unauthorized use of a motor vehicle.
-- Assaults were reported in the 600 block of Avenue J and the 200 block of North Main (two cases).
-- A report of inhaling a volatile substance by a juvenile was made by an officer in the 100 block of Jackson.
-- Theft was filed against a juvenile in the 1100 block of West Park.
-- Officers issued eight traffic citations.
Saturday
-- A 34-year-old male was arrested for public intoxication.
-- A 54-year-old male was arrested for public intoxication.
-- A 29-year-old male was arrested on a city warrant in the 700 block of East Third, where a vehicle window was broken.
-- Harassment was reported in the

400 block of Avenue E.
-- A report was filed in reference to criminal trespass in the 600 block of Irving.
-- Officers issued 18 traffic citations.
-- There was one accident.
DEAF SMITH SHERIFF
Weekend
-- A 38-year-old male was arrested on a DWI commitment.
-- A 27-year-old female was arrested for theft by check.
-- Hay was reported in the road.
-- Harassment was reported.
-- Burglary was reported.
-- Burglary of a motor vehicle was reported.
-- A family dispute was reported.
FIRE DEPARTMENT
Sunday
-- Firefighters were called out at 1:23 p.m. to a traffic accident at Whittier and George.
Friday
-- Firefighters were called out at 5:11 p.m. to the 300 block of Stadium, where a tar mop was on fire on the roof of the fieldhouse.
EMS
Monday
-- Ambulances responded to two medical runs.
Sunday
-- Ambulances responded to one motor vehicle accident, one transfer to Amarillo and two medical runs.
Saturday
-- Ambulances responded to two medical calls.
Friday
-- Ambulances responded to three transfers to Amarillo, one transfer from Friona to Amarillo and one medical run.
-- A loud party was reported in the 300 block of Avenue I.
-- A runaway was reported in the 600 block of Avenue G.
-- Domestic disturbance was reported in the 100 block of Ranger.
-- Criminal mischief was reported in the 400 block of West Fourth, where a glass door was broken; in the 300 block of Miller, where a could begin on legislation applying residence window was broken; and

Crack-down to reduce foreign hiring Job professionals must be in 'short supply' to qualify

By **ROBERT NAYLOR Jr.**
AP Labor Writer
WASHINGTON (AP) - The Clinton administration is cracking down on companies that hire foreign professionals in temporary jobs as a way to drive down labor costs. Federal regulations allow employers to hire foreign nationals in skilled professions where Americans are in short supply, such as computer programming, physical therapy, medicine and some teaching and engineering fields. Up to 65,000 such work permits are allowed annually. Unions have complained for years about the rules, arguing that they remove any incentive for companies to train American or immigrant workers in specialized fields. The Labor Department said it is reducing from six to three years the duration of the work permits. Current rules require companies to certify that

they will pay foreign workers the prevailing salary for the region or the employer's actual salary, but the new regulations will require them to say specifically what that is. In addition, employers now will have to assure the Labor Department they are not using foreigners, sometimes called commuters, to replace workers who either are on strike or have been locked out because of a labor dispute. "The problem is we've had a number of abuses over the past few years," Labor Secretary Robert Reich said of the decision to tighten the regulations. "Obviously if employers face a dire shortage of skilled workers and their competitiveness is threatened and they must get skilled workers from abroad, then we must maintain that safety valve," he said. "But we also want to tighten up what is now a means of getting skilled workers

from abroad without investing in American workers." Unions have said those who suffer most from the abuses are minorities, women, immigrants and recent college graduates. "We have quite a few people in this country who are finding that they're competing with people from other countries who are willing to work for less," said Jack Golodner of the AFL-CIO. "It's becoming more aggravating." Reich said the Labor Department has found instances where companies have brought in commuters and paid them the standard rate only to later force salaries down. Some companies have even avoided paying foreign workers the prevailing wage, he said. "Many of the workers themselves will not complain because they're afraid of getting kicked out," Reich said in a recent interview.

Under the new provisions, the Labor Department can begin investigations without first having received a formal complaint. Golodner said the hiring of foreign nationals creates short-term surpluses in some occupations and drives down salaries. "What's more, you're removing the incentive for employers to train because if they feel they can get somebody cheap from abroad, it's better to do that than take somebody from here and train them and give them the skills that they need," he said. "We're not talking about bona fide immigrants," Golodner said. "We're talking about people who come here solely to perform a job, make the money and go home. They're willing to take less because the dollar can go further back home."



Replica of singer's car
A replica of Janis Joplin's psychedelic Porsche spins on a gold record platform at the Museum of the Gulf Coast. A Janis Joplin Birthday Bash will celebrate the musician on Jan. 14, in Port Arthur. Photo courtesy of Museum of the Gulf Coast.

Bullet, from who knows where, causes death in New Orleans

NEW ORLEANS (AP) - Nobody knows who killed Amy Silberman - maybe not even the killer. But there are plenty of suspects in the death of the Boston tourist killed by a bullet that dropped from the sky and pierced her skull on New Year's eve. "Everyone that fired a weapon on New Year's Eve is a suspect - everyone that fired a weapon," Superintendent of Police Richard Pennington said Monday. Silberman, 31, was in the French Quarter's Jackson Square near the Mississippi River at about 11:40 p.m. Saturday, awaiting the New Year's fireworks display. Suddenly she fell down. She was taken unconscious to a hospital, where an X-ray showed the bullet in her head. She died Sunday morning. And police were left with the seemingly impossible task of finding somebody, somewhere who was taking potshots at the clouds. Pennington appealed to the public for help in finding anyone who might have fired a gun around the time Silberman was shot. Ballistics tests were conducted Monday in the hope of identifying the type of weapon fired and, maybe, how far the unwitting killer was from Silberman. Police spokesman Lt. Sam Fradella wouldn't speculate Monday when asked whether it was a question of feet, yards or miles. "We're not going to eliminate any possibilities," Fradella said. But he said the investigation would be helped by authorities in Jefferson Parish, less than a mile from the Quarter across the Mississippi River, and St. Bernard Parish, less than two miles from where the victim fell. Every year, there are scattered reports in New Orleans and other

areas of gunshots fired into the air to celebrate New Year's Eve, Independence Day and other holidays. Five injuries last year were attributed to such gunfire and police said three were reported during the New Year's weekend, despite public warnings that a bullet fired at the clouds returns to Earth with lethal velocity. "I equate shooting in the air on New Year's Eve the same as shooting a gun into a crowd or the same as a drive-by shooting," Pennington said. He announced last week new efforts to combat the practice, including a strong police presence in areas of the city where reports of gunfire have been most common in past years. Silberman's death brought another shock of bad publicity to a city with an economy heavily dependent on tourism. New Orleans is among the nation's leaders in murders per capita and the 419 killings in 1994 - 420 if Silberman's death is included - by far surpassed the one-year record of 389 set last year. Tourists were rarely among the victims. A visitor from Baton Rouge was shot to death in the French Quarter during an argument last fall and a German soldier was killed May 2 in an apparent robbery attempt. "I knew she was going to New Orleans, but I didn't think anything would happen," said Sam Silberman, Amy's father. "This just comes as such a shock." Beverly Gianna, director of public relations for the New Orleans Metropolitan Convention and Visitors Bureau, said she is confident police are doing all they can. She added that such problems are widespread.

not happen until later. "This body is simply not going to be rolled over by what appears to be unrestrained enthusiasm of the House," said Sen. John Warner, R-Va. In his interview, Gingrich also: -Appeared to grant a reprieve to the House historian's office. The incumbent, Dr. Raymond Smock, said last week the office, which has a \$337,000 yearly budget, was being shut down amid GOP cost-cutting moves. Gingrich said Republicans would retain the office but replace its current staff. -Said Congress might "re-examine" Social Security for budget cuts in six to eight years.

