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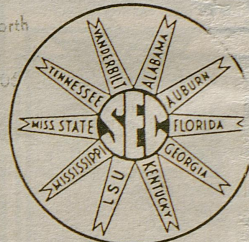


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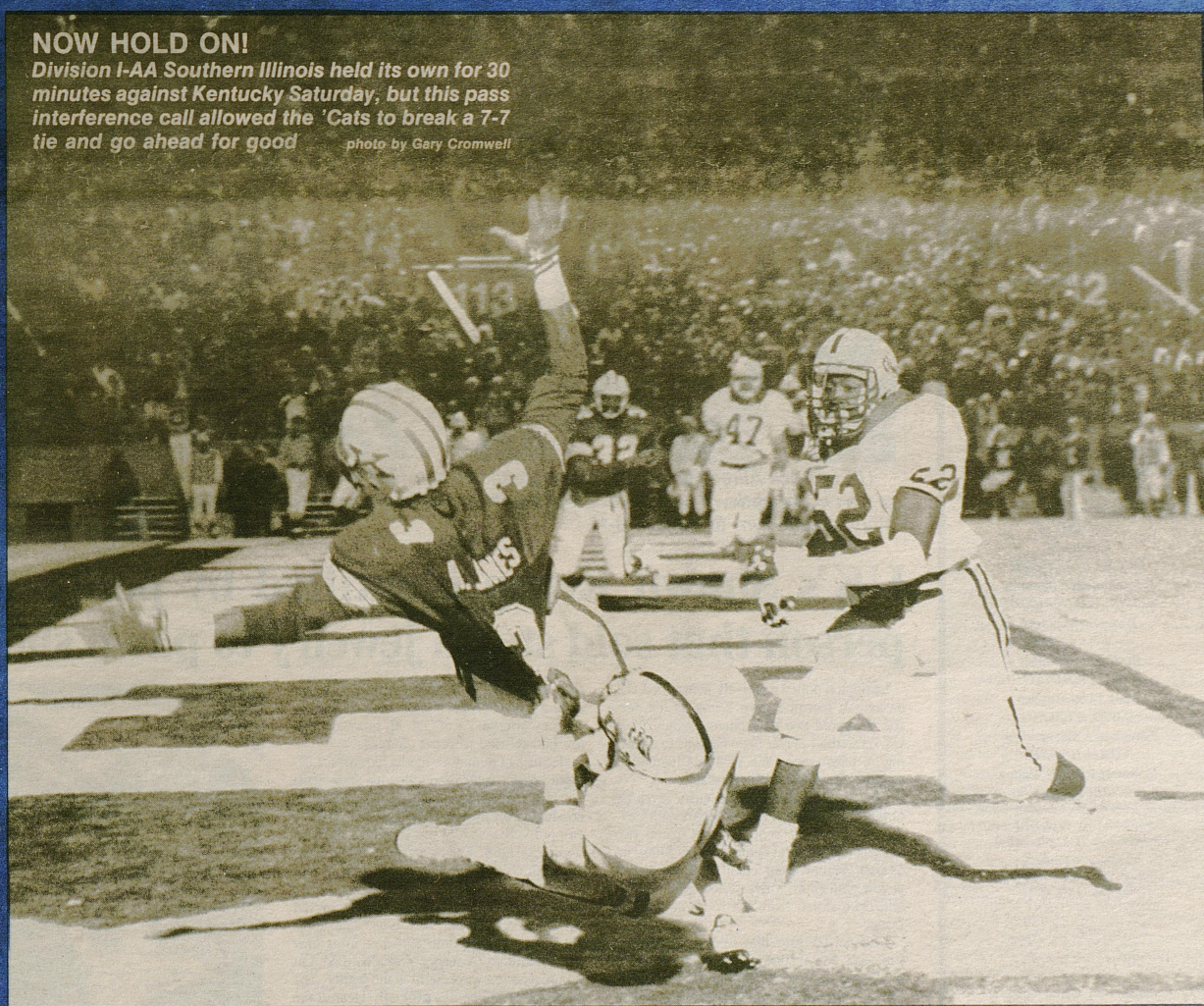
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Flat 'Cats slip past Salukis 24-10

NOW HOLD ON!

Division I-AA Southern Illinois held its own for 30 minutes against Kentucky Saturday, but this pass interference call allowed the 'Cats to break a 7-7 tie and go ahead for good

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'CELEBRATION TIME



UK tailback Alfred Rawls (23) is congratulated by Mike Nord (76) and Bo Smith (62) following one of his two touchdown runs in UK's 24-10 victory over Southern Illinois Saturday. For the UK-SIU game story, please turn to pages 13-14.

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UK's Shawn Kemp identified by police as person that sold stolen jewelry to pawn shop

Lexington police positively identified UK basketball recruit Shawn Kemp as the person who sold two gold chains, stolen from UK basketball player Sean Sutton, to a Lexington pawn shop, WKYT-TV, Channel 27 reported in its Oct. 31 newscast.

Channel 27 said in its early evening newscast that Sutton filed a report with Lexington police on Sept. 22 that stated two neckchains valued at approximately \$700—an 18-inch yellow gold chain and a 24-inch yellow gold chain with a yellow gold cross—had been stolen from his room at Wildcat Lodge.

Channel 27 said that under Lexington's Precious Metal Ordinance, before Kemp could sell the chains he had to be fingerprinted, produce photo identification and have a Polaroid photograph taken in the store. Channel 27 said it was unclear who actually

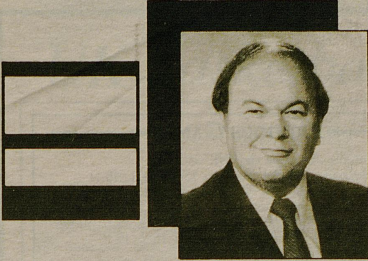
took the chains from Sutton's room, but that selling stolen property in excess of \$100 is a felony offense. As of Oct. 31, however, Sutton had refused to press charges.

Because of numerous media inquiries, Lexington police issued the following statement:

"The Criminal Investigation section has conducted an investigation into the theft of two gold chains from the Wildcat Lodge on Sept. 22, 1988. The items were taken from the room of Sean Sutton. The theft was reported to Residential Burglary Squad's pawn shop detail. These items were recovered by detectives on Oct. 22, 1988. The items were later booked into evidence after they were identified. A suspect was identified, but no prosecution was sought in the matter. The Division of Police has officially cleared the case by exception. No further investigation will be conducted into the matter."



UK recruit Shawn Kemp



OSCAR L. COMBS

CATS' PAUSE EDITOR/PUBLISHER

Believe it or not, but UK's in running for a bowl

With just three games left in the regular season, coach Jerry Claiborne and his Wildcats find themselves in a position they all hoped for back in the summer.

With an even 4-4 record and an even shot to beat any and/or all three remaining opponents, UK could not have hoped for a better situation in its wildest dreams.

Oh sure, it would have been sweeter had Kentucky upset either Alabama or LSU or Auburn, but most fans would have been elated had you told them UK would be 4-4 after eight games.

What makes the situation so inviting now is that the three remaining opponents have all proved themselves to be beatable. In fact, the trio (Vanderbilt, Florida and Tennessee) has a combined won-loss mark of 9-13 and only the Gators have won more (5) than they've lost (3) this season.

So believe it or not folks, Kentucky actually has a shot at a postseason bowl. In fact, *USA Today* listed UK as one of the schools the Liberty Bowl has an eye on for its Dec. 28 classic in Memphis, Tenn.

But don't order those tickets just yet.

Kentucky probably has to sweep its three opponents to earn a bowl invitation and, while that isn't impossible, it could fall into the category of highly unlikely.

The Wildcats have the firepower to beat all three if they play up to their potential. They have also shown they have the ability to dog it every once in a while like they did against Southern Illinois Saturday. A repeat of that effort will cost the 'Cats a victory on any of the next three Saturdays.

First comes Vanderbilt, a team which quite honestly has not lived up to preseason expectations. After surprising several opponents last fall (Kentucky included), the Commodores were expected to make strong waves in the SEC. With Eric Jones firing the bombs like a true Commodore, Vandy appeared to be on target for a big splash.

They've certainly been a mystery.

Vandy got off to a 2-0 start with victories over Mississippi State (24-20) and Rutgers (31-30), but got shelled 44-10 by Alabama and then got upset by Duke 17-15 before losing a third consecutive game at Georgia by a score of 41-22.

Just as quickly, the Commodores struck back and shocked Florida 24-9 but were upset by Ole Miss 36-28. Vandy enjoyed an open date last week.

So with two weeks to prepare for the 'Cats, just what can Kentucky expect?

For starters, a barrage of bombs. You may see a record number of passes in this contest, for each team.

On the other side of the ball, Vandy hasn't been challenging the league leaders for defensive honors. In fact, Vandy has given up at least 17 or more points in six of its seven games this season.

And lest we forget, Vanderbilt is sitting in just about the same position, bowl-wise, as Kentucky is.

The Commodores have four games remaining and could easily win all four, thus giving Vandy a 7-4 record. After

UK, Vandy travels to Army and Memphis State before hosting Tennessee Nov. 26.

So this is a very important game for both clubs. One likely will leave Commonwealth Stadium in a happy mood, knowing it has a good shot at postseason bowl action. The loser? Well, it will still have a regular season finale against Tennessee to look forward to.

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Looks like the SEC championship is still up in the air, but the LSU at Alabama game Saturday could go a long way toward dissolving the logjam at the top of the league standings which has four teams (Alabama, LSU, Georgia and Auburn) with just a single conference loss.

Florida dropped its second league game Saturday as Auburn left Gainesville with a 16-0 shutout. The Gators try to stay in the race this Saturday if they can beat the Bulldogs at Jacksonville, but don't count on it.

Should Florida lose, the Gators will ride into frigid Commonwealth Stadium next week on the heels of a four-game losing streak.

Galen Hall's troops got off to a fast 5-0 start, but haven't won since the Gators beat LSU 19-6 on Oct. 1. One of the big reasons for the Gators' about-face has been the loss of Emmitt Smith, who was injured almost a month ago but could be back in time for the Kentucky game.

If LSU should beat Alabama Saturday, it will be awfully tough for the Tigers not to earn at least a piece of the title. LSU has only Mississippi State left on its league schedule.

But you can rest assured that the Auburn-Alabama game on Nov. 25 will have something to say about which team earns the SEC title in 1988.

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Thank goodness basketball has finally arrived. The good portion that is.

After all the controversy since last April, it's great that we can finally begin talking about what's happening on the court and not in a courtroom.

Coach Eddie Sutton unveiled his Wildcats for the first time Tuesday night at Louisville's Freedom Hall. Some of you may be reading this as you sit in Freedom Hall for the first public scrimmage of the year.

Regardless of the outcome of the NCAA investigation, Kentucky fans should be ready to stand behind the Kentucky program once all the questions have been answered.

After all is said and done, Kentucky will either be judged innocent or guilty. Either way, fans should not give up on the Kentucky program.

If UK is guilty, it should pay the proper penalty and then fans everywhere should support Kentucky even more. A good way to demonstrate loyalty would be

one which fans should have been using long ago. Wear true blue to any and all UK events.

I've traveled to a lot of places over the past 13 years and it's always amazed me how loyal opposing teams' fans were in showing "their colors."

Have you ever seen a Tennessee fan without something orange on? Have you ever spotted an Indiana booster not wearing red? What's so bad about wearing blue?

Oh, I know, some brilliant media type might say you're a fanatic if you should wear a blue hat or blue pants. So what! A great place for Kentuckians to begin their new show of faith for the Big Blue would be the Big Four Classic in Indianapolis, right in front of all those Hoosiers, Irish and Cardinal fans.

Show 'em the 'Cats will be back and that you're proud of them. This team may not have the most talent in the world, but they'll fight you every inch of the way and you cannot ask for anything more.

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Coach Sutton opened his team's practice to the media for the first time Monday.

Sutton says he's been pleased with the effort his team has been putting forth, but admits the overall level of talent is considerably down with the unexpected loss of Eric Manuel, along with Rex Chapman going to the pros and the Prop 48 losses of Shawn Kemp and Sean Woods.

The most pleasant surprise to Sutton in the early practice rounds has been the play of freshman Chris Mills. The UK boss says Mills' level of competition in Los Angeles has been a telling force in his early play.

If you can make anything from Sutton's facial expression, just go ahead and pencil in Mills' name as a starter by the time the Duke game rolls around later this month in Springfield, Mass.

It would be stupid for anyone in the media to speculate on a starting lineup since no one from the media has viewed a single practice, but if you can pay any stock to "reliable" inside reports, it's safe to say Mills, LeRon Ellis, Sean Sutton and Derrick Miller are early leaders.

Although all reporters have been banned from practice sessions, Dave Baker of WKYT-TV, Channel 27, got quite a laugh from everyone last week when he posed as a custodian (complete with a janitor's uniform and broom) and sneaked inside the coliseum before finally being spotted.

Actually, it would have been nice if we all could have witnessed the stunt. It probably is just what has been needed to break all the tension around the basketball arena the past few weeks.

Thankfully, those in charge took it for what it was: A prank. Had they been more serious, we probably wouldn't be seeing good ol' Dave at Rupp Arena this season. You see, we were told in no uncertain terms a couple weeks ago that if any media person violated any media

rule, press credentials would be taken for the season.

