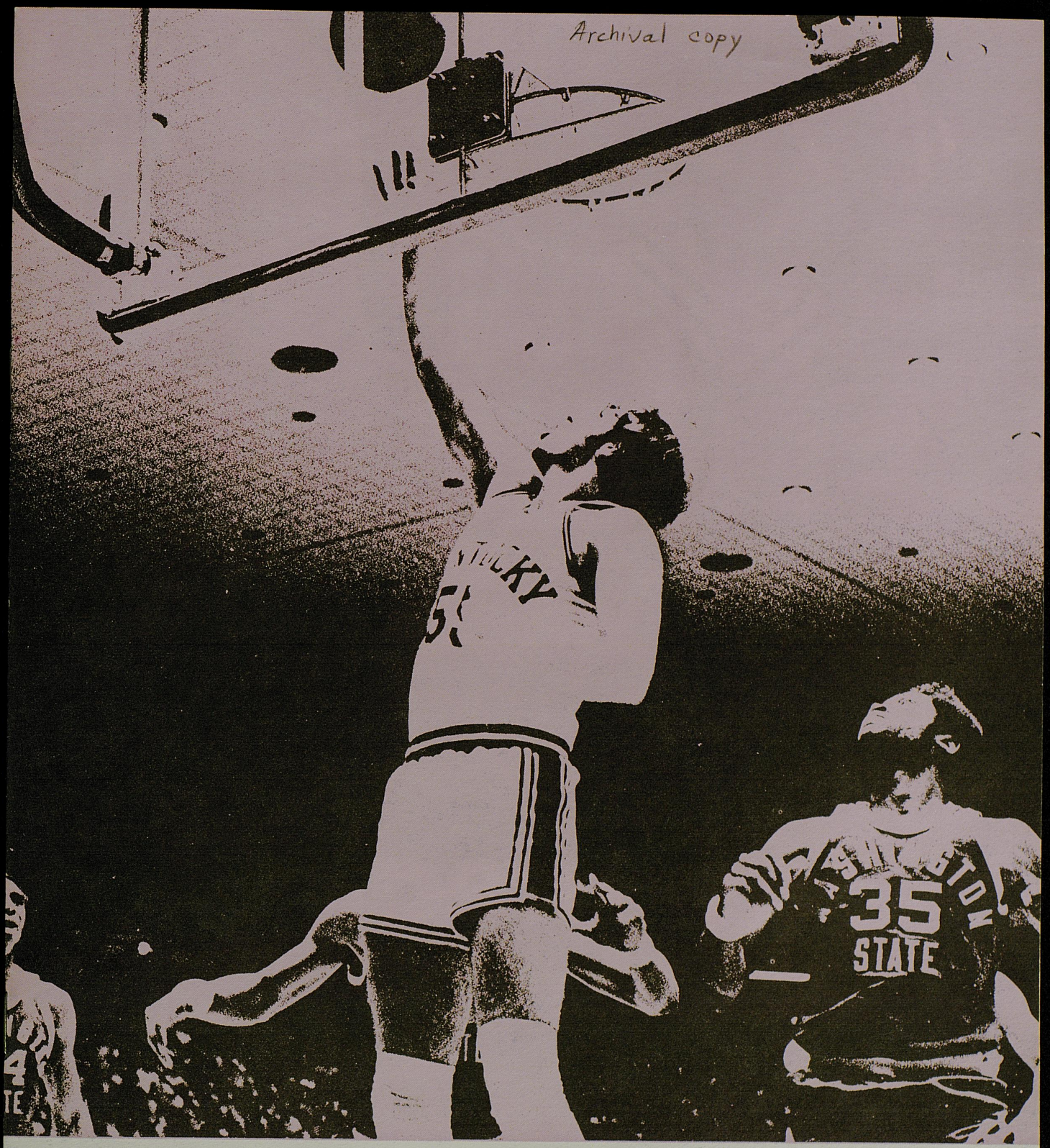

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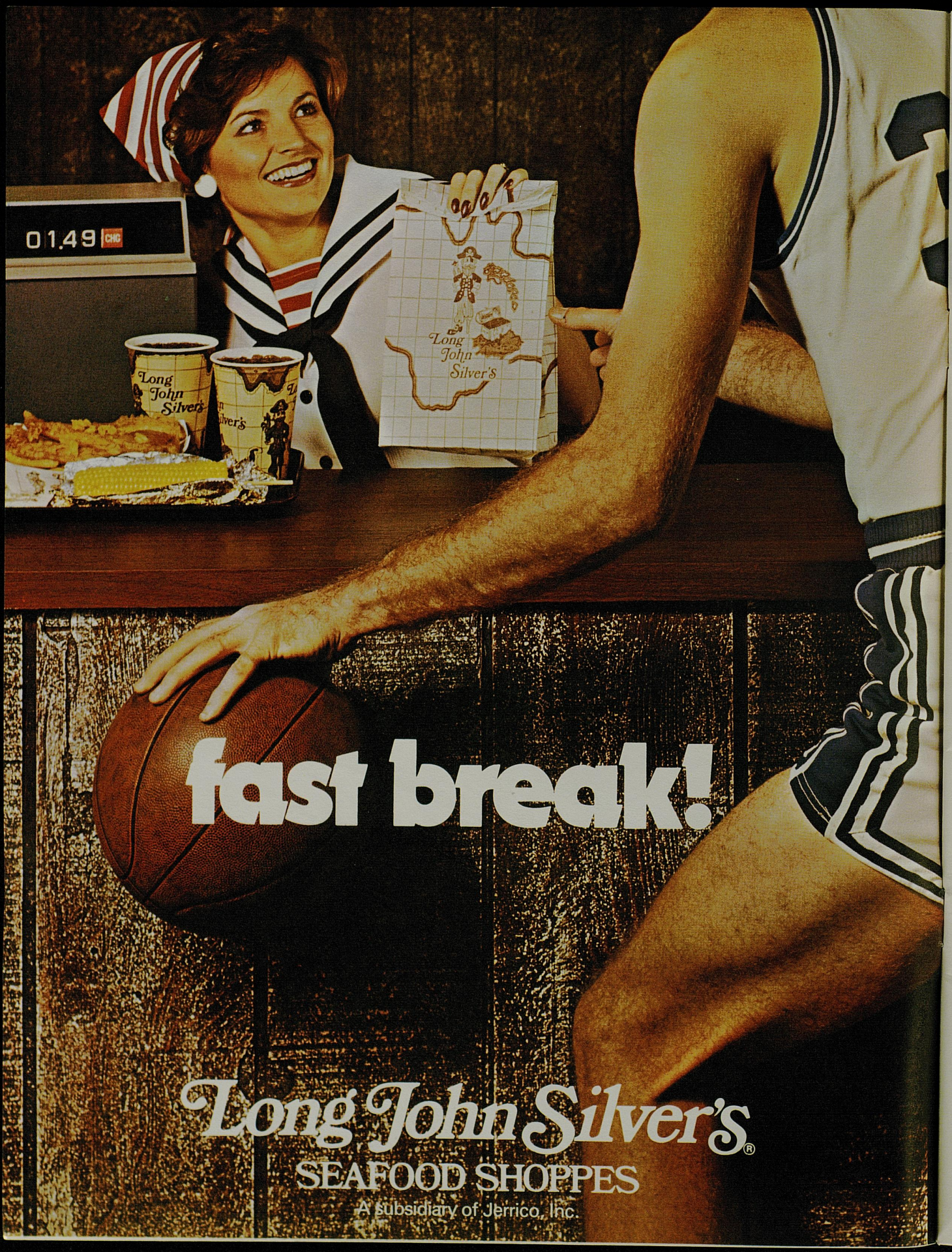
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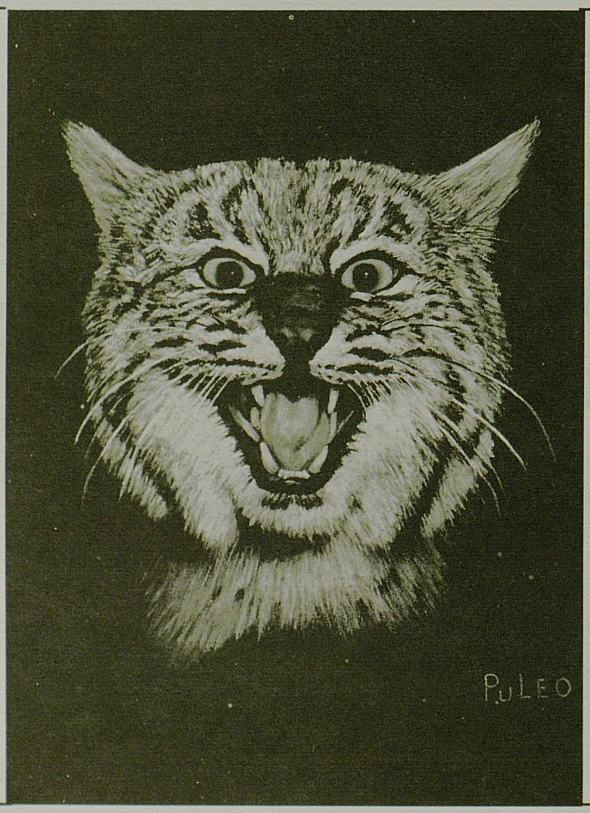

