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Hardy still fears for her life

Patricia Hardy has decided to return to her roots to start her life again, trying to come back from 10 years of abuse

By JOHN BROOKS
Managing Editor

Patricia Hardy is living with a horror story, justifiably trying to carry on with her life while fearing for her life.

She is trying to deal with the fear that her ex-husband Mike (not his real name) may carry through with his threat to kill her. Statistics favor Mike.

She's trying to beat the odds.

She's also trying to beat the odds that her small son will grow up to be a wife abuser. She also fears that her daughter may someday become an abused wife.

Hardy has come back to her roots in Hereford to start her life over after 10½ years of trial that was her marriage. She left her Lubbock home with her two children and the clothes the three were wearing to get away from the man who has promised he's going to kill her.

"I just got us out with our clothes," Hardy said. "Mike had told me that if I ever left I would not have anything. He was right. I didn't get a dish, a towel, a wash cloth, a fork, or anything. Just the clothes we had on our backs." Just because she's left doesn't mean the nightmare is over. Mike didn't threaten her, or her family, with a gun until well after their divorce.

"It's progressed step-by-step from name-calling to push to shove to slap to punch to beat up to threaten with a gun," Hardy said. "The next step is shooting, and I don't want that."

State crime statistics show that over half of the 2,000 homicides in 1986 resulted from some type of domestic dispute—not only does the assailant know the victim, but they're probably related by blood or marriage.

Hardy says many of those homicides developed from cases just like hers.

"The anger in their stress level stays so high all of the time," Hardy claimed.

"The anger level doesn't go up and down like this," she gestured, drawing a graph in the air with her hands. "They don't take dips, they just stay high."

"Sometimes," she said, sweeping her hand high above her head, "they boil over in an instant. That's when it's over."

Hardy's hindsight is better than 20-20. She knows how her hell started, how it progressed, and



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-PATRICIA HARDY

how it endures.

"It all began when we were dating," she said. "He wouldn't let me associate with my friends anymore. It was just with his friends, or our friends. He'd get mad if I visited with my friends." Later, he wouldn't associate with her family "even though we never lived more than 4½ hours away from them. I can count on both hands the number of times he's visited with them in 10½ years."

Mike later told Patricia that she, and their children, were just "objects he had acquired, like our house and our land and our belongings."

She was married in 1976. When the honeymoon was over, it was over.

"I got married with the traditional church wedding with visions of 'happily ever after' dancing in my head," she said. "That lasted less than two weeks. I found out very soon that all marriages aren't like my parents'," whom she called "God-fearing Christians... who put me in mind of Ozzie and Harriet with modern-day problems."

Two years later, in Fort Sumner, N.M., she turned Mike in for assault for the first time.

"Just like in most domestic violence cases, I went right back to the same life," she said. "After the first time, I've found, law enforcement people don't have a lot of sympathy for you if you file charges on them and then go right back to them."

Soon they moved to Kansas. Soon, she filed charges there. Soon, she heard Mike promise for the second time that "he would quit and straighten up and all of these other promises. I went right back to him, and he started all over again."

In 1985, she had major surgery the day she returned home to recuperate. Mike kicked her in the stomach.

It took several more months before the gravity of the situation led to her leaving, and filing for divorce.

"That's when the real terror began," she said.

He began calling her, threatening her life. She taped many of the phone calls, which continued even though a protective order had been issued.

Then he came to her house.

"He just walked in and began a barrage of abusive language and physical abuse," she said. "It ended in an attempted rape, which I turned him in for that night. The next day he was detained for 15 minutes." Officers told her it was a civil matter, and she'd have to file civil charges against him.

Patricia thought she could help the situation by moving to another city. Mike found her within the month.

"We had made arrangements to take the children to my parents' home when it was his weekend to have them," she said.

Last month he brought the children back to the grandparents and began a verbal barrage aimed at the entire family.

"He had obviously been drinking and was verbally abusive," she said, "so my dad asked him several times to leave. Then my dad told him to leave."

"Mike grabbed him and threw him down, then started choking my dad. My sisters and I pulled Mike off of him, and dad went into the house to get a gun. He wanted to protect his family and himself."

"Mike grabbed our daughter and shielded himself. Mike said, 'Shoot! Go ahead and shoot!' I wrestled the gun from dad and went to the other side of the porch. Dad just went into the house and got another gun."

"I pleaded with dad, told him that was not the way, and dad put the gun down. I finally talked Mike into leaving."

"He said he would, but he promised he'd be back with a gun."

The next morning, her dad was taken into custody, jailed for assault. The case is scheduled to come before the grand jury in Randall County in the near future.

"Since then, my dad's been getting calls," she claimed. "One time, they said 'If you don't serve time, I'll kill you all.' He had his number changed, but he still gets calls."

She fears for her life.

"The two things I hate are to be afraid and to be alone," she said. "I guess that's why I stayed. He always told me I couldn't make it, that I couldn't get a job. He told me no one else would have me or want me."

"But I'm not going to move again. I've been afraid of him for long enough, and I'm not going to just move and move and move to stay away from him."

She also offers suggestions—"It doesn't matter whether it's a husband or a wife"—for people who see themselves in the same situation.

"It won't ever stop," she said. "Quit telling yourself they'll stop. It could stop for a while, but it will happen again."

"You've got to realize you have a problem. You can choose to stay and put up with the physical, mental and sexual abuse. Or you can get out and get help. You can go to Domestic Violence."

"You've got to decide whether you're going to listen to their promises and then see them broken time after time or just say 'Enough!' and get out."

"You just have to decide whether to stay or to leave. I stayed way too many times."

Wright hopes to continue OPI's success

119 Hereford students have received loans through the Opportunity Plan

By SPEEDY NIEMAN
Editor-Publisher

Milton "Buff" Morris, founder of Opportunity Plan, Inc., has retired as president of the privately-funded organization that has offered financial assistance to area college students for 34 years.

Cathryn Wright, an OPI employee since 1975, was named as the new president earlier this week. The OPI board will formally mark the change in March with a reception for Morris. Wright, the daughter of Morris, says her father intends to continue as a volunteer worker for OPI and has been given the title of president-emeritus.

From 1954 to 1987, a total of 10,000 students were given loans by the Canyon-based organization, and OPI reports a 98-percent repayment record, said Wright. She explains that OPI serves needs other than monetary—such as information on government loan programs, scholarships and other education-related concerns.

A total of 130 civic groups, individuals and foundations support the loan fund, according to Wright. In some Texas Panhandle communities, groups pool their resources and fund loans through the Opportunity Plan for hometown students.

"Hereford is a perfect example," Wright said. "They went together and several organizations worked to establish funds."

Carolyn Baxter, a member of the Hereford division of OPI, reports that 119 students have obtained loans through the local plan. Currently, there are 31 students in school or in the repayment process. The Hereford division has about \$66,000 in capital. Hereford Lions helped get

the fund started here and other organizations and individuals have contributed. Because of the revolving fund and paybacks, no solicitation of funds has been made in a number of years.