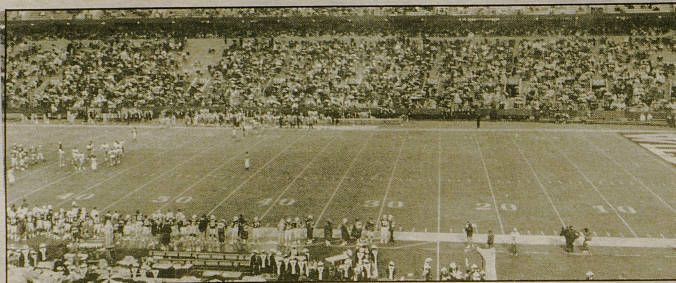
Hey, let's get on with the games.

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FIRST AND TENS . . . After his sterling exhibition against Georgia, **Alfred Rawls** was named the SEC Offensive Back of the Week by the league office and he continued his great play against Southern Illinois. You can bet those Georgia fans are still asking questions why **Vince Dooley** let this one get away during his junior college days . . . The crowd was listed as being better than 50,000 for the **Kentucky-Southern Illinois** game, but if it was, they must have spotted about 10,000 or so either at the concession stands or in their cars, because they definitely weren't in the stands. Until this game, the estimates at Commonwealth Stadium were very, very accurate by most observers. Perhaps UK wanted to impress bowl executives who look for attendance figures at home games of prospective teams just as quickly as they look to the final score. After all, bowls want teams which have a strong following . . . No one is saying so, but I can't help but believe that UK president **David Roselle** will award **Jerry Claiborne** with a new contract at the season's end, regardless of the outcome of the last three games . . . Have you seen all those trading cards of former UK basketball players on candy counters around the state? Some 10 million were distributed by a Louisville company in conjunction with the UK Athletics Association. The UKAA received a nice fat check (\$61,000 all told) as its share of the profit. Because of NCAA regulations, current players cannot be included on the cards, but that hasn't slowed the popularity of the set. A pack of eight cards sells for 45 cents. If you've got a little extra pocket change and want to be among the very elite, you can purchase one of the gold card sets at a cool \$2,500 (that's right twenty-five hundred dollars). Only 500 sets were made of the gold card edition . . . Is Kentucky headed for cable television in Kentucky? The UKAA is now in the process of taking bids for both radio and television rights to UK basketball and football games for next school year. Rumors have it that cable television could be involved as well as another new wrinkle or two. **Jim Host**, CEO of Host Communications of Lexington, has outlined a major proposal to a special radio-television committee at UK which could put the athletics association onto a new level of corporate sponsorships as well as completely overhauling the department's handling of everything from radio-television to marketing and promotions to all of its publishing and printing projects. Host is making a pitch to take over most of the department's projects and according to one university official, the move could bring the athletics department a substantial amount of new additional money to the department.

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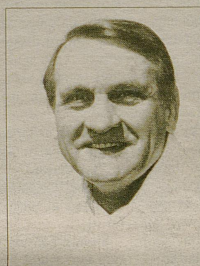


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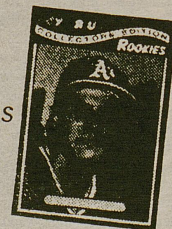
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UK basketball loses great friend in George Hukle

Was an innovator in recording game statistics

The death of retired postman George R. Hukle at age 95 Saturday, Oct. 23, in Lexington closes another chapter in the history of University of Kentucky basketball and marks an end of one of the oldest links between



Russell Rice
Cats' Pause Columnist

the Wildcat tradition and its most famous personage, Adolph Rupp.

Hukle was only 10 years old and attending elementary school in Fayette County when Walter H. Mustaine, the new physical director at old Kentucky State College, got together a group of interested students—mostly bored football players—in late January, 1903, tossed them a basketball and started what was to become the winningest basketball program in the nation.

Although those early Wildcat teams got off to a rocky start, winning only 44 of 96 games in the 11 years that transpired before Hukle started carrying the U.S. Mail in 1914, they had ignited the basketball spark in Lexington by going undefeated (9-0) in 1912 and winning five of eight games in 1913.

With a steady job, Hukle could afford the time and luxury of pursuing his ever-developing love of the relatively new game of basketball, and during the next 60 years he was destined to see practically every home game and many away games played by Wildcat teams.

SOMETIME DURING THOSE EARLY years, Hukle began to keep statistics on the games just to amuse himself. He quickly mastered the art of keeping field goals and free throws made and missed and began to explore other statistical avenues, especially the position on the floor of players taking those shots. When Rupp, who also had a statistical mind, arrived at UK in the fall of 1930 from Freeport High School in Illinois, he soon began to notice the young postman hanging around practice and attending games, always scribbling on a pad.

The twain met around 1933, when Hukle showed the curious young coach a chart on which he had recorded all the shots taken in a scrimmage session. The enterprising postman not only had recorded whether a shot was made or missed, but noted the exact spot on the floor where each shot was taken. Rupp utilized Hukle's charts in an unofficial capacity until the end of World War II in 1945, when the then-successful coach, headed for what was to be the "Golden Era" in UK basketball, made Hukle his official statistician.

From Hukle's statistics, Rupp learned just how many shots each Wildcat had taken, how many had been made and missed and from what spot on the floor they had been shot. During the 1947-48 "Fabulous Five" season, for instance, he learned from Hukle's charts that forwards Wah Wah Jones and Jim Line were deadeyes from deep in the corners, Alex Groza favored the pivot and guard Ralph Beard could hit from anywhere on the floor.

What's more, he also learned what percentage of shots the 'Cats were hitting as a team. That statistic, Rupp often said, along with what percentage the opposition manages to shoot, tells the story of a basketball game.

Hukle, a stocky, quiet, friendly sort of person, began traveling with the team upon his appointment as chief statistician. So that he could make the trips, he took his annual vacation piecemeal—three days here, two days there, a week at another time. On trips, he was one of the most popular men on the bus or coach or plane. Possessor of a subtle sense of humor and a mild, affable way, he made a big hit with the players, whom he

treated with a paternal affection. If one of the boys had a bad cold, he worried about it more than Rupp.

In 1948, asked to name the players he thought were tops for the Wildcats during his first 34 years of closely following the program, he professed having no favorites, but he did single out former All-Americans Aggie Sale (1932-33), LeRoy Edwards (1935), Ellis Johnson (1933) and Ralph Beard.

"**THEY WERE ALL FINE PLAYERS** and fine men," he said, "but as for the greatest all around man and competitor—well, I guess you'd have to pass that honor to Beard."

"Johnson was a natural born leader of men and Sale and Edwards were terrific shots and rebounders."

His biggest thrill in those early years was when he followed the 'Cats to the Kentucky-Tennessee semifinal

game of the 1940 Southeastern Conference Tournament in Knoxville.

"Tennessee was the favorite," he recalled, "but we battled them all the way. We got down to the last 10 seconds and the Vols seemed to have us beat with a one-point lead—29-28. Then we got an out-of-bounds ball and one of the boys tossed it in to Fuzzy (Keith) Farnsley. He was near the basket, just a little off to the side, and made the neatest one-hand push shot I've seen."

The Wildcats won that game 30-29 and beat Georgia 51-43 in the championship game.

Hukle retired from the Postal Service in 1963 after 49 years of service and was named Wildcat equipment manager in 1965-66, the year of Rupp's Runtis. He served in that capacity until June, 1973, when he was succeeded by Bill Keightley, his protege and fellow postman.



George Hukle, seated on press row next to Adolph Rupp in Alumni Gym during a Wildcat basketball game in 1948, has his pen ready to record the game statistics. Jim Line and Walt Hirsch are to the left of Rupp. To Hukle's left are UK publicist Jack Wild, sports information director Ken Kuhn and statisticians Cecil Bell, Bob Sparks and Elmer "Baldy" Gilb.

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Claiborne's cupboard beginning to fill up

New interview policy! Just don't look Ethel

When Kentucky's football team beat Georgia, the Wildcats may have done something much more important than just getting over the hump. The game may have marked the team's maturity, a coming of age.



Earl Cox

Cats' Pause Columnist

All along I've been concerned about the development of a quarterback for next year. Coach Jerry Claiborne and his offensive coordinator, Jerry Eisaman, have played junior Chuck Broughton more than they usually do their backup quarterback, but there also have been times when Broughton was ignored completely and not played at all.

So it was encouraging that Broughton was at the controls during the second half when the Cats clawed the Dawgs of Georgia.

Now here's more encouraging news about the Cats: On the offensive depth chart, eight of the frontline players (two deep) are seniors. That's a bit misleading because seniors Bo Smith and Brian Denham are counted twice because they are listed at two positions.

But just look at the youthful offensive top players: Seven are juniors, seven are sophomores and one is a redshirt freshman. Okay, for those of you sharpies who are counting, the extra player is Alfred Rawls. You have to go three-deep at tailback to include Rawls, Ivy Joe Hunter and Al Baker.

The defense is even younger with only four seniors, 12 juniors, three sophomores and two redshirt freshmen and one "true" freshman, Greg Lahr. The "extra" player is junior Tony Zigman, who is listed at two positions.

And don't forget that junior Mike Pfeifer, the best offensive lineman, is not included because he is injured. He'll be back next season.

Kentucky, believe it or not, has a bright football future and the Cats will be much better prepared to battle Alabama and Auburn and the other Southeastern Conference juggernauts next season. And you know how close the Cats came this year against Auburn, LSU and Alabama.

GOOD PUB -- The Cats' victory over Georgia earned them national recognition. Both Sports Illustrated and The Sporting News featured the game. And Rawls was the SEC offensive player of the week. Joe Howard, assistant sports information director in charge of football, thought he had a chance to get conference recognition for Oliver Barnett the week before, but it went to a Tennessee player. I haven't seen a better or quicker defensive interior lineman than Barnett. Forget the ball, and watch him three straight times. He is seldom blocked.

WRONG WAY -- A very disturbing trend is developing in intercollegiate athletics this year. Several coaches don't want you to know what's going on with their teams. More disturbing than anything else is that the University of Kentucky suddenly is at the forefront because UK has thrown up shields in both football and basketball.

Coach Eddie Sutton is the man to blame in basketball. Football you wouldn't believe.

Sutton started the season with a ridiculous policy of banning everyone from his practices except the Wildcat radio announcers, Cawood Ledford and Ralph Hacker. Explained UK sports information director Chris Cameron: "They are part of the team."

That's fine with Hacker; he is the top man at Lexington radio station WVLK. But Sutton's policy put good ol' Cawood in a bit of a pickle with the NCAA. If he is part of the team, Cawood could not print recruiting news in his weekly paper. He possibly could have problems with the basketball yearbook that bears his name.

Most of all, Sutton's policy on Ledford was grossly unfair and probably illegal. To get personal, Oscar Combs and I do commentaries for WLEX-18, the NBC station in Lexington. Ledford does them for the CBS station. Oscar and I don't mind battling our friend on level ground, but we don't like for our rivals to have an unfair advantage.

UK recognized the unfairness -- and NCAA problems -- and asked Hacker and Ledford to observe the same rules as everyone else. To the credit of Hacker and Ledford, they agreed.

Now UK should remove a rule that keeps you from getting the full football story on your 11 o'clock news shows and in your morning newspapers. Because a woman reporter from Atlanta was kept from doing her job by Vanderbilt athletic director Roy Kramer (he wouldn't let her in the dressing room), the Southeastern Conference has adopted an equal access rule. The effect is to keep you from getting the full story.

Before the equal access policy, reporters were able to enter the UK football dressing room as soon as coach Claiborne finished talking to his team. But now, reporters must wait at least 25 minutes to allow the players to shower and dress. This could be solved easily by keeping the players dressed for 10 minutes after Claiborne's speech.

Why the policy anyway? Said a UK spokesman, "Our coaches don't want a woman reporter to see our players naked."

Temple's basketball team has restricted access to players, too. University of Washington coach Don James has banned reporters from his practices for the rest of the season. The reason: A reporter wrote that quarterback Cary Conklin's thumb was injured in a practice.

Coach Denny Crum of Louisville has the craziest rule of all for his basketball team. You may not believe it, but anyone who drops by can watch the Cardinals. And most startling of all is that Crum allows -- are you ready for this? -- students to watch practices. Heavens! What is the world coming to?

UK should go back to last year's rules for both football and basketball. To help after the Southern Illinois night game, a few football players were made available to reporters during the waiting period.

I think that one subject, the NCAA investigation, should be taboo for UK basketball players.

CALIBORNE A.D.? -- The Sporting News printed a rumor that has been making the rounds, that Claiborne will be elevated to the athletic directorship at UK.

First of all, Cliff Hagan isn't going anywhere and he won't be fired. Secondly, Claiborne would be a disaster as an athletic director; his public relations are somewhere back in the 19th century. If and when anything happens to Hagan, UK needs a Dr. Homer Rice or a C.M. Newton.

CAGE RATINGS -- Kentucky is not among The Sporting News' top 40 basketball teams. Iowa is No. 1 and you don't want to know who's No. 2. It's Lou...or something like that. The Cats are picked fourth in the SEC, which proves how weak the conference will be this season. Florida, Tennessee and Vanderbilt are ahead of the Cats.

MOST DRAMATIC? -- We may never see anything more dramatic than Kirk Gibson's pinch-hit, ninth-inning, game-winning home run to win the first game of the World Series.