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12	Larry Johnson	G	Jr.	6-2	205	21	2L	Morganfield
15	Reggie Warford	G	Sr.	6-1	175	21	SQ	Drakesboro
20	Dwane Casey	G	Fr.	6-2	195	18	—	Morganfield
21	Jack Givens	F-G	So.	6-4	205	19	1L	Lexington
22	Truman Claytor	G	Fr.	6-1	176	18	—	Toledo, Ohio
30	Merion Haskins	F	Jr.	6-4	205	20	1L	Campbellsville
32	James Lee	F	So.	6-5	220	19	1L	Lexington
44	Bow Fowler	C-F	Fr.	6-4	200	18	—	Dearborn Hts., Mich.
53	Rick Robey	F-C	So.	6-10	232	19	1L	New Orleans, La.
54	Dan Hall	C	So.	6-10	225	19	1L	Betsy Layne
55	Mike Phillips	F-C	So.	6-10	235	19	1L	Akron, Ohio

HEAD COACH — Joe B. Hall (Fourth Year at Kentucky)
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Tom Siler, sports of the Knoxville News-Sentinel, presents his newspaper's 1975 Southeastern Conference Coach of the Year award to co-winners C. M. Newton (left) of Alabama and Joe B. Hall of Kentucky. The presentation was made during the recent Tide-Wildcat meeting at Tuscaloosa.

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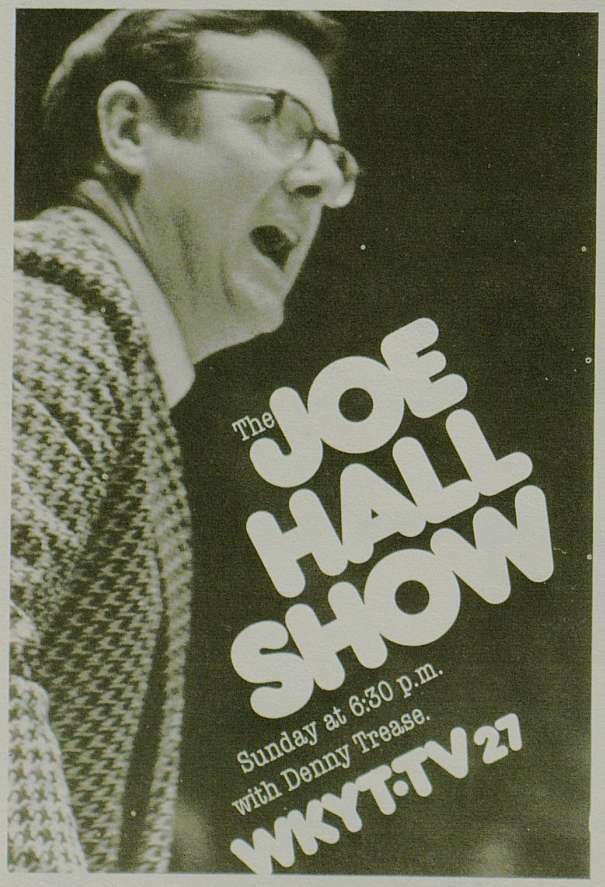

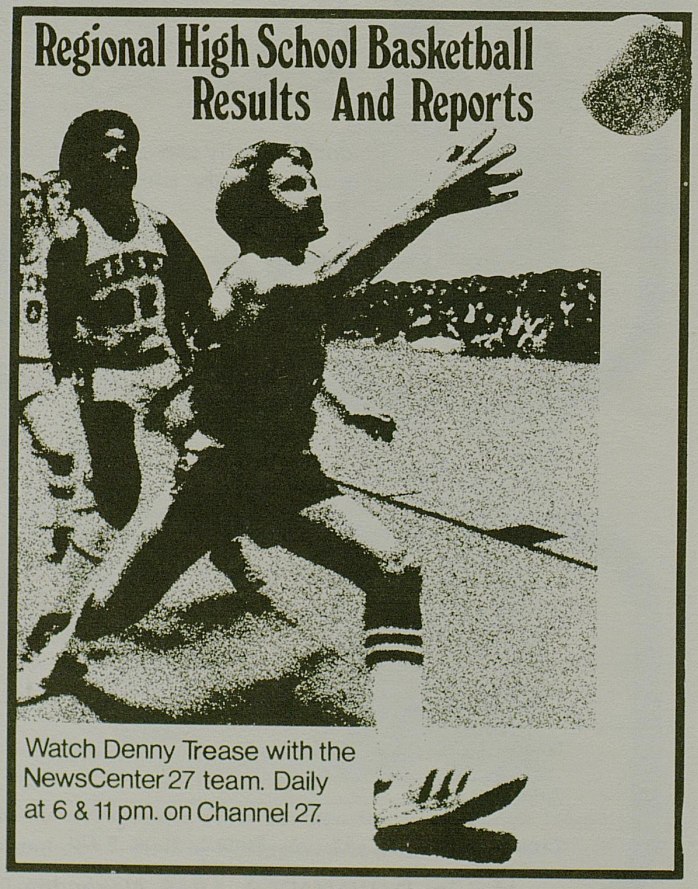

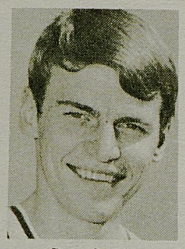

Dan Issel

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Mike Casey

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TOP ALL-TIME KENTUCKY SCORERS—VARSITY CAREER

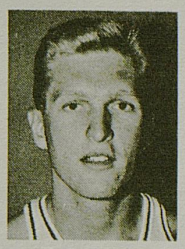
(The 1,000 Point Club)

Player—Pos.	Years	Points	Games	Average
Dan Issel (C)	3 (1968-70)	2,138	83	25.7
Kevin Grevey (F)	3 (1973-75)	1,801	84	21.4
Cotton Nash (C-F)	3 (1962-64)	1,770	78†	22.69
Alex Groza (C)	4 (1945, 47-49)	1,744	120	14.4
Louie Dampier (G)	3 (1965-67)	1,575	80	19.7
Mike Casey (G)	3 (1968-69-71)	1,535	82	18.7
Ralph Beard (G)	4 (1946-49)	1,517	139	10.8
Cliff Hagan (C)	2½ (1951-52, 54)	1,475	77	19.2
Pat Riley (F)	3 (1965-67)	1,464	80	18.3
Johnny Cox (F)	3 (1957-59)	1,461	84	17.3
Mike Pratt (F)	3 (1968-70)	1,359	81	16.8
Frank Ramsey (G)	3 (1951-52, 54)	1,344	91	14.7
Jim Andrews (C)	3 (1971-73)	1,320	80	16.5
Tom Parker (F)	3 (1970-72)	1,238	80	15.5
Bill Spivey (C)	2 (1950-51)	1,213	63	19.2
Vernon Hatton (G)	3 (1956-58)	1,154	76	15.1
Wallace Jones (F)	4 (1946-49)	1,151	98*	.....
Bill Lickert (F-G)	3 (1959-61)	1,076	73	14.7
Jim Line (F)	4 (1947-50)	1,041	100*	.....
Bob Burrow (C)	2 (1955-56)	1,023#	51	20.0
Bobby Watson (G)	3 (1950-52)	1,001	96	10.4

* No record for number of games played in 1947.

† Achieved membership in club earliest of any Wildcat, hitting 1,000th point in the 19th game of junior year.

Kentucky career totals only. Junior College total of 2,191 points not included.



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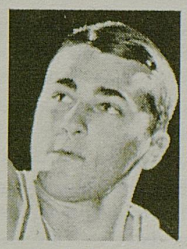

Louie Dampier

Ralph Beard

Pat Riley

WILDCATS CARVE INCREDIBLE POST-SEASON TOURNAMENT RECORD

Since Kentucky made its first appearance in a major post season basketball tournament in 1942, no graduating class has ever missed the opportunity to play in either the NCAA or National Invitational Tournaments.

In fact, the Wildcats have an incredible record which has seen them miss only seven times (1943, '53, '54, '60, '63, '65, '67 and '74) in the past 32 years. Two of those misses were in 1953, when they sat out a season, and '54, when the undefeated National Champions won an automatic NCAA berth but declined the bid.

TODAY'S GAME

By JACK PERRY
Assistant Sports Information Director

Kentucky and Vanderbilt renew one of the South's finest basketball rivalries today in Lexington before a national television audience on the NBC network. Tip-off is 4:00 p.m., EST at Memorial Coliseum.

While neither team's overall record is impressive—Kentucky is 6-6 and Vandy 7-6—the drama and nail-biting tension of the confrontation is certain to permeate an expected overflow crowd.