Obituaries

FRANKABEL BELL
Jan. 2, 1995
Frankabel Bell, 75, of Hereford, died Monday at her home. Services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home with the Rev. Rick Sullivan, pastor of First Baptist Church of Farwell, officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery. Mrs. Bell was born in Hereford and married Wilber Bell in 1939 in Clovis, N.M. He died in 1965. She had worked as a patient attendant at a state hospital in Vernon. Mrs. Bell also had been employed by Southwest Offset, Hereford Brand and U.S. Postal Service in Hereford. She was a member of First Baptist Church. Survivors are two sons, Ronnie Bell of Hereford and Robert Bell; a brother, Conrad Robinson of Lebo, Kan.; a sister, Johnnie Marie Britton of Hereford, and a granddaughter. The family has requested that memorials be directed to the American Heart Association.
DANIEL L. SMITH
Jan. 2, 1995
Daniel L. Smith, 66, of Hereford, died Monday in Amarillo. Services will be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home with the Rev. Michael Matheny of First Assembly of God Church officiating. Burial will be in West Park Cemetery. Mr. Smith moved to Hereford from Weslaco in October 1993. He was born at Edcouch and had worked as a small engine mechanic. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. Survivors are three sisters, Mable Williams of Hereford, Eva Beckett of Corning, Cal., and Dorothy Guilliams of LaPlata, Md. The family suggests that memorials be sent to the American Cancer Society.

TEXAS LOTTERY
By The Associated Press
Two Lotto Texas ticket holders will begin 1995 as millionaires. One ticket bought in Abilene and another purchased in the Dallas-Fort Worth area correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The jackpot is worth \$10 million. The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 16, 34, 37, 40, 43 and 46. Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be \$3 million. AUSTIN (AP) - The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 4-9-1 (four, nine, one) AUSTIN (AP) - The Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 3-0-1 (three, zero, one)

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Lifestyles

Best speaker awards presented at recent Toastmasters meeting

The Hereford Toastmasters met on Dec. 29 at the Ranch House Restaurant.

Joe Weaver led the pledge and the invocation was given by Charles Minchew. Dee Hamilton presided over the meeting.

The meetings toastmaster was Sharon Cramer. Ed Gilbert was the timer and AH counter and Colcen Seright was the grammarian.

Wordmaster Pat Varner introduced the word Trenchant.

The Topicmaster was Dave Kimmel and Topic Speakers were Gilbert, Varner, Clark Andrews, and Joe Weaver.

Dan Hall gave a speech entitled "Granny's Phone Call" and was evaluated by Ralph Barndt. Nancy Greigo gave a speech entitled "Field Test of Medieval Operations" and was evaluated by Andrews.

The Reading was given by Seright and the joke was given by Charles Minchew.

Best Speaker award was given to Griego and Hall with the best evaluator presented to Barndt. The Best Topic Speaker was given to Weaver.

The Club will be having their Annual Installation party January 5, 1995 at 7:00 p.m. at the Sirlain Stockade. Guests are welcome.



MR. AND MRS. RANDALL LOUIS FRIEMEL ... exchange wedding vows

Streun-Friemel vows pledged in local church

In a recent ceremony at Avenue Baptist Church, Cindy Michelle Streun and Randall Louis Friemel were united in matrimony. Officiating were Bro. Bill Austin, interim pastor for Avenue Baptist, and Father Blum of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

The bride is the daughter of Gene and Cynthia Streun. Parents of the bridegroom are Jerome and Romalda Friemel.

The bride was given in marriage by her father during the Dec. 10 ceremony.

Matron of honor was Kyla Wood. Barry Friemel, brother of the groom, served as best man.

Bridesmaids were Darci Manning; Prisca Cantu; Karen Friemel, sister of the groom; Gina Streun, sister of the bride; and Angela Streun, sister of the bride.

Serving as groomsmen were Ryan Manning, Nud Edwards, Greg Patterson, Chris Connolly and Brad Wieck, cousin of the groom.

The bride's daughter, Sadie Streun and Alysia Friemel, daughter of Barry Friemel, were the flower girls.

Ring bearers were Preston Ward, cousin of the groom and son of Gayland and Beverly Ward, and Berkely Johnson, niece of the groom and daughter of Kurt and Becky Johnson of Plano.

Cal Wallace, son of Joe and Ginger Wallace and cousin of the bride; and Stefan Friemel, son of Barry Friemel and nephew of the bridegroom served as candle lighters.

Music was provided by Jan Walser at the piano with vocal selections by Venessa Gonzales and the father of the bride.

The couple was honored with a reception in the church fellowship hall.

After a wedding trip to Santa Fe, NM, and El Paso, they are at home in Hereford.

The bride is a 1988 graduate of Hereford High School and attends Amarillo College.

The bridegroom, also a 1988 graduate of Hereford High School, attended West Texas A&M and is employed by C. Ramirez and Sons.

Wedding guests represented Arlington, Amarillo, Canyon, Vega, Dumas, Summerfield, Plano, Umberger, Nazareth and Clayton, NM.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: This is in response to "Burnt Out," who worked killer hours, never saw his family and was hanging on by his fingernails.

I was in the same boat, putting in 60 hours a week, taking work home, bypassing days off and neglecting my family--all for \$55,000 a year. I had worked with the same Fortune 500 company for over 18 years. It was the only job I'd ever had, and I was afraid to quit. I had received many awards and bonuses, but I was exhausted, overweight, depressed and spending over \$12,000 a year on therapy.

One day, I heard a phrase that changed my life: "Fear will not harm you, but the fear of failure will." That made me think seriously about quitting my job. Finally, I did.

I am now making less than half of what I used to make, but I feel like a different person. I put in 40 hours a week and never take work home, my weekends are mine to do with as I please, and I am becoming re-acquainted with my wife and family. I am no longer in therapy because the depression has left me.

It was a big adjustment, and there are times I miss the big bucks, but I know this was the right decision for me. Ann, tell your readers that "stop and smell the roses" may be just a cliché, but I now know what those roses smell like, and it's heaven--Somewhere in Ohio

DEAR OHIO: What you did took a tremendous amount of courage. I'll bet your wife was behind you 100 percent and she doesn't mind living on a lot less. She now has a husband who is healthier and happier, and the kids have a dad. Too often big money isn't worth what you have to do to get it.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I have been dating "Lola" for four years. I have been married twice. My second wife committed suicide after a long illness. Lola has been married once, and her husband also committed suicide. Our mutual grief forged a bond between us.

Lola seems to have quite a lot of money--a nice home and car. She inherited most of this from her father. I don't have much in the way of worldly goods because of my divorce and my second wife's illness.

Lola talks about us getting married, but she doesn't want to tell me anything about her finances. She says the money she and her first husband made together and what she inherited from her father is HERS and whatever she and I would make together would be OURS.

I say when you marry, you become equal partners. Everything should be put in one pot and divided evenly.

What do you say, Ann?--Nebraska Reader

DEAR NEBRASKA: I say you're a couple bricks short of a load. What makes you think you should share 50-50 in Lola's assets?

If you and Lola decide to marry, whatever she had BEFORE the marriage belongs to her. The same goes for you and your assets. Meanwhile, you two should sit down with a financial adviser if you decide to tie the knot. Your marriage will stand a better chance if there is a clear understanding about money matters before you become Mr. and Mrs.