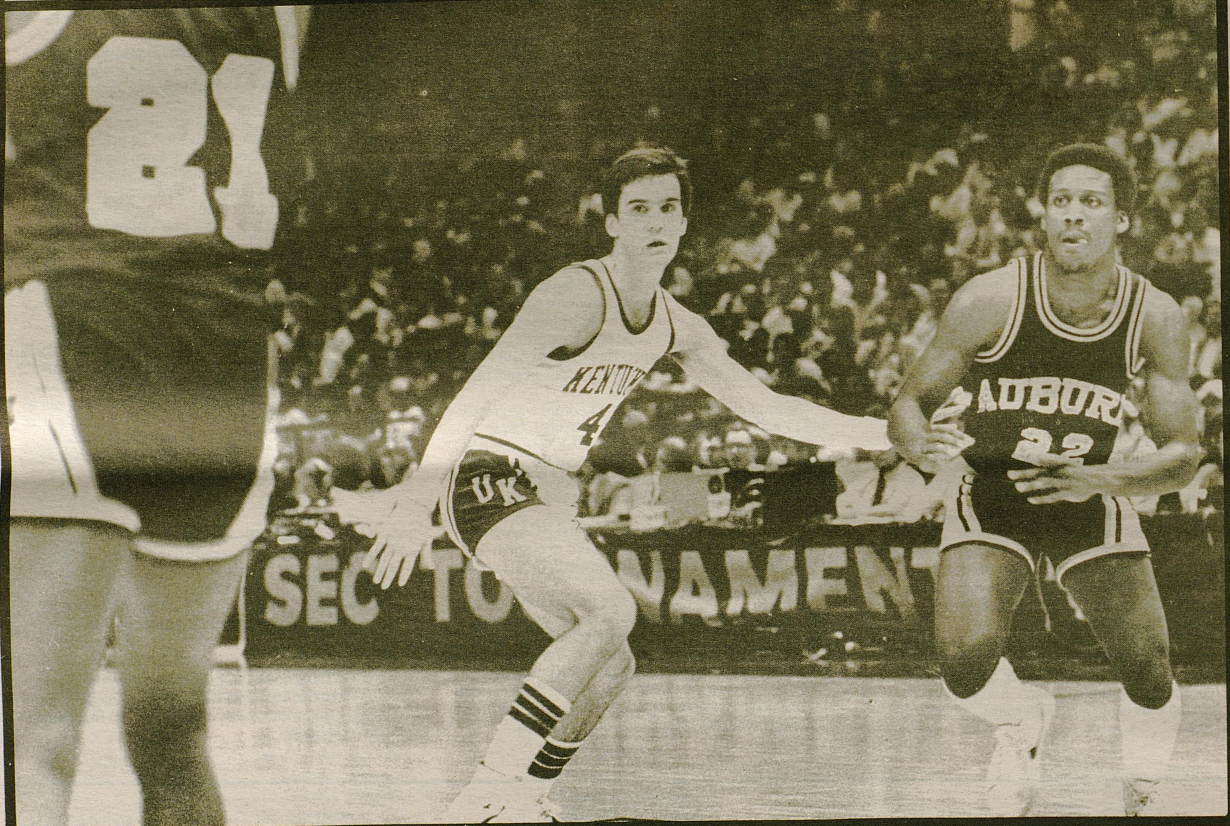
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	4 Glenn Fohr (Sr) 14 Chuck Broughton (Jr)	35 Andy Murray (Jr) 29 Darren Bilberry (Jr)	32 Ivy Joe Hunter (Sr) 5 Al Baker (So) 23 Alfred Rawls, (Jr)		28 Ray Gover (Sr) 80 Phil Logan (So)	

DEFENSE

Split End	Left Tackle	Left Guard	Right Guard	Right Tackle	Tight End
6 Tony Massey (Jr) 30 Tony Zigman (Jr)	79 Oliver Barnett (Jr) 72 Jim Graves (Fr)	98 Jerry Bell (Fr) 95 Mike Meiners (Jr)	92 Vic Adams (Jr) 48 Joey Couch (Fr)	99 Doug Houser (Jr) 96 Donnie Gardner (Jr)	36 Jay Dortch (Sr) 30 Tony Zigman (Jr)
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24 David Johnson (Sr) 27 Tony Missick (Jr)	45 Chris Chenault (Sr) 40 Randy Holleran (So)	26 Ron Robinson (Jr) 11 Mark Sellers (Sr)	44 Randy Holleran (So) 44 Craig Benzinger (Jr)	20 Chris Tobert (So) 37 Albert Burks (Jr)	

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After a couple of wrong turns Willis found right path

Placekicker now making a name for himself

It took more than one twist of fate for kicker Ken Willis to arrive at the University of Kentucky. "It's all pretty weird," said Willis, a junior from Owensboro who kicks off and handles extra point and



Larry Vaught

Cats' Pause Columnist

field goal duties for UK this year. "So many different things could have ended up different for me."

His story is almost like a fairy tale and even Willis at times can't believe it has ended so happily.

Football wasn't even his favorite sport in high school. He was a soccer player at Owensboro until his junior year. Even then he spent only about 15 to 30 minutes each Thursday practicing his kicks before handling all of O-boro's kicking on Friday nights.

"I wasn't exactly what you would call a student of the game," said Willis.

He hit seven of 12 field goals, including one from 47 yards, his senior year. Still, major colleges weren't interested.

That didn't really bother Willis because he wanted to go to the U.S. Air Force Academy to become a pilot. He received his appointment but failed the eye test. That meant he could be a navigator but not a pilot. Willis quickly lost interest in the Air Force.

He then turned his attention to Centre College, a Division III school. Centre does not offer athletic scholarships but wanted Willis to kick.

"I had played sports since I was 8 and like most people wanted to continue," said Willis. "I didn't think I had the talent to even try it at a big-time school. I knew Centre was a great academic school and even if football didn't work out that I would get a great education."

After a successful freshman season for the Colonels he went to several kicking camps. He watched several major college placekickers and decided they were no better than him.

"I'm not sure when it happened but I just reached a point where I knew I wanted to give Division I a chance," said Willis. "I didn't want to look back 30 years from now and wonder if I could have made it or not."

"I quit basketball halfway through my junior year in high school to concentrate on soccer and baseball. I've always regretted that because I missed out on a lot of things. I didn't want to have that feeling again."

He just missed maintaining a 3.0 grade-point average at Centre his first year that would have allowed him to keep his academic scholarship. His parents offered to pay his way back to Centre but his mind was already on big-time football.

When he told them the UK coaches he wanted to transfer, Claiborne advised him to stay at Centre. But he decided he still wanted to come to Kentucky.

He had to sit out the 1986 season but handled all 56 kickoffs for UK last year. Twenty of his 56 kicks reached or entered the end zone.

This season he has replaced Joey Worley, UK's all-time leading scorer, on extra points and field goals. It's a challenge he wanted.

"Last year I was lucky that I was thrown into the fire from the beginning," said the right-footed, soccer-style kicker. "I got to go on the road and experience so many things that I really didn't understand. This year I've been able to visualize different situations and know what it takes in a game."

"A year ago I was physically able to do things but I



You might say it was a twist of fate that brought Ken Willis to Kentucky

wasn't mentally prepared. I learned some valuable lessons."

His biggest lesson came in the 1987 homecoming game when his kicks kept sailing out of bounds. UK Coach Jerry Claiborne blasted his performance.

"All the coaches told me I had talent I wasn't using," said Willis. "I came back with my best two games after that."

After seven games this year he was UK top scorer with 36 points. He had hit eight of 12 field goals and 12 of 14 conversions.

Willis feels he should make 80 percent of his field goal tries inside 50 yards. He certainly has the leg to do that but has lacked consistency at times.

"There's no doubt he can kick from 50 yards," said UK Coach Jerry Claiborne. "He has a strong leg. The thing he still needs is better accuracy."

Willis, who is four of seven on kicks over 40 yards, knows that but he also believes he can make any kick he tries. He feels that's the only attitude a kicker can have.

When he does miss, though, he doesn't let it upset his next try. "If you miss three in a row you still have to believe you can make that next kick," said Willis. "That's one lesson I learned from the bad game I had last year. You can't dwell on one kick."

Willis doesn't need a pep talk before he kicks. It doesn't bother him if teammates or coaches offer a word of encouragement but he basically blocks out all distractions when it is time to perform.

"Joey didn't want to be bothered before he kicked," said Willis. "It doesn't bother me because I don't really listen to what is being said. I just stretch and get ready."

"From the time I leave the sideline until it is time to kick is enough time to get myself mentally ready. There's no big secret to use at that stage or no magic formula that works. I know my routine. I just have to

concentrate, relax and kick."

It's not always that easy to relax. Before his first kickoff at UK last year Willis was so excited he couldn't feel his leg when he pinched it.

"I was just really pumped up," said Willis. "It wasn't nerves but excitement. I was just glad I hit the ball. I was worried I might miss it in front of 55,000 fans."

Willis still hasn't kicked a winning field goal or extra point at UK. When he does, don't expect a wild, emotional outburst.

"If I won a game I'm sure I would be excited," said Willis. "But day in and day out I'm not a real emotional person and I won't show a lot on the field."

"You have to be an idiot to go on the field and not know the game is on the line. I know what my job is and every kick is important. That's why I don't think I'll go nuts if I do kick a game-winner."

Still, it would make another nice chapter to add to this real-life fairy tale.

CLAIBORNE appreciates loyalty no matter whether it is from fans, assistant coaches or players. That's why he decided to make six walk-on performers captains for the Southern Illinois game last week.

The six, all five-year performers, were offensive guard Brian Denham, tailback Tim Smith, flanker Bill Sheehan, linebacker Jay Amshoff, linebacker Mike Cahill and offensive tackle Mike Jones.

Denham has become a fixture in the UK offensive line this year while Sheehan sees spot duty. The rest seldom, if ever, play.

Still, Claiborne appreciates the sacrifices all six have made for five years.

"They have done a tremendous job the last five

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VIEWPOINT

Letters To The Editor



Mail All Letters To: VIEWPOINT, The Cats' Pause, P.O. Box 7297, Lexington, KY 40522

High times at UK

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find check for three subscriptions, so all my family will know about the 'Cats.

I have not missed a home football game since 1929. I ran the basketball clock for 32 years and got to hear what (Adolph) Rupp and Joe Hall and Harry (Lancaster) said to the boys between halves. Now they want me to pay \$3,000 in order to buy six tickets to the home basketball games. That's a bit high.

Bob Sparks
Lexington

Good trade, TCP

Dear Sir:

I am renewing my subscription *only* due to your eliminating the column by (Bob) Watkins. I trust this column will not be published in the future. I hope, too, that you will be a bit more positive in your editorials concerning UK. Thanks for adding Earl Cox to your staff.

Very truly yours,

P.B. Tabb, Lt. Col. retired
Crestwood

Editor's note: At the present time, we have no plans to bring Bob Watkins back to TCP. As for our columns, our columnists call 'em the way they see 'em.

Love that yearbook

Dear Sir:

I just wanted to congratulate you all on the fine job you do each year with the yearbook. I really enjoy reading it throughout the season. Keep up the great work. I also subscribe to *The Cats' Pause* weekly and enjoy it immensely.

Don Williams
Ft. Walton Beach, Fla.

Blue in Tennessee

Dear Sir:

Here is my check for my subscription renewal and the 1988-89 Kentucky yearbook. I must admit I am disheartened about the continuing saga of the Kentucky/NCAA situation. If the Knoxville papers did not have the football program here and the Kentucky basketball problems to write about, we would have a very small sports section. My daughter attends UT and this week she did something I never dreamed would happen: She tearfully removed all of the Kentucky Wildcat stickers from her car and took her beloved stuffed Wildcat from the rear deck. She must drive to UT and she is just tired of the embarrassment and harassment she now en-

counters. Hopefully, one day the pride will be restored. Who would have dreamed so few could destroy so much for so many in such a short time?

Larry Hoover
Clinton, Tenn.

Puzzled in Plant City

Dear Sir:

Diehard Wildcat from Plant City, Fla. There are a lot of Wildcat fans in this part of Florida who are suffering with me over this mess. The only thing that puzzles me is why Kentucky would have to pay anyone to come and play basketball for the 'Cats. It should be the other way around. They should pay Kentucky for a chance to play for the greatest program in the world. My freshman year at Kentucky we were 24-0 with (Cliff) Hagan, (Frank) Ramsey and Company.

J.W. Sharp
Plant City, Fla.

Take the NCAA...please

Dear Sir:

Please renew my TCP subscription with the enclosed check. You guys do a great job covering the Wildcats and the SEC.

Who is S. David Berst, the chief investigator for the NCAA????????

If it takes him and an arm full of investigators to find all these torrid infractions against Kentucky, and they spend six (6) months doing it, then somebody is paying these clowns too much money. An organization like the NCAA should concentrate on things that really matter. If the 'Cats are guilty of a real infraction, we should be punished, but this bull is all hearsay and anybody can see through it. It is hard to answer all the allegations to Indiana and Ohio State fans that are looking for a reason to put down the 'Cats.

Sincerely,

Doug Mayes
Defiance, Ohio

Ticked off

Dear Sir:

I am a diehard Wildcat fan and this NCAA stuff ticks me off.