Consider the Commodores are tied for the Southeastern Conference lead with a 3-1 ledger while the proud Wildcats are struggling to stay alive in the race with a 1-3 mark.

Both teams have momentum—Vandy coming off a fine 77-66 win over arch-rival Tennessee — and the Wildcats, beset with inexperience and the loss of injured 6-foot-10 Rick Robey, earning their first conference win with a 92-76 effort over a solid Georgia team Monday. That same Georgia team took Vanderbilt into overtime two days earlier at Nashville before losing 95-85.

It will be a battle of age versus youth—Vandy starts three seniors while Kentucky likely will start three sophomores and one senior non-letterman.

Leading Vandy are seniors Jeff Fosnes, 17.8, Butch Feher, 17.3, and Joe Ford, 15.7, and sophomores Dick Keffer, 7.0 and John Sneed, 9.1. Feher and Sneed lead in rebounding with 8.3 and 7.2 respectively. The Commodores are hitting 48.5 percent from the field and are averaging 78.0 ppg to opponents' 78.4.

Expected to start for the Wildcats are guards Larry Johnson, 9.2, and Reggie Warford, 3.6, forwards Jack Givens, 19.0, and James Lee, 5.5, and center Mike Phillips, 11.3. Leading rebounders are Phillips, 6.9, Givens, 6.3, and Lee, 5.8.

Kentucky leads Vandy 72-26 in a series dating back to 1912.

The UK Jaycees play a preliminary against UK Dental School at 1:00 p.m.

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Short Shots:

A thin Kentucky squad was cut to the critical stage when Dan Hall, a 6-10 sophomore center from Betsy Layne, Ky., announced Monday that he was withdrawing from school. Hall, who was married Dec. 23, enrolled at Marshall University early this week. He had started three games for the Cats this season and had scored eight points in nine games. Hall's exodus leaves the Cats with only 10 players, plus Rick Robey, who is recuperating from injury.

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Rick Robey, who suffered a moderate sprain of the right knee socket against Alabama a week ago, was released from the hospital Tuesday where he had been undergoing four hours therapy daily to strengthen his knee. He will continue therapy daily—Monday, Robey fully extended his leg for the first time since his injury—He is now lifting 30 lbs., a good sign say therapists.

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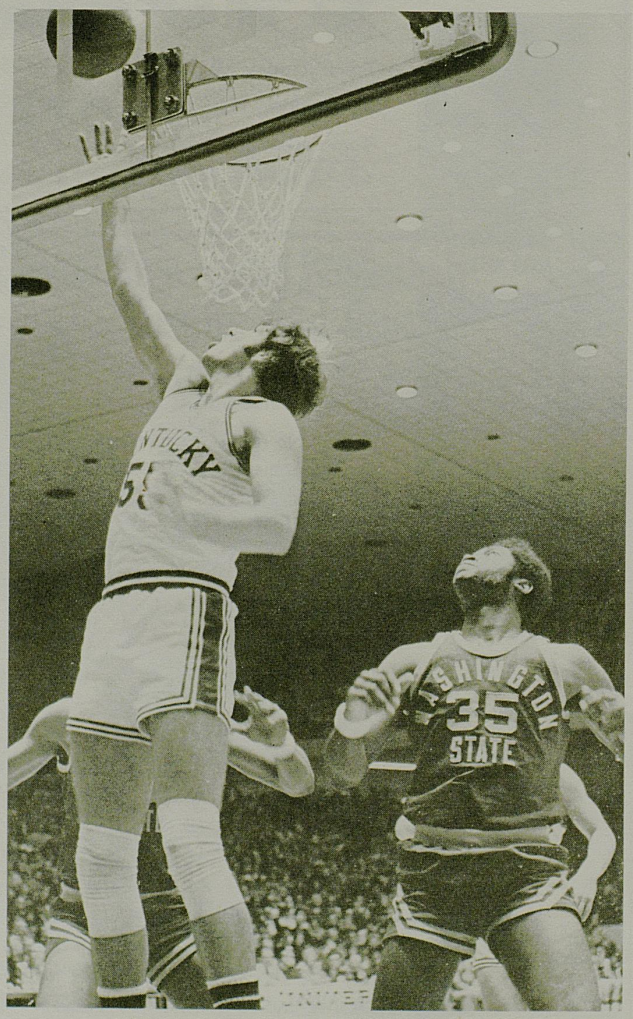
Senior guard Reggie Warford, the "old man" of the team, started his third consecutive game against Georgia and came through with a career high 12 points plus playing a nifty floor game. The quick southpaw from Drakesboro has logged 133 minutes in 10 games compared to only 22 minutes during his first two years. Warford has improved his control of the ball, too, committing only nine turnovers during that span.

* * *

Mike Phillips, a 6-10, 235 lb. sophomore center from Akron, Ohio, was highly recruited by Tennessee as he was breaking records at Manchester High School. Last Saturday, he went to war against the Vols, scoring 26 points and grabbing 28 rebounds in the 90-88 overtime loss. The 28 rebounds is a UK single high since Dan Issel pulled down 29 against LSU in 1969. The UK record, 34, was set by Bob Burrow against Temple in 1955.



Mike Phillips, shown above against Washington State in the UKIT, grabbed 28 rebounds against Tennessee a week ago to record the fourth best single game effort at UK.

WILDCATS' SCORECARD

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22	TRUMAN CLAYTOR 6-1 Freshman Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
30	MERION HASKINS 6-4 Junior Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
32	JAMES LEE 6-5 Sophomore Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
44	BOB FOWLER 6-4 Freshman Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
53	RICK ROBEY 6-10 Sophomore Center-Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
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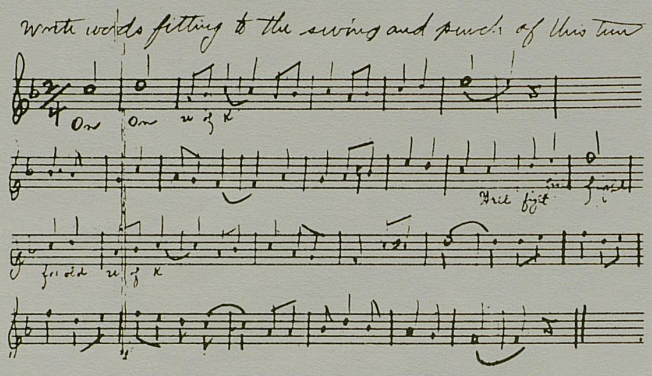

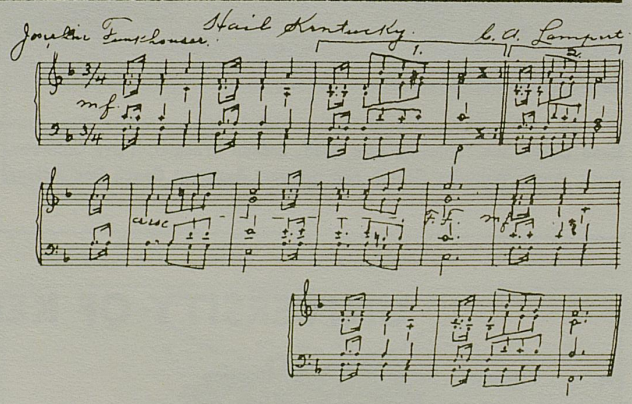

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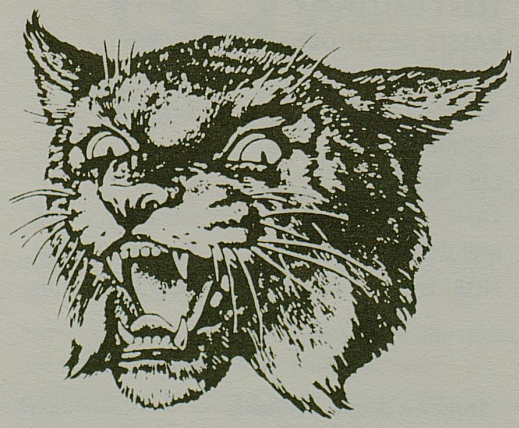

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All merry, all happy and bright;
By'n by hard times comes a-knocking at the door
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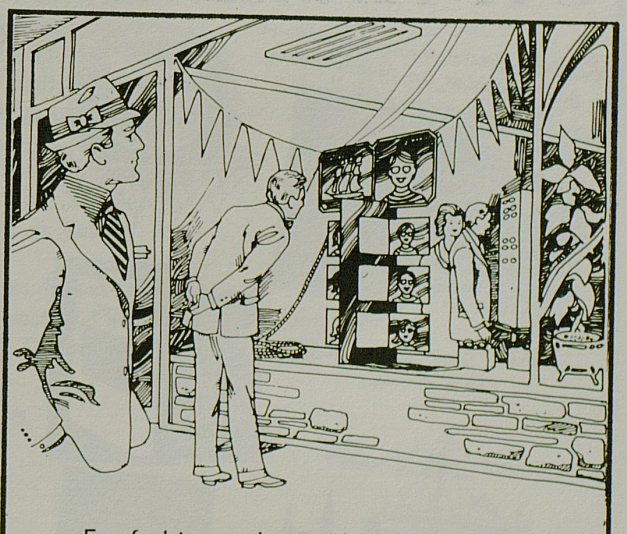