Gem of the Day (Credit Robert Schuman, French statesman, 1886-1963): "When I was a young man, I vowed never to marry until I found the ideal woman. Well, I found her but unfortunately, she was waiting for the perfect man."

Do you have questions about sex, but no one to talk to? Ann Landers' booklet, "Sex and the Teenager," is frank and to the point. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$3.65 (this includes postage and handling) to: Teens, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562.

Names in the News

NEW YORK (AP) - It's no way to treat a baby, but Helen Reddy will play the working-class mother who gives up one of her newborn twin boys in the musical "Blood Brothers" on Broadway.

Reddy joins the cast Jan. 17, publicist Philip Rinaldi said Wednesday. She will replace Carole King in the role of Mrs. Johnstone, who gives one of her twin boys to her employer. The boys become friends as children. They later fall in love with the same girl and eventually clash.

Reddy's biggest hit record, "I Am Woman," became an anthem for the women's liberation movement in 1972. "No Way To Treat a Lady" became a hit in 1975.

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP) - Grammy Award-winning reggae singer Shabba Ranks gave his mom a Christmas gift too big to wrap: a

house complete with a swimming pool and gymnasium.

Constance Christie has moved into the two-story, five-bedroom home, reportedly worth \$1 million. Her son has his own bedroom with a mirror over the bed.

Ranks, who has toured the United States and Europe for the last two years, won Grammy Awards in 1992 for "House Call" and 1993 for "Slow and Sexy." His latest release is "Original Woman."

The Metropolitan Museum of Art was founded in New York in 1870.

Menus

HEREFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS Breakfast

TUESDAY-Waffles with syrup or cereal, buttered toast, diced peaches, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Breakfast bagel or cereal, buttered toast, orange wedges, chocolate milk.

THURSDAY-Scrambled eggs with sausage, flour tortilla or cereal, buttered toast, grape juice, milk.

FRIDAY-Hash browns, Texas toast or cereal, buttered toast, banana, chocolate milk.

Lunch

TUESDAY-Chicken nuggets with cream gravy, mashed potatoes, mixed vegetable, apple half, peanut butter bar, whole wheat rolls and butter, chocolate milk.

WEDNESDAY-Beef enchiladas, lettuce with tomato bits, seasoned pinto beans, Spanish rice, pear delite, cowboy bread, corn tortillas, milk.

THURSDAY-Roast beef with brown gravy, fluffy potatoes, green

peas, fruit salad, hot rolls and butter, chocolate milk.

FRIDAY-Hamburger, burger salad, crispy french fries with catsup, orange cream bar, bun, milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

MONDAY-Pigs in a blanket, carrot sticks, french fries, applesauce, milk.

TUESDAY-Chili beans, rice, okra, cornbread, oatmeal cookie, milk.

WEDNESDAY-Pizza, corn, cole slaw, red Jello, milk.

THURSDAY-Tacos, pinto beans, tossed salad, cinnamon roll, milk.

FRIDAY-Frito pie, rice, pinto beans, blueberry cobbler, milk.

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WALCOTT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
COMBINED STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND CHANGES IN FUND BALANCE
ALL GOVERNMENTAL FUND TYPES
YEAR ENDED AUGUST 31, 1994

Data Control Codes	Governmental Fund Types		Totals (Memorandum Only)	
	100-199 General Fund	200-499 Special Revenue Fund	August 31, 1994	August 31, 1993
REVENUES:				
5700 Local, Intermediate, and Out-of-State	\$272,668	\$ 6,465	\$279,133	\$276,614
5800 State Program Revenues	308,504		308,504	272,968
5900 Federal Program Revenues		32,652	32,652	32,041
5030 Total Revenue	581,172	39,118	620,290	581,623
EXPENDITURES:				
0011 Instruction	305,756	13,275	319,031	219,109
0022 Instructional Resources and Media Services	18,588		18,588	17,342
0025 Curriculum and Instructional Staff Development	33		33	130
0033 Health Services	1,744		1,744	1,933
0034 Student Transportation	118,908		118,908	93,092
0036 Co-curricular Activities	4,204		4,204	2,646
0037 Food Services		48,213	48,213	44,743
0041 General Administration	76,590		76,590	74,698
0051 Plant Maintenance and Operations	82,297		82,297	67,596
0081 Community Service	1,252		1,252	1,322
6050 Total Expenditures	602,379	61,488	670,867	522,618
1100 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues Over Expenditures	(28,207)	(22,370)	(50,577)	59,005
7990 Other Resources		22,370	22,370	24,959
8990 Other (Uses)	(22,370)		(22,370)	(24,959)
1200 Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Resources Over Expenditures and Other Uses	(50,577)	0-	(50,577)	59,005
0100 Fund Balance - September 1 (Beginning)	107,068	0-	107,068	48,063
1300 Increase (Decrease) in Fund Balance (Note J)	1,676		1,676	
3000 Fund Balance - August 31 (Ending)	\$ 58,167	\$ 0-	\$ 58,167	\$107,068

Sports

Voters pick Nebraska over Penn State for mythical national title

By RICK WARNER
AP Football Writer

It wasn't even close. Nebraska ran away with the national championship today, easily outpointing No. 2 Penn State in The Associated Press media poll.

Although both teams were undefeated, voters clearly preferred Nebraska after the Cornhuskers beat Miami 24-17 in the Orange Bowl and Penn State downed Oregon 38-20 in the Rose Bowl.

The Cornhuskers (13-0) received 51 1/2 first-place votes and 1,539 1/2 points, while Penn State (12-0) got 10 1/2 firsts and 1,497 1/2 points. One voter made them a co-No. 1.

It is the first national title for Nebraska coach Tom Osborne and the first championship for the Cornhuskers since they won consecutive crowns under Bob Devaney in 1970-71.

Nebraska also finished first in the CNN-USA Today coaches' poll, topping Penn State 54-8 in first-place votes.

Penn State's Joe Paterno now has the dubious distinction of coaching four undefeated teams that didn't win the national championship. It also happened in 1968, 1969 and 1973.

Nebraska and Penn State were ranked 1-2 going into the bowls and remained that way following their post-season victories, with the Cornhuskers increasing their lead over the Lions by 13 1/2 first-place votes and 13 1/2 points.

Penn State's win over 17-point underdog Oregon apparently didn't impress voters as much as Nebraska's win at the Orange Bowl, where Miami had won 62 of its previous 63 games.

Osborne and Paterno refused to lobby for the championship during the season, saying they prefer a playoff over the polls. But after the Rose Bowl, Paterno said

his team deserved a share of the title.

"I don't want to take anything from Tom Osborne, who's a good friend of mine," Paterno said. "The way they played last night, I certainly don't think that I would say, 'Hey, they're national champions and we're not.' Because we deserve it as much as they do."

Osborne said it was a shame that Nebraska didn't get to play Penn State.

"People in college football ought to be smart enough to get the No. 1 and No. 2 teams together," he said.

Although Osborne has the best winning percentage of any active coach, the national championship eluded him for his first 21 seasons. He twice brought undefeated teams to the Orange Bowl and lost, to Miami in 1984 and Florida State last year.

Colorado (11-1) finished third in the AP poll after beating Notre Dame 41-24 in the Fiesta Bowl.

Florida State (10-1-1), which won the national title last year, was fourth after defeating Florida 23-17 in the Sugar Bowl. It is the eighth straight season that the Seminoles have finished in the top 4.

