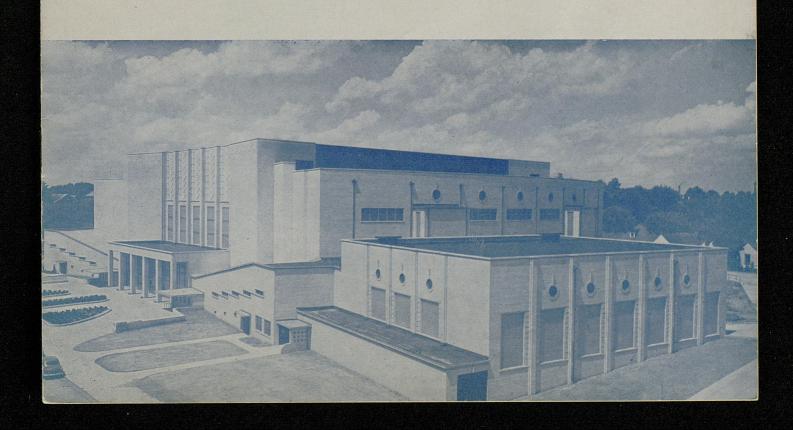
# UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY MEMORIAL COLISEUM

KENTUCKY (Wildcats)

VS

GEORGIA TECH (Jackets)

Saturday, February 9, 1952 8:00 P.M.



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## IN MEMORY OF MEN WHO DIED

Dr. Donovan

THIS IS A HOUSE built not on sand but on a firm foundation. Fabricated out of steel, stone, concrete, and brick, it is more substantially built than the Coliseum at Rome and should stand as long. This is Kentucky's Coliseum. It belongs to the people. Erected as a memorial to our honored dead of World War II, it is to be used in the service of the living.

It is an honest building.

This is a house built not for superficial purposes but for an honest program of education. It is a sports arena where thousands may gather in wholesome recreation to witness games of skill played by men who display the finest quality of sportsmanship. It is a gymnasium where students pursue courses in physical education to the betterment of their minds and bodies. It is an auditorium where students and citizens may meet to hear the world's greatest speakers and thinkers bring us wisdom and knowledge. It is a music hall where we may assemble to listen to the great artists of all nations lift us to new heights of aesthetic appreciation. May it, also, frequently be a temple where we may worship and be led into closer communion with God. It will ever be a shrine where the brokenhearted may come to pay homage to their own who paid the last full measure of devotion.

H.A. Donovau.
PRESIDENT

# Yellow Jacket

#### HEAD BASKETBALL COACH





One of two Georgia Tech athletes ever to win letters in four different sports, John Hyder succeeded Roy McArthur as head basketball coach at the Flats when the latter resigned at the close of last season.

Born at Lula, Ga., on July 10, 1912, Hyder graduated from Georgia Tech in 1937 after lettering in basketball, baseball, track and cross country. He played professional baseball for three seasons, seeing action with Akron, O.; Butler, Pa.; and Augusta, Ga., all New York Yankee farm clubs.

After his retirement from baseball, Hyder coached football, basketball and baseball at Monroe A. & M., remaining there until the school was closed in 1941. He then moved to Georgia Military Academy as coach but in March of 1942 joined the Navy. Discharged in 1945, Hyder joined the Georgia Tech staff in 1946.

In addition to his basketball duties, Hyder is freshman baseball coach and an instructor in the Georgia Tech physical training department.

#### BASKETBALL AT GEORGIA TECH

Lack of experience has handicapped Coach John Hyder in his initial year as basketball mentor at Georgia Tech. Hyder's Jackets list only three men who had played regularly prior to the current season—forward Pete Silas, a junior; center Bill Cline, a senior, and Capt. Teeter Umstead, senior guard. The rest of Hyder's squad is composed of youngsters and reserves of last season.

With Silas in the fore, the Jackets copped the Carolinas Invitational tournament at Charlotte, N. C., Jan. 28-29, rebounding from a 78-63 loss to South Carolina in the opening round to trim then unbeaten Auburn, 79-62, and Davidson, 78-60. Earlier, they had lost to Parris Island's Marines, 90-58, and had beaten South Carolina, 66-64.