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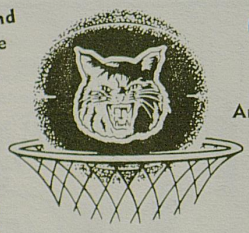

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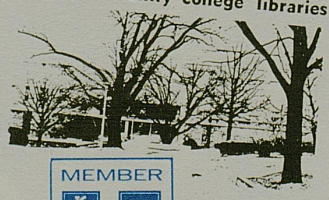

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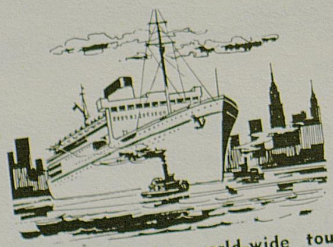

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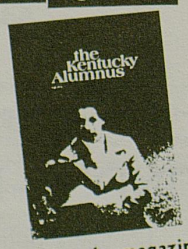

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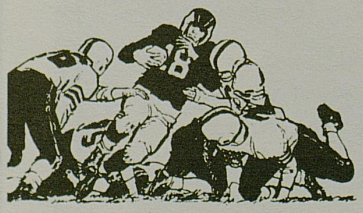

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FRANK HAM, Assistant Director of Athletics

Frank Ham became Assistant Director of Athletics in July 1975 soon after Cliff Hagan succeeded Harry C. Lancaster as Director of Athletics.

A native of Scranton, Pa., Ham came to the University in 1969 as Administrative Assistant to football coach John Ray, and was reassigned to the Athletic Director's staff in 1972 when Ray resigned.

Ham graduated from high school at Niles, Mich., and completed his undergraduate work at Olivet College. He did graduate work at Indiana University and coached high school football and track at John Adams High in South Bend in 1944-46 and then returned to Olivet as athletic director and head football and basketball coach.

In 1962, he became assistant to the president at Olivet, with responsibilities in public and alumni relations. He was in private business from 1954 until 1968.

He is married to the former Rosemary Woods of Niles, Mich. They have two sons, Michael, 32, of Raleigh, N.C., and Craig, 29, a U.S. Army Captain, and two daughters, Mrs. Sue Ann Winchester of Cassopolis, Mich., and Jennifer, 19, a sophomore at UK.

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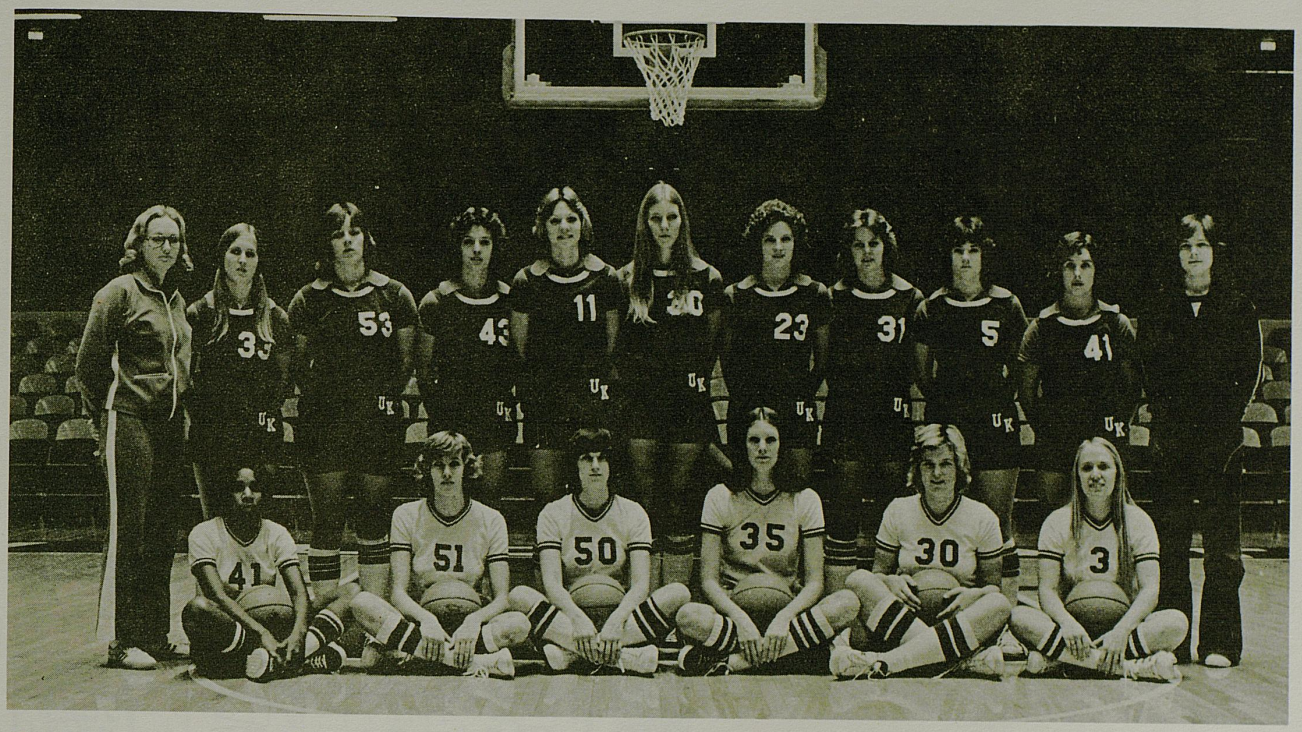

1975-76 LADY KATS—Seated (left to right): Noreen White, Pam Browning, Karen Lewis, Melinda Warren, Kassie Kessinger, Sally Bussell; standing: Head Coach Sue Feamster, Lisa Kidd, Brenda Wheeler, Terry Galloway, Janet Timperman, Liz March, Cathy Galloway, Ceal Barry, Terri Boyd, Debbie Mack, Angie Williams (Stats). Not present: Assistant Coach Don Adkins, Managers Ruth Stewart and Carla Austin.

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LADY KATS

No.	Name	Position	Height	Class	Hometown
35	CEAL BARRY	Guard	5-7	Junior	Louisville
30	TERRY BOYD	Guard	5-5	Freshman	Ashland
55	PAM BROWNING	Center/Forward	6-0	Sophomore	Ghent
21	SALLY BUSSELL	Forward	5-8	Senior	Paris
41	CATHY GALLOWAY	Guard/Forward	5-9	Freshman	Dyer, Tenn.
5	TERRY GALLOWAY	Guard	5-9	Junior	Dyer, Tenn.
53	KASSIE KESSINGER	Center	5-11	Junior	Lexington
23	LISA KIDD	Guard	5-4	Freshman	Ashland
51	KAREN LEWIS	Forward	5-10	Freshman	Louisville
15	DEBBIE MACK	Guard	5-4	Freshman	Lexington
50	LIZ MARCH	Center	6-0	Senior	Lexington
11	JANET TIMPERMAN	Center/Forward	5-11	Freshman	Louisville
45	MELINDA WARREN	Forward/Center	6-3	Freshman	Louisville
41	NOREEN WHITE	Guard/Forward	5-4	Freshman	Georgetown

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ASST. COACH — DON ADKINS

Stats — Angie Williams

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In fact, two of their games will be featured nationally and both will be in Lexington—Jan. 17 against Vanderbilt, and Mar. 6 against Alabama. The other SEC series game will be Feb. 7 at Tennessee.

Three teams—Alabama, Auburn and Tennessee are scheduled three times also, while Georgia and Vanderbilt will appear twice. Florida, LSU, Ole Miss and Mississippi State will appear only once.

The 10-week series over a regional network again will be produced by TVS Television of New York. All games will be played on Saturday afternoons.

Auburn opens the series at Louisiana State Jan. 3.

Kentucky has won 26 and lost only 14, for a 65 per cent win average during the eleven year series. The year-by-year breakdown: Won one of three games in '64-65, three of four in '65-66, two of four in both '66-67 and '67-68, three of five in '68-69, all four in '69-70, three of four in '70-71, two of three in both '71-72 and '72-73, one of three in '73-74, and all three in '74-75.