Alabama (12-1) was fifth, followed by Miami (10-2), Florida (10-2-1), Texas A&M (10-0-1), Auburn (9-1-1) and Utah (10-2).

Alabama beat Ohio State 24-17 in the Citrus Bowl, and Utah defeated Arizona 16-13 in the Freedom Bowl. Texas A&M and Auburn were barred from postseason play by NCAA probation.

Oregon was 11th, followed by Michigan, Southern Cal, Ohio State, Virginia, Colorado State, North Carolina State, Brigham Young, Kansas State, Arizona, Washington State, Tennessee, Boston College, Mississippi State and Texas.

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USC bowls over Tech

By JAIME ARON
AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Tradition aside, the Cotton Bowl may not be too sorry to have had the Southwest Conference as host for the last time.

The SWC representative lost the annual New Year's holiday classic for the seventh straight year, and it wasn't even close. Texas Tech ended the era with a 55-14 loss Monday to Southern Cal.

"Coach (John) Robinson stressed that if you take it to them hard, then they will fold," said Trojan running back Shawn Walters. "I was shocked that it happened so early."

It happened less than 10 minutes into the game when USC already led 28-0. The Trojans (8-3-1) blew the game open with three touchdowns in a 76-second span midway through the first quarter.

"We got down by 28 so quick, and then all of a sudden had to start playing catch-up," said Tech offensive lineman Ed Hendrix. "It seemed we were uptight. We weren't sure how to react or how to regain our composure."

The Red Raiders (6-6) never did regain its poise until after they trailed 48-0 late in the third quarter. Only then, after USC pulled many of its stars, did Tech begin scoring.

Had Tech not gotten a 45-yard touchdown pass on the game's final play, the Red Raiders would have suffered the worst defeat in Cotton

Bowl history. Instead, that dubious honor still belongs to Texas and its 46-3 loss to Miami in the 1991 game.

Still, the Trojans set so many records that it filled several sheets of paper. The most impressive were the ones for total offense (578) and yards passing (435), plus most points in a quarter (28) and in a game (55).

"I hate it for the Southwest Conference," said Tech coach Spike Dykes, whose team was part of a five-way tie for the league title but won the Cotton Bowl berth it had not had one since 1939. "We represented them and let them down. I really blame myself for that."

The SWC champ has hosted the last 54 of the 59 Cotton Bowls. But under the bowl coalition to be formed next year, the host will be the second-place finisher among the teams that will form the Big 12 Conference.

That new league will be forged from the Big Eight and current SWC members Tech, Texas, Texas A&M and Baylor. The Big 12 begins playing in 1996.

A possible opponent is the Pac-10 runner-up, which means the Trojans could be back. This was their first appearance in Dallas for New Year's, and Robinson went home impressed with the game and his team's prospects for the future.

"We were really ready to play," Robinson said. "We have a chance to really have a very good team next

year. Now we have to step it up to the next level."

The next level for several Trojans is the NFL, and many of them looked ready for it Monday.

The offensive line, with two seniors, was phenomenal as it allowed senior quarterback Rob Johnson an almost leisurely look downfield on many plays. He responded by going 16-of-21 with three touchdowns and 289 yards, three short of the game record.

Backup Brad Otton was 8-of-14 for 146 yards and two touchdowns. Nevertheless, junior receiver Keyshawn Johnson stole offensive player of the game honors with eight receptions for three touchdowns and a game-record 222 yards.

After his first score, he struck a Heisman Trophy-like pose in the end zone.

"That's a little taste of what's to come in 1995," Johnson said.

Defensive player of the game honors went to Trojan cornerback John Herpin, who intercepted two passes and returned the first one 26 yards for a first-quarter touchdown.

The Cotton Bowl is sponsored by Mobil.

Herd to host hot Canyon

Hereford's basketball teams will have their work cut out for them when they host Canyon for a District 1-4A doubleheader tonight in Whiteface Gym.

The first game, at 6 p.m., matches the Hereford girls (13-6) and the Canyon girls (16-1). On Friday, Canyon played Georgetown in the finals of the Byron Johnston Holiday Classic in Midland. Georgetown came in undefeated and ranked No. 5 in the country by USA Today. Canyon won, 64-35.

The Lady Whitefaces also won a tournament Friday: the Wildcat Holiday Classic in Littlefield.

The boys play in the second game of tonight's doubleheader, at 7:30. Canyon (14-2) won its own tournament Friday, beating Lovington, N.M., 75-72 in the finals. Hereford (11-6) took the consolation trophy in the same tournament by beating Dumas, 59-47. Hereford lost to Lovington, 69-68, in the first round.

Junior varsity games will be played in the junior high gym—boys at 6, girls at 7:30.

Disastrous 1st period doomed Red Raiders

DALLAS (AP) — For Texas Tech, it was 76 seconds of sheer horror.

That's how long it took No. 22 Southern Cal to score three first-quarter touchdowns Monday en route to a 55-14 Cotton Bowl flogging of the Southwest Conference co-champions.

"It's like being in your first U.S. Open," said Tech coach Spike Dykes, a pretty fair country golfer. "You bogey the first three holes and it's hard to get back to par."

Tech never recovered. The Pac-10 Trojans (8-3-1) used the shell-shocked Red Raiders (6-6)

as unwilling foils in the second-most lopsided verdict in the 59-year history of the Cotton Classic.

USC's 55 points set the Cotton Bowl record, as did the Trojans' 578 yards of total offense.

"I guess the word for it is disheartening," Dykes said. He said a rout like this happens occasionally, "and it's not much fun when it does."

He apologized for the dismal outing to the fans, media and conference and said:

"Obviously I didn't do a good job of getting the team ready."

Penn State finishes 12-0, ranked No. 2

By RICHARD ROSENBLATT
AP Sports Writer

Joe Paterno can't win it all even when his team doesn't lose.

Despite the No. 2 Nittany Lions' 38-20 victory over No. 12 Oregon in the Rose Bowl on Monday, No. 1 Nebraska (13-0) was crowned national champion Tuesday.

The Cornhuskers beat No. 3 Miami 24-17 in the Orange Bowl on Sunday to set the stage for Tom Osborne's first national title in his 22 years as Nebraska's coach.

Penn State (12-0), meanwhile, completed its fifth undefeated season in Paterno's 29 years as coach and have just one national title (1986) to show for it. The other undefeated seasons were 1968, '69 and '73. The Lions also won the title in 1982 with an 11-1 record.

The Cornhuskers' victory over the Hurricanes rendered the Rose and six other bowl games on Monday as also-rans.

In the other Monday games, No. 4 Colorado defeated Notre Dame 41-24 in the Fiesta, No. 7 Florida State stopped No. 5 Florida 23-17 in the Sugar Bowl, Alabama topped Ohio State 24-17 in the Citrus, Southern Cal routed Texas Tech 55-14 in the Cotton, Wisconsin beat Duke 34-20 in the Hall of Fame and South Carolina defeated West Virginia 24-21 in the Carquest.

In Pasadena, Calif., Ki-Jana Carter had 156 yards and three TDs, including an 83-yarder on the Lions' first play from scrimmage, and Kerry Collins threw for 200 yards as Paterno became the winningest bowl coach with victory No. 16.

Oregon (9-4) gave the Lions a fight, trailing 14-7 at the half before Penn State put the game away with TD runs of 17 and 3 yards by Carter. The Ducks' Danny O'Neil set Rose Bowl records for attempts, completions and yards with his 41-of-61 performance and 456 yards. He was sacked six times and had two interceptions.

When Paterno was asked by a television interviewer for his thoughts on the best team in the nation, thousands of Penn State fans roared.

