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Shelby Metcalf said he's waiting for some nice weather to go fishing. He's also been keeping up with A&M basketball.

Metcalf continuing without coaching job

Analysis
By DENNE H. FREEMAN
Of The Associated Press

DALLAS (AP) — Shelby Metcalf — remember him? — spends his days taking care of two cats and a dog and reading a shoe box full of mail.

He recently beat what he called "flu from hell" and has watched numerous basketball games on television "trying to figure out how I fouled up."

Metcalf may be down, but you couldn't kill his sense of humor with liquid edger.

"I'm just waiting for the weather to get nice so I can get after the fish on Lake Gig 'Em," he said.

"I'd probably make a pretty good fishing guide except I don't like fishing when the weather is bad."

Metcalf, as the British would say, is keeping a stiff upper lip.

The job of his life as Texas A&M University basketball coach was over as suddenly as a game when the opponent hits a winning three-point shot at the buzzer.

On Monday, Jan. 23, the 59-year-old Metcalf was given the gate after 27 years as head basketball coach.

The combination of the sudden firing by Athletic Director John David Crow and lingering influenza put Metcalf in his own personal twilight zone.

He had nowhere to go, nothing to do.

"I'd been coaching since 1955 and

then it was over just like that," Metcalf said. "Coaching and fishing. That's about all I knew how to do."

Metcalf hasn't been back to Rollie White Coliseum to see his Aggies play, but has caught some games on television and the radio.

He follows with interest the reports about who will replace him.

Asked about Idaho coach Kermit Davis, Metcalf said, "I coached against his dad at Mississippi State. He and his dad are both good people. Kermit is a very personable guy. Of course, I guess that will kill me since I said something nice about him."

Metcalf doesn't want to talk about his possible successor because of his fondness for John Thornton, an assistant, who has been the interim coach since Metcalf was ousted.

Metcalf is pulling hard for Thornton.

Metcalf has almost become a name in information central about the job.

Other coaches call him looking for information.

Former Arkansas and Kentucky head coach Eddie Sutton has called three times.

"Eddie didn't call me when he was in Arkansas, and now he calls me the time," Metcalf quipped.

Metcalf welcomes callers.

His cats and dog are good friends but they don't talk basketball.

And you can tell basketball something Metcalf really misses.

A&M tennis team hosts SWT

By RICHARD TIJERINA
Of The Battalion Staff

The Texas A&M men's tennis team hosts Southwest Texas State Thursday at the Omar Smith Tennis Center, weather permitting.

Ironically, the match is being played Thursday because it was rescheduled after it was postponed Feb. 9 because of rainy weather. Bryan-College Station was hit with hard rain Wednesday, and whether Thursday's tennis match will be able to be played remains unclear.

One thing that's clearly evident is the strong start the Aggies (3-1) are making in the 1990 season.

Behind the play of senior Shaun O'Donovan, the Aggies advanced to the championship round of last weekend's Indiana Indoor Team Tournament. A&M fell to Indiana in the final round, but won its first three matches to reach it.

O'Donovan improved his season singles record to 4-0 last weekend, including an upset of Michigan's David Kass, the nation's 18th-ranked player.

"I really would like to stress how well O'Donovan played," A&M coach David Kent said. "Two of the wins he had this weekend were as big as anybody has had at Texas A&M since 1985. It was really a great trip."

A&M and SWT met last October when the two schools competed in the A&M 4-Way Tournament. The schools matched up eight times in the open tournament, and the Aggies won six of the matches. A&M won three of five singles matches and all three doubles meetings.

Kent has moved to within four victories of the 400-victory mark. With his wins last weekend, Kent's career record stands at 396-170 for a winning percentage of .699. He's tied with Michigan coach Brian Eisner for fifth on the list of winningest active coaches.

Rockets ship Chievous off to Cavs

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston Rockets on Wednesday acquired three future second-round draft picks and an undisclosed amount of cash from the Cleveland Cavaliers for forward-guard Derrick Chievous.

Also, the Rockets acquired guard Vernon Maxwell from San Antonio from an undisclosed sum, said Rock-

ets general manager Steve Patterson.

The Rockets will get the Cavaliers' 1992 or 1994 second-round draft pick, plus Boston's 1991 and 1993 second-round picks, which Cleveland had acquired from New Jersey. The Nets received the two picks from Boston for John Bagley.

Chievous was the Rockets' 1988 first-round draft pick. He averaged

5.9 points and 1.8 rebounds in 41 games for Houston this season.

Maxwell, a 1988 second-round draft pick by Denver who was immediately traded to the Spurs, averaged 6.9 points, 3.0 assists and rebounds in 49 games for San Antonio this season. He averaged 11.7 points in 79 games in his first year.

Cowboys hire Woicik as new strength coach

IRVING (AP) — Mike Woicik, strength coach for the last 10 years at Syracuse University, has been hired in a similar capacity by the Dallas Cowboys of the NFL to replace the fired Bob Ward. The hire was announced on Wednesday.

Woicik, 33, will begin directing the Cowboys player conditioning on March 6.

"Mike Woicik is one of the best strength and conditioning coaches in the country," said Dallas coach Jimmy Johnson.

"He did a tremendous job at Syracuse and I'm excited about what he's going to do for our team."

Woicik is a native of Westwood, Mass., and was a track scholarship athlete at Boston College.

At Syracuse, Woicik worked with assistant coaches Tony Wreath and Dave Campo, now assistant coaches with the Cowboys, and fullback Daryl Johnston, the Cowboys' second-round draft choice last year.

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