I can't believe the NCAA can't see through this scheme. I can bring up three times some allegations were made against Kentucky just at recruiting time:

- 1) When (Rex) Chapman was recruited.
- 2) Last spring when we lost the JC recruits.
- 3) This fall it has hurt Kentucky's recruiting.

I think (Eddie) Sutton is a great coach, but I think he made some mistakes on not giving scholarships to key big men which he could have had. Recruiting is the name of the

game. Get all the players you can, even if they sit on the bench they can't hurt you on someone else's team.

I don't think we would have lost in the tournament last year if he had (Harvey) Grant of Oklahoma. He wanted to come to Kentucky and Sutton turned him down, also Hartford (Tito Horford?—editor), plus (Johnny) Pittman, who went to the Big Eight. If the Big Eight would take Pittman, why can't Kentucky?

I can't believe an assistant coach would send \$1,000 to a recruit and not put it in a package where it would take a bomb to blow it open.

I have always thought "U of K people" were family. Now it seems like some of the key people have loose tongues to the wrong people.

I can't believe something can't be done to the NCAA if they can't find anything wrong with Kentucky's program for losing all the recruits they could have had.

Ticked off,

H.L. Hosler Sr.
Griffith, Ind.

P.S.—Wildcats can do no wrong. Go, Go, team.

Victories, not heroes

Dear Sir:

My check is enclosed to renew my subscription for another year. It doesn't expire until March, but I like to renew early.

The "Viewpoint" section was conspicuous by its absence in the October issues. I hope people will continue to write in and express their views.

Regarding the heartbreaking loss to Alabama, I feel like the offense did everything that could be expected of them and they should feel like winners. They proved to themselves and to the world that they could get the job done. And they did.

Sadly, football is a team sport and the defense came up a little short. They, too, should recognize that they can play with anyone, but they need to cut down on the defensive breakdowns by individuals. Remember, we need victories, we don't need heroes.

I attended the Alabama game and it appeared to me that our defensive backs were always in excellent position to break up the long passes that were completed but they seemed to be more interested in making an interception than in keeping the pass from being completed.

The 17-yard run by the quarterback on fourth down and seven was another case where someone was probably trying to be a hero instead of covering their designated area.

I hate to single out anyone for criticism, but I do believe Ron Robinson should do some soul-searching and decide if he had done his job would we have another victory instead of another loss. Did he do his job or did he try to be a hero? Football is a team sport and if everyone does their job the team reaches maximum efficiency.

On another matter, I hope we are close to resolving all the allegations concerning the Kentucky basketball program. I have never believed Dwane Casey sent money to Claud Mills and I certainly don't believe the package in question "popped" open. There was some "hankie-pankie" going on somewhere and I hope the guilty parties are found out and dealt with severely.

In the case of Eric Manuel, it appears that he had some help from somewhere in order to increase his score so dramatically. Whether his help was legal or not, and whether the University of Kentucky was aware of this help has not been made public. According to the monitors of the test he took, there was no cheating possible and his score was valid.

I have complete faith in Cliff Hagan, Eddie Sutton and Dwane Casey. Others I am not as familiar with, and can only hope we have no rotten apples in the barrel.

Richard Manion
Louisville

How 'bout that D?

Dear Sir:

Consider publishing the defensive statistics for the football games. They are pertinent to the program, and the players deserve the credit. Our defense is tough!

A good article on how the defense is scored and how the linemen are scored would be welcome. Go to any terrific program, and one will find equal emphasis on all parts of the team. For example, Joe Paterno of Penn State, on his Sunday TV program, gives equal time to offense and defense in footage shown and comments. The linemen cause the stars to shine.

A mindset on whole team effort is essential to success. Consider promoting this direction in *The Cats' Pause*. Our players and coaches are first class. They deserve our full support.

Sincerely,

Jotiley Dortch — math instructor at Paducah Community College and football mom

Editor's note: Mrs. Dortch, consider it done. Because we get our statistics (without defensive categories other than interceptions) via computer from the SEC Office and not directly from UK, that had been a problem in the past. However, we have worked around that, and will be happy to include defensive stats in the future.

Keep your heads high

Dear Sir:

Even though it has been a rough year for the football and basketball 'Cats, I think you are winners.

You've given me countless hours of pleasure in the past, win or lose. Keep your heads high and give it all you've got!

Ron Davis
Bowling Green

Dickey remains optimistic despite current troubles

'89 forecast? An immovable cloud over UK

AT LEAST THEY CAN KEEP their sense of humor.

University of Kentucky assistant basketball coach James Dickey, making his third annual



Dan Brandenburg

Cats' Pause Columnist

appearance before the Winchester (Ky.) Rotary Club recently, said, "My goal right now is to make it back for a fourth year."

Dickey spent about 30 minutes talking to the group, answering questions about the program and the on-going NCAA investigation.

Although Dickey did not reveal any major details about the probe, his talk did bring to light a few minor points which had gone unnoticed.

At one time, he said, the NCAA had six of its 15 enforcement officers working on the UK investigation.

"I don't think any program has been investigated like we have," he said. "They (the NCAA) have been through all of our phone records and talked to all of the recruits we've brought in."

Dickey, who accompanied head coach Eddie Sutton from Arkansas to Kentucky, said the university had 60 days (until Dec. 12) to respond to the 18 allegations brought forth by the NCAA and also outlined the next steps of the probe.

After the university has responded, a pre-committee hearing will be held at which time some, none, or all of the charges against UK could be dropped. The case would then go on to the Infractions Committee. "They're the judge and jury," Dickey said.

The Infractions Committee will probably not get the case until February because it does not meet in December or January, he said.

THE NCAA AND UK WOULD then each have the chance to present its case to the committee and the committee would have two weeks to reach a decision.

"This is going to be a cloud over our program for the majority of the season, it seems," Dickey said.

He said that regardless of the outcome of the case, the length of the investigation would make it seem like the program was on probation for this season.

"There's a lot of pressure on the NCAA to get Kentucky," Dickey said. "They won't admit it, but it's true."

"Dragging this thing out cost us some players in the spring and it may cost us some in the early signing period (in November)."

Dickey also thought the timing of the release of the new allegations was peculiar.

"I think the NCAA is trying to be as fair as possible, but I also think they know what they're doing when the allegations come out Oct. 15," he said.

Oct. 15 is the first day college basketball teams can practice and the date of UK's annual Midnight Madness event.

UK received the latest allegations Oct. 14, but did not release them to the public until the next day.

Dickey added that about 95 percent of the mail the basketball office has received over the past six months has been positive.

"What the basketball staff wants to do is run a good, clean program," he said. "Kentucky is very easy to sell."

He also said that as many as one-third of the 18 allegations hinge on one decision and that all six could be thrown out if the decision goes in UK's favor.



UK assistant James Dickey

"THERE'S ABOUT SIX ALLEGATIONS OUT of the 17 that deal basically with one question, 'Is or is not this person a representative of the athletics interests?'"

"If it's proven he is, then you'll have six allegations to deal with; if it's proven he's not, then they'll all be thrown out. That's all it boils down to."

Although Dickey did not mention names, Columbus, Ohio, basketball scout Bill Chupil has been linked to several of the allegations especially those concerning recruit Lawrence Funderburke.

"You usually have two or three serious charges and then the NCAA makes a laundry list," he said.

As far as the team is concerned, Dickey would not even guess as to who the starters might be when UK opens play Nov. 19 against Duke in the Tipoff Classic in Springfield, Mass.

"It's hard to say who the top seven are right now and even harder to say who the top five are."

Dickey called the current edition of the Cats, "the most inexperienced team we have ever coached and probably the most inexperienced team Kentucky's ever had."

"Our practices have been long — about three hours — because we've got a lot of teaching to do and not a lot of preparation time," he said. "It's a challenge for us as a coaching staff and a challenge for our players."

As he previewed the team's players, Dickey made no mention of Eric Manuel, the UK sophomore guard who is not participating in practice until questions about his ACT score are resolved.

IF YOU CAN READ BETWEEN the lines, that means UK is preparing for the season on the basis that Manuel will not be playing. However, Dickey was optimistic that Manuel would play this year.

"I think there's a chance, but I would be specu-

"I'm really embarrassed for Dan. Dan Issel would never do anything to hurt Kentucky. He was embarrassed and he was hurt. I feel very badly about that."

—James Dickey
about one of the NCAA's allegations
which involved Dan Issel.

lating if I told you when," he said.

Dickey said that if Manuel's test scores are thrown out, he would probably lose a season of eligibility and that there was a possibility that UK might have to forfeit some victories and money earned last season.

"If the way I read the rule is correct, the only way we would have to forfeit games or money is if they (the NCAA) proved there was a university employee who had knowledge of the cheating."

With Manuel out, the Wildcats' most experienced returning player this season will be LeRon Ellis, who started a total of eight games last year.

Dickey has only been specifically linked to one of the 18 allegations in which a recruit had an allegedly illegal contact with a UK basketball booster. The booster was UK's all-time leading scorer Dan Issel and the incident supposedly took place at Issel's Courtland Farm in Versailles.

According to the NCAA, it was all right for Dickey to take a recruit to the farm and for Issel to say hello, but Issel — who is considered to be a representative of the school's athletics interest — could not encourage the player to attend Kentucky.

"I'm really embarrassed for Dan," Dickey said. "Dan Issel would never do anything to hurt Kentucky. He was embarrassed and he was hurt. I feel very badly about that."

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FORMER WILDCAT HEART THROB REX Chapman didn't waste any time getting himself a sponsorship deal once he signed with the NBA expansion team in Charlotte, N.C.

According to *Sports inc.* magazine, Hornets' rookie Chapman has signed a four-year regional television, print and radio advertising deal with the Hughes Lytle automobile dealership based in Charlotte through his agent, ProServ. No dollar-figure was announced.

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AT LEAST IN ONE PART of Commonwealth Stadium, there wasn't a lot of True Blue spirit flowing following the Cats' upset of Georgia.

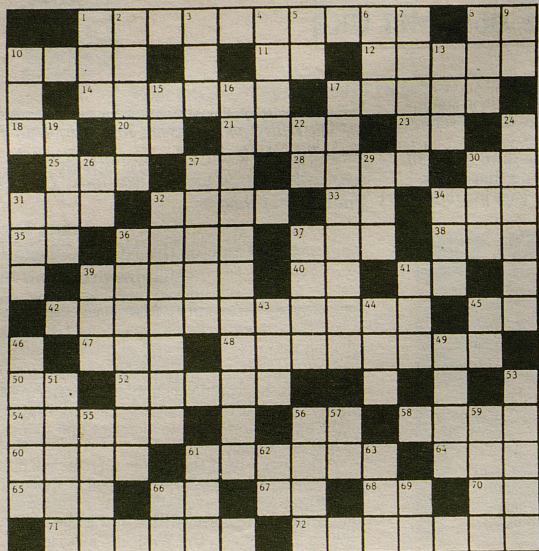
Fans exiting near the Georgia lockerroom on the Nicholasville Road side of the stadium, instead of celebrating the team's big win, chose to belittle and taunt the Dawgs as they left the field.

Georgia middle guard Bill Goldberg reportedly went over a fence after some especially uncomplimentary fans but was stopped before the situation got out of hand.

Kentucky's wins over ranked opponents are few and far between. It's a shame that this one was spoiled by a bunch of overzealous spectators who gave the entire UK following a black eye.

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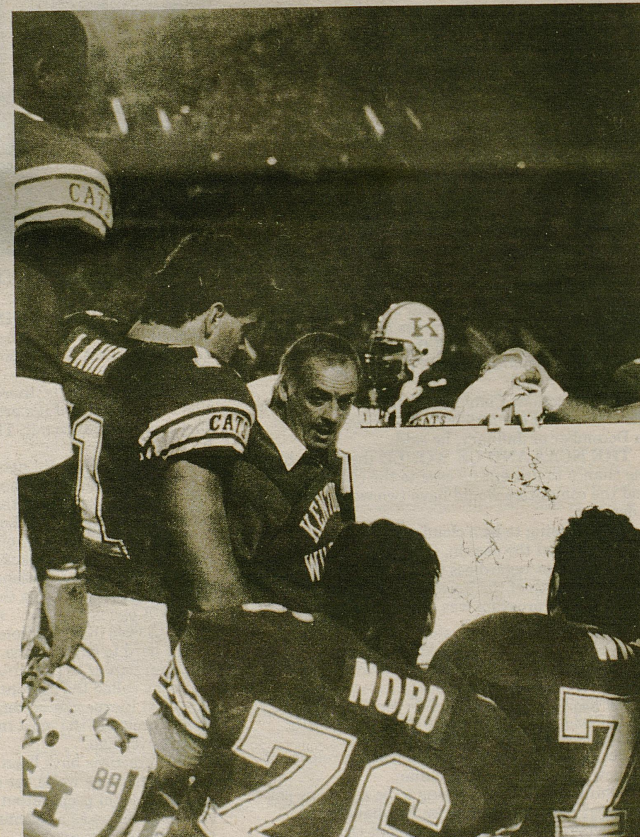
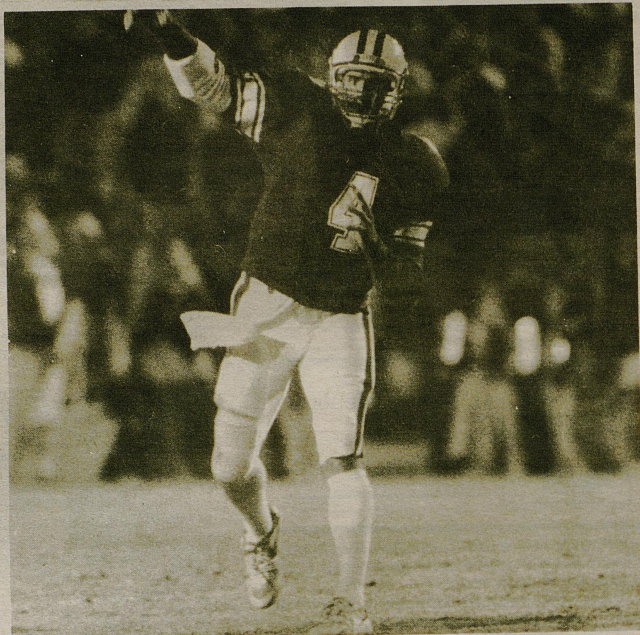
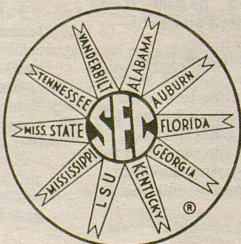
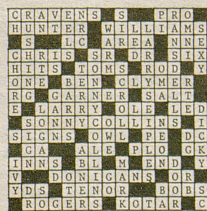
By Dan Krueckeberg