After the holiday meet, Tech ran into SEC opposition and found the going rough. Tulane trimmed the Jackets, 73-58, after which they defeated Auburn again, this time, 56-54. Like their first victory over the Tigers, however, this one did not count in SEC standings. Alabama won a 66-60 decision and Ole Miss defeated Tech, 94-64, to round out the first nine games in the slate.

Through it all, Silas who was picked to preseason All-SEC fives in coaches' polls by both the Atlanta Journal and Atlanta Constitution, was a shining light. Through nine games, he had accounted for 167 points, an average of 18.5 per outing. As a soph last season, he led Tech in scoring.

Tech loses only Cline and Umstead by graduation at the close of the current season.

## UK BASKETBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Home Town
6	Hagan, Cliff	F-C	Jr.	6-4	200	20	Owensboro, Ky.
7	Flynn, James	F	Fr.	6-2	180	18	Lexington, Ky.
11	Linville, Shelby	F-C	Sr.	6-5	200	23	Middletown, O.
16	Tsioropoulos, Louis	C-F	Jr.	6-5	200	22	Lynn, Mass.
18	Nutt, Houston	F	Fr.	6-1	168	18	Fordyce, Ark.
19	Cooke, George	G	Fr.	6-0	170	19	Maysville, Ky.
20	Rose, Gayle	G	Soph.	6-0	155	18	Paris, Ky.
22	Clark, Ronald	C-F	Fr.	6-6	185	18	Springfield, Mass.
25	Swartz, Dan	F	Fr.	6-3	180	18	Owingsville, Ky.
30	Ramsey, Frank	G-F	Jr.	6-3	185	20	Madisonville, Ky.
31	Cosby, Neale	G	Fr.	5-9	140	18	Athens, Ky.
32	Whitaker, Lucian	G	Sr.	6-0	170	21	Louisville, Ky.
33	Keller, Charles	G	Fr.	5-11	160	18	Jonesboro, Ark.
35	Preston, Woodrow	F	Fr.	6-2	165	18	Pikeville, Ky.
36	Rouse, Willie	G	Soph.	6-0	160	18	Lexington, Ky.
37	Neff, Gene	F	Soph.	6-2	185	19	Eaton, O.
42	Evans, Bill	G	Soph.	6-1	170	18	Berea, Ky.
43	Sharp, Brown	G	Fr.	5-6	140	19	Lexington, Ky.
44	Dwyer, Cliff	C	Fr.	6-8	220	17	Cincinnati, O.
66	Watson, Robert	G	Sr.	5-101/2	155	21	Owensboro, Ky.

(Players will wear same uniform numbers in both blue and white game dress.)

## GEORGIA TECH BASKETBALL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Home Town
3	Hill, Doug	C	Jr.	6-5	210	21	Ft. Knox, Ky.
4	Cline, Bill	C	Sr.	6-6	200	21	Salisbury, N. C.
5	Anderson, Gene	F	Jr.	6-2	180	19	Adrian, Ga.
6	Austin, Mike	F	Jr.	6-1	180	20	Wilmington, N. C.
7	Taylor, Phil	G	Fr.	5-10	160	18	Sarasota, Fla.
8	Silas, Pete	F	Jr.	6-6	180	19	Miami, Fla.
9	Barnes, Bobby	F	Soph.	6-3	165	20	Savannah, Ga.
10	Umstead, Teeter (C)	G	Sr.	6-0	175	22	Ft. Knox, Ky.
11	Harwell, John	F	Soph.	6-1	165	19	Cleveland, O.
12	Crake, Eric	G	Jr.	5-10	170	20	Houston, Tex.
14	Dyer, Vaughn	F	Soph.	6-2	165	20	Chattanooga, Tenn.
15	Sennett, Bill	F	Soph.	6-2	180	20	Alcoa, Tenn.
18	Templeton, Peden	F	Jr.	5-11	170	22	Bristol, Tenn.

#### FACTS ABOUT THE COLISEUM

LOCATED ON EUCLID AVENUE between Lexington Avenue and Rose Street, the majestic Memorial Coliseum has a seating capacity of 12,000 for basketball games and 15,000 for programs in which folding chairs may be placed on the playing floor. Seating space for approximately 300 persons is provided alongside the 75-foot six-lane swimming pool. All seats on the building's west side, approximately one third of the total, are theater-type chairs, and the remainder are bleacher type. More than 80 per cent of the Coliseum's permanent seats are at side court.