Others on the local board are John Aikin, Robert Thompson, Lynton Allred, Lois Lomenick, Irene McKinster and Bobby Owen. Students apply for loans at the Canyon office but can be referred by local board members.

A former professor, Morris was working for the Ex-Student Association at WTSU when he came up with the "plan." In explaining and selling his idea, he stressed it was not a "free ride," but a helping hand to anybody wanting to help themselves.

The plan lends money to students at almost 40 different institutions of higher learning, the largest number at WTSU and the second-largest at Texas Tech. Scholarships are also awarded through OPI.

At any given time, OPI has approximately 500 active student loans representing about \$1.5 million. Wright points out that paying the bare minimum at WTSU for a 12-hour course load, room, board and books costs about \$1,500 a semester.

"Our program works," said Wright. "We start by having our students work out a budget for themselves and we help them to make cuts where necessary." Typically, says Wright, the toughest thing for a beginning college student to learn is to budget money. "At OPI, we're concerned that a lot of students are getting out of school owing too much money, so we work with them on budgeting habits."

The new administrator predicts one day the non-profit corporation will be managed by former participants in the plan. "It was started," said Mrs. Wright, "by people who cared about other people."

Local Roundup

Weekend warm-up

Tonight will be fair, with a low of 28. South wind will be 5 to 15 mph. Saturday will be fair and warmer, with a high of 60. Southwest wind will be 10 to 20 mph and gusty. This morning's low at KPAN was 24 after a high Thursday of 47.

Post office adjusting hours

The Hereford post office will adjust its hours beginning Saturday, according to local postmaster Charles Britten. The post office will no longer have window service on Saturdays, and will not open weekdays until 9 a.m. The windows will stay open until 4:30 p.m. each weekday.

The United States Postal Service has been ordered to trim \$1.2 billion from its budget, and post offices nationwide are reducing retail hours by 10 to 12 percent.

Monday is legal holiday

Most federal offices, post offices, and financial institutions will be closed Monday for President's Day. The holiday is the legal observance of the birthdays of presidents George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, and is observed on the third Monday of February.

HTFCU deposits show increase

Shares of members at Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union totaled \$17.6 million at the close of business Dec. 31, 1987, according to a statement released by the financial institution this week. Deposits were up \$1.6 million over the same time a year ago. The HTFCU statement showed loans of \$8.2 million, compared to a total of \$7.4 million a year ago.

Sheriff's department reports theft

A \$250 hydraulic cylinder was stolen off farm machinery parked one-half mile north of Center Point. The report was made Thursday, but the cylinder was taken sometime last week, said reports. Also, an assault was reported Thursday night when a husband assaulted his wife at the San Jose Labor Camp.

Woman in hospital after car accident

An 87-year-old woman was slightly injured in a car wreck Thursday afternoon when the car she was driving collided with another car at Bradley Street and U.S. Highway 385. Ada Hollabaugh, 819 Knight St., is still under observation at Deaf Smith General Hospital, said Gary Moore, hospital administrator. Ted Argeanas, a witness, said he saw Hollabaugh stop at the stop sign on Bradley Street and then try to beat the traffic. Genaine Avery, driving north on U.S. Highway 385, collided with Hollabaugh. Hereford police arrested five persons Thursday including a 17-year-old man arrested on charges of driving while intoxicated, no driver's license and on charges of a minor consuming alcohol. A woman, 44, on charges of a terroristic threat after saying she planned to kill the woman allegedly having an affair with her husband. A 25-year-old man for his second offense on charges of having sex (See ROUNDUP, Page 2)

Hereford Bull

By SPEEDY NIEMAN



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says a mistake is at least proof that someone was trying to accomplish something.

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To train children at home, it's necessary for both the parents and children to spend some time there.

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If you want to be miserable, hate somebody.

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Tickets are now on sale for the Hereford Lions Club annual Pancake Supper and Auction. The event is scheduled Feb. 25 at the Bull Barn with proceeds to be used for the club's charitable work. Lions are now collecting items for the big auction.

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Historians aren't sure who St. Valentine was. At least three of history's eight St. Valentines had feasts on Feb. 14 and one of those three was beheaded on Feb. 14. He didn't lose his head over a woman, however. Claudius, a Roman emperor, ordered him to be beheaded for aiding the Christians.

The forerunner of Valentine's Day is most likely traced back to an ancient Roman festival. An event of the festival has been called a "love lottery" because Roman maidens plac-

ed their names in a giant urn in the public square. Young men drew the name cards from the urn and courted the maid whose name was drawn for one year.

Most of us could care less about the legends and the pagan holidays. When Feb. 14 rolls around each year, it's the designated day to send a valentine to our loved ones. Hallmark Cards, Inc., reports that Valentine's Day is the second largest card-sending occasion in the United States.

About 850 million valentines are expected to be exchanged this year. What particular group of people receive the most valentines? If you guessed teachers, you get an A. Next come mothers, wives and girlfriends. Hallmark reports that almost 65 percent of all valentines are given to relatives.

Not everyone wants to pledge undying love on Valentine's Day. In fact, many people are more comfortable sending a funny valentine card than a serious one, according to researchers at Hallmark Cards. Humorous valentines have been around almost as long as the romantic ones. Commercial valentines appeared in about 1800 and the first American publisher of valentines (See BULL, Page 2)

Man indicted on IRS embezzlement

An 18-count indictment has been handed down against a Hereford man accused of embezzling more than \$5,000 in taxpayer payments from the Internal Revenue Service.

Pedro Vargas is accused of falsifying payment records and converting checks and money orders to his own use between October 1985 and October 1986, according to federal attorneys in Lubbock.

The indictments allege that funds collected in Lubbock, where Vargas worked as a tax examining assistant, were diverted from at least nine in-

dividuals.

The prosecutors said that an internal investigation was conducted after problems with several taxpayer accounts. The accounts involved have been credited, but the money has not been recovered.

The largest single amount allegedly embezzled, dated April 15, 1986, was \$1,200.

Vargas has been suspended indefinitely without pay.

If convicted, Vargas could face up to 135 years in prison and fines totaling \$4.25 million.

Storm hits downstate

By The Associated Press
A blustery winter storm that glazed Texas roadways and forced dozens of school closings left chilly temperatures in its wake.

The storm packed gusty winds reaching of 45 mph gusts and caused power blackouts and car accidents, but sunshine had cleared up most of the ice problems by Thursday evening, authorities said.

The National Weather Service predicted generally clear skies over the state today with a slight warming trend. High temperatures were expected to range from the 40s to the 60s.

Earlier Thursday, several jack-

knifed trucks clogged highways in Northeast Texas and officials advised motorists to stay off the road. Dozens of schools were closed or opened late.

Patches of ice caused several large trucks to slide off Interstate 35 in Hill County between Waco and Hillsboro, authorities said, and similar problems were reported in the Smith County near Tyler.