The Schedule:

Date		Teams	Tip-Off
Jan.	3	Auburn at Louisiana State	1:00 CST
Jan.	10	Georgia at Vanderbilt	2:00 CST
Jan.	**17**	**Vanderbilt at Kentucky (National TV)**	**4:00 EST**
Jan.	24	Tennessee at Mississippi	1:00 CST
Jan.	31	Auburn at Florida	2:00 EST
Feb.	**7**	**Kentucky at Tennessee**	**2:00 EST**
Feb.	14	Georgia at Auburn	1:00 CST
Feb.	21	Alabama at Mississippi State	1:00 CST
Feb.	28	Tennessee at Alabama	1:00 CST
Mar.	**6**	**Alabama at Kentucky (National TV)**	**1:00 EST**

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Ellis Johnson (G) 1933
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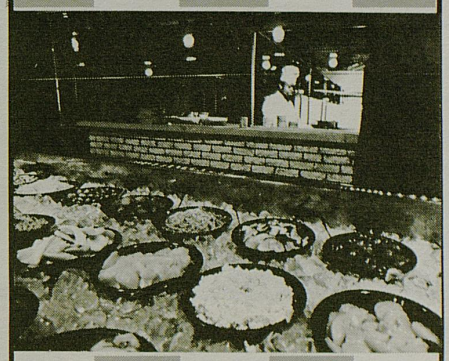
Bill Davis (G) 1934
Leroy Edwards (C) 1935
Dave Lawrence (F) 1935
Ralph Carlisle (F) ..... 1936, '37
Warfield Donohue (G) 1937
Bernie Opper (G) ..... 1938, '39
Layton Rouse (G) 1940
Lee Huber (G) 1941
James King (C) 1941
Marvin Akers (F) ..... 1941, '43
Ermal Allen (F) 1942
Melvin Brewer (C) 1943
Bob Brannum (C) 1944
Jack Parkinson (G) ..... 1944, '45, '46
Jack Tingle (F) .... 1944, '45, '46, '47
Kenton Campbell (C) 1945
Ralph Beard (G) .... 1946, '47, '48, '49
Wallace Jones (F) .. 1946, '47, '48, '49
Joe Holland (F) 1947
Alex Groza (C) ..... 1948, '49
Kenny Rollins (G) ..... 1947, '48
Jim Line (F) 1950
Bill Spivey (C) ..... 1950, '51
Walt Hirsch (F) 1951
Shelby Linville (F) 1951
Bobby Watson (G) ..... 1951, '52
Frank Ramsey (G) ..... 1951, '52, '54
Cliff Hagan (C) ..... 1952, '54
Bill Evans (G-F) 1955
Bob Burrow (C) ..... 1955, '56
Johnny Cox (F) ..... 1957, '58, '59
Vernon Hatton (G) 1958
Don Mills (C) 1960
Bill Lickert (F-G) ..... 1959, '60, '61
Larry Pursiful (G) 1962
Cotton Nash (C-F) ..... 1962, '63, '64
Ted Deeken (F) 1964
Tommy Kron (G) ..... 1965, '66
Pat Riley (F) ..... 1965, '66
Thad Jaracz (C-F) 1966
Larry Conley (F) 1966
Louie Dampier (G) ..... 1965, '66, '67
Mike Casey (G) ..... 1968, '69, '71
Dan Issel (C) ..... 1968, '69, '70
Mike Pratt (F) ..... 1969, '70
Larry Steele (F) 1971
Tom Parker (F) ..... 1971, '72
Tom Payne (C) 1971
Jim Andrews (C) ..... 1972, '73
Kevin Grevey (F) ..... 1973, '74

Cliff Hagan's Ribeye



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Vanderbilt University

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Vanderbilt University began a two-and-a-half year celebration of its centennial in March of 1973 with the 100th anniversary of the founding and a reunion on campus of the Vanderbilt family that has helped to support it for six generations. Commodore Cornelius Vanderbilt founded the university in 1873 with a handsome gift of one million dollars, for the purpose of "strengthening the ties which should exist between all geographical sections of our common country . . ." It was to be the great university of the central South, which was just beginning to recover from the Civil War.

Since 1973 the university has also celebrated the graduation of its first medical class, the rededication of the laying of the cornerstone of Kirkland Hall, and will conclude the observance with a ceremony commemorating the centennial of the opening of classes on October 3-4, 1975.

Other centennial events have included lectures delivered by such internationally known figures as Willy Brandt, former Chancellor of the German Federal Republic, and Sir John Hicks, Nobel Laureate in Economics. Several meetings of important academic organizations have been held on campus as part of the observance. These include the Association of American Universities, the triennial convention of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa and the Council of Southern Universities.

From the beginning Vanderbilt met the two definitions of a university: it offered work in the liberal arts and sciences beyond the baccalaureate degree, and it included several professional schools in addition to its college. Presently, Vanderbilt has eight schools: the College of Arts and Science, the School of Engineering, the School of Nursing, the School of Medicine, the Graduate School, the School of Law, the Divinity School and its newest (1968), the Graduate School of Management. The university offers the Ph.D. degree in 33 fields of study.

Among the most significant accomplishments of Vanderbilt has been its achievement in recent years of the highest percentage of participation in alumni giving of any university in the country. Chancellor Alexander Heard regards this loyalty as a basic key to the preservation of private learning institutions.

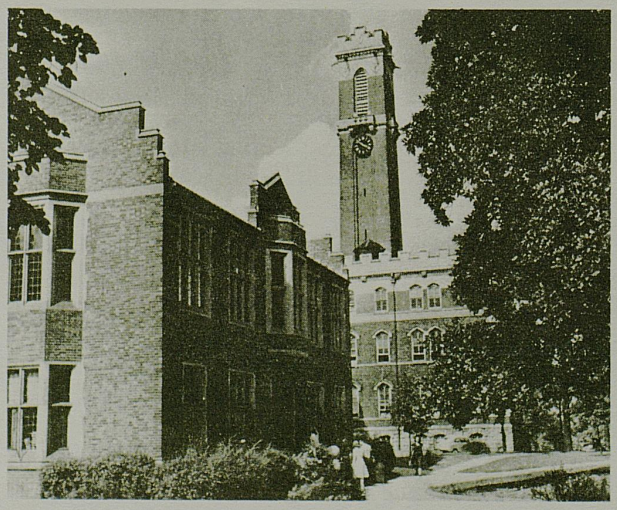
Commodore Vanderbilt's gift in 1873 got Vanderbilt off to a magnificent start in the early years. Today the university's endowment is more than $150 million.

The campus has expanded to twice its original size. Enrollment when classes began in 1875 was 307 and in the fall of 1974 it was 6,923.

The first Vanderbilt catalog listed a faculty of 26. Today's faculty of 1,540 has included such distinguished members as the late Dr. Earl Sutherland, winner of the 1971 Nobel Prize in Medicine for his discovery of a chemical regulator in the body that affects growth and behavior. Dr. Sutherland was the first professor at a Southern university to win a Nobel prize for scientific research.

Other notable faculty members pioneered in the use of photography as a tool of astronomy, bounced the first radar wave off the moon, laid the foundations of modern virus research and observed the world's first photo-produced atomic hyperon particle.

One of Vanderbilt's great strengths is its medical school. In the famous survey of American medical education published by the Carnegie Foundation in 1910, Abraham Flexner suggested that Vanderbilt was the best qualified institution to improve the quality of medical education in its area in the country. Carnegie and Rockefeller grants subsequently established the Vanderbilt Medical Center, which today has more than 7500 applicants for 83 places in the first year class of the School of Medicine.



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Date		Opponent Site	UK	Opp.
Dec.	1	Northwestern (Away)	77	89
Dec.	8	North Carolina (Away)	77	90
Dec.	10	Miami (O.) (Home)	91	69
Dec.	13	Kansas (Away)	54	48
Dec.	15	Indiana (Louisville)	68	77
Dec.	19	UKIT: Kentucky vs Georgia Tech (Home)	66	64
Dec.	20	Kentucky vs Oregon State (Home)	82	74
Dec.	30	Notre Dame (Louisville)	79	77
Jan.	3	Mississippi State (Away)	73	77
Jan.	5	Alabama (Away)	63	76
Jan.	10	Tennessee (Home)	88	90
Jan.	12	Georgia (Home)	92	76
Jan.	17	VANDERBILT (TV-National)		Home
Jan.	24	Florida		Away
Jan.	26	Auburn		Away
Jan.	31	MISSISSIPPI		Home
Feb.	2	LOUISIANA STATE		Home
Feb.	7	Tennessee (TV)		Away
Feb.	9	Georgia		Away
Feb.	14	Vanderbilt		Away
Feb.	21	FLORIDA		Home
Feb.	23	AUBURN		Home
Feb.	28	Mississippi		Away
Mar.	1	Louisiana State		Away
Mar.	6	ALABAMA (TV-National)		Home
Mar.	8	MISSISSIPPI STATE		Home

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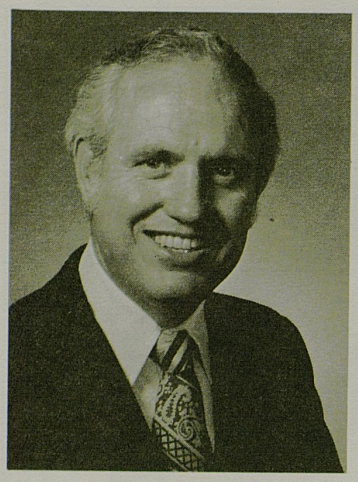

JULIAN MORTON CARROLL became Kentucky's 58th governor on Dec. 28, 1974, succeeding Wendell H. Ford, who was elected to the U.S. Senate. Carroll then won a full four-year term in the 1975 general election. Born in McCracken County in 1931, he attended Paducah Junior College after graduating from Heath High School. He was graduated from the University of Kentucky in 1954 and received his law degree from UK in 1956. Before becoming governor, Carroll served three years as lieutenant governor and ten years as a member of the Kentucky House of Representatives. He is an active member of the Optimist Club and a former Jaycee. He attained the highest office in Kentucky for laymen of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in 1966-67 when he was named moderator of the Kentucky Synod. The Governor and his wife, Charlann, have three children.