WILDCAT PASS RECEIVERS THROUGH THE YEARS

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|---|--|
| ACROSS | DOWN |
| 1* Fine receiver for coach Bradshaw | 1 Expire |
| 8 Felix Wilson had 157 yds. receiving in '79 game - Florida | 2 Watson had 994 yds. in receptions |
| 10 Bradshaw's last reception leader Thompson | 3 Attendance abbr. |
| 11 Initials of mid-'60s receiver Windsor | 4 Mid and |
| 12 Nice news from boss | 5 Compass abbr. |
| 14 Curci's first star receiver Stephens | 6 Lanka |
| 17 Caught 67 passes for '80s Cats | 7 Greatly disliked |
| 18 Initials of one of Collier's receivers Shively | 8 Donkey |
| 20 Bruno was a top receiver for Bryant | 9 Position of '87 Cats leading receiver Darrington |
| 21 The Seven Year " | 10 Bachelor |
| 23 Initials of 14 Across | 13 It is |
| 25 TD receptions for Felix Wilson | 15 Initials of '85 leading receiver Marc |
| 27 Initials of '63 Cats top receiver Cox | 16 Had then-record 42 receptions in '64 |
| 28 '58 and '59 leading receiver Calvin | 17 Early-'80s standout receiver Joe |
| 30 Initials of late-'40s Odilvak | 19 Mix |
| 31 First name of '71 Across | 22 Initials of 36 Down |
| 32 Fish | 24 Namesakes of '50s receiver Cravens |
| 33 '70s Cat Frank Master | 26 Verb suffix |
| 34 First name of '11 Across | 27 Lyons from Dave Bair went for 92 yds. on 10/26/68 |
| 35 Symbol for "Iridium" | 29 Color |
| 36 field | 30 Neither partner |
| 37 Not young | 31 Receiver King for coach Bradshaw |
| 38 Celestial body | 32 Caught 10 for 116 yds. vs. Vandy in '69 |
| 39 Curci's top '76 receiver Randy | 34 Swamp |
| 40 WAC state abbr. | 36 Claiborne's top receiver in '86 |
| 41 Initials of a Collier receiver Gash | 37 A neighbor |
| 42 '66 Cats leading receiver | 39 Prohibit |
| 45 Initials of receiver/'55 All-American Baseball star | 41 First name of Cat with 170 yds. receiving vs. Vols last season |
| 48 Dave _____ receiving led '77 Cats | 43 Work unit |
| 50 Initials of 20 Across | 44 A of Lopez, Daniels and Bradley |
| 52 "With _____ in Your Heart" | 45 Initials of '54 and '55 leading receiver |
| 54 Not smooth | 46 One of coach Ray's receivers, Ray |
| 56 Initials of '50s ball-carrier and pass receiver Rushing | 49 The QB must _____ the defensive coverage |
| 58 off | 51 Killed Lincoln |
| 60 Going, going, _____ | 53 Only '80s Cat with over 75 receptions |
| 61 One of Ransdell's targets, Cisco | 55 "____ Us A Child Is Born" |
| 64 Hospital abbr. | 56 One of Collier's receivers, Chapman |
| 65 Phone co. | 57 MD's helper |
| 66 Abbr. for "that is" | 59 Sense organ |
| 67 Vacation vehicle for some | 61 Insect |
| 68 Hoop's extra session | 62 Time period abbr. |
| 70 Initials of Steve; holds UK record of 17 TD receptions | 63 Hutchinson has UK record of 94 receptions |
| 71 Fine receiver for coach Curci | 66 Roman numeral for TD receptions for 20 Across on 11/18/50 |
| 72 _____ All-American year was '74 | 69 A Jenkins _____ Watson pass play went for 83 yds. vs. Hoosters in '80 |

Last Week's Answers



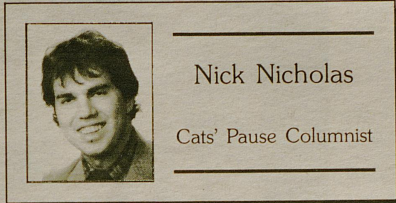
(Top) UK quarterback Glenn Fohr completed four of 10 passes for 38 yards before leaving last Saturday's game with Southern Illinois with a strained left knee. Fohr is expected to be back in the starting lineup, however, when Vanderbilt's Commodores invade Commonwealth Stadium.

(Bottom) Wildcat offensive tackle coach Farrell Sheridan discusses blocking assignments with Greg Lahr (71), Mike Nord (76) and Dean Wilks (74).

Wanted: Derrick Miller shooting touch. . .now!

Wildcat offense can't survive without it

If it concerns "How are things going?" when referring to practice in the Wildcat camp, you might put that question on hold for a few weeks. As if it were the bubonic plague, the media covering Kentucky basketball prior to



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Oct. 31 was given the ol' heave ho from preseason workouts. A quarantine? Not exactly. Since Oct. 16, Captain Eddie and his mates desired a little privacy before the curtain was lifted with Kentucky's public scrimmages. But before last Monday, doors at Wildcat practices were slammed, triple-locked and watched within a stone's throw by team managers to make sure that not even a peep was leaked out.

Oh well, by the time you read this column some of you may have traveled to Louisville to watch the first in a series of four Blue and White scrimmages. And since I won't be able to make the workout at Freedom Hall, will someone please call me and tell me how the 'Cats look?

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OK, THAT'S A 'nuff playing around for this column.

Is this Kentucky team, which is staring in the face of a monstrous schedule, headed for a losing season? You betcha. Unless... if LeRon Ellis, Deron Feldhaus and Reggie Hanson can become consistent scoring threats, if Chris Mills and Richie Farmer are able to make the adjustment defensively, and if Sean Sutton is given a chance to change the minds of his critics, then a losing campaign can be avoided.

Forgive my oversight but there's a big-time "if" I overlooked. Come to think, it is one of the biggest keys to possibly cranking up Kentucky's offensive unit. You see, if junior guard Derrick Miller can regain his shooting eye not only will UK's three-point attack be feared but the pressure surrounding Ellis, Feldhaus and Mike Scott will be eased.

"Derrick has practiced very well," confirmed assistant coach James Dickey recently. "We're hopeful that he will go out and shoot the ball consistent because that is his forte. He can really shoot the basketball and we need him to do that."

More than anyone else on the 1987-88 club, Derrick Miller's game suffered because of emotional strain. His grandmother and grandfather, two of the closest people to his heart, both passed away. And before and during the early part of his sophomore season Miller wasn't himself, not seeing eye-to-eye with his coaches or teammates.

TO THE DISMAY of Eddie Sutton, Miller's playing time became more of a public question than the disappearance act of his once-deadly jumper. Perhaps that's just the twists which regularly wrap around Kentucky basketball.

Nevertheless, you don't have to look far to see why Miller's playing time never increased. His mechanics became rusty and led to bad shooting habits. In a reserve role last season Miller took 24 three-point attempts, finding his target merely three times. The year before he had hit on 35 of 81 bonus shots.

Where oh where had his jump shot gone? Where oh where had Derrick Miller gone?

This season the junior figures to have a dandy opportunity to surpass his first year totals at Kentucky. The thought of leaving the squad has been long forgotten and erased from his memory. Today, Miller's main concern is the off-guard slot. And it's his off-guard position to claim.

Even though equipment manager Bill Keightley's measuring stick still lists him at 6-foot-6, Miller has grown immensely.

"I had too many things going on in my head," Miller said of last season. "I don't care who you are, if you're playing and you take your shot and miss and then you know you're coming out of the game, that's pressure. I've kinda put those two years behind me.

"This is 1988. The past is not going to help me now." That's not entirely true, Derrick.

"AFTER I HAD LOOKED at the film to see what I was doing wrong I went behind the (Wildcat) Lodge and hit my first 10 shots," remembered Miller. "The shot was falling all summer."

According to Miller, instead of taking the ball alongside his hip, bringing it up past his right shoulder and then "cooking it" before its release, the coaches suggested he take the ball straight up and then fire it at the basket.

Things didn't click. His timing was disrupted.

"I looked at the film of the Lamar game," said Miller, turning back the clock to his freshman season. "I don't think I missed a shot in that game. I called my best friend, Eric's (Manuel) my best friend, and I said: 'Look Manuel, this is the problem. Watch me shoot.'

"I told him to watch me how I bring the ball down. Then I shot three straight by bringing it down. He said: 'That looks like a totally different shot than what you were shooting this year (1987-88 season).'

"Then we went outside and I shot 10 shots they way I used to shoot 'em. . . he said I looked more comfortable. That's basically what I did and I would never change it

again."

The Kentucky staff would give anything if Miller could bottle his flick-of-the-wrist sensation plus get a quick dose anytime his or any one of his teammates' touch vanished. Dickey believes the Wildcats will be a "good shooting" club, provided their selections remain within respectable range.

In years past, Kentucky could depend on four or five veterans to carry the load throughout an entire season. Not this time around, my friends. Lacking in the experience department, all of UK's 10 scholarship players (without Manuel at this time) must be counted on for some kind of on-the-court contributions.

To wit: a chart compiled by Mike Estep in our sister publication, *Big Blue Basketball*, in July reveals that UK's current members return a mere 1,195 career college minutes played. And when you tally all the points by the returning 'Cats, you get just 371.

What does this mean?

Well, adding Manuel to the list of Wildcats not returning, UK loses 16,051 career minutes and 5,935 points from last year's squad. So "old man" Miller is of paramount importance to this inexperienced bunch of 'Cats.

"WE NEED DERRICK MILLER to play well,"

Dickey said. "He's got a great shooting touch. I think last year he started off cold and it became a mental thing. He started pressing. He felt the pressure, when he went in, that he had to go in and hit the three-pointer. He didn't shoot the ball well.

"As a freshman he came in and really gave us good support off the bench and really contributed. We need Derrick to play well."



Although measuring stick won't indicate such, Derrick Miller has grown immensely

UK plays 'heads up' in 2

Two days prior to Halloween, it took an eerie punt play to get the flat Wildcats ready to play

By TCP staff writer Jim Easterwood

LEXINGTON — Jim Graves took a post-graduate course in Football 101 after receiving his diploma from Lexington's Henry Clay High School in 1986.

But the class he took at Tennessee Military Institute didn't include a test on "Flying spheroids: How they can be detected." Especially at Halloween time.

"Nothing like this ever happened to me before," said the lanky, likeable and laughing Graves. "I was in the wrong place at the wrong time."

Picture this scene early in the second half:

Coming off an upset against nationally-ranked Georgia the week before, the 'Cats were fit to be tied 7-7 against the Salukis of Southern Illinois Saturday.

SIU punter Tony Gutteridge kicked a low, fluttering wounded duck that looked for a soft place to land. Unfortunately, it found the top of Graves' helmet.

PRESTO! AS IF BY MAGIC, it ricocheted into the hands of a surprised Chontal Brown. Chalk up a net gain of 20 yards for the Salukis.

"I was just running down the field with my back turned and covering my man," said Graves as a smiling Oliver Barnett looked on. "Something came out of nowhere. I heard a thump, looked around, and tried to find the ball. I didn't realize what had happened until it was over."

It was the strangest thing that happened on a night that was a stranger to the 'Cats.

Kentucky had made sure it would be no Dawg day in the afternoon Oct. 22 against Georgia. But, in their first nocturnal affair, trying to bag a Saluki—an Egyptian hunting dog by the way—proved to be... shall we, say a Graves experience.

"It was definitely a trick," said Graves in assessing the unexpected poke of the pighide. "You could definitely tell it was Halloween. A lot of weird things were happening."

But this play seemed to shake the 'Cats out of their lethargy. The defense, sparked by Barnett, rendered the Salukis as silent as a Sphinx for most of the second half.

And the sputtering offense finally began to show the crowd of 50,083—some of whom must have come to the game disguised as unlucky Keeneland losers—some life behind reserve quarterback Chuck Broughton.

UK FINALLY PREVAILED 24-10.

Not pretty, but still effective.