"We had so many wrecks that a trooper would be out at one and he would see one or two others and work them," said Gail Holt of the Department of Public Safety in Waco. "We probably will not know for two or (See STORM, Page 2)

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Buckle hug

Members of the Hereford High School FHA-HERO and Student Council posted signs this week near the exit gates at Hereford High School to remind students to

buckle their seat belts when leaving school. FHA-HERO also sold "Buckle Hug" valentines this week as part of an FHA-HERO Week project.

Jurors didn't believe Nofziger's argument

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jurors who convicted former presidential aide Lyn Nofziger of illegal lobbying say they didn't buy his argument that the White House had little interest in the multimillion-dollar military contracts he sought for clients.

Jurors interviewed after Thursday's verdict disagreed with the defense's technical argument that what Nofziger lobbied about was not "direct and substantial interest" to the White House.

"Oh yes it was," said juror Leslie Charles. "Didn't Judge Flannery instruct us that it did not have to do with a broad topic such as poverty or welfare?"

"It had to do with an A-10 bomber, it had to do with MEBA (the Marine Engineers Beneficial Association)," Ms. Charles said. "I don't think those are broad topics."

"The evidence just kept coming up all the time," foreman Towana Braxton said after the jury convicted Nofziger on three counts of illegally lobbying former White House colleagues within a year of leaving President Reagan's staff. Such contacts are prohibited by the Ethics in Government Act.

Nofziger was White House political director during the first year of Reagan's presidency, and then became a private lobbyist. He was found guilty of illegally pressing then-presidential counselor Edwin Meese III about a defense contract for Wedtech Corp.

Meese, now attorney general, testified that he couldn't recall receiving a memo from Nofziger about Wedtech.

Nofziger also was convicted of lobbying other presidential aides about continued production of the A-10 anti-tank plane for Fairchild Republic Corp., and a Navy policy favored by the marine engineers union.

Each conviction carries a potential two-year sentence and a \$10,000 fine. U.S. District Judge Thomas A. Flannery scheduled sentencing for March 25.

The jury acquitted Nofziger, 63, of a fourth count involving an alleged contact about Wedtech's ultimately successful quest for a \$32 million non-competitive Army contract.

Nofziger's partner, Mark A. Bragg, was acquitted of a single aiding and abetting count arising from the same charge — that Nofziger sent a May 28, 1982 letter about Wedtech to deputy presidential adviser James E. Jenkins.

The defense denied that Nofziger signed the letter or knew anything about it, suggesting his signature was forged.

"There was not enough convincing or credible evidence" that Nofziger signed it, Ms. Braxton said.

Nofziger's lawyers conceded he made the other lobbying contacts but contended he was trying to create White House interest that wasn't there.

But prosecutors produced presidential directives about the A-10 and civilian manning of Navy support ships to document White House interest.

Army and Small Business Administration officials testified that without the pressure from Jenkins, Wedtech would not have received the contract to build small engines.

After the verdict, Nofziger said he would appeal and compared his actions to "running a stop sign."

"I feel that I am innocent," he said. "I don't think I did anything wrong."

But juror Herbert Robinson said he was swayed by testimony that the A-10 "was obsolete or useless."

GOP race makes for good reading

By LAURA KING
Associated Press Writer
The GOP presidential race is reading like the plot of a potboiler novel, as Alexander Haig hints at ending it all, George Bush bares his soul in search of votes, and Jack Kemp takes on Pat Robertson over an abortion-and-pornography campaign flyer.

On the Democratic side, Rep. Richard Gephardt is defending himself on two fronts — his trade policies and his record. Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis has been attacking him on one and Sen. Paul Simon on the other.

Most of the 13 candidates are stumping today in New Hampshire, where heavy snowfall was expected to disrupt campaigning. The state holds its first-in-the-nation presidential primary on Tuesday.

Haig called a news conference in Manchester, N.H. today to talk about the future of his campaign, which has an unhappy recent past. The former secretary of state finished at the bottom of the Republican heap in Iowa, and has hinted that money pro-

blems could force him to call it quits.

Reports in The Washington Post and the Dallas Times Herald, quoting unidentified sources, said Haig would drop out and throw his support to Kansas Sen. Bob Dole, who finished first in Iowa's GOP precinct caucuses on Monday.

Haig's campaign manager, Brian Sweeney, said Thursday night that Haig had no campaign appearances scheduled after the news conference.

Kemp was going before a conservative group in Washington, and his campaign said he'd be talking about a flyer, mailed to fundamentalist Christians in several states, that says he's soft on pornography and implies that a member of his family had had an abortion.

The New York congressman, unhappy about the flyer, said he thought Robertson backers were behind it. On Thursday night, Robertson spokeswoman Connie Snapp acknowledged that to be the case, although she said the material was distributed without the knowledge of Robertson's headquarters.

The campaign, Miss Snapp said,

was "trying to get to the bottom of this."

Robertson, meanwhile, said in an interview on government-run television in South Africa that American blacks "don't understand what they're dealing with in this South African thing."

He urged the South African government to exercise moderation in dealing with unrest, but complained about Americans who seek to turn the situation there into "an extension of the United States civil rights movement."

Bush, knocked into third place in Iowa last week by Robertson, made an unusually emotional pitch for votes on Thursday.

"I care too much to leave now," he told senior citizens in Portsmouth, N.H. "I'm working my heart out up here. So can you help me?"

Recent polls, including a new survey by CBS News and The New York Times, have indicated Dole, the Senate minority leader, is breathing down the vice president's neck in New Hampshire, where Bush once enjoyed a substantial lead.

Dole, campaigning a few miles

away in Durham, suggested that Bush has more to lose in Tuesday's primary than he does. "I think it is more critical for him than me," he said.

Gephardt, the Democratic winner in Iowa, accused Dukakis, the expected winner in New Hampshire, of ignorance about Congress and trade issues.

Simon, is running television ads that accuse Gephardt of taking campaign stands inconsistent with his voting record.

Garms approved

...teachers endorse Senate candidate

AMARILLO (Sp1)—Nancy Garms, Democratic candidate for the District 31 State Senate seat, has received the endorsement of the Texas Educators Political Action Committee.

The educators' endorsement, which includes a campaign contribution, was the result of local interviews with all candidates interested

in receiving the group's support. Garms, a former classroom teacher, is currently an adjunct professor of psychology at West Texas State University.

"Nancy Garms has been one of us," stated Muriel Davis, president of Amarillo Classroom Teachers Association. "She has been active in the classroom and faced the problems we face." ACTA is the oldest

educator organization in Amarillo and represents a majority of the teachers.

Garms responded that "any candidate would be proud to have the endorsement of this group of dedicated professionals." She added that the endorsement was "particularly gratifying, because it comes from my peers."

Gorbachev: 'glasnost' not cosmetic

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Soviet Union leader Mikhail Gorbachev's "glasnost" program is a substantive policy, not a cosmetic change for the benefit of Western observers, the head of a U.S.-Soviet relations group said.