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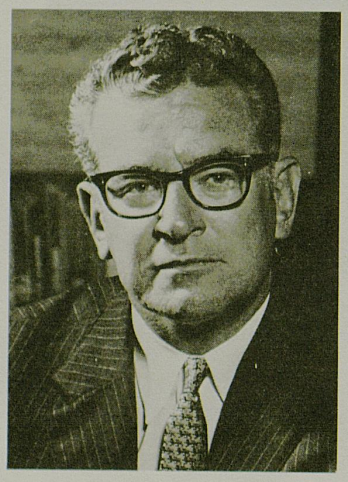


PRESIDENT OTIS A. SINGLETARY came to Lexington in August, 1969, from the University of Texas, Austin, where he was executive vice chancellor for academic affairs. Dr. Singletary, who is eighth president of the University, served a total of eight years at Texas, progressing during seven (1954-61) of those years from instructor to professor, associate dean of Arts and Sciences and assistant to the president. Then for five years (1961-66), he was chancellor of the University of North Carolina, although he was on leave from October 1964 to January 1966 to serve as director of the Job Corps, Office of Economic Opportunity.

CLIFFORD O. HAGAN became assistant director of athletics at UK June 1, 1972, and succeeded Harry C. Lancaster as AD July 1, 1975. A two-time consensus All-America, he led the Wildcats to 86 wins in 91 games and the 1951 NCAA championship and was co-captain of the undefeated 1954 team. He scored a then-record 41 points in leading Owensboro over Lafayette in the championship game of the 1949 State Tournament. He was a five-time All-Pro with the St. Louis Hawks.

JOE B. HALL
Kentucky Head Coach

- Coach of the 1975 national runner-up Wildcats.
- Coach of the Southeastern Conference co-champions after winning the conference championship two years earlier.
- SEC Coach of the Year for the second time in three years.
- Coach and Athlete Magazine's Southeast Region Coach of the Year for the second time in three years.
- Nominee For Kodak 1975 National Coach of The Year.
- Coach of his third consecutive UKIT championship team.
- Member 1976 Olympic Basketball Committee.

Such personal and team honors in 1975 were gratifying to Joe B. Hall, but the Wildcat coach has his eye on things more current as he enters his fourth year as head of the nationally famous Wildcats.

The challenge facing him now is entirely different from last year, when he blended a crop of big, talented freshmen with six fine seniors, a junior and two sophomores to produce a finely honed, exciting squad that set the nation on its ear and vaulted the Wildcats back into national prominence.

The scene has changed dramatically, leaving Hall with one of the most youthful squads in the history of Wildcat basketball. He feels they must overcome that youthfulness with intelligent play, 100 per cent hustle and defensive toughness.

Although he is recognized as one of the nation's finest offensive coaches, it was the defensive play of Hall's 1975 squad that caught the nation's imagination. The Wildcats at times were accused of being excessively rough and of using "karate" defense, but in the long run they proved that they were merely preparing themselves for the rugged road to the NCAA championship game.

The championship crown eluded Hall and the Wildcats, but they gave such a good account of themselves that Kentucky basketball again was a national byword.

At the end of the season, Hall's three-year record stood at 133-82, excluding a 17-2 record on a 1974 tour of Australia. He had the distinction in 1973 of becoming the first rookie coach in the SEC to be designated Coach of the Year by his fellow coaches and by Coach and Athlete Magazine.

Gathering such honors has been one of Hall's trademarks during a coaching career that began at Shepherdsville (Ky.) High School in 1956 and continued through Regis College and Central Missouri State College before he returned to UK in July 1, 1965, as an assistant to his former coach, Adolph Rupp.

During Hall's two years at Shepherdsville, the Cougars won a Mid-Kentucky Conference title and he was named "Coach of the Year" in 1958. He then served one year as freshman coach and five years as head basketball coach at Regis College in Denver, Colo., where he was also athletic director and earned special recognition as coach of the champion independent team in the area.

While in Denver, he also coached the Capital Federal host team in the 1964 AAU tournament and was selected as head coach of the AAU Stripes in the Olympic trials at Jamaica, N. Y.

His next move was to Central Missouri, where he coached the Mules (19-6) to their first MIAA Conference championship since 1951 and their first Christmas Tournament title in history. He was named MIAA "Coach of the Year" (1964-65).

A three-letter winner and team captain in both sports in high school at Cynthiana, Ky., he played freshman basketball and one year of varsity basketball in the "Fabulous Five" era at the University before transferring to the University of the South at Sewanee, Tenn., where he set a school single game scoring record and was team captain. Coach Lon Varnell, upon retirement, rated Hall as No. 1 of the three best players he ever coached.

After touring Europe with the Globetrotters in 1951, Hall returned to U.K. in 1955 to complete requirements for his B.A. and later (1964) received his M.A. at Colorado State University.

Returning to U.K. again in 1965 as assistant coach and head recruiter, he was instrumental in adopting a running-conditioning program which obviously paid huge dividends as the Wildcats capitalized on speed and endurance to offset a lack of size and advance to the championship game of the NCAA Finals. Hall then successfully recruited six prep All-Americans, including all-time U.K. scoring leader Dan Issel, to form the nucleus of a varsity team that won three straight conference championships and was followed by a team that won three more consecutive SEC titles.

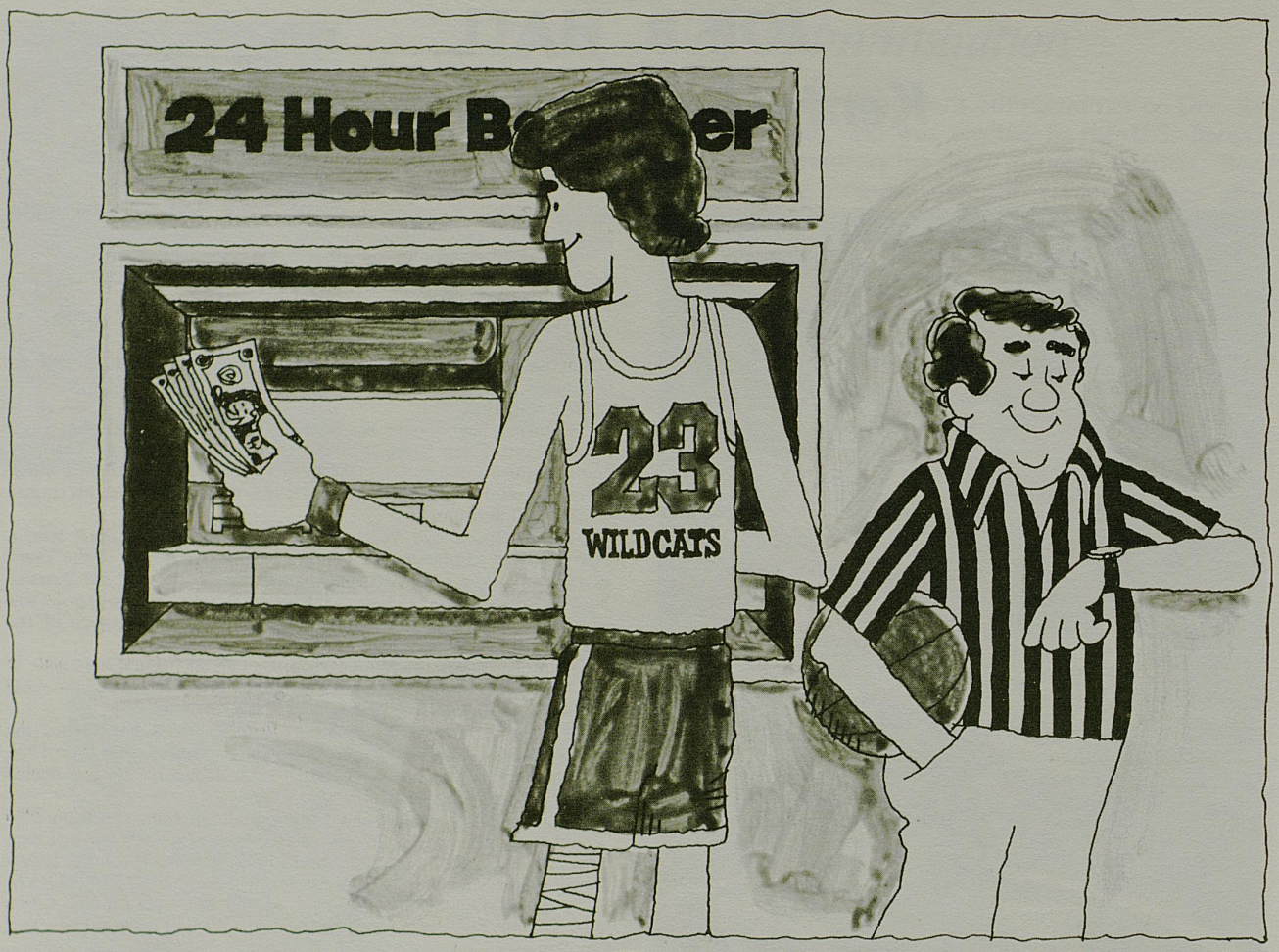
Hall became No. 1 varsity assistant and head freshman Coach to Rupp after Harry C. Lancaster was named permanent athletic director Feb. 1, 1969. His record with the freshmen was 60-15, including an undefeated (22-0) season (1971-72) which resulted in the Kittens being crowned National Freshman Champions by the Basketball News.