"The Graves thing was unfortunate," said Broughton. "But it made us see that everything wasn't going our way and we had to get our act together. We had to keep our heads up, buckle down and win."

As No. 2, Broughton tried harder and so did the rest of the 'Cats. The backup quarterback had replaced starter Glenn Fohr on the next Kentucky offensive series.

Fohr, back to pass, was sacked by Ron Kirk and had to be helped off the field. He had suffered a strained left knee.

Broughton, hitting some key passes, then directed the 'Cats to a pair of touchdowns and a field goal as Kentucky evened its record at 4-4. The I-AA Salukis fell to 4-4.

"I felt comfortable and confident," said the 6-foot-4 Broughton. "I just patted the guys on the butts when I came in and told them they were doing a good job. I said, 'Keep it up and we'll put it in the end zone.'"

However, it may have been the 6-6 Graves who put the big scare in the Salukis. Or at least in Gutteridge. Defensive plays by Mike Chism, Barnett and Chris Chenault stymied the Salukis, forcing a punt by Gutteridge.

Now, it won't show in the defensive statistics dominated by Oney Oliver (eight tackles, forced fumble, one sack) and Chenault's 12 tackles and one fumble recovery. But give the former Blue Devil his due with a PH...for punt hurry.

Gutteridge, who averaged a poor 29.1 yard on seven punts, got only 12 on this one as the ball rolled off the side of his foot and out of bounds at the SIU 36.

Did the spectre of a revengeful Graves on a mission of retribution frighten him a bit?

"I think he saw me in the corner of his eye and was trying to rush it," said Graves.

Graves played only two years of prep ball for the Blue Devils.

Feeling a need for more grid savvy, he showed up at Sweetwater, Tenn. and TMI. Like, what else is there to do but play football in Sweetwater?

"IT WAS POST-GRADUATE WORK IN FOOTBALL," said Graves. "I learned a lot. It got me going."

And he indirectly got the 'Cats dancing Saturday night. After, of course, he first got them laughing.

"I don't think I'll ever live it down," said Graves. "I wasn't even off the field when everybody was laughing. I thought it would be written up bad."

Defensive back David Johnson said he didn't give Graves a hard time.

"It wasn't his fault," said Johnson. "It just happened. "But it made us buckle down. It was a strange game."

Broughton buckled down right after the shanked punt.

The Ashland native hit Ray Gover (four catches, 64 yards) for 24 yards to the SIU 12.

Alfred Rawls, enjoying his second straight 100-yard effort (17 rushes, 91 yards), then romped to the one behind Al Baker and Charlie Darrington. Even this run was a bit on the wild side.

Rawls controlled the ball somehow around his back as it oozed from his right hand to his left hand with the Salukis watching in utter amazement.

However, it took a pass interference on third down to finally let the 'Cats score. Rawls scored from the one and Ken Willis' PAT made it 14-7 with 2:31 left in the third quarter.

PASSES OF 27 AND 18 YARDS to Phil Logan and Gover then

SEC football standings					
School	Conference		Overall		Pct.
	W-L	Pct.	W-L	Pct.	
Georgia.....	4-1-0	.800	6-2-0	.750	
Auburn.....	4-1-0	.800	7-1-0	.875	
Alabama.....	4-1-0	.800	6-1-0	.857	
LSU.....	4-1-0	.800	5-2-0	.714	
Florida.....	3-2-0	.600	5-3-0	.625	
Ole Miss.....	2-2-0	.500	4-3-0	.571	
Vanderbilt.....	2-3-0	.400	3-4-0	.429	
Kentucky.....	1-3-0	.250	4-4-0	.500	
Tennessee.....	0-4-0	.000	1-6-0	.143	
Mississippi State.....	0-6-0	.000	1-8-0	.111	
Oct. 29 results					
Kentucky 24, So. Illinois 10	Vanderbilt at Kentucky				
Auburn 16, Florida 0	Southern Miss at Auburn				
Alabama 53, Mississippi St. 34	LSU at Alabama				
Georgia 59, William & Mary 24	Georgia at Florida				
LSU 31, Ole Miss 20	Tulane at Ole Miss				
	Boston College at Tennessee				
Nov. 5 games					

led to a 32-yard field goal by Willis and a 17-7 lead.

Ivy Joe Hunter then capped a credible showing (17 rushes, 69 yards) with a three-yard TD run with 9:45 to play in the game. Hunter's run climaxed a 21-yard drive set up by Chris Tolbert's 24-yard punt return to the SIU 45.

"We may have taken SIU too lightly...like some teams take us," said Johnson. "They came in here with a lot of energy and we came out like the big boys in town who can do what they want to. They stuck it to us. We weren't sticking them...we weren't wrapping up on defense."

They sure didn't the first half. Kentucky, in almost contemptuous fashion, took an early 7-0 lead with a 55-yard march capped by Rawls' nine-yard touchdown run. An effective double-team block by Hunter and fullback Andy Murray paved the way.

Rawls, as he is wont to do, dropped the ball before he crossed the goal (television replays showed it to be the one). But the official apparently didn't see it.

SIU responded with a 66-yard drive that ended when freshman QB Scott Gabbert was pressured by Kentucky's Tony Massey as the SIU QB began to option right. Gabbert's pitchout toss to Garrett Hines fell short and into the hands of Chenault at the seven.

But SIU kept "wish(bone)ing" on a star—200-pound fullback Charles Harmke—and he responded to set up SIU's only TD minutes later.

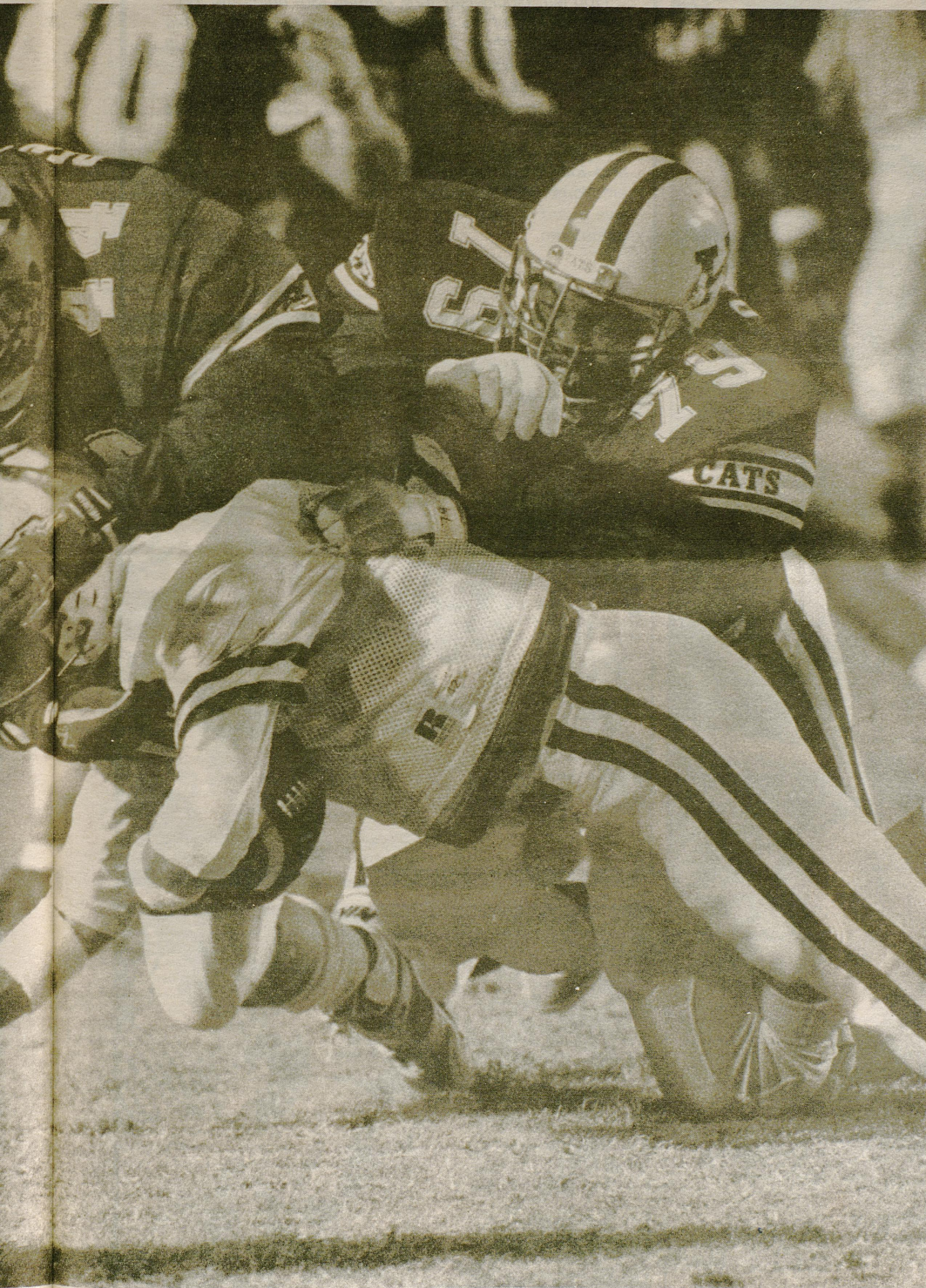
With Harmke ripping off one huge gain of 40 yards, the Salukis

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"Oney Oliver" Barnett (79) and Craig Benzinger (4)

2nd half, tops SIU 24-10



raig Benzinger (44) helped UK's defense break SIU's wishbone offense in the second half

	KY	SIU
First downs	22	16
Rushes-yards	53-244	48-207
Passing yards	114	43
Attempts-completions-interceptions	19-9-1	16-6-0
Total yards	358	250
Return yards	29	12
Punts-average	3-42.7	7-29.1
Fumbles-lost	1-1	2-1
Penalties-yards	8-66	7-60
Possession time	30:32	29:28
Kentucky	7	0
Southern Illinois	0	7

Kentucky 7 0 7 10 - 24
 Southern Illinois 0 7 0 3 - 10

KY—Rawls 9 run (Willis kick)
 SI—Hines 2 run (Bookout kick)
 KY—Rawls 1 run (Willis kick)
 KY—Willis 32 FG
 KY—Hunter 3 run (Willis kick)
 SI—Bookout 26 FG

KENTUCKY

RUSHING	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TDS	LONG
Fuhr	2	0	21	(-21)	0	(-6)
Hunter	17	62	1	63	1	16
Rawls	17	102	11	91	2	22
Murray	6	27	0	27	0	9
Baker	11	81	2	79	0	21
TOTALS	53	279	35	244	3	22

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	YDS	TDS	LONG
Fuhr	10	4	0	38	0	18
Broughton	9	5	1	76	0	26
TOTALS	19	9	1	114	0	26

PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	TDS	LONG
Gover	4	64	0	24
Jones	1	18	0	18
Logan	1	26	0	26
Meece	1	12	0	12
Murray	1	0	0	0
Baker	1	(-6)	0	(-6)
TOTALS	9	114	0	26

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	LONG
Tesar	3	122	40.7	47
TOTALS	3	122	40.7	47

FIELD GOALS	ATT	MADE	LONG
Willis	1	1	32
TOTALS	1	1	32

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS	KICKOFFS	INTS	
	NO	YDS	NO	YDS
Misack	1	4	—	—
Tolbert	2	28	—	—
Hunter	—	—	2	51
TOTALS	3	29	2	51

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS

RUSHING	ATT	GAIN	LOST	NET	TDS	LONG
Gabbert	17	58	9	49	0	14
Harmke	17	105	0	105	0	40
Hines	4	8	1	7	1	4
Patterson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Perks	8	41	0	41	0	14
Oliver	1	5	0	5	0	5
TOTALS	48	217	10	207	1	40

PASSING	ATT	COMP	INT	YDS	TDS	LONG
Gabbert	15	8	0	43	0	10
Moore	1	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS	16	8	0	43	0	10