"I think I'll have to agree with them," Paterno said. "I've always wanted a playoff - that's nothing new with me," he said in reference to the fact that his team's fate will now be

decided by poll voters.

The Cornhuskers, meanwhile, returned to a rousing welcome in Lincoln, where 15,000 cheering fans greeted them at the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

"If we do get a trophy at the end, that's frosting on the cake," Osborne said Monday.

At the Orange Bowl, Nebraska wore down Miami (10-2) in the fourth quarter as Tommie Frazier led the Cornhuskers back from a 17-7 deficit in ending a seven-game bowl losing streak.

Frazier started after missing seven games with blood clots in his leg, but Brook Berringer replaced him for the second and third periods. Frazier then led the Cornhuskers on short TD drives of 40 and 58 yards in the final 7:38 for the win. Cory Schlesinger capped the drives with TD runs of 15 and 14 yards.

In Sunday's other bowl game, No. 23 North Carolina State beat No. 16 Mississippi State 28-24 in the Peach.

Fiesta
No. 4 Colorado 41, Notre Dame 24
At Tempe, Ariz., Bill McCartney's final game as Colorado coach ended the way his national title season of 1990 did - with a victory over the Irish. Only this time no title was on the line.

Kordell Stewart and Heisman Trophy-winner Rashaan Salaam accounted for five TDs. McCartney leaves as the winningest coach in Colorado history (93-55-5). Assistant Rick Neuheisel succeeds him.

Stewart had two TDs and Salaam had two 1-yard scores as the Buffaloes (11-1) scored on five of their first six possessions for a 31-3 lead late in the first half. Only a 24-7 loss to Nebraska on Oct. 29 prevented Colorado from a perfect and perhaps championship season.

Citrus
No. 6 Alabama 24,
No. 13 Ohio State 17

At Orlando, Fla., Sherman Williams turned a short pass into a 50-yard touchdown with 42 seconds remaining to lift Alabama (12-1). He became the first Crimson Tide player to have more than 100 yards rushing and receiving in a bowl game, gaining 166 yards on 27 carries. He caught eight passes for 155 yards.

Ohio State finished 9-4 as coach

John Cooper's bowl record with the Buckeyes fell to 1-5.

Cotton
No. 21 Southern Cal 55,
Texas Tech 14

At Dallas, Southern Cal scored its first three TDs in a 76-second span of the first quarter as the Trojans (8-3-1) made their first Cotton Bowl appearance a winning one. USC rolled up a 48-0 lead over Texas Tech (6-6), making the Red Raiders the seventh straight SWC team to lose the Cotton Bowl. Starting next year, the matchups will be determined by the bowl coalition.

Rob Johnson threw three TD passes and Keyshawn Johnson caught three, including an 86-yarder from backup Brad Otton. Rob Johnson completed 16 of 21 passes for 289 yards and left after the first series of the second half - 3 yards short of the Cotton Bowl record.

Keyshawn Johnson caught eight passes for a Cotton Bowl-record 222 yards. It was the second-largest victory margin in the Cotton Bowl behind Miami's 46-3 win over Texas in 1991.

Hall of Fame
Wisconsin 34, No. 25 Duke 20

At Tampa, Fla., Terrell Fletcher set Hall of Fame records with 39 carries for 241 yards and scored on runs of 1 and 49 yards to power the Badgers.

After blowing a 13-0 first-half lead, Wisconsin (7-4-1) took control with three second-half TDs to hand the No. 25 Blue Devils (8-4) their fourth loss in the final five games after a school-record 7-0 start.

Duke's Spence Fischer was 28 of 46 for 314 yards with four interceptions.

Carquest
South Carolina 24,
West Virginia 21

At Miami, Steve Tancych passed for one TD and ran for another as South Carolina (7-5) won its first bowl game in nine attempts.

Tancych completed 26 of 36 passes for 227 yards, including a 2-yard TD pass to tight end Boomer Foster. He also had a 4-yard TD run and Stanley Pritchett added a 1-yard

(See BOWLS, Page 5)

Year-End Clearance

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1991 Olds Cutlass Calais 4 dr., white	\$7,100
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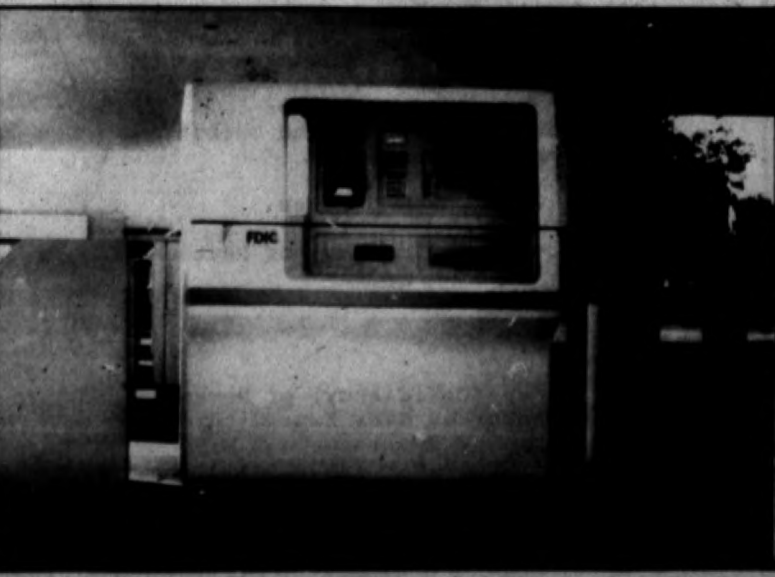
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Packers won't fear Cowboys in 4th meeting

By ARNIE STAPLETON
AP Sports Writer
GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) - Face your fears enough and they'll begin to fade.

That's how the Green Bay Packers' awe of the Dallas Cowboys was whittled to polite admiration. So, when the Cowboys take the

NFL playoffs

By The Associated Press
Wild Card Playoffs
Saturday, Dec. 31
Green Bay 16, Detroit 12
Miami 27, Kansas City 17
Sunday, Jan. 1
Cleveland 20, New England 13
Chicago 35, Minnesota 18
Divisional Playoffs
Saturday, Jan. 7
Cleveland at Pittsburgh, 12:30 p.m.
Chicago at San Francisco, 4 p.m.
Sunday, Jan. 8
Green Bay at Dallas, 12:30 p.m.
Miami at San Diego, 4 p.m.
Sunday Jan. 15
AFC and NFC Championships, 12:30 and 4 p.m.
Sunday, Jan. 29
Super Bowl at Miami, 6 p.m.
Sunday, Feb. 5
Pro Bowl at Honolulu, 6 p.m.

next step Sunday on the road to an unprecedented third straight Super Bowl title, they won't find the same wild-eyed Packers they routed 36-14 just 15 months ago.

Thanks to a 16-12 victory over the Lions in which NFL rushing champion Barry Sanders was held to minus-1 yard on 13 carries, and Chicago's 35-18 upset of Minnesota, the Packers will make their fourth trip to Texas Stadium in the last 12 months.

"We know them about as well as any team outside our division because we've played them a number of times," Packers coach Mike Holmgren said. "Whether that's enough, we'll see. They're a fine football team."

Although the Packers haven't beaten Dallas under Holmgren, each time they have put up more of a fight than they did in that first meeting, on Oct. 3, 1993.

"That first time, I sensed, you know, the hole in the roof... Here we are with the Dallas Cowboys... And the cheerleaders over behind your bench," Holmgren recalled. "I don't know if we were as focused as we could have been."