Dimitri Simes, director of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace Project on U.S.-Soviet

relations, said Gorbachev is using the media to create a sense of movement and upheaval in his country.

"Gorbachev is telling the media to be courageous, to be bold, to be entrepreneurs; and to be critical of opponents to 'perestroika' (restructuring)," Simes said Thursday.

"He is also telling them to follow the government agenda and to

discredit the 'little Stalins' who feel they are untouchable. The media is being manipulated."

The international peace project is a committee of the Carnegie Endowment that supports the Carnegie Foundation.

Simes, who has also served as a consultant to CBS News and the U.S. Arms Control and Disarmament

Agency, delivered the opening address at Texas A&M University's 33rd annual Student Conference on National Affairs.

This year, the conference is called "The U.S.S.R. — The Kremlin in Transition." About 150 students from various countries are attending.

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three days just exactly how many we had."

Officials said 29-year-old Joe Rodney Turner of Belton died when he lost control of his pickup truck Thursday morning on a snow- and ice-packed stretch of U.S. Highway 84 near Gatesville and crossed into the lane of an oncoming tractor-trailer rig.

Icy conditions were also blamed for the deaths of two Fort Worth children who died late Wednesday when the pickup they were in slid across an icy overpass on Interstate 20 in Arlington and slammed into a guardrail, police said.

Kristie Blake, 5, and John Dennis Blake Jr., 3, of Fort Worth, were thrown from the truck after their foster mother, Cody Jane Lacy, lost control of the vehicle shortly before

11 p.m., police said.

East of Dallas, Karen Murphy and her three children were rescued from the icy waters of Lake Ray Hubbard when their car spun out of control on a snow-packed road and flipped into the lake.

Authorities said 4-year-old Morgan Murphy spent 10 minutes trapped in the mostly submerged car before her rescue. She was in stable condition at a nearby hospital. Leslie Murphy, 7, and Stuart, 2, escaped serious injury.

The frigid weather dipped into South Texas with icy winds blowing at 10 to 20 mph, but officials reported gusts in Corpus Christi at 45 mph.

The foul weather postponed today's baseball opener at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville.

"They just decided it was too cold

to be hitting a baseball out there," said Jan Robson, a secretary at the school.

The cold temperatures and strong winds produced wind chill factors ranging from 10 degrees to 18 below zero.

Dalhart, in the Texas Panhandle, reported a reading of 3 degrees at 7 a.m., and it was 5 degrees in Childress, 10 degrees in Wichita Falls and 18 degrees in Dallas.

Up to 3 inches of snow and ice fell over North Texas on Wednesday night and early Thursday morning. The precipitation had ended over all of Texas by late morning.

Power outages dotted North Texas. Residents of Rockwall, a suburban Dallas community of 6,000, were without electricity early Thursday after wind and snow knocked down power lines.

Davis said power had been restored to most areas by 6 a.m., and outages also plagued pockets of nearby Garland, Mesquite and Rowlett during the day.

Snow, freezing rain and sleet were reported from Abilene eastward across North Texas and as far south as Bryan-College Station.

Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Allen are the parents of a boy, Stefan Ross born February 11, 1988.

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Lisa Albiar, Cristy Allen, Boy Allen, Mendy Bevers, Helen Bishop, Gumerendo Carrillo, Ashley Carroll, Alfredo Duran.

Elizabeth Ferguson, Nicholas Fuentes, Candelaria Gonzales, Joe Hamilton, Randie Hamilton, Vicky Higgins, Kathy Hoard.

Ada Hollabaugh, Melinda Holmes, Amy Horton, Nora Lawhon, Janie London, Charles McDaniels, Hortencia Mendoza, David Mondragon, Bonnie Nall.

Manuel Ramirez, Luis Robles, Ben Shreve, Janie Sides, Christine Sossaman, John Thames, Callie Vandever, Earl Vaughan.

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was in 1949. Lots of today's funny valentines include a come-on. One 1988 card says, "I sure hope you like warm, sen-

timental Valentines...because that's the kind of Valentine I am!" Another says, "Hug, Hug, Hug, Hug, Hug...I'm just making a list of things

we could do together on Valentine's Day."

Some of the cards offer barbs, puns or just a good-natured laugh. On one card a young woman says, "Something to think about if your Valentine gives you a single red rose: Who got the other 11?" On another card a woman says, "Be my Valentine and I'll be a slave to your every whim...I'll spend every second planning your next ecstasy...I'll devote the rest of my life to your happiness," and on the inside: "I'll stop making promises I don't intend to keep."

You may have trouble selecting just the right valentine. Hallmark, alone, offers about 2,000 different designs!

roundup

liability insurance and no seat belt; a man, 19, on a city warrant for trespassing and driving a vehicle with an expired inspection sticker; And a 27-year-old man on charges of assault on his wife and resisting arrest. His wife was also arrested on charges of resisting arrest and public intoxication.

Offenses include a woman at 210 Ave. I claiming she was assaulted by her ex-husband; a woman reporting harrasing phone calls; and a woman reporting that her estranged husband continually harasses her.

The fire department made a call one-half mile north on Progressive Road to a car on fire.

Obituaries

BUDDIE FALLWELL
Feb. 10, 1988

Buddie Fallwell, 60, of Friona died Wednesday. He was born in Hereford.

Services will be at 3 p.m. Saturday in Calvary Baptist Church with the Rev. Vergil Ishtertz, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Friona Cemetery by Ellis-Blackwell Funeral Home.

Mr. Fallwell, born in Hereford, was a lifetime resident of Parmer County. He was married to Francis Henry in 1946 at Portales, N.M. He was self-employed electrician. He was the city electrical inspector for many years. He was a Baptist and a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II.

Survivors include his wife; three sons, Gary Fallwell of Bullard, Larry Fallwell of Coolidge, Kan., and Bill Fallwell of Borger; five daughters, Sarah Lappi of Saltillo, Linda McKean of Amarillo, Hazel Fallwell of Arlington, Terri Williams of Friona and Bonnie Pope of Friona; three sisters, Beulah Booker of Cache, Okla., Jimmie Sue Gipson of Friona, and Thoma Lou Boeckman of Friona; two brothers, Joe Fallwell of Ruidoso, N.M. and Glen Ray Fallwell of Tucson, Ariz.; and 21 grandchildren.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association or Veterans of Foreign Wars.

FRANK CHILDRESS
Feb. 1, 1988

Former Hereford resident, Frank Childress of Hale Center, 55, died Feb. 1 in Arlington.

Graveside services will be at 2 p.m. Saturday in Hale Center Cemetery with Silas Short, minister of Hale Center Church of Christ, officiating. Arrangements are by Freeman Funeral Home.

Mr. Childress, a native of Coweta, Okla., moved to Hale Center in 1947 with his parents. He attended schools in Cotton Center and was a farmer until 1964 when he joined the United Mine Workers Union as a construction iron worker. He formerly lived in Hereford and Plainview. He was a

member of First Christian Church.

