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Heavyweight Champ Files For Divorce

COLUMBUS, Ohio — Heavyweight champion James Douglas has filed for divorce, his wife's attorney said.

Robin Stith, attorney for Bertha Douglas, said Douglas alleges gross neglect of duty and incompatibility.

Tarpley Wants Out of Dallas

DALLAS— Dallas Mavericks forward Roy Tarpley says he is tired of his "bad boy" image with the team and may request a trade.

Tarpley said he expects to be traded by the team this summer, and if not, he may ask to be traded.



Roy Tarpley

Mavericks vice president and director of player personnel Rick Sund told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram the team would not comment on trade speculation.

Tarpley twice has been suspended by the team this

season for two games for missing a practice.

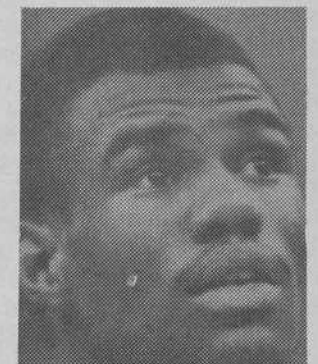
"I feel like the front office is tired and has had enough of all of my mess," Tarpley said. "Usually when you hear about what kind of a disappointment and letdown you've caused, your time is running out. You just know that something is up and something is going to happen."

"But they keep saying that nobody wants me, and I can't believe that's true," Tarpley added. "I know this much: if they do trade me, it's going to come back to haunt them."

"I know that I've brought a lot of problems that I have on myself," he said. "But I think a lot of things have gotten blown out of proportion by the press. Everybody else always has the answers about me and what I should do."

David Robinson Named Rookie Of the Year

David Robinson, who waited two years to play for the San Antonio Spurs while finishing a Navy commitment, was unanimously named NBA Rookie of the Year. Robinson, who averaged 24.3 points, led the Spurs to the greatest single-season improvement in league history.



David Robinson

UNLV All-American Julie Harrison To Run in Big West Meet

By Bob Rodgers

Julie Harrison, UNLV's record holder in the 400 meters hurdles (57.28) and both the 400 meter indoors (53.34) and outdoors (53.15) will defend her records at the Big West Track Meet at UNLV's Myron Patridge Stadium May 11-12.

Julie's speed, strength and maturity make her a viable contender for National Champion in both the sprint and hurdles and also as a member of the relay team.

As a junior she earned all-American honors running a leg of the 4x400 meter relay at the NCAA outdoor championships.

Harris is a transfer from Mt. San Antonio Jr. College in Walnut, CA, where she was named the school's most outstanding athlete.

She attended Covina High School in Covina, CA and was named school athlete of the year as a senior. The Criminal Justice major is also a 1992 Olympic hopeful.



Julie Harrison

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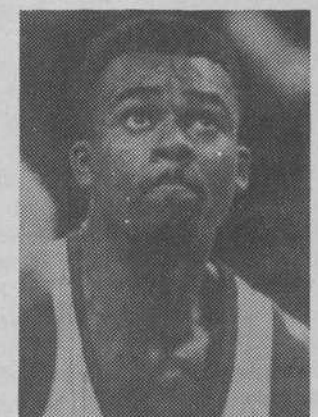
Four Rebels Invited To Trials

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. - Four starters from national champion UNLV were among 66 players invited on Thursday to the national men's basketball team trials by USA Basketball.

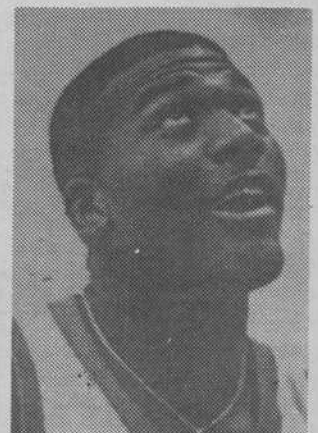
Anderson Hunt, Greg Anthony, Stacey Augmon and Larry Johnson started for the Runnin' Rebels, the first team to score 100 points in the championship game.

The 12 players selected from the trials, to be held May 17-22 at the Olympic Training Center, will represent the United States in both the Goodwill Games and the World Championships this summer.

The team will be coached by Duke's Mike Krzyzewski.



Anderson Hunt



Larry Johnson

Davis Sets UNLV Record In 100 Hurdles

PHILADELPHIA — Tanya Davis ran a school-record time of 13.45 in the 100-meter hurdles at the 96th annual Penn Relays to finish third and qualify for the NCAA Championships in June at Durham, N.C.

UNLV's 800-meter relay team, comprised of Maddette Smith, Julie Harrison, Billie Butler and Trevia Williams, was fourth in 1:35.58. The mile relay team withdrew after winning its heat in an NCAA-qualifying time of 3:35.44 when Williams suffered a slight hamstring pull.

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