The building contains ticket sales offices, offices for the athletics director, football coach, basketball coach, all assistant coaches, swimming pool director, and the sports publicity editor. Locker rooms for football, basketball, baseball and all minor sports also are located in the new structure.

Excavation of the building site required removal of 40,000 cubic yards of earth and more than 10,000 cubic yards of rock. Construction required 11,000 cubic yards of concrete and more than 500 tons of reinforcing steel. Other construction materials used in the building include 3,500,000 brick, 3,000 tons of structural steel, 2.3 acres of roofing, and two acres of terrazo flooring.

Measured from the Euclid avenue side (the front), the Coliseum is 82 feet in height. Its acoustically-treated ceiling is 49 feet above the playing floor, and the span of its main trusses is 225 feet. Twenty-six double-doored exits allow the building to be emptied of a capacity crowd in little more than ten minutes, and a combination heating and ventilating system produces six to eight complete air changes per hour.

The basketball court, laid on a sub-floor of concrete, is permanent and cannot be removed.

Near perfect from an acoustical standpoint, the huge auditorium can be used for concerts and lectures as well as for sports events, conventions and all-University convocations.

The Coliseum's permanent equipment includes a large electric organ, facilities for radio and television broadcasts, and ample space for the working press.

Names of the 9,306 Gold Star Kentuckians have been lettered on permanent plaques which occupy recessed wall panels in the Coliseum entry ramps. Bronze stars have been placed in the concourses of the building by the Student Government Association in honor of the University of Kentucky men who died in the war.



#### ADOLPH RUPP

"The Man In the Brown Suit" sounds like the title for a good mystery thriller and might very well be if it were not for Adolph Rupp, University of Kentucky's affable wizard of hardwood magic.

Colorful as he is successful, Kentucky's head cage mentor long ago was tagged with the descriptive title by sportswriters of the nation because of his preference of brown as a game-night wardrobe and thus forestalled any cloak-and-dagger novelist from becoming famous with the title.

The nation's winningest basketball coach is known to the sports world by a variety of titles, such as "Mr. Basketball," "The Baron," "Colonel," "Ol' Rupp and Ready," and "The Man In The Brown Suit"—but none adequately describes the human interest of the man who has done more than any other modern tutor to make the cage game a national spectator sport.

With his 21st year at the bluegrass school behind him, Baron Rupp can look back over a two-decade regime of unparalleled success—an amazing record of

442 wins against 79 losses plus a third NCAA Tournament Championship for his Kentucky basketters, representing the first team in history to annex the title three times.

The crafty professor of hardwood tactics and his nationally-famous Wildcats have become virtually synonymous in the basketball world. The record compiled by Rupp-coached Kentucky teams borders on the fantastic and his cage powerhouses have consistently won nationwide fame in intercollegiate competition.

Rupp's Kentucky Wildcats can boast an unequaled record of 83 victories against 17 defeats in major tournament competition over the past 21 years, including participation in 18 national classics. The Bluegrass cagers were the first team in the history of the Naismith sport to win two NCAA and one National Invitational crown and last season won their third NCAA Tournament title to become the first to accomplish this feat.

#### HARRY LANCASTER

Baron Rupp's capable assistant professor of basketball knowledge and general right hand man is genial Harry Lancaster. As Kentucky's first full-time assistant cage coach, he bosses a promising squad of first year performers who make up the "B" team and handles the gruelling assignment of scouting the Wildcats' future opponents. Lancaster, who came to U.K. in 1942 as an instructor in physical education, spent last summer in Greece as a representative of the U. S. State Department. His duties consisted primarily of advising Greek Basketball Federation officials and coaches, lecturing and conducting coaching clinics.





Back Row — Bobby Moore (Team Manager), Cliff Hagan, Shelby Linville, Dick Haycock (no longer on team), Ronnie Clark, Bill Spivey, Cliff Dwyer, Doug Howell (no longer on team), Lou Tsioropoulos, Frank Ramsey, and Smoky Harper (Trainer)

Middle Row — Adolph Rupp (Head Coach), Dan Swartz, Gene Neff, Billy Evans, Gayle Rose, Willie Rouse, Bobby Watson, Skippy Whitaker, and Harry Lancaster (Assistant Coach)

Front Row — Brown Sharp, George Cooke, Jim Flynn, Woodrow Preston, Charles Keller, and Houston Nutt