Survivors include four sons, Joe Childress, Marty Childress, Bryan Childress and Craig Childress, all of Coweta; a brother, J.Y. Childress of Hale Center; two sisters, Gustine Chesbro of Coweta and Jackie Dyer of Hale Center; and five grandchildren.

DORIS L. PARKER
Feb. 10, 1988

Doris L. Parker, 66, of Hereford died Wednesday.

Services were held at 2 p.m. today in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home with the Rev. H.W. Bartlett, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in West Park Cemetery.

Mrs. Parker, born at Belton, moved to Hereford in 1963 from California. She was married to Cecil Parker in 1964 at Dawn. He died in 1979. She was a Baptist and a homemaker.

Survivors include a brother, George Wilson of Belton; and four sisters, Aileen Wilson of Belton, Wilma Smith of Temple, Jessie Fuller of Hereford and Myrtle Vinson of Hico.

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Lifestyles



Honored By Bridal Shower

A bridal shower feting Wendy Morrison, bride-elect of Alex Schmucker, was held recently in First Christian Church's friendship court. Greeting guests were,

from left, Vicky Schmucker, the prospective groom's mother; the honoree; and Kay Pagett, the honoree's mother.

School Lunch Menus

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Lunch
TUESDAY - Steak fingers and gravy, mashed potatoes, blackeye peas, mixed fruit, oatmeal cookie, hot rolls, milk.
WEDNESDAY - Fish nuggets with tartar sauce, macaroni and cheese, tator tots, carrot sticks, cherry cobbler, hush puppies, milk.
THURSDAY - Fried chicken and gravy, fluffy potatoes, peas and carrots, gelatin with fruit and topping, cookie, hot rolls, milk.
FRIDAY - Hamburger, burger salad, French fries, sliced peaches, brownie, bun, milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S SCHOOL

MONDAY - Corn dogs with mustard, pork and beans, fruit salad, gingerbread with topping, milk.
TUESDAY - Pizza with mozzarella cheese, tossed salad, buttered corn, ice cream, milk.
WEDNESDAY - Fish krispies, English peas, sliced carrots, apple cobbler, milk, rolls.
THURSDAY - Hot dogs with chili, mashed potatoes, green beans, Jello with fruit, milk.
FRIDAY - Grilled cheese sandwich, tator tots, carrot sticks, chocolates crinkles, milk.

Eamon de Valera was elected president of the Irish Republic in 1959 after serving 21 years as prime minister.

Wendy Morrison feted with bridal shower

Wendy Morrison, bride-elect of Alex Schmucker, was feted with a bridal shower Sunday in the friendship court at First Christian Church.

Jolee Stanford, cousin of the bride-elect, presided at the registration table containing the guest register and a feather pen. The table was covered with a mauve cloth topped with a lace overlay, centered with a bud vase containing a mauve rose.

Guests were greeted by the bride-elect; her mother, Kay Pagett; her grandmother, Mrs. Ira Scott; Vicky Schmucker, the prospective groom's mother; and the prospective groom's grandmothers, Mrs. Alvin Schmucker and Mrs. Bunny Urbanczyk.

The serving table was topped with a mauve cloth covered with a lace overlay and was centered with a mauve and teal floral arrangement

carrying out the bride-elect's chosen colors. Refreshments of cranberry-apple punch, coffee, nuts, teal and mauve-colored mints, and an assortment of tea cookies were served with teal napkins by Holly Middleton and Jan Carroll from silver and crystal appointments.

Hostesses were Martha DeBord, Judy Detten, Mary Dziuk, Carolyn Evers, Beth Gearn, Mary Johnson, Leta Kaul, Rene Kuper, Karen Martin, Sylvia Paetzold, Nedra Robinson, Charla Schlabs, Mary Schlabs, Pat Sinnacher, and Loretta Urbanczyk. They presented Miss Morrison with a set of cookware and a food processor.

Club to sponsor bake sale

Sugar Works Cake Decorating Club will sponsor a bake sale from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at Sugarland Mall.

"Hope is the desire of things which we expect will add to our happiness. No man hopes for things which he knows to be evil - hope embraces expected good."

-G.W. Montgomery, *Evangelica Magazine and Gospel Advocate*, Utica, New York, Sept. 13, 1842.



UMW to sponsor bake sale

The United Methodist Women of San Pablo Church will be sponsoring a bake sale from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. Saturday at Sugarland Mall. A variety of baked food will be offered to raise funds for the work of the UMW in the church.

Surprise party held

Francis Dameron, a resident of King's Manor Retirement Home for 17 years, was honored with a surprise party Tuesday at the Manor in celebration of her 96th birthday.

Mrs. John Aikin served as hostess. The focal point of the refreshment table included a specially decorated cake and a balloon bouquet.

The honoree's friends, with whom she plays bridge, surprised her by singing happy birthday when she awoke from her afternoon nap.

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Sports

Most expensive Winter Olympics begin

By STEVE WILSTEIN
AP Sports Writer

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — The biggest, brashest, most expensive Winter Olympics ever is set to begin Saturday, holding the grim prospect for the United States of a wipeout on the slopes and shootouts on the ice for a tiny fistful of medals.

These Western style Games in a bustling oil and cow town on the edge of the Rockies open with an extravaganza featuring more than 1,600 athletes from 57 nations, a crowd of 60,000 and millions of television viewers.

That's the most skiers, skaters and

Pros in Olympics, such as hockey

'Shamateurs' are allowed

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

CALGARY, Alberta (AP) — Whenever and wherever Olympic hockey is played — in Sarajevo four years ago, in Calgary next week, in Albertville, France, four years from now — Americans will always measure the tournament against their team's stirring gold medal triumph in 1980.

What made that little miracle at Lake Placid so appealing was the team that pulled it off and how they did it. A bunch of college kids drawn from diverse backgrounds, they were absolute amateurs in the truest tradition of the Games, and they won the gold by beating professionals. It was David against Goliath and what do you know? The little guy won.

The IOC's posture on play-for-pay athletes in those days was to wink and look the other way. Despite huge television revenues, despite the strong likelihood that the Russians and others were probably making more money than Juan Antonio Samaranch, the Olympics were still being marketed as an amateur competition. Team USA played by those rules then and does today, too, eschewing help from the NHL.

But after the confusion of Sarajevo in 1984, with some Olympians already under contract to professional hockey teams, the IOC changed the rules and acknowledged reality by allowing pros to play in the hockey tournament.

So three nights before the Games of '88 are to begin, Edmonton Oilers goalie Andy Moog shows up in the nets for Team Canada and Steve Tambellini of the Vancouver Canucks scores Canada's first goal

as the host country beats the Soviets 3-2 for the second straight time.

For some, these victories bring sweet revenge, forcing the Soviets to swallow a dose of their own medicine.

Yet something is not quite right with this particular prescription. The IOC seems to have taken the easy way out. Instead of getting tough and barring "shamateurs" from the Games, it went the other way and embraced professionalism.