They weren't as distracted in the playoffs on Jan. 16, but still succumbed 27-17 as Dallas, for the

second straight season, went on to defeat the 49ers in the NFC title game and Buffalo in the Super Bowl.

Then, third-string quarterback Jason Garrett led Dallas to a 42-31 victory over the Packers on Thanksgiving despite four TD catches by Sterling Sharpe.

Until Chicago's upset of the Vikings, the Packers were anticipating a second-round matchup with San Francisco. Holmgren said it was like being asked to pick your poison.

"We've played Dallas in the last two years more, and so we're a little more familiar with them," Holmgren said. "We know, however, that both are great teams. Both are picked to play each other in the championship game, so it wasn't a great choice there for us."

"But we're excited about it. We've been able to play a little better in each game with them, so I hope this is the one we can get them."

Although the Cowboys, 10-point favorites, are clearly the better team, Green Bay is unquestionably the hotter.

The Packers (10-7) have won four in a row. Dallas lost two of its last three to finish 12-4 in coach Barry Switzer's first year since taking over for Jimmy Johnson. Both teams are hurting.

The Packers are without Sharpe, who needs surgery to fuse two bones in his neck. But they still have quarterback Brett Favre, the second-leading passer in the NFL behind San Francisco's Steve Young.

Favre threw for 3,882 yards and a team-record 33 touchdowns and was intercepted just 14 times, 10 fewer than last year, when he led the league.

Even when you subtract Sharpe's 1,119 yards and team-record 18 touchdown receptions, Favre still threw for 2,763 yards and 15 touchdowns - both figures exceed Troy Aikman's totals of 2,676 yards and 13 TDs in 1994.

Injuries to Aikman (knee), running back Emmitt Smith (hamstring) and wide receiver Michael Irvin (thigh) threaten to slow the Cowboys scoring machine.

Although all are expected to play, it's been more than a month since they've been in sync.

Holmgren said the loss on Thanksgiving serves two points for the Packers in the playoffs: After taking a 17-6 halftime lead, the Packers' offense is confident it can execute at Texas Stadium. And surrendering five straight touchdown drives to begin the second half will

serve as motivation for the Green Bay defense.

"I think in that game on Thanksgiving, we were playing well for a while, and then all of a sudden the bottom fell out," Holmgren said. "They'll remember that. They probably have a little extra to prove now because of that."

"We'd like to rectify the impression we left in that one," Green Bay defensive coordinator Fritz Shurmur agreed.

Dallas has gone through its share of turmoil this year. All-Pro offensive tackle Eric Williams suffered a season-ending knee injury in an auto accident,

stalling Smith's attempt to win a fourth straight NFL rushing title.

With all their injuries and inconsistencies, the Cowboys appear a notch below the squads that won back-to-back Super Bowls.

"As long as they're the Super Bowl champions, you treat them as the Super Bowl champions," Holmgren said. "They still have the same great players and we respect their team."

"We're not afraid to play the football game, but there's a healthy respect there," Holmgren added. "But the fact we've played them a little bit better each game, like I said, maybe we can sneak up on them this time."

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Nelson returns to coach Golden State

By ROB GLOSTER
AP Sports Writer

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) - Golden State coach Don Nelson says he has learned from his seven-game absence while recovering from viral pneumonia, and vows to avoid the mistakes he made during a fall of turmoil.

"I'm going to try not to take blame for everything that happens on the basketball court, which is something I've always done," he said. "I kick myself around too

much." Nelson returned to practice Monday evening, and plans to coach the Warriors in tonight's game against the San Antonio Spurs.

While seeking to turn the Warriors (10-17) into a playoff team, he will try to keep in mind the lessons he learned during his recovery.

Nelson, a perfectionist who drives himself as hard as he pushes his players, has been surrounded by stress for several months.

First, there were the high expectations he set for the Warriors. Then came the trade of Billy Owens to Miami for Rony Seikaly. And then there was the showdown with Chris Webber, who said he could not be happy playing for Nelson.

That battle ended in the trade of Webber to Washington for Tom Gugliotta and three draft picks. It tore apart the team Nelson hoped to build, and left the coach distressed.

And then the Warriors, who began the season 7-1, lost 14 of 15 including 10 in a row. Near the end of that losing streak, Nelson was hospitalized with pneumonia.

Nelson was happy to be back Monday, but said he's still weak. "I don't have very much energy," he said. "It's hard for me to stand up throughout the whole practice. I'm a lot better than I was, for sure. It just takes a long time to get over this."

Nelson, hospitalized for four nights beginning Dec. 14, said he felt sick for weeks before being hospitalized, and passed out at one point during a four-game East Coast road trip in late November.

The team had a 40-minute meeting before practice. Nelson talked about the practice and the upcoming game against the Spurs, not about his absence or his joy at being back with the team.

Then he got back out on the court, wearing the torn sneakers and faded blue jeans that make up his usual practice attire. He had a few words at midcourt with his son, assistant coach Donn Nelson, who led the team to a 2-5 record in his father's absence.

Then came the most rewarding part of his evening. He walked over to Chris Mullin, who has been out since the preseason with a left knee injury, and asked, "Do you want to run a little today, Mully?"

Mullin was ready. Mullin practiced with his teammates for the first time since October, running with ease and showing he may be able to return by next week.

"It felt pretty good. After being off two months, I think I'll be a little sore tomorrow," he said. "But it was encouraging for me to be able to move and cut and stop and not feel any pain."

Mullin, wearing a bright blue brace on his weak knee, said he will try to practice again Wednesday, and then hopes to work into playing shape this weekend.

While Nelson said he was excited about the prospect of Mullin's return, the veteran player had similar thoughts about his coach. "I'm happy he's back," Mullin said. "It was nice just hearing him in the locker room."

Carolina steals coach Capers from Steelers

By ALAN ROBINSON
AP Sports Writer

PITTSBURGH (AP) - The expansion Carolina Panthers are taking several risks by hiring Pittsburgh Steelers defensive coordinator Dom Capers as their first head coach.

Just by talking to Capers before the Steelers' season is over, they're risking a big fine and possible sanctions by the NFL, including the loss of draft choices.

They're also gambling that a man who has never been a head coach can quickly transform expansion players into a team as aggressive and successful as his sacking, attacking Steelers defense.

What the Panthers wouldn't risk was losing Capers to another NFL team. With the Philadelphia Eagles also interested in Capers, the Panthers apparently decided they couldn't wait any longer to go after the man they wanted.

With the Steelers aware of the situation, the Panthers apparently ignored the NFL's stringent anti-tampering rules by interviewing and hiring Capers last week. Under NFL rules, a team cannot talk to another team's coaches until that team's season is over.

Steelers coach Bill Cowher isn't confirming the numerous print and broadcast reports that he'll soon be seeking a new defensive coordinator, but he isn't denying them, either.

"This organization, Dom included, will have no comment until our

season is over," Cowher said Monday.

The Panthers contacted the Steelers before talking to Capers, but apparently didn't go directly through team president Dan Rooney, a proponent of the anti-tampering rule. It is more likely the permission came from Cowher, who possibly wasn't as cognizant of the rule as Rooney.

Cowher described Capers as a thoughtful, analytical coach whose best quality might be his communicative skills.

"Communication is most important thing in our business, and he's a good communicator," Cowher said.

Those lines of communication apparently weren't as open between Charlotte and NFL commissioner Paul Tagliabue's office in New York. Panthers officials were to appear at a hearing in New York today to review potential violations of NFL policy.