## KENTUCKY SCORE CARD

	KENTUCKY ( )	F. G.	F. T.	P. F.	T. P.
16	Tsioropoulos (f)				
30	Ramsey (f)				
6	Hagan (c)				
32	Whitaker (g)				
66	Watson (g)				
7	Flynn (f)				
11	Linville (f)				
19	Cooke (g)				
20	Rose (g)				
25	Swartz (f-c)				
33	Keller (g)				
35	Preston (f)				
36	Rouse (g)				
37	Neff (f)				
42	Evans (g)				
44	Dwyer (c)				
	TOTALS				

(Complete Roster on Page 5)



Back Row — Phil Taylor, John Harwell, Doug Hill, Pete Silas, Coach John Hyder, Bill Cline, Bobby Barnes, and Mike Austin Front Row — Gene Anderson, Vaughn Dyer, Bill Sennett, Capt. Teeter Umstead, Peden Templeton, Eric Crake, and Bud Witt

## GEORGIA TECH SCORE CARD

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8 Silas (f)					
11 Harwell (f)					
4 Cline (c)					
10 Umstead (g)					
12 Crake (g)					
3 Hill (c)					
5 Anderson (f	)				
6 Austin (f)					
7 Taylor (g)					
9 Barnes (f)					
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# Basketball at Kentucky

A N Y S T O R Y O F A M A N who began "on a shoestring" and moved along to acquire a financial empire has a parallel in the story of University of Kentucky basketball. The first quintet at U.K. was a one-basketball outfit, and the ball used for all practice and games was furnished by the players, who chipped in a quarter or a half-dollar apiece to buy the heavy little balloon. Basketball appeared on the campus soon after the turn of the century, the game itself then very, very young. The school made no provision for a coach, but a gymnasium had been provided — perhaps with no such specific purpose in mind — when Barker Hall was erected and placed in use in 1902. The south end of the new structure housed what has since become known as Buell Armory, where cadets drilled on a dirt floor. In the other wing was a shiny new gymnasium.

Kentucky's first recognized varsity hoop team, according to available records, played only two games — in the season of 1904-05 — and broke even. The pioneering cagers participated in 12 games the following season. Thomson R. Bryant, now Assistant Director of Agricultural Extension at U.K., was one of the first varsity hoopsters. Dick Barbee was another. Finally, a duly designated basketball coach came along, for the season of 1907-08, in the person of one W. H. Mustaine.

Many of the players in the first decade or so of Kentucky basketball were survivors of those rugged early-day gridiron altercations on near-by Stoll Field, who mostly turned to the new game for a little fun and exercise during the winter months, but the sport had established itself in its own right by the time a U.K. team captured the Southern collegiate championship in a tournament in Atlanta in 1921.

A Lexingtonian, Bill King, cashed the free throw that nipped Georgia 20-19 in the final contest there, bringing the first of many championships earned by U.K. in basketball and spurring public clamor for a better court. The first gym, which for the last 20 years has been known as the women's gymnasium, was the scene of several of the early state high school basketball tournaments although having room for only three or four hundred spectators. Alumni Gymnasium, then viewed as a huge structure, was used first in 1924-25, and many wondered whether its 2,800 seats would ever be needed.

It seemed particularly fitting to most that the first Kentucky team to use the spacious new gymnasium was composed largely of Capt. Jimmy Mc-Farland, Will Milward, Burgess Carey, and Lovell (Cowboy) Underwood, all of whom had been regulars on the team that brought the national high school championship in 1922 to old Lexington Senior High. Rounding out the first team for that campaign was C. T. (Turkey) Hughes, who was to become the first U.K. athlete earning varsity letters in four sports.

Fairly soon after the appearance on the scene for coaching duty of Adolph Rupp, championships began to come with regularity, crowds began to overflow the "huge" new hall not just occasionally but for most of the games. Alumni Gymnasium had been badly outgrown long before it could be abandoned at the start of the 1950-51 campaign for the world's handsomest basketball hall, Memorial Coliseum — a climax in a story of success from a shoestring start.—LARRY SHROPSHIRE.