Given the rules trampling that was going on, that was the simplest, cleanest solution, but that does not make it the best one. The NCAA, for example, faced with a similar dilemma as student athletes signed contracts with professional sports agents, has refused to cave in.

"It's a very difficult question," said Prince Albert of Monaco, a member of the IOC who is competing in the two-man bobsled here. "I think in order for the Olympic movement to stay with its time, it has to consider these questions. But it's certainly a big step forward, and I don't know quite how to handle these issues yet. I think President Samaranch and the executive committee are going in the right direction."

That direction seems headed for open Games, a come-one, come-all Olympics. Is that what the IOC really wants?

"It's going to take time for it to be accepted by everybody, but that's certainly down the road," Prince Albert said. "The only way the Olympics as a sports festival or as the greatest sports competition in the world can survive is to have the best

athletes." OK, let's have heavyweight Mike Tyson box in Seoul next summer and Larry Bird lead the U.S. basketball team.

If the Games have come to mean only a calculated contest to accumulate the biggest booty of shiny medals, then their purpose has been clouded. They are supposed to be a celebration of sport, the kind of joyous, proud, stand-up-and-cheer celebration that hockey amateurs Mike Eruzione, Ken Morrow, Jim Craig and Mark Johnson gave their fellow Americans in 1980.

These Games will set records for most tickets sold, more than 1.5 million, and most tickets unsold, nearly 300,000, and for most events, 46.

East Germany, the Soviet Union and Switzerland may win the most medals, Canada has a good chance of capturing the cherished hockey gold, but for the United States this could be its weakest showing.

If the United States wins as few as five medals overall, as many observers predict it will, it would be the worst American showing in the Winter Games.

America's king and queen of figure

skating, Brian Boitano and Debi Thomas, and speed skaters Bonnie Blair and Dan Jansen have the most realistic chances for medals on the U.S. team this year.

Dissension already has destroyed some of the team spirit among the U.S. bobsledders and speed skaters.

The bobsled controversy may have been resolved Thursday, although hard feelings could persist. Willie Gault and Don LaVigne, once rivals for a spot on the squad, became teammates under a waiver granted by the International Olympic Committee that allowed the United States to add an extra bobsledder.

LaVigne, an alternate pusher, was replaced last month by the Chicago Bears' wide receiver and former track star, and the move caused other bobsledders to talk of a boycott.

"We certainly don't want any more negative publicity," U.S. Bobsled Federation head David Heim said. Earlier Thursday, however, Heim questioned LaVigne's sportsmanship.

"I think his line of reasoning that 'I've made the sacrifices and commitments' presumes that nobody else has either, such as Willie Gault," Heim said from Lake Placid, N.Y.

David Cruikshank, who won the 1,000-meter race at the U.S. speed skating trials, was cut from the Olympic team Thursday and immediately took his case to the U.S. Olympic Committee.

Angry and upset, Cruikshank was asking the USOC to resolve the dispute over the selection process, which one speed skating official called a "terrible mess, a disaster."

"I thought I could do well in the Games," said the 19-year-old skater. "I was looking forward to 1992 as a medal hope, and here I'm not going to get the experience of skating in the Olympics."

"I won the Olympic trials and now I'm out," he said.

Cruikshank said he was bumped from a 1,000-meter Olympic starting

spot by Tom Cushman, even though he outskated Cushman at the time trials.

Cushman finished sixth in the 1,000-meter trials but was consistently quicker than Cruikshank at World Cup meets, held between the trials and Olympics.

The United States is allowed four skaters in the Olympic 1,000 meters, and Coach Mike Crowe said those spots would be filled by Dan Jansen, Nick Thometz, Eric Flaim and Cushman.

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By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
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Boston	33	14	.702	—
Philadelphia	21	24	.467	11
Washington	18	26	.409	12½
New York	16	29	.356	16
New Jersey	11	35	.239	21½
Central Division				
Atlanta	31	15	.674	—
Detroit	27	16	.628	2½
Chicago	27	20	.574	4½
Milwaukee	23	21	.523	7
Indiana	24	22	.522	7
Cleveland	24	23	.511	7½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Dallas	29	16	.644	—
Denver	27	18	.600	2
Houston	26	18	.591	2½
Utah	23	23	.500	6½
San Antonio	18	25	.419	10
Sacramento	15	30	.333	14
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	36	9	.800	—
Portland	27	17	.614	8½
Seattle	26	21	.553	11
Phoenix	14	30	.318	21½
Golden State	11	33	.250	24½
L.A. Clippers	11	33	.250	24½

Thursday's Games

Philadelphia 119, Milwaukee 113, OT
Los Angeles Lakers 126, Denver 108
Indiana 108, Golden State 107
Sacramento 123, Portland 113
Seattle 120, Houston 115

Friday's Games

New Jersey at Cleveland
Atlanta at Detroit
Boston at Dallas
Los Angeles Lakers at San Antonio
Chicago at Milwaukee
Indiana at Phoenix
Houston at Los Angeles Clippers
Denver at Portland

Saturday's Games

Cleveland at New York
Washington at Atlanta
Chicago at Detroit
Phoenix at Sacramento
Seattle at Golden State

Sunday's Games

Philadelphia at New Jersey
Boston at Los Angeles Lakers
Houston at Portland
Utah at Denver
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Houston's four-game winning streak is snapped

Chambers rallies Sonics past Rockets

By The Associated Press
Sonics captain Tom Chambers realized Seattle was in a tailspin and stepped forward to stop it.

Chambers scored 16 of his 36 points in the fourth quarter as the Sonics broke their five-game losing streak with a 120-115 victory over Houston. "The losing streak weighed on us for a while," said Chambers. "We were really on edge and close to having a major fallout, but we were able to talk it out in practice."

Dale Ellis added 35 points for Seattle. Point guard Nate McMillan scored 16 points and had 16 assists and nine rebounds.

Houston, who had a four-game winning streak stopped, were led by Akeem Olajuwon's 29 points. Rodney McCray scored 21 and had a career-high 18 rebounds.

Houston coach Bill Fitch got two technical fouls and was ejected with 3:48 left in the game.

Ellis had scored his eighth straight point with 4:21 left to lead Seattle from a 103-100 deficit to a 108-107 lead. After a missed Houston shot, Sleepy Floyd stole Alton Lister's outlet pass and was knocked out of bounds by Chambers.

Referee Ed F. Rush signaled that possession belonged to Seattle, and Fitch went up to him shouting. Rush gave Fitch a technical and then hit him with a second technical when Fitch bumped him.

Chambers hit both technical free throws, and on the ensuing possession Lister tipped in an Ellis miss to give the Sonics a 112-107 lead. Houston wasted opportunities to close the gap by missing four of six free throws the rest of the game.

Chambers hit 13 of 15 free throws during the game. Seattle is 11-0 in

games in which Chambers goes to the free throw-line ten times. Chambers had hit 15 of 15 the last time Seattle played Houston en route to a career high 46 points.

"Dale and I really got it going in the fourth," said Chambers. "We got some easy hoops to get us back within two or four points quickly. We weren't going to give up after that."

"I've always felt like Nate, the point guard, is the key," said Ellis, who scored more than 30 points for the sixteenth time this season. "He has to get the ball to us in our spots."

The Rockets led 96-86 with 10:40 left in the game behind the rebounding of Olajuwon and McCray. The Rockets had 24 offensive rebounds, 10 by McCray, and outrebounded the Sonics 67-58.

"It didn't matter about my rebounds," said McCray. "We had the game won if we just hit our free throws."

The Rockets entered the game hitting 78 percent of their free throws but they only made 27 of 44 for 61 percent.

"We've been shooting free throws pretty well but tonight we didn't shoot worth a damn," said Fitch.

"He (Ed Rush) threw me out for being on the floor and telling him what I thought of that call," added the Houston coach. "You have to put your foot down because the players can't. They have to keep playing."

In other games, Philadelphia defeated Milwaukee in overtime, 119-113, Indiana edged Golden State 108-107, the Los Angeles Lakers downed Denver 120-108 and Sacramento defeated Portland 123-113.

76ers 119, Bucks 113 (OT)
Charles Barkley didn't shine in Sunday's NBA All-Star Game. Since then, he has been the brightest star in the league.

Two nights after scoring a career-high 47 points against Atlanta, the Philadelphia forward put on another spectacular show against Milwaukee.

Barkley scored 46 points, grabbed 16 rebounds, handed out three assists and blocked four shots Thursday night as the 76ers beat the Bucks 119-113 in overtime.

"I'm totally exhausted," he said. "I was hoping it wouldn't go into overtime. It was a very physical game."

Barkley had only four points and three rebounds in a reserve role at the All-Star Game in Chicago. Afterward, he said he might not play in future All-Star games if he doesn't start.

Playing time is not Barkley's problem in Philadelphia. In his last two games, he has played 98 out of a possible 101 minutes.

Against Milwaukee, Barkley made two free throws with 26 seconds left

to send the game into overtime. Philadelphia took a 114-112 lead on Gerald Henderson's layup and Milwaukee never caught up. Barkley scored Philadelphia's final five points on three free throws and a dunk.

"Charles is a lesson to people in the NBA," Bucks Coach Del Harris said. "You have to be aggressive."

The 76ers victory was the first for the team's new coach, Jim Lynam, who took over Sunday after Matt Goukas was fired.

Pacers 108, Warriors 107
Steve Stipanovich made a disputed 3-point shot at the buzzer to give Indiana the victory in Oakland.

The winning shot from the left corner was the first 3-pointer of the season by the Pacers' center. The Warriors protested, claiming the shot came from inside the 3-point line, but a videotape showed that officials made the right call.

John Long scored 22 points for Indiana. Rod Higgins led the Warriors with 26 points.

Lakers 120, Nuggets 106
Magic Johnson scored 26 points and Byron Scott added 22 as the visiting Lakers halted Denver's five-game winning streak.

James Worthy added 18 points for the Lakers, who have won 25 of their last 28 games. A.C. Green had 17, Mychal Thompson 16 and Michael Cooper 13.

But beats N.C. State 75-73 in overtime

UNC nearly throws it away

By The Associated Press
North Carolina almost threw it away. Actually, J.R. Reid almost threw it away for the Tar Heels.

But the sophomore, whose errant pass enabled 16th-ranked North Carolina State to send the game into overtime, rebounded to score four of the Tar Heels' eight overtime points Thursday night, leading No. 6 North Carolina to a 75-73 victory.

"You can't make those dumb mistakes at the end and expect to be successful," said Reid, who scored four of his 13 points in overtime.

Chucky Brown of North Carolina State stole Reid's pass with 26 seconds remaining in regulation and Vinny Del Negro scored on an offensive rebound to send the game into overtime.

"We're not a young team anymore and that's why it is disappointing to make the mistakes we did at the end," North Carolina Coach Dean Smith said.

The Tar Heels, 17-3 and 6-2 in the Atlantic Coast Conference, built a 57-47 lead with 7:58 left but the Wolfpack used a barrage of 3-pointers in the final minutes to make up the deficit.

North Carolina State, 15-4 and 5-3, made six 3-pointers in the final nine minutes.

"It was a heck of a comeback," North Carolina State Coach Jim Valvano said. "In overtime, we really had every opportunity to win. I think we had two chances to take the lead and we didn't."

In other Top Twenty games Thursday, No. 3 Arizona beat Oregon 89-57, No. 7 Nevada-Las Vegas beat Fullerton State 77-61, No. 8 Brigham Young beat No. 18 Wyoming 78-69, No. 8 Duke beat Wake Forest 98-67, No. 12 Michigan beat Wisconsin 80-67 and No. 19 Indiana beat Northwestern 74-45.

No. 3 Arizona 89, Oregon 57
Steve Kerr set a Pacific-10 Con-

ference season record for 3-point field goals and Anthony Cook scored 23 points as the Wildcats outscored Oregon 28-4 in the final 13 minutes.

Arizona, 22-2 and 11-1, led 44-34 at halftime. Oregon fell to 10-10 and 5-6.

Kerr made five of seven 3-pointers, his second breaking the conference record of 69, set by Reggie Miller of UCLA, who was graduated last year. Kerr finished with 16 points.

No. 7 Nevada-Las Vegas 77, Fullerton State 61

Gerald Paddio scored 19 points and Karl James added 16 as Nevada-Las Vegas rebounded from a 71-66 loss to Cal-Santa Barbara last weekend.

The Rebels improved their record to 21-2 overall and 10-2 in the PCAA. They took a 32-15 lead in the first 14 minutes, led 41-31 at the half and extended the lead to 56-37 seven minutes into the second half.

Fullerton, 6-15 and 2-10, was led by Richard Morton, who scored 20 points.

No. 8 Brigham Young 78, No. 18 Wyoming 69

Jeff Chatman scored 22 points as the Cougars took control of the Western Athletic Conference.

Brigham Young, 19-1 and 8-0, handed Wyoming its fifth defeat in 11 WAC games. The Cowboys, 17-5, needed a win to have any hope of a conference title.

Fennis Dembro scored 25 points to lead Wyoming and Willie Jones scored 16. Brian Taylor had 16 for Brigham Young, making 4 of 6 3-pointers.

No. 8 Duke 98, Wake Forest 67
Reserve Phil Henderson scored a

career-high 19 points to lead the Blue Devils, 17-3 and 6-2 in the ACC, who beat Wake Forest 103-70 earlier in the season. Duke has won eight straight over the Demon Deacons, 8-12 and 2-6.

No. 12 Michigan 80, Wisconsin 67

Gary Grant, the Big 10's top scorer, had 28 points and Glen Rice, the conference's number-two scorer, had 19 in the Wolverines' win over Wisconsin.