The Panthers face a fine of up to \$100,000 and the possible loss of draft choices. They own the top pick in the draft, plus another first-round pick. The Steelers also could be fined if it is determined they were too cooperative with Carolina.

Losing Capers will be a setback to the NFL's second-ranked defense, but Cowher has said repeatedly that he expected Capers to get a head coaching job. Capers, 44, would be the first Pittsburgh assistant hired as a head coach since Cowher took over in 1992.

BOWLS

score with 2:40 left in the third quarter for the Gamecocks' final points.

West Virginia (7-6), which got 132 yards and a 24-yard TD run from Robert Walker, lost its fifth straight bowl game.

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At New Orleans, the Seminoles beat their archrivals with a ball-control offense and stingy defense that held the high-scoring Gators to a season-low point total. Florida State (10-1-1) won by building on confidence restored during a 28-point fourth-quarter that produced a 31-31 standoff with the Gators (10-2-1) on Nov. 26.

Danny Kanell was 23-for-40 for Florida State as the teams combined for 774 yards passing. Warrick Dunn had 182 all-purpose yards, rushing for 56, catching nine passes for 51, and completing a 73-yard TD pass to Omar Ellison.

Florida State has won an NCAA-record 10 consecutive bowls.

Saturday's bowls
Alamo Bowl
Washington State 10, Baylor 3
Todd Jensen intercepted a Baylor pass in the end zone with 39 seconds

left, sealing a 10-3 win for Washington State in the Alamo Bowl Saturday in San Antonio.

The Cougars (8-4) jumped out to a 7-0 lead in their first possession on 1-yard touchdown run by Kevin Hicks. His run capped a 91-yard drive in which Chad Davis missed his first pass, then completed six in a row.

Washington State scored again with 2 seconds remaining in the first half on Tony Truant's 37-yard field goal.

Baylor's only points came with 1:35 left in the third quarter on Jarvis Van Dyke's 36-yard field goal.

Liberty Bowl
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Sunday's bowls
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The Hereford Community Concert Association will present the next performance in its 1994-95 season on Saturday when mezzo-soprano Brenda Boozer comes to town.

The concert will be at 8 p.m. in the Hereford High School auditorium. It is the second in a series of four concerts for association members this season.

Miss Boozer has sung a wide range of parts since her Metropolitan Opera debut in 1979, when she appeared as Hansel in "Hansel und Gretel."

She also has held the roles of Octavian in "Der Rosenkavalier," Orlofsky in "Die Fledermaus," Olga in "Eugene Onegin" and Suzuki in "Madama Butterfly."

As a concert soloist, Miss Boozer has performed with the orchestras of Philadelphia, Los Angeles, St. Louis, Seattle and the National Symphony. She also has participated in numerous festivals, including Wolf Trap and the Hollywood Bowl.

She was born in Atlanta and has degrees from Florida State University and the Juilliard School. She has been a guest on such television shows as the Tonight Show, the Mike Douglas Show and ABC's Wide World of Entertainment.



BRENDA BOOZER

Weapons, welfare, crime are top issues for '95 legislature

By MICHAEL HOLMES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP)—Texas legislators convene for their 1995 session on Jan. 10 without a budget crisis for the first time in a long time.

But there are plenty of issues to fill the 140-day agenda, ranging from crime and casinos to welfare and weapons.

Although the debates have yet to begin, the new governor and legislative leaders are in agreement on one thing: no new taxes.

Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and House Speaker Pete Laney, both Democrats, say they believe lawmakers will be able to write a two-year budget without a tax increase.

George W. Bush, who takes office Jan. 17 as only the second Republican governor this century, says that is good news for everyone.

"Often times, budget crises tend to dominate the political landscape. I think this is good news for taxpayers," Bush said.

That's not to say that budget-writing will be easy.

Legislative estimates say about \$6 billion more will be needed over the current, \$71 billion budget. About \$2 billion of that is needed for public schools, about \$2.2 billion for Medicaid increases and another \$1 billion to operate all the new prisons the state has been building.

On the plus side, about \$3 billion in additional revenues are expected, and Comptroller John Sharp says the state ended last fiscal year with a surplus of about \$2.2 billion. In addition, Sharp has recommended efficiencies and budget cuts totaling about \$2 billion more.

"There's been some things happen and some things accomplished that made the deficit not so great," Laney said.

"The economy's improving a little. State agencies have looked at their bottom line and worked real hard to do everything they could to spend tax dollars correctly ... They will also have some economy measures within those agencies," he said.

Lawmakers still are watching the Texas Supreme Court to learn whether they'll be forced to rewrite school finance laws for a fourth time. That court is considering their latest attempt at equalizing spending among rich and poor districts.

A state judge has upheld the latest finance law but ordered lawmakers to go further and find an equitable way to fund school construction needs.

One issue getting a lot of publicity before the session ... but apparently lacking widespread support ... is the question of legalized casino gambling.

Attorney General Dan Morales dealt pro-gambling interests a setback when he ruled that casinos require a constitutional amendment. That means legalizing casino gaming needs two-thirds approval of the House and Senate plus ratification by voters.

In addition, Bush opposes the idea. Although a constitutional amendment, if approved by lawmakers, would go straight to the ballot ... Bush says he would work to defeat it.

"I will campaign against casino gambling. I'm against it," he said in an interview.

Bullock, who presides over the Senate, said he's heard little about casino gambling and "can't see where it's on the front burner."

"It has created some problems in other states ... more police officers are needed on the streets, divorce courts seem to get a little more

active," the lieutenant governor said. "It's just not a burning governmental problem for our state."

Another hot topic is legalizing the carrying of concealed weapons.

Bush says he would sign such a bill and legislative leaders say it seems to have considerable support. The 1993 Legislature passed a bill calling for a statewide vote on the question, but Democratic Gov. Ann Richards vetoed it.

Predicting Senate passage this time, Bullock said, "I really thought the governor of Texas made a mistake in not giving people the right to voice their opinions on the issue."

Speaker Laney said he expects the House to approve gun legislation again.

"It did pass the House last time. I think it will probably be received in the same manner," he said. "I have reservations, but I think that probably that's something that evidently is pretty well on the minds of people and they'd like to at least have a vote on it."

A main Bush campaign theme was welfare reform, and a number of lawmakers agree that changes are needed. But there's a lot of debate about how to do it.

One problem is that state Medicaid officials say the program that pays for health care of uninsured and needy Texans will need about \$2.2 billion more over the next two-year budget period to maintain current programs.

Bush has proposed reforming welfare by placing a two-year limit on benefits for able-bodied recipients; requiring people to work, train or learn for their welfare checks; and prohibiting additional benefits to parents who have more children while on welfare.

Texas is wrapping up an unprecedented prison-building program that is doubling the size of the system to 145,000 beds.

Nazareth writer has 12-year record

Rural correspondents report visits, comings and goings of neighbors

By BRIAN COFER

Lubbock Avalanche-Journal
LORENZO, Texas - "Mrs. Boots Watson has returned home after spending several days in the home of her children in San Antonio."

So begins another week of "Lorenzo in Brief."

The column, which runs every Thursday in the Crosby County News & Chronicle, isn't the stuff that screaming headlines are made of. But then, it's not supposed to be, said its author, Euleta Poulson.

"My job is a service to the community," she said. "People like to know what's going on with their friends."

Since 1974, Ms. Poulson has served as a correspondent for the newspapers of Crosby County, reporting the comings and goings of people in the Lorenzo area.

The stuff she writes might seem trivial to the outsider, but for local residents, it's some of the most important news in the world: "Mrs. Ed Smith attended a Christmas program in Lubbock on Friday where her grandchildren, Brooke and Robin Smith, participated," reads one entry.