## Code of Sportsmanship

We, the students of the University of Kentucky, having an abiding faith in the value of intercollegiate athletics as an instrument in promoting friendly relations among universities, do adopt this code of sportsmanship for this Memorial Coliseum:

- 1. Winning or losing, an athletics team of the University of Kentucky will have our continued and wholehearted support.
- 2. We expect our team to measure up to the highest ideals in sportsmanship, and we pledge that our conduct shall be equally as praiseworthy.
- 3. The visiting team and coaches, and the officials are our guests. As such, they command our respect, courtesy, and hospitality.
- 4. We shall in all ways abide by the regulations of the University governing the use of the Coliseum.
- 5. Bearing always in mind the sacrifices of those to whose memory this building is dedicated, we pledge ourselves to a standard of conduct worthy of these honored dead.
- We call upon all who join us in the support of University of Kentucky athletics teams to join us likewise in support of this code.

The Student Government Association of the University of Kentucky

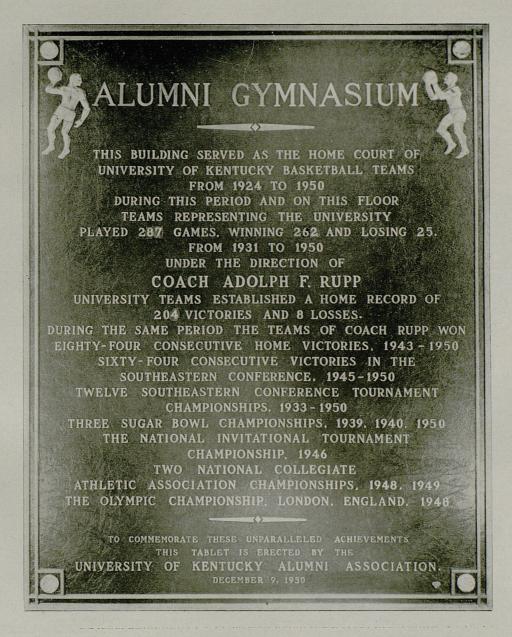
#### **KENTUCKY BASKETBALL SCHEDULE 1951-52**

Ky.         Dec. 8—Washington & Lee (H)       96         Dec. 10—Xavier (A)       97         Dec. 13—Minnesota (A)       57         Dec. 17—St. Johns (H)       81         Dec. 20—De Paul (H)       98         Dec. 26—U.C.L.A. (H)       84		Ky. Opp.         Jan. 19—Tennessee (A)       65 56         Jan. 21—Georgia Tech (A)       96 51         Jan. 26—Alabama (A)       71 67         Jan. 28—Vanderbilt (A)       88 51         Jan. 30—Auburn (A)       88 48         Feb. 2—Notre Dame       Chicago         Feb. 4—Tulane—\$2.00       Home				
Dec. 28—B.Y.U. (A)	61	Feb. 6— <b>U. of Mississippi</b> —\$2.00Home Feb. 9— <b>Georgia Tech</b> —\$2.00 Home Feb. 11— <b>Mississippi State</b> —\$2.00Home				
Jan. 3—U. of Mississippi (A)       116         Jan. 5—L.S.U. (H)       57         Jan. 7—Xavier (H)       83         Jan. 12—Florida (A)       99         Jan. 14—Georgia (A)       95	58 47 50 52 55	Feb. 16— <b>Tennessee</b> —\$2.50				
(All Home Games Start at 8 p.m.)						

#### 1950-51 KENTUCKY BASKETBALL RECORD

	Ky.	Opp.	SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE
West Texas State (H)	73	43	TOURNAMENT
Purdue(H)	70	52	Mississippi State(N) 92 70
Xavier (A)	67	56	Auburn
Florida (H)	85	37	Georgia Tech (N) 57 61
Kansas (H)	68	39	Vanderbilt (Finals)
St. John's (A)	43	37	Post Season Game
SUGAR BOWL TOURNA	MENT		Loyola (Chicago) (H) 97 61
St. Louis(N)	42	43	NCAA TOURNAMENT
31. E34.3	(Ove	rtime)	Louisville (at Raleigh, N. C.) 79 68
Syracuse (N)	69	59	St. John's (at New York, N. Y.) 59 43
Auburn (H)	79	35	Illinois (at New York, N. Y.) 76 74
DePaul (H)	63	55	(Eastern finals)
Alabama (H)	65	48	Kansas State
Notre Dame (H)	69	44	(at Minneapolis, Minn.) 68 58
Tennessee (A)	70	45	(NCAA champions)
Georgia Tech (A)	82	61	
Vanderbilt (A)	74	49	Total
Tulane (A)	104	68	
L. S. U (A)	81	59	NCAA Tournament Champions for Third Time
Mississippi State (A)	80	60	(First three-time tournament winner in
Mississippi(A)	86	39	NCAA history)
Georgia Tech (H)	75	42	SOUTHEASTERN CONFERENCE Champions for
Xavier (H)	78	51	Eighth Consecutive Season
Tennessee (H)	86	61	(Annual SEC Tournament did not deter-
DePaul(A)	60	57	mine conference championship)
Georgia(H)	88	41	NUMBER ONE TEAM IN NATION by Final
Vanderbilt (H)	89	57	Rankings
(SI	EC cham	pions)	(Associated Press—United Press)