During his first season as head coach, the Wildcats won their last nine conference games to sew up the SEC title.

His nine-year coaching record is 135-82. Broken down, it shows a 57-50 five-year mark at Regis, a 19-6 record at Central Missouri, and a 59-26 three-year record at Kentucky.

A popular personality on the clinic and convention circuits, Hall also has had much international exposure. In addition to the Globetrotters tour in 1951, and the "Down Under" tour in 1974, he has helped conduct basketball clinics for the U.S. Army in Anchorage and Fairbanks, Alaska (1968) and at Ramstein Air Base in Frankfurt, Germany and the RAF Base at Mildenhall, England, last Sept. He also was Olympic Trials coach under Hank Iba at the Air Force Academy in July 1972 and is a member of the 1976 Olympic Basketball Committee.

He is married to the former Katharine Dennis of Harrison County, Ky. They have three children—Judy, 20; Kathy, 19, and Steve, 15.



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BASIL HAYDEN
Forward—1921

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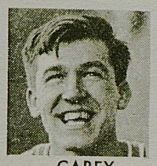
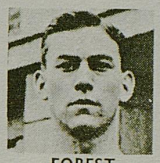
Guard—1925



CAREY SPICER
F—1929-31

PAUL McBRAYER
Guard—1930

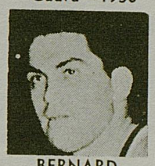


FOREST SALE
C-F—1932-33

ELLIS JOHNSON
Guard—1933

JOHN DeMOISEY
Center—1934

LeROY EDWARDS
Center—1935

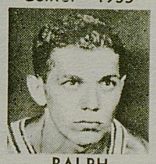


BERNARD OPPER
Guard—1939

LEE HUBER
Guard—1940-41

BOB BRANNUM
Center—1944

JACK PARKINSON
Guard—1946



RALPH BEARD
G—47-48*-49*

ALEX GROZA
C—47-48†-49*

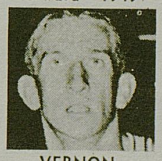
WALLACE JONES
Forward—1949†

BILL SPIVEY
Center—1951*

CLIFF HAGAN
C—1952*, 54*

FRANK RAMSEY
G—1952, 54†

BOB BURROW
Center—1956†



VERNON HATTON
Guard—1958

JOHNNY COX
Forward—1959*

COTTON NASH
C-F—62†-63†-64*

PAT RILEY
Forward—1966

LOUIE DAMPIER
Guard—1966†

DAN ISSEL
C—1969-70*

KEVIN GREVEY
Forward—74-75

WHO WERE THE 'FABULOUS FIVE'?

The most frequently asked question tossed at basketball historians and sports authorities is "Who were the 'Fabulous Five' of Kentucky?" The answer is Alex Groza (center), Ralph Beard and Kenny Rollins (guards), Wah Wah Jones and Cliff Barker (forwards). This famous 1948 team, captained by Rollins, won 36 and lost 3 while sweeping to Kentucky's first NCAA title and went on to participate as a unit in the Olympic Games—helping the USA team capture the world championship. Rollins graduated after the '48 season, but the remaining foursome continued to play havoc with collegiate basketball and copped another NCAA title for Kentucky in 1949 on a record of 36-2.

SEC CAGE CHAMPIONS BY YEARS

1933	**Kentucky**
1934	Alabama
1935	**Ky., LSU (Tie)**
1936	Tennessee
1937	**Kentucky**
1938	Ga. Tech
1939	**Kentucky**
1940	**Kentucky**
1941	Tennessee
1942	**Kentucky**
1943	Tennessee
1944	**Kentucky**
1945	**Kentucky**
1946	**Kentucky**
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1949	**Kentucky**
1950	**Kentucky**
1951	**Kentucky**
1952	**Kentucky**
1953	LSU
1954	**Ky., LSU (Tie)**
1955	**Kentucky**
1956	Alabama
1957	**Kentucky**
1958	**Kentucky**
1959	Miss. State
1960	Auburn
1961	Miss. State
1962	**Ky., Miss. St. (Tie)**
1963	Miss. State
1964	**Kentucky**
1965	Vanderbilt
1966	**Kentucky**
1967	Tennessee
1968	**Kentucky**
1969	**Kentucky**
1970	**Kentucky**
1971	**Kentucky**
1972	**Ky., Tenn. (Tie)**
1973	**Kentucky**
1974	Vandy., Ala. (Tie)
1975	**Ky., Ala. (Tie)**

(Tournament decided champion until 1951. Title determined by regular season play starting in 1951. Kentucky did not play a schedule in 1953 due to NCAA suspension.)

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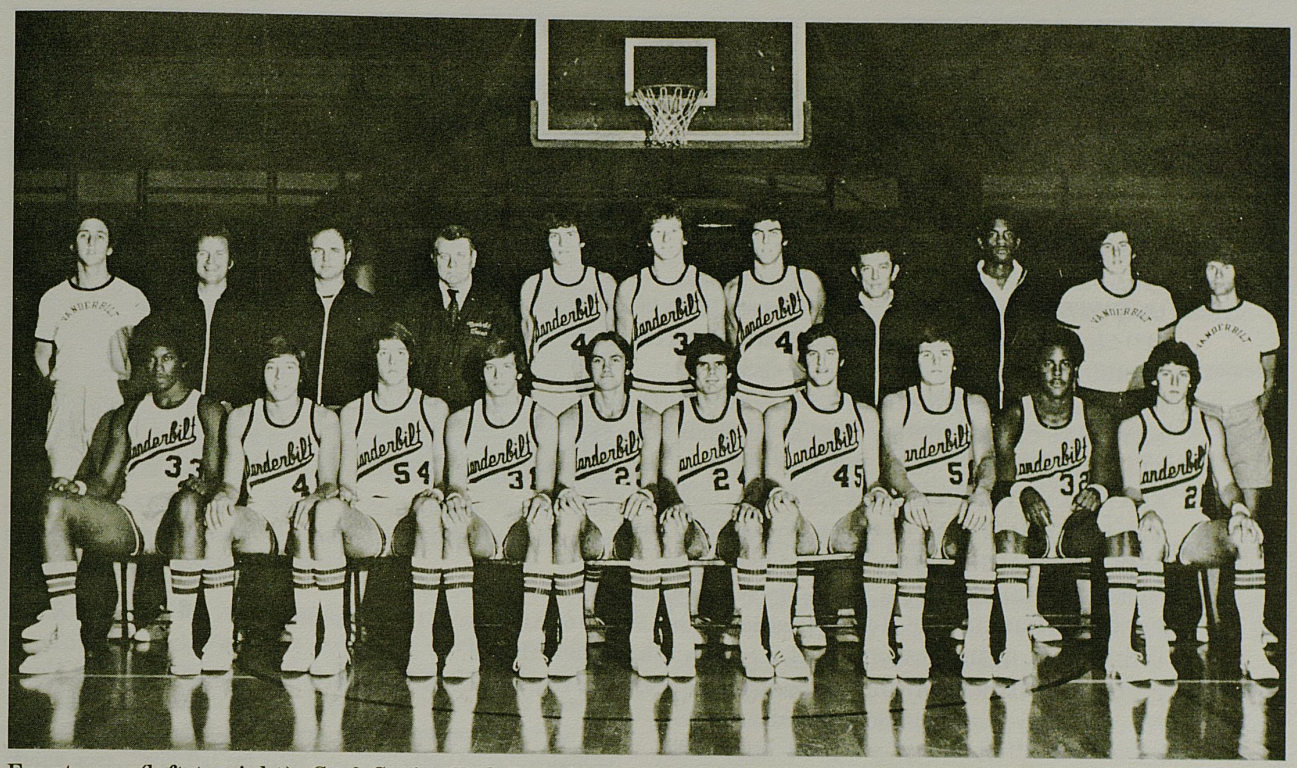

Front row (left to right): Carl Crain, Ted Govedarica, Neil Bemenderfer, Butch Feher, Jeff Fosnes, Joe Ford (captain), Mike Moore, Spence Young, John Sneed and Dicky Keffer. Back row (left to right): Head Student Manager Kevin Smith, Assistant Coach Ron Bargatze, Assistant Coach Wayne Dobbs, Trainer Joe Worden Keith Page, Tim Thompson, Jay Lowenthal, Head Coach Roy Skinner, Graduate Assistant Coach Bill Ligon Student Manager Herb Bennett and Student Manager Richard Drumright.