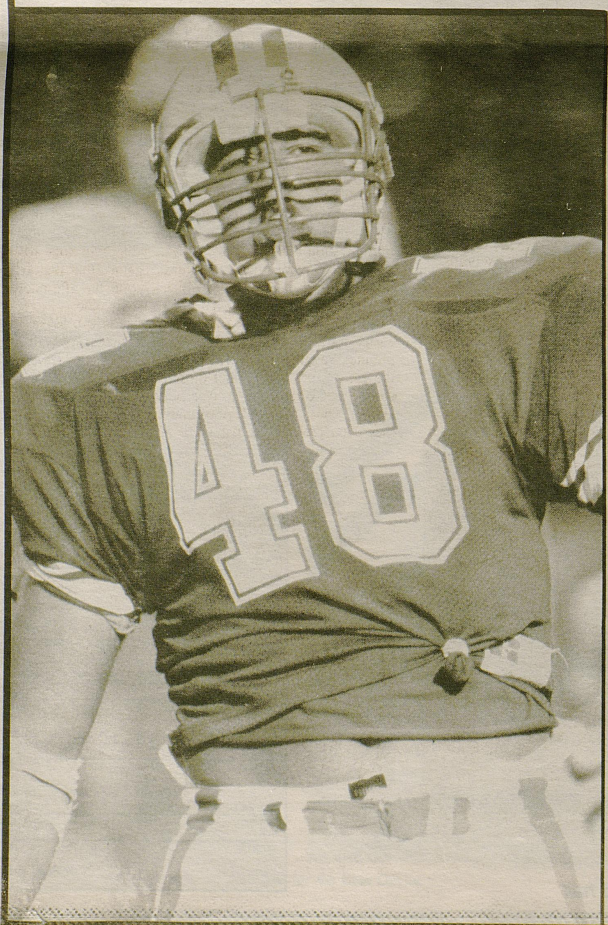
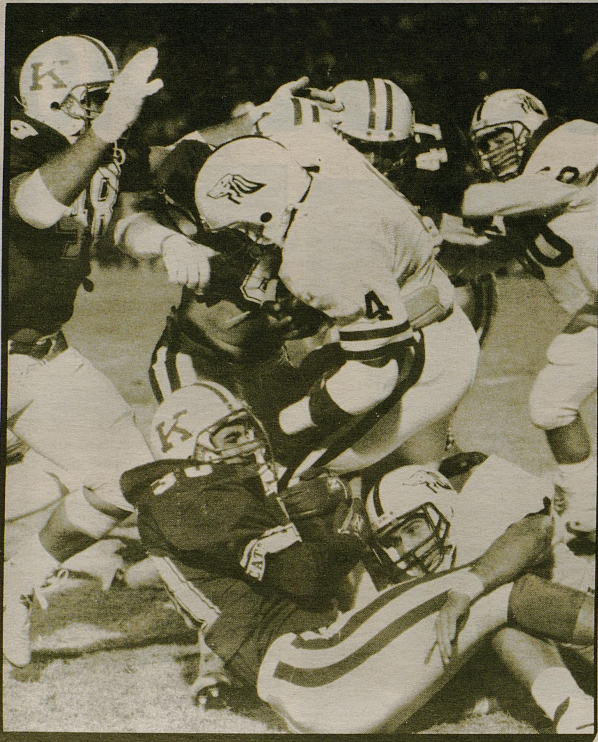
PASS RECEIVING	NO	YDS	TDS	LONG
Moore	3	11	0	8
Dopud	1	10	0	10
Cook	1	8	0	8
Patterson	1	7	0	7
Brown	1	4	0	4
Hines	1	3	0	3
TOTALS	8	43	0	10

PUNTING	NO	YDS	AVG	LONG
Gutteridge	7	204	29.1	44
TOTALS	7	204	29.1	44

FIELD GOALS	ATT	MADE	LONG
Bookout	1	1	26
TOTALS	1	1	26

ALL RETURNS	PUNTS	KICKOFFS	INTS	
	NO	YDS	NO	YDS
Patterson	—	—	3	70
Kirk	—	—	—	1
TOTALS	—	—	3	70

—Cats' Pause chart

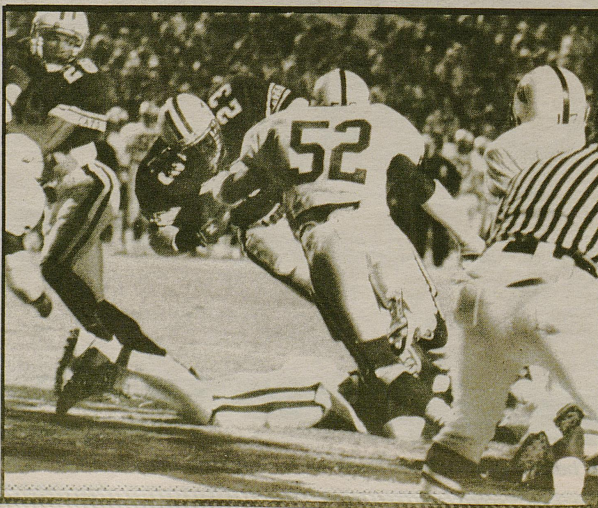
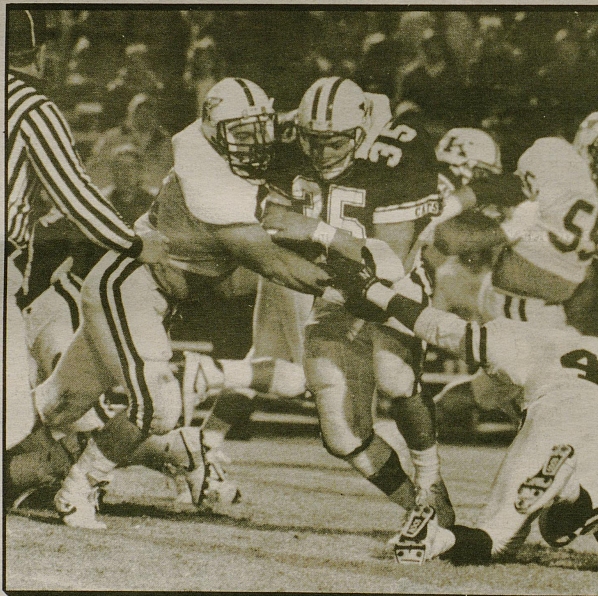


KENTUCKY WILDCATS

A WIN'S A WIN

(Top left, clockwise) Tony Zigman (30) holds the fort while the rest of his defensive buddies can come to his aid. Here, Southern Illinois' Paul Patterson is stopped in his tracks; Fullback Andy Murray shows why he's one tough fullback to bring down; For the second straight week, UK junior tailback Alfred Rawls (23) led the 'Cats in rushing yards. He finished the night with 91 yards. Here he scores one of his two touchdowns on the night; and Joey Couch, a native of Hager Hill, lets loose his emotions. With every game, this redshirt freshman defensive guard is becoming more and more a factor in UK's game plan.

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Kentucky more attractive to bowls than U of L

All factors point in favor of Wildcats

Please forgive Kentuckians if they are a bit giddy about the success that Kentucky and Louisville have displayed on the football field rather than the hardwood court. Both instate schools are enjoying rather surprising



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seasons.

Yes, it's premature and pure speculation about postseason festivities and both Jerry Claiborne and Howard Schnellenberger would bark at anyone who even temper with the dreaded "B" word (psst, bowls). But it's very unlikely that a bowl would match up Kentucky and Louisville in a postseason matchup.

First and foremost, both teams have to complete the November portion of their schedule without any defeats.

One thing to remember, only one of these teams has a decided advantage for a possible bowl bid and the reason of course is scheduling. Yes, one team plays an extremely difficult schedule, which is Kentucky, and the other, Louisville, doesn't.

It's just that simple, folks.

SEEING KENTUCKY ENJOY success in football has to help its appeal, especially with all the negative publicity which has been directed at the school's basketball program. But when ANY bowl looks at a team for bowl consideration, it looks at several factors. So, when you analyze all the factors, Kentucky comes out on top, hands down.

To wit:

Factor I: Schedule. Kentucky plays the toughest schedule in the nation and Louisville plays one of the weakest. With teams such as Auburn, Alabama, LSU, Georgia, Indiana, Vanderbilt, Florida and even Central Michigan, which still is in the running for a berth in the California Bowl, dominate the likes of Maryland, Wyoming, Memphis State, North Carolina, Southern Mississippi, Tulsa, Virginia, Tulane, Cincinnati, Virginia Tech and Western Kentucky.

The fact of the matter is, Louisville will play only one-ranked team—Wyoming—and practically little else. Another fact is the five teams (through Oct. 22) Louisville has beaten this season own a collective record of 11-18. That doesn't attract many bowl scouts.

Kentucky's schedule, of course, speaks for itself.

Factor II: Conference affiliation. Louisville is an Independent and Kentucky plays in the Southeastern Conference, traditionally one of the top leagues from top to bottom. Bowl committees like to choose SEC teams because of the league's nationally-known reputation. About the only reputation that Louisville has is that it has a coach with a fat contract and an offense that likes to throw the football. In fact, I don't think too many people around the commonwealth (not including Cardinal fans) could name at least one U of L defensive player.

Factor III: Television. Kentucky already has appeared on national cable television several times this season while Louisville has been absent, nor will it have the opportunity to have any games televised, either on a national or cable basis. Again, Kentucky has been an outstanding team on the tube this season (near misses against Auburn and Alabama, while defeating No. 11 Georgia two weeks ago).

For those of you who are wondering... NEVER has Louisville appeared in a nationally-televised game during the Schnellenberger era. In fact, it was very difficult to find in a Louisville press guide when the last time the

Cards were shown on either a national or cable television game.

Factor IV: Bowl history. Although both schools do not have a tradition rich in postseason action, UK has a better reputation with in bowls than Louisville. With two bowl appearances in this decade (back-to-back Hall of Fame trips) Kentucky is the better draw. The last time Louisville attended a bowl game was back in 1977 when the Cards lost to Louisiana Tech 24-14 in the mighty Independence Bowl.

Factor V: Economics. Basically it boils down to a team from the traditionally-rich SEC with a MUCH TOUGHER SCHEDULE versus a team with a possible up-and-coming reputation. Kentucky has better attendance in comparison to figures at Louisville's Fairground's Stadium. Furthermore, and most important—Kentucky will bring more fans than U of L.

ALTHOUGH UK PROBABLY will never have a throng of fans like it did for the 1976 Peach Bowl, the 'Cats are an overall better attraction for fan support.

What all this means is that the Bluegrass can be proud of the progress made by Kentucky and Louisville. With the way the rest of the season is developing, fans of both programs should push aside bowl talk until when the possibilities become realities.

After all, it's been a long time when the football programs at Kentucky and Louisville can both have outstanding seasons in the same year.

However, if the bowl scouts look at a possible 7-4 Kentucky team against a possible 8-3 Louisville squad you can be assured these five key factors will be taken into consideration. You might even say the committees will bank on it.

UK NOTEBOOK: Kentucky injured offensive tackle Mike Pfeifer almost suffered another injury while watching the Wildcats' victory over Georgia on UK's sideline. Apparently, the mishap took place after a first-half kickoff return by Georgia resulting in a collision with 'Dogs' return man Tim Worley and several Wildcat defenders along the UK sideline. Worley fell down close to Pfeifer and broke the UK's offensive tackle's crutch in half. However, Pfeifer didn't suffer any further injuries.

When Vanderbilt invades Commonwealth Stadium this Saturday against Kentucky the Commodores will be trying to break an 11-game conference losing streak on the road. Vandy's last victory on foreign turf in the SEC was a 30-21 upset of Alabama in Tuscaloosa. In fact, the Commodores last victory over Kentucky in Commonwealth Stadium occurred in 1982 during the 'Cats' 0-10-1 season in Jerry Claiborne's first year.

One might have to forgive Claiborne if he reminds Saturday's officiating crew that this year's game will be

played by American rules and not Canadian. During last year's 38-29 win over UK in Nashville, two of the Commodore touchdowns should not have been allowed because the players who scored actually went out of bounds before they hit paydirt. The first was a four-yard scoring pass from Eric Jones to Rodney Barrett that was a border-line call. The second was a 74-yard TD pass from Jones to wide receiver Carl Parker which saw the Commodore receiver step out of bounds near the UK 38-yard line. However, the officials missed the call and ruled a touchdown in favor of Parker and the 'Dores. Both plays were major factors in leading to a Vandy win. We're not done. Also, two other questionable rulings that occurred later in the game were: a non-pass interference call on a Vandy defender against former UK wideout Tim Jones and a critical personal foul call on Wildcat linebacker Chris Chenault which resulted in a Vandy first down. The officiating wasn't bad enough to cost the Wildcats the game, but all four questionable rulings by the men in stripes did play a role in the outcome.

Vanderbilt has six players listed in its media guide which hail from the Bluegrass State. They are as follows: Anthony Carter (Radcliff), Bobby Craycraft (Ashland), Stuart Daniel (Lexington), David Legey (Fort Mitchell), Sam Smart (Fort Knox), and Marcus Wilson (Louisville).

To my knowledge, this will be the first-ever night game played in Commonwealth Stadium during the month of November. In fact, the last time UK played the 'Dores under the lights was in 1983 before a WTBS television audience as the 'Cats won 17-8, clinching their first winning season under Claiborne.

One hoop tidbit. Tipoff times for four Kentucky basketball games have been changed this season. Starting times for the Northwestern State (Dec. 7) and the Austin Peay (Dec. 27) games have been switched from a 7:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. slot to accommodate the UK-TV network. Meanwhile, two Saturday night games, both at Rupp Arena, have been shifted from 7:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m. games. Said UK athletics director Cliff Hagan in a press release: "We are changing these game times in hopes of allowing more fans to see Kentucky basketball, on television or in person," Hagan said. "We hope to set a precedent of playing our Saturday games that are not part of the SEC television package in the afternoon. The afternoon tipoff is popular at several other Southeastern Conference institutions because it makes for easier traveling conditions for out-of-town fans." Wait a minute! Yes, the move will help some fans who travel to the games, but what about those fans who listen to the game via the radio on a clear station such as Cincinnati's WLW? Those fans will not be able to tune in because they can't pick up the games in the daytime.



Claiborne's 'Cats have edge over Cards



Tackle Mike Pfeifer almost injured, again



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An oldtimer at 24, Dupree hopes for comeback

And, here's the rest of the story

(This is the second of a two-part series with former Oklahoma running back Marcus Dupree)

Marcus Dupree, at 24, has compressed a lifetime of experience into two years of college football and an



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equal period of time in the now-defunct United States Football League. He says he's a millionaire and his lifestyle indicates he is—he drives around in a beautiful black Ferrari Testarossa, and apparently always has plenty of money.