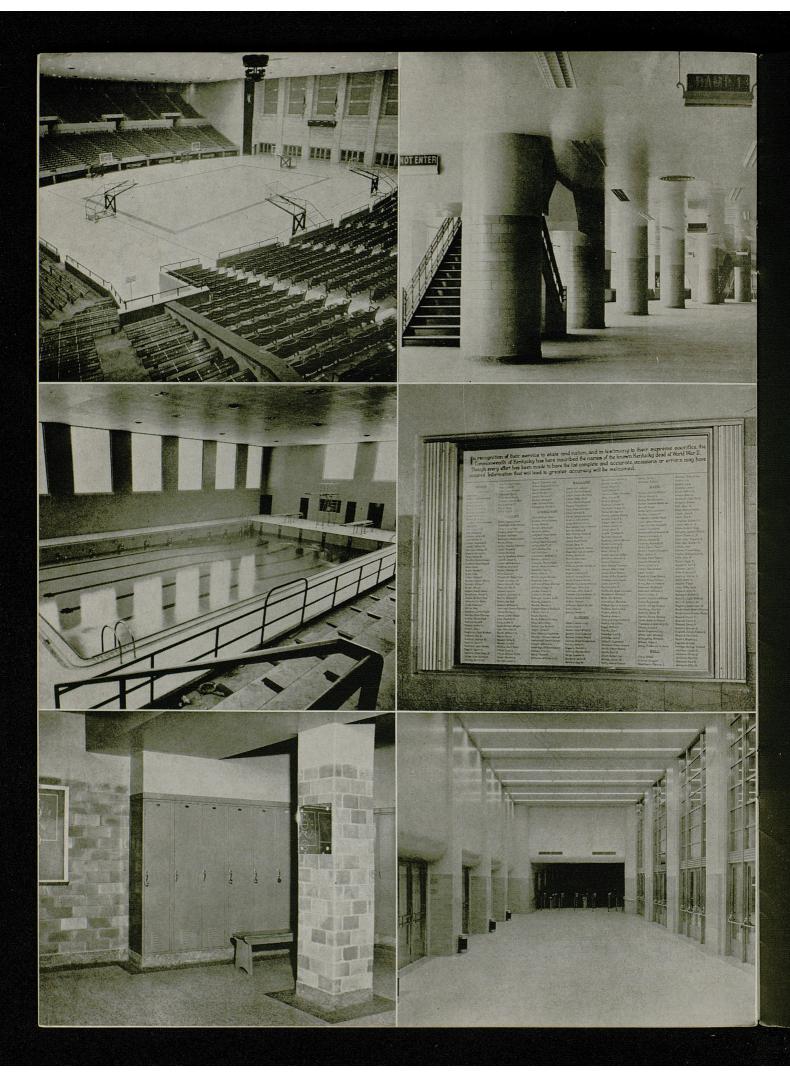


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Mississippi State	. Feb. 11
Tennessee	Feb. 16
Vanderbilt	Feb. 21
SEC Tournament	Mar. 1
(in Louisville)	

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## 1952 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE KENTUCKY

#### versus

*VILLANOVA	Sept. 20
*OLE MISS	Sept. 27
TEXAS A&M	Oct. 4
L.S.U	Oct. 11
*MISSISSIPPI STATE	Oct. 18
CINCINNATI	Oct. 25
MIAMI (Fla.)	Oct. 31
*TULANE	. Nov. 8
*GEO. WASHINGTON	
TENNESSEE	Nov. 22
*FLORIDA	Nov. 29
* Home Games	



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