Ms. Poulson includes a wide range of topics. She might discuss someone being in the hospital. Other times, she might write about someone receiving visitors. If she thinks Lorenzo wants to know about it, Ms. Poulson includes it.

It works the same way in Enochs, where Mrs. J.D. Bayless has been writing about her Bailey County community since 1967.

"It's not very easy sometimes," she admits. "We don't have much

news, because there aren't many people anymore."

At one time, Mrs. Bayless said, Enochs was a thriving agricultural community. Now there's just a cotton gin, a church and a few dozen residents to keep it alive. But, judging by her column in the Morton Tribune, those residents stay busy.

"The Christmas program at the Baptist Church was enjoyed by everyone," she writes. "Visitors came from Three Way, Morton, Littlefield, Muleshoe, Meadow, Idalou and Plainview."

According to another entry, "I was sorry to hear that Katie Garvin is a patient in the hospital in Morton. Get well soon, Katie."

Mrs. Bayless never intended to be the eyes and ears of Enochs. Instead, she just picked up where a former correspondent left off. Almost three decades have passed since then.

"I always said that when I've written 30 years, I'm going to stop," she said. "But I don't know. I may keep doing it."

Virgie Gerber has no doubt that she wants to continue chronicling life in Nazareth.

"I told my kids that when I'm gone, they have to start doing it."

Her writing career for the Castro County News began about 12 years ago the same way Mrs. Bayless' did.

"The lady that was doing it had gotten elderly and didn't want to do it anymore," she said. "I couldn't tell her no."

It's not too difficult a job, she said. In Nazareth, "everyone goes to the Catholic church," which helps in collecting the news. In a recent

column, she also writes about the Lions Club pheasant hunt, a Christmas band concert and 4-H members who sold Christmas goodies to local seniors.

For Ms. Poulson, news comes from a variety of sources, including her church, the bridge clubs, game time at the senior citizens center and dinnertime at the Dairy Queen. She also reports on Lorenzo's school board and city council meetings.

Her column fulfills a childhood interest in journalism. She recalled walking past the Lorenzo newspaper office as a child to watch the typesetters at work. Forty years later, she succeeded a retiring correspondent to report on Lorenzo. At one point, in 1986, she was editor of the Ralls newspaper. But it was bought out and merged with two other newspapers to form a county paper.

"It was a great responsibility, but I enjoyed it," she said. Since then, she's been content with her role as Lorenzo's correspondent. A scrapbook in her living room is filled with her columns, as well as area historical stories and reminiscences of old times.

"It's something for me to do," she said. "It gets me out and among the people."

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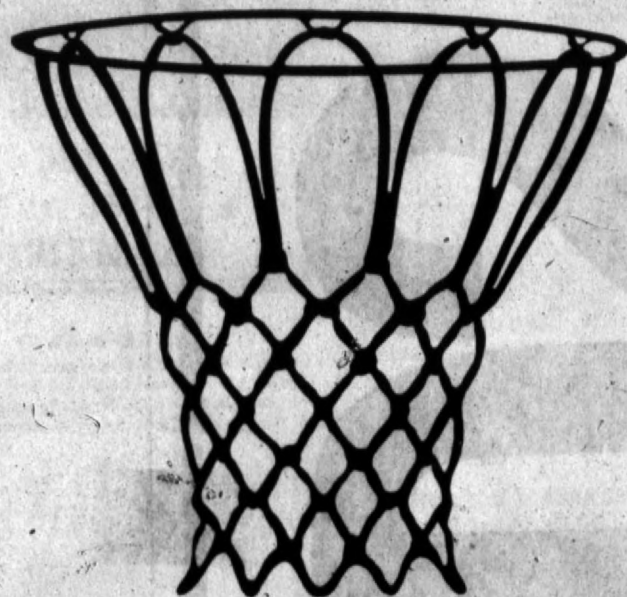
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Boys

Day	Date	Opponent/ Tournament	Site	Vars. Time	JV Time
Tue.	Dec. 6	Dimmitt	Hereford	8	5
	Dec. 8-10	Abemathy tournament (V)		TBA	
	Dec. 8-10	Borger tournament (JV)			TBA
Fri.	Dec. 16	Coronado	Lubbock	7:45	
	Dec. 16-17	Friendship tournament (JV)			TBA
Tue.	Dec. 20	Muleshoe	Hereford	7:30	6
	Dec. 28-30	Canyon tournament (V)			TBA
Tue.	Jan. 3	*Canyon	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Jan. 6	*Dumas	Dumas	7:30	6
Tue.	Jan. 10	*Borger	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Jan. 13	*Caprock	Amarillo	7:30	6
Fri.	Jan. 20	*Pampa	Pampa	7:30	6
Tue.	Jan. 24	*Randall	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Jan. 27	*Canyon	Canyon	7:30	6
Tue.	Jan. 31	*Dumas	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Feb. 3	*Borger	Borger	7:30	6
Tue.	Feb. 7	*Caprock	Hereford	7:30	6
Tue.	Feb. 14	*Pampa	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Feb. 17	*Randall	Randall	7:30	6

Girls

Day	Date	Opponent/ Tournament	Site	Vars. Time	JV Time
Tue.	Dec. 6	Dimmitt	Hereford	6:30	5
	Dec. 8-10	Abemathy tournament (V)		TBA	
	Dec. 8-10	Randall tournament (JV)			TBA
Mon.	Dec. 12	*Pampa	Hereford	7:30	6
Fri.	Dec. 16	*Randall	Randall	7:30	6
Tue.	Dec. 20	Muleshoe	Hereford	6	noJV
	Dec. 28-30	Littlefield tournament (V)			TBA
Tue.	Jan. 3	*Canyon	Hereford	6	7:30
Fri.	Jan. 6	*Dumas	Dumas	6	7:30
Tue.	Jan. 10	*Borger	Hereford	6	7:30
Fri.	Jan. 13	*Caprock	Amarillo	6	7:30
Fri.	Jan. 20	*Pampa	Pampa	6	7:30
Tue.	Jan. 24	*Randall	Hereford	6	7:30
Fri.	Jan. 27	*Canyon	Canyon	6	7:30
Tue.	Jan. 31	*Dumas	Hereford	6	7:30
Fri.	Feb. 3	*Borger	Borger	6	7:30
Tue.	Feb. 7	*Caprock	Hereford	6	7:30

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Front Left - Right: Misti Davis, Julie Cole, Danielle Cornelius, Julie Rampley, Mindi Davis, Heather Hodges, Back: Head Coach Eddie Fortenberry, Tarabeth Holmes, Kari Barrett, Brittney Binder, Catie Betzen, Asst. Coach Loy Triana

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Senior	4	Michael Brown
Senior	10	Ashley Noland
Senior	12	Keith Barrett
Junior	14	Ronald Torres
Senior	20	Cody Marion
Senior	22	Michael Power
Sophomore	24	Isaac Walker
Senior	30	Wade Backus
Senior	32	Benton Buckley
Junior	34	Michael High
Junior	40	Todd Dudley
Senior	44	Gregg Kalka
Senior	50	Jason Eades
Senior	52	Terance High

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Lady Whitefaces

Sophomore	10	Kari Barrett
Junior	22	Brittney Binder
Freshman	24	Catie Betzen
Freshman	30	Julie Rampley
Junior	34	Heather Hodges
Junior	42	Mindi Davis
Freshman	44	Misti Davis
Junior	50	Tarabeth Holmes
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