Grant scored 10 of Michigan's first 18 points in the second half as the Wolverines opened a 54-42 lead with 11:43 left.

Trent Jackson led Wisconsin with 27 points but only one other Badger, center Darin Schubring with 11, reached double figures.

No. 19 Indiana 74, Northwestern 45

Dean Garrett scored 23 points as Indiana beat Northwestern for the 16th consecutive time in Assembly Hall.

The Hoosiers, 14-6 and 6-4 in the Big Ten, avenged a 66-64 loss at Northwestern earlier this season.

Brian Schwabe scored 16 points, the only player in double figures for Northwestern, 6-13 and 2-8.

The one-game scoring records for pro basketball and college basketball are the same. Wilt Chamberlain scored 100 points in a pro game and Frank Selvy equalled that in a college contest.

Rube Waddell of the pre-World War I Philadelphia Athletics preferred to be called Eddie and would punch a stranger in the nose for addressing him as Rube.

Alex English led the Nuggets with 31 points. Michael Adams, who hit four 3-point shots in the first half, added 20 points for Denver.

Kings 123, Blazers 113

Otis Thorpe scored 25 points and grabbed 12 rebounds to lead Sacramento over visiting Portland. Joe Kleine and Mike McGee each

added 20 points for the Kings, while rookie Kenny Smith had 15 assists.

McGee had two 3-point baskets to tie the Kings' record for most 3-pointers in a season. He matched the record of 31 set by Don Buse during the 1984-85 season.

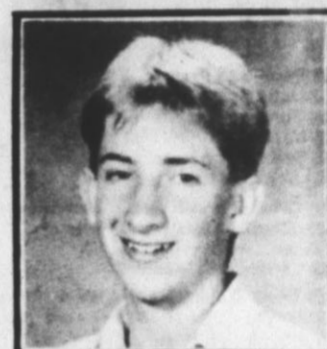
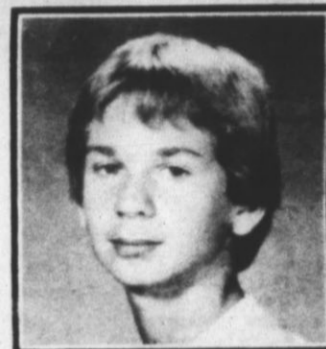
Clyde Drexler scored 28 points for Portland.

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Church News

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Clifford Trotter, Amarillo District Superintendent of United Methodist Churches, will be the guest speaker for First UMC here at the Sunday morning worship service, to which the public is invited. The service will begin at 10:55 a.m.

He will fill the pulpit in the absence of Rev. Steve McElroy, whose father, Walter McElroy, died Wednesday at Abilene.

Dr. Trotter was pastor of First UMC from 1966 through 1971 and has been a speaker frequently since then. His subject Sunday morning will be "To Really See."

A Lenten Life and Learning Celebration will be conducted in First UMC on four Sunday evenings beginning Feb. 21, and the congregation invites friends to join in the sessions of study and fun for all ages and interests.

A Bible study, Life and Times of Jesus, will be led by Margaret Bell from 6 to 7 p.m. all four evenings for adults and youth. At the same time, a study on Russia will be led by Kathryn Ruga the first two weeks, to be followed on March 6 and 13 by a review of their experience as Korean-Americans by Brad and Haeseung Park, who are now members at First UMC.

The Parks will conduct a mission study with the children the first two weeks, followed by the study on Russia taught by Donna Warrick and Devaughn White the last two weeks.

Sessions will begin at 4:30 p.m. each Sunday, with informational classes on subjects varying from auto mechanics to dealing with death.

Teachers will include Ray Simpson, Rev. Steve McElroy, Vicky Higgins, Lou Davis, John Bunch, Earnest Langley, David Ruland, Mark Mayer, Dr. A.T. Mims, Dr. Charles Allison, Dr. Jan Swan and Rev. Lanny Wheeler.

A snack supper will be served at 5:30 each evening. A closing devotional period will begin at 7 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The sermon for the 10:30 a.m. Sunday worship service will be delivered by the Rev. Lanny Wheeler, chaplain at Westgate Nursing Home.

Everyone is invited to participate in the prayer group which meets at 6 p.m. each Monday at the church.

The Scripture For Lunch Bunch will meet at noon Wednesday. Bring a sack lunch if planning to attend.

There will be Ash Wednesday services at 7 p.m. Feb. 17. Everyone is invited to come and start the Lenten season in this special way.

The Women's Morning Circle will meet at 9:30 a.m. Monday and the Women's Evening Circle will be at 7 p.m. Thursday in the home of Idie Gearn.

The youth groups will not meet this Sunday due to the ski trip.

New member classes are forming for adults and youth, seventh graders and up. Please let the Rev. Bruce Kochmeier know as soon as possible if you or your child is interested.

COMMUNITY CHURCH (15th and Whitter)

The church will have special evangelistic preaching, worship and praise services beginning at 7 p.m. Feb. 17-19 and Feb. 21. The evangelistic team leading these services will be David and Geneva Bentley of Little Rock, Ark.

The couple's ministry is well-known throughout the central part of the United States. David Bentley, a policeman by profession, served 21 years with the Little Rock Police Department rising to the rank of police inspector. He also served as chief of police at Camden, Ark. He graduated from the FBI National

Academy and over 30 other specialized law enforcement schools. He was an instructor at the Arkansas Law Enforcement Training Academy from its inception and was used as a special consultant by the University of Arkansas School of Law concerning police procedures.

Through the death of a loved one, Bentley sought the Lord as did his wife and three children. Since then, the family has witnessed to all kinds of people in homes, jails, prisons, on the streets, in businesses, churches and foreign lands. Bently pastored several churches in southern Arkansas while service as chief of police but in 1977, he began fulltime evangelistic work preaching and his wife singing.

The couple has conducted hundreds of revivals in the U.S., Mexico, Canada, Great Britain and Norway and have appeared on several local and national radio and television programs.

The public is encouraged to the special services at the church.

COUNTRY ROAD CHURCH OF GOD

The Rev. Jim Salvador of Burlington, Iowa will be conducting a one-night service at the church at 401 Country Club Drive at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 18. He is a well-known evangelist who has spoken in Hereford and at various camp meetings, conferences, etc.

The public is cordially invited to hear the speaker at the special service. For additional information, call the parsonage at 364-4433.

FIRST CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

"How To Teach Your Child To Say 'No' To Sexual Pressure" by Josh McDowell will be the topic of a seminar planned Friday evening and Saturday morning, Feb. 26-27, at the church. The cost is \$5. Parents are encouraged to attend.

There will be a student conference with Dawson McAllister March 4-5 in Lubbock. Teens interested in attending need to sign-up at L.I.F.E. The cost is \$20 for the conference and \$8 for the motel and three meals. Everyone needs to bring a sack lunch for the road. The group will leave from the church at 4 p.m. Friday, March 4.

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