He is still a famous name in football, although he hasn't played for several years.

A lot has happened to Dupree since he left Philadelphia, Miss., high school in 1982 as America's most highly recruited prep football player, offered, as he said last week, cash and cars by more colleges than he can remember.

But one goal of his career remains unfulfilled. He wants to play football again, this time in the National Football League.

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Torgerson: Marcus, you didn't leave college because of your knee injury, did you? You left to turn pro.

Dupree: Yeah. At the time I got my knee hurt. As a matter of fact, I messed up a nerve so I couldn't move my foot. I called my mom and told her about it. I kept saying that I had known something was going to happen at Oklahoma because teams were hitting me when I didn't even have the ball. The USFL came along and the guys offered me the money so I thought I should go get it.

Torgerson: When you see a college football game on television and you see some players who could be called stars, you'd almost be willing to bet they're not going to that school for board, room, books and tuition—that they're getting something on the side.

DUPREE: THEY'RE DEFINITELY getting something on the side. The game is too risky now. When you have linemen running 4.5s and 4.6s, the game's getting real risky and I don't think they're going to be standing there just to be standing.

Torgerson: So, because of the risk you think the young college player ought to share in some of the financial bonanza the schools are realizing today with television and big stadiums and high priced tickets.

Dupree: Some kind of way.

Torgerson: Even down to the lowliest substitute?

Dupree: Some kind of way. He's out there being a practice dummy and he's taking a chance, too.

Torgerson: Who's your favorite team these days?

Dupree: I still like Oklahoma. Also LSU.

Torgerson: There's been an awful lot written that you were close to the Southern Mississippi people.

Dupree: When Bobby Collins was there I always liked Southern. But now the system has changed and I don't like them as much.

Torgerson: Would you ever want to be a coach?

Dupree: No. Maybe for little kids but not at a big level.

Torgerson: Why not?

Dupree: It's too much pressure on the coaches. The

alumni don't understand. It's not the coach who makes the team. It's the athletes the coach recruits who make a winner.

Torgerson: Could you be a recruiter?

Dupree: Yeah.

Torgerson: Do you think you could do a good job recruiting?

Dupree: Yeah.

Torgerson: Would you have to have a pocketful of money to be a good recruiter?

Dupree: No, I don't think so.

Torgerson: But it would help?

Dupree: A whole lot (laughs). I'd put a guarantee on them (laughs again).

Torgerson: How are you making your living these days?

DUPREE: I OWN a computer store—me and my lawyer, who's a city judge in Hattiesburg (Miss.). I do a little promotion of concerts and that's it right now. The rest of the money is in bonds and CDs.

Torgerson: Is the insurance policy you got in the pros a matter of public record? How much money were you insured for?

Dupree: It wasn't mentioned but I was insured for six million. The two years that I played with the Breakers, well every year that I played and got my money the insurance dropped. I got hurt the second year so the insurance ended up being 4.5 million.

Torgerson: Is that enough for a young man like yourself to live on?

Dupree: I think so (laughs). Too much.

Torgerson: Did you invest some of it?

Dupree: Like I say, I put it in bonds and CDs.

Torgerson: And you'll never play football again.

Dupree: I still want to play because on Sundays I see guys doing things I know I can do better. I'm working my knee out now. I've been talking to the (New Orleans) Saints. The doctor is testing it to see what's wrong with it. They're going to see how much more work I've got to do on it.

Torgerson: How old are you now?

Dupree: Twenty-four.

Torgerson: So you figure you've still got years to play football if you got in shape?

Dupree: At least two more.

Torgerson: Would you have to give the insurance company back that money?

Dupree: No. Now they have a clause in insurance that if a guy declares he's not able to play ball anymore and he goes back to play he will have to give the money back.

Torgerson: But that was not in your policy?

Dupree: No.

Torgerson: You honestly would like to play with the Saints?

Dupree: Yeah, I would love to play with the Saints.

Torgerson: Is there a possibility you will go to the Saints' camp next summer as a free agent and try out to be a running back?

Dupree: I think so.

Torgerson: What is your weight now?

Dupree: It's 255.

Torgerson: What's your playing weight?

Dupree: I can play at 235.

Torgerson: When you're out there trying to run and cut and do these other things now, do you think you've lost much?

DUPREE: NO, 'CAUSE I play now on the lots with the kids and we play flag football back home and I still

run the same.

Torgerson: Do you think you could take a hit?

Dupree: Yeah. I would know after a game how much it would hurt but I think I can take a lick.

Torgerson: Back to recruiting. Did you ever figure out how many schools contacted you?

Dupree: At last count my mom says it was between 250 and 300.

"At the time I got my knee hurt. . . I kept saying that I had known something was going to happen at Oklahoma because teams were hitting me when I didn't even have the ball. The USFL came along and the guys offered me the money so I thought I should go get it."

—Marcus Dupree,
about why he turned professional.

Torgerson: And other than the inducements—the money and the cars—what was their principle argument on why you should go to their school?

Dupree: They were trying to build a program and the national championship was their goal.

Torgerson: You heard that from school after school after school? It was all the same?

DUPREE: EVERYBODY. It tends to get boring, too, because everybody comes in with the same line.

Torgerson: Some of them, I'm certain, insulted your intelligence by saying if you came to their school you could play right away which you already knew you could do.

Dupree: Right.

Torgerson: But you only called back the guys you liked?

Dupree: Right. The only school I hated I didn't get recruited by was Hawaii.

Torgerson: Hawaii? You didn't want to play in Hawaii.
Dupree: But I would have loved the recruiting trip (laughs).

Torgerson: What schools did you visit?

Dupree: I went to UCLA and I went to USC. I went to Southern and Texas and Oklahoma.

Torgerson: Marcus, did you ever think about going to a predominantly black school?

Dupree: I thought about Grambling and Jackson State and my mom went to Alcorn, but if I had gone to any of these schools I couldn't have done what I wanted to—reach the goals I set for myself.

Torgerson: Are you glad you were a football player?

Dupree: Yeah. I had a lot of experiences and I met a lot of good people. I also met a lot of bad people.

Torgerson: The one thing I haven't asked you about in recruiting is were girls one of the inducements?

Dupree: Not really but they were there. When you go to the recruiting parties or the parties after a game they were there for a reason.

Torgerson: They were there for a reason?

Dupree: Yeah (laughs), they were there for a reason.

Torgerson: I bet I can figure out what that reason was.

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CONCLUSION: Marcus Dupree is a genuinely likeable young man. He has enormous shoulders, a thick chest and big, powerful arms. If his knee comes around he may yet be an NFL player. It's a long shot at best, but Dupree seems to have gotten everything else he wanted out of football. Why not this?

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Is 12-game schedule coming to college football?

For the sake of the kids, let's hope not

The Division I-A athletic directors, at their meeting recently in Kansas City, passed a proposal to create a 12-game season for college football.

A majority of the 94 ADs present voted for it. The



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proposal will next be presented to the NCAA convention at San Francisco in January.

The reason for this action is simple: The directors need more money to support their expanded athletics departments.

Revenue from one more football game will about do it, they reason.

BUT, WILL IT?

Many football fans applaud the plan. They look forward to an extra outing, or trip, another chance to cheer the team and jeer the coach, to celebrate or whip up hate.

Some veteran observers of college football have strong reservations.

Keith Jackson of ABC-TV says: "If you play a 12th

game for the sake of money, you could hold a championship playoff and have even more money."

The master sportscaster would like his network to telecast the even from a colossal college bowl; and most fans would like them, and him, to do it.

"My question is," Keith continues, "in game 12, who will they play, a competitive team, or will they schedule a sure win?"



Broyles (left) and Jackson, former broadcast partners, line up on opposite sides when it comes to the proposed 12-game schedule.

Beano Cook, the straight-talking college football analyst at ESPN, says of the 12th game: "It's insane!"

"The Pentagon and the athletic departments have one thing in common," Cook says, "they spend everything they have, and more."

Most disappointing to me, personally, is that Frank

Broyles, Arkansas AD and chairman of the Division I-A Directors Association, presents the 12th game need wrapped in half (or less) truths, as in the current presidential campaign.

Frank said: "We already have 14 playing weeks during the football season, so we don't need to extend the season. Every school has open dates that could accommodate one more game."

THE CALENDAR TRUTH IS that we have 14 Saturdays from Sept. 3 to Dec. 3. Fourteen weeks would run through Friday, Dec. 9.

Sixty-five of the 105 Division I-A teams complete their seasons by Dec. 19. Only 40 teams, 38 percent, play longer, except for bowl games, which begin Dec. 10.

After Dec. 26 there are only five games, except for postponed Alabama-Texas A&M. They are all special games, scheduled for TV. On Dec. 3: Army-Navy, Syracuse-Pitt, Miami-BYU and Hawaii-Oregon, then on Sunday, Dec. 4, Texas Tech and Oklahoma State play in Tokyo, Japan.

Broyles elaborates on his reasons with: "The increased revenue would support many of the non-revenue and Olympic sports currently operating at a deficit within college athletics departments...provide aid to former student athletes...helping people graduate is what we're all about."

His former broadcast booth partner, Jackson, says: "The 12th game is nothing more than an attempt to solve the fiscal deficits in the athletic departments. Nine games in enough, 10 at the most."

On this, my good friend Boyce Smith, a walk-on
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After last 3 years, let's just settle for winning season

Bowl talk may be detrimental to team attitude

Some days you go out and win just because you are better than they are. Such was the case Saturday night, as the 'Cats thumped and dodged their way to a 24-10 victory. The Wildcats dodged a bullet for two and a half



Unknown Fan
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quarters until they woke up to find out they were in a tough football game.

Fans and coaches alike were hoping that the 'Cats wouldn't come out flat. But it was almost a given that this would happen.

The defense had a great deal of trouble with the SIU wishbone offense in the first half, but it flexed its muscles in the second half, giving up only 87 yards of total offense. The offense primarily rolled the Alfred Rawls, Ivy Joe Hunter & Al Baker Express to victory. Rawls continued to impress, as well as Baker.

THERE IS AN OLD SAYING that goes something like this: "Don't worry about the mule going blind, just load the wagon." In relation to football, this would mean don't agonize over things that you can't control, just use

the best of your abilities and the resources at your disposal and keep on pushing.

Coach Jerry Claiborne makes mention of his amazement of how when some guys get injured, someone always steps up and does the job. Such was the case when quarterback Chuck Broughton stepped in when starting quarterback Glenn Fohr strained his left knee early in the third quarter. What a valuable commodity to have on this team. Another case in point was the play of Ron Mack at safety. Mark Sellers, who himself was substituting for the injured Ron Robinson (sore shoulder), left early in the game with a sprained ankle. Mack, a senior who lost his starting cornerback job to sophomore Chris Tolbert, has been seeing action at both corner and safety. Mack stepped in and did an admirable job against SIU. Defensive guards Joey Couch and Mike Chism, likewise, performed admirably for Vic Adams and Mike Meiners. It is these type of performances that signify winning teams.

THE FANS, ONCE AGAIN, were caught sitting on their hands and holding their breath. A more vocal approach should be the order of the day when a team is flat.

As the game moved toward the halfway mark of the third quarter, I must admit that I was starting to visualize the nightmarish pictures seen before of players and coaches alike making their way to the dressing room with sad faces and bowed heads. Whew! Thank goodness for the wakeup call!

With Vandy coming in Saturday, the training the defense received against SIU's option attack should prove vital since Vandy runs quite a bit of the option. At one

point in the game, subsequent to a 12-yard run to the SIU one-yard line by Rawls, a Mormon Tabernacle Choir-like chorus of boos rained down from the crowd. Just about everybody knows what these boos stemmed from. And I'll let you mull over the justification of those boos. Rawls is fast becoming a crowd favorite.

Since the exciting victory over Georgia, there has been a flurry of bowl talk by the fans and team alike. It is only natural to look ahead, and frankly it does look promising, but it could be detrimental to the fortunes of the team. I would like to go to a bowl as much as anyone else, because there is much excitement surrounding such an occurrence, but I think that concentrating on just having a winning season is more important, for the long term. I would hope that the fans would parlay that bowl enthusiasm into game attendance and excitement at the game. I think the team goals should be to have a winning season, whether that be 6-5 or 7-4, and let the chips fall where they may as far as a bowl is concerned.

UK has won five games each of the last three seasons, however, from all evidence and reports, the 'Cats had by comparison an excellent recruiting year in 1988. The obvious reason is the classy Nutter Center.

I SPEND A LOT OF TIME on campus. One day I was riding by the Nutter Center, when I spotted the likeness of Art Still. I inquired into who he was, and was informed that he was Chuck Latimer, a 6-foot-7, 250-pound tackle from Lorain, Ohio. Latimer is a pure freshman. With him were two other rather large gentlemen in the persons of Brad Shuford, a 6-4, 285-pound defensive guard, and Eugene McClellan, a
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A lot at stake this time around when Vandy and Kentucky clash under the stars; 'Cat defenders will keep all eyes on Jones

The Vanderbilt-Kentucky game has been named "Big Blue Spirit Night" as the University of Kentucky Athletics Association and the Arthritis Foundation have joined in efforts to sponsor the event. More than 20,000 blue balloons will be released prior to kickoff and approximately 6,000 blue shakers will be given away. Also, the UKAