

guirre leads Mavs past Sonics

NBA contest Wednesday night.

he Mavericks, who had lost two es in a row on the road, overe an early first-quarter Sonics to register their seventh consece victory at home, where they are

eattle which had won eight of its 10 games, snapped a three-game ning streak

Pallas overcame a 21-20 Seattle l midway through the first ped to outscore the Sonics 26-15 en ite to a 46-point first quarter. It s the Mavericks' biggest quarter of season and the most points ever red in the first period in club his-

Dallas, which led 73-58 at half-

From the Associated Press

Upstart Cleveland State ached the final 16 of the NCAA

ournament a year ago. This ime, the scrappy urban school is eeking the NIT title.

The Vikings, 24-7, travel to

ennessee-Chattanooga, 21-7, to-

ght for a first-round encounter

the National Invitation Tour-

The 32-team tournament be-

an Wednesday night with Mar-uette at Nebraska, Utah at Boise

tate and Washington at Mon-

Besides Cleveland State at

ennessee-Chattanooga, other rst-round matches today will

ave La Salle at Villanova, Rhode

sland at Florida State, Baylor at Arkansas-Little Rock, Akron at

linois State, Jacksonville at Van-

erbilt and James Madison at Ste-

On Friday, the first round will

completed with Seton Hall at

agara, Arkansas State at Ar-

ansas, Mississippi at Southern fississippi, St. Peter's at St. ouis, Oregon State at New Mex-

and Fullerton State at Califor-

Last year, the Vikings reached he final 16 of the NCAA tourna-

ent where they lost to Navy 71-

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Cleveland State must settle

or NIT bid instead of NCAA

DALLAS (AP) — Mark Aguirre time, increased its lead to 20 points, red 26 points as the Dallas Mavers cruised to an easy 130-117 victory over the Seattle SuperSonics in 99, with 3:04 left in the game.

In addition to Aguirre, Rolando Blackman had 22 points and Derek Harper had 20 for Dallas.

Detlef Schrempf came off the bench to score 18 for the Mavericks, and Sam Perkins, who had to leave the game late in the third quarter with an injured cheekbone, had 17.

Xavier McDaniel, Tom Chambers and former Maverick Dale Ellis all had 21 points for the Sonics, who were outrebounded 45-40.
The Sonics' Clemon Johnson suf-

fered a broken nose early in the game and was taken to a hospital for X-rays. He later returned to the

postseason tournament: Marist,

Virginia Commonwealth and

Mid-American champion Central

Cleveland State is led by sophomore Ken "Mouse" McFadden, who averaged 21.5 points per game. McFadden already is the

school's eighth-leading scorer

and scored in double figures in all but one game this year.

Coach Pat Kennedy guided the
Florida State Seminoles to an 1810 mark and their first home-

court NIT appearance, while Rhode Island's Tom Penders,

who previously coached against Kennedy in the Metro Atlantic

Athletic Conference, coached his

team to a 20-9 mark, just a year

ing by senior guards Pee Wee Barber and LaRae Davis and ju-

nior forward Jerome Fitchett. The trio accounts for approxi-

mately 45 points a game for the

Seminoles, who average 82 points

and 16.9 points, respectively, for

the Rams, who get most of their

rebounding from Atlantic 10

freshman of the year Kenny

Green, a 6-foot-8 forward.

Junior guards Carlton Owens and Tom Garrick average 18.6

an outing.

after the team finished 9-19.

arena but did not play.
Perkins, who made the only 3-

point field goal, helped Dallas tie the league record of 177, made during the 1979-80 season by the San Diego Clippers. The Mavericks have made 177 of 493 attempts. San Diego made 177 in 543 attempts.

"This was one of those up-tempo games," Dallas coach Dick Motta said. "We got a nice lead, but we just couldn't put it away early. They hit some big shots. It just didn't seem to be an intense game, but we did what we had to do twin." we had to do to win.

Seattle is 0-5 against the Mavericks this season, and Chambers said, "Dallas seems to have our number.

"We haven't put a game together against them all year. They are a good team and they always seem to be at their best and we at our worst when we match up.

Lloyd says he'll return to Rockets

HOUSTON (AP) — Although Lewis Lloyd is not eligible to play in the National Basketball Association until 1989, he told his former Houston Rockets teammates he'd be back.

Lloyd and Mitchell Wiggins were banned from the NBA in January after testing positive for cocaine use. Lloyd, who was recently released from a drug rehabilitation clinic in Van Nuys, Calif., said his biggest re-gret is a feeling that his absence has hurt the Rockets.

"It's hard for me to watch when

"This is the toughest thing I've ever been through," he said. "But because of it, I know I'm a better

they lose," Lloyd said Tuesday after watching the Seattle-Houston game. When this happened, I was at the top of my game, and so was the team. If Ralph (Sampson) and Mitch and I were still playing, we would have passed Utah for second place a long time ago." Sampson is out with

person. I'm going to be all right."

Talking to former teammates Jim

Petersen and Dave Feitl, Lloyd said,

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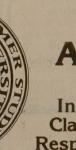
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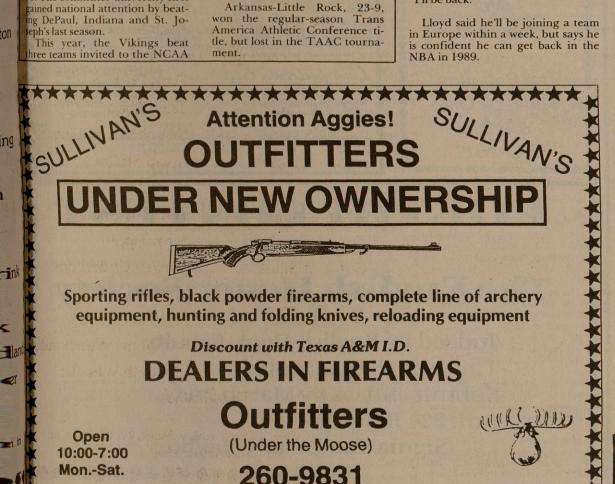
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