VANDERBILT ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos.	Class	Ht.	Wt.	Age	Hometown
21	Dicky Keffer	G	So.	5-11	159	19	Scottsville, Ky.
23	Jeff Fosnes	F	Sr.	6-6	194	21	Lakewood, Colo.
24	Joe Ford	G	Sr.	6-3	180	22	Mayfield, Ky.
31	Butch Feher	G	Sr.	6-4	190	21	Alpena, Mich.
32	John Sneed	F	So.	6-9	235	19	Nashville
33	Carl Crain	C	Fr.	6-10	235	18	Nashville
35	Tim Thompson	G	Fr.	6-4	175	19	Kansas City, Mo.
40	Jay Lowenthal	G	Fr.	6-4	175	19	Pontiac, Ill.
44	Keith Page	F	Fr.	6-4	195	18	Toledo, Ohio
45	Mike Moore	F	Sr.	6-7	217	21	Decatur, Ill.
51	Spence Young	C	Jr.	6-9	215	20	Lewisburg
54	Neil Bemenderfer	C	So.	6-10	220	19	Rochester, Ind.

HEAD COACH — ROY SKINNER (16th Year at Vanderbilt)

ASSISTANT COACHES — WAYNE DOBBS and RON BARGATZE

QUICK FACTS ON KENTUCKY BASKETBALL

NCAA CHAMPIONS–Four Times (1948, '49, '51, '58) in 22 Appearances.
35 Victories.
NCAA RUNNER-UP–Two Times (1966, '75)
NIT CHAMPIONS–1946.
SUGAR BOWL CHAMPIONS–Five Times.
UK INVITATIONAL CHAMPIONS–Sixteen Times in 22 Tournaments.
SEC CHAMPIONS–Record 29 Times Since 1933. (Last in 1975.)
WORLD CHAMPIONS–1948 Olympic Games.
INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITIES TOURNAMENT CHAMPIONS–1966.
NATIONAL CHAMPIONS BY POLLS–Six Times Since 1949.
ALL-TIME RECORD–Won 1,142, Lost 362, Tied 1 in 72 Seasons.
KENTUCKY ALL-AMERICANS–26 Players Honored 39 Times.
ALL-SOUTHEASTERN–53 Players Honored 95 Times.
PROFESSIONALS–35 Players Entered Ranks.
MEMORIAL COLISEUM (11,500) – Home Floor Since 1950 (Won 296, Lost 37).
RECORD HIGH LINE UP–143 vs. Georgia (Neutral Site) '56–At Home 121 vs. Mississippi '71.
INDIVIDUAL HIGH–53 By Dan Issel in 1970 vs. Mississippi at Oxford.
BIGGEST VICTORY MARGIN–77 vs. Georgia in 1956–At Home, 53 vs. Georgia Tech '56, Georgia '59.

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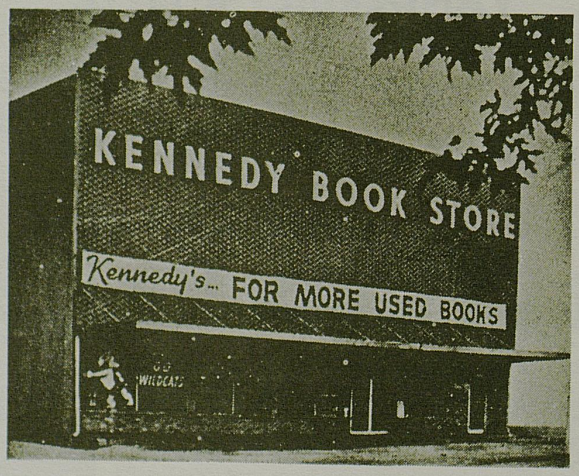

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WILDCAT COACHING ASSISTANTS

1975-76 BASKETBALL STAFF—Head Coach Joe B. Hall, kneeling, is shown with his staff. From left, Dick Parsons, Lynn Nance and Leonard Hamilton.

DICK PARSONS, Assistant Coach

To label Dick Parsons a easy-going, carefree individual, would be a gross miscalculation. The former star U.K. athlete, who holds the distinction of captaining two varsity sports—basketball and baseball—thrives on competition and as the saying goes, "will flat get after you," whether he is involved in his daily running program, playing golf or going after a lunker in his favorite fishing hole on the Licking River. And it is this spirit which reaps dividends with the Wildcats on the basketball court.

The well respected Parsons, who begins his fourth year as Joe B. Hall's No. 1 assistant, returned to the University as baseball coach in 1969. Before giving up his position to join basketball on a full time basis, he molded a team (1971) which established or tied 15 school records.

A mountaineer in his own right, Parsons came to the University in 1958 after an outstanding career as a four-sports star at Harlan High School, where he had a three-year basketball scoring total of 1,276 points.

A consistent player who made few mistakes at UK, Parsons was known as a fine outside shooter and for his aggressive defense during three years as a starting guard. His career high 21 points came against Mississippi as a sophomore.

He was a two-time (1960, '61) recipient of the coveted A. B. Chandler award, given annually for the player best exemplifying the qualities of leadership, scholarship, character and ability. Only three other Wildcats have twice been so honored since the award was originated in 1951.

Holding more Wildcat baseball records than any other player, he was an All-Conference shortstop in 1959 and 1961, All-NCAA District 1960, '61, and All-American '61. He hit .400 his senior year.

He was an assistant football coach at Glasgow High two years and baseball and basketball coach at Boyle County High from 1963 to 1968.

While working on his Master's Degree at the University in 1968-69, he scouted, recruited and helped with the Wildcat freshmen team, later accepting a part-time assistantship in basketball in addition to his baseball job.

He is married to the former Celia Cawood of Harlan. They have a daughter, Kathy, 9, and a son, Ed, 11.

LEONARD HAMILTON, Assistant Coach

Much of Kentucky's defensive prowess last year can be credited to the talent of Leonard Hamilton, a second year assistant, who came to UK after three years as an assistant at Austin Peay State University.

In high school at Gastonia, N. C., he lettered three-years in football and twice in basketball. He was basketball team captain two years at Gaston Community College in Dallas, N. C., where he scored 54 points in one game, set a record for most field goals in a season, and was All-Region and All-Tournament.

At University of Tennessee—Martin, he was team captain and led in assists and steals, was most valuable defensive player, All-Conference and All-Tournament. He was elected "Mr. Volunteer" by the student body and played in the Kentucky-Tennessee All-Star game.

At Austin Peay, he coached the freshman team, scouted and recruited. During his three years there, the Governors went from last place to first in the OVC, appeared in two NCAA tournaments and were nationally ranked in scoring.

He is married to the former Claudette Hale. They have a son, Lenny, 5.

LYNN NANCE, Assistant Coach

A stickler for detail and a motivator of young men are just two qualities which brand Lynn Nance as one of the bright young coaches on the collegiate basketball scene.

A former All-Coast and All-Pac 8 Conference forward at the University of Washington, Nance had coaching experience at his alma mater and was with the FBI and NCAA before joining UK in August 1974 as head recruiter and assistant coach.

He began his collegiate basketball career at Southwest Baptist Junior College in Bolivar, Mo., after earning prep All-State and All-District honors as a four-sports athlete in his native Granby, Mo.

He starred for Washington in 1963-64 and 1964-65, and after graduation, spent most of one exhibition season with the St. Louis Hawks before an injury ended his pro aspirations.

He was coach and athletic director one year at Versailles, Mo., High School, where he compiled a 28-2 record, won the conference championship and advanced to the regional playoffs.

Nance was freshman coach under Mac Duckworth at Washington one year and freshman coach and recruiter two years under Tex Winter, with varsity coaching assignments on defense and with the big man.

He spent three years with the FBI before joining the NCAA headquarters staff of Walter Byers. He is married to the former Sally Ann Scholes of Granby. They have a son, Kevin, 12.

COMMODORES SCORECARD

		FG	FT	PF	TP
21	DICKY KEFFER 5-11 Sophomore Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
23	JEFF FOSNES 6-6 Senior Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
24	JOE FORD 6-3 Senior Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
31	BUTCH FEHER 6-4 Senior Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
32	JOHN SNEED 6-9 Sophomore Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
33	CARL CRAIN 6-10 Freshman Center	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
35	TIM THOMPSON 6-4 Freshman Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
40	JAY LOWENTHAL 6-4 Freshman Guard	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
44	KEITH PAGE 6-4 Freshman Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
45	MIKE MOORE 6-7 Senior Forward	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
51	SPENCE YOUNG 6-9 Junior Center	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
54	NEIL BEMENDERFER 6-10 Sophomore Center	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12	1 2 3 4 5	
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