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Hoopeston police seek assistance in Feb. 21 armed robbery

Hoopeston police are asking for assistance in identifying a woman who used a credit card stolen in a local armed robbery.

The woman, pictured at right, used the credit card at 7:47 p.m. Feb. 22 at an automatic teller machine at 2431 N. Vermilion St., Danville.

Credit cards were taken during an armed robbery at 10:44 p.m. Feb. 21 at Baer's Motel, Routes 1 and 9, Hoopeston. Several of the cards were recovered southeast of Rossville.

The robber is described as a male, approximately six feet tall, of medium build. He wore a dark-colored ski mask during the robbery and had a black handgun at his side.

Anyone with information about the woman or the suspect is asked to call the Hoopeston Police Department at (217) 283-5196 or Crimestoppers at 283-4411. Callers will remain anonymous and may receive a reward.



Police say this unidentified woman used a credit card stolen in a Feb. 21 armed robbery in Hoopeston. The photo was taken at a Danville ATM.

Briefly

Calendar winners

Winners in the Hoopeston Area Music Booster calendar drawing are: Mar. 13, Chris and Janet Elliott; Mar. 14, Ina Mae Burtis; Mar. 15, Susan and Lawrence Comstock; Mar. 16, Jon McCormick, Fisher, Ind.; Mar. 17, Fleta Park.

Multi Agency van schedule

This week's schedule for the Hoopeston Multi Agency transportation project is Monday, Hoopeston shuttle; Tuesday, Paxton tea room (leave at 10 a.m.); Wednesday, Danville; Thursday, Hoopeston shuttle; Friday, Danville. For more information or to arrange a ride, call the Multi Agency at (217) 283-5544.

Community center activities this week are: Monday, ladies bridge, noon; Wednesday census 10 a.m. and 2 p.m., Thursday, ladies euchre 8 a.m., Master Gardener 9 a.m.-3 p.m., men's coffee 9:30 a.m., men's euchre, noon; census 10 a.m. 2 and 6 p.m.; Friday, unemployed

discount 1-3 p.m.

Teen Reach activities are: Monday, Life Skills 4 p.m., Thursday, arts & crafts; Friday, karaoke.

Meetings

• Hoopeston Area school board, 7:30 p.m. Thursday, high school library.

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Police News



A **47-year-old** woman reported Friday that she lost or mislaid her billfold in the 600 block of South Dixie Hwy. She was later notified by a Danville store that a woman tried to use the credit card and failed.

The hood, left and ride sides and trunk lid were damaged and a windshield broken on an unidentified vehicle. The damage occurred between March 7-10 in the 800 block of East Wyman.

An unidentified vehicle hit a mailbox Friday in the 800 block of East Orange.

Christine A. Rhodes, 24, of Hoopeston, was arrested

at 6:34 a.m. Saturday, charged with aggravated battery, domestic battery and trespassing.

Police said Rhodes was arrested after she entered a home in the 900 block of East McCracken, where she broke a female's nose and scratched her ex-boyfriend.

Rhodes was taken to the Public Safety Building in Danville.

A window was broken Saturday and carpet removed from a home in the 900 block of East Wyman.

A CD player was reported taken from a truck parked in the 500 block of West Washington. The burglary oc-

curred between March 5-11.

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Tuesday Night Classic League Standings 3/7/00

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| 1. Crop Production Service | 369 | 240 |
| 2. Ross Electric | 338½ | 270½ |
| 3. Gress Liquid Waste | 329½ | 279½ |
| 4. R.A.D.D. | 320½ | 288½ |
| 5. Hoopeston Weather Line | 311½ | 297½ |
| 6. Danny's Sign Shop | 301 | 308 |

7. Hummingbird Farms 293 316

High Team Game: Crop Production 855; **High Team Series:** Crop Production Service 3,255; **High Ind. Game:** Art Wagoner 257; **High Individual Series:** Randy Hiltz 897.

Games over 210: Rick Wieck 213, Hank Longfellow 211, 227, Mike Dean 213, Keny McVicker 216, Chris Coon 215, Jerry Smith 219, Chuck Crozier 231, Roy Kohl 233, 237, 225, Randy Hiltz 244, 248, Bob Bruens 227, 236, Todd Keith 236, 210, 228, Tony Gress 254, 234, Steve McKinney 223, Art Wagoner 212, 214, 257.

Series over 800: Hank longfellow 826, Kenny McVicker 828, Roy Kohl 868, Randy Hiltz 897, Bob Bruens 866, Todd Keith 864, Tony Gress 851, Art Wagoner 884

Hall of Shame: Jeff Gaffney 135.

Obituaries

HUGHES—Kenneth B. Hughes, 83, of Hoopeston, died at 5:50 a.m. Thursday, March 9, 2000 at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital. Funeral services were at 2 p.m. Sunday at First Christian Church, Hoopeston. Burial was in Gundy Cemetery, Bismarck. Visitation was 5-8 p.m. Saturday at Brown-Alkire funeral Home.

SLOAN—Retired Army Col. Nicholas E. Sloan, 83, of Hoopeston, died Wednesday, March 8, 2000 in Mesa, AZ. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Monday at St. Anthony Catholic Church. Burial with military graveside rites will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation was 1-5 p.m. Saturday at Hamilton-Orr Funeral Home.

YADEN—James "Jime" W. Yaden, 78, of Hoopeston, died at 8:05 p.m. Friday, March 10, 2000 at Hoopeston Community Nursing Home. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday at Brown-Alkire Funeral Home. Burial will be in Floral Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be 6-8 p.m. Monday at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to the Activity Department, Hoopeston Nursing Home, 701 E. Orange St., Hoopeston, IL 60942

Honors chorus to perform

Hoopeston Area will host the Sangamon Valley Conference Honors Chorus at 7 p.m. Monday in the middle school gym.

The chorus, which will practice during the day with a guest director, includes students from 15 schools in the conference.

The public is invited to attend the performance.

Weather



Rain today, possibly mixed with snow early. High 43. Tonight, partly cloudy. Low 33. Tomorrow, partly cloudy. High 48, low 37.

For current weather conditions, call the **Hoopeston Weather Line** at (217) 283-6221.

Paul T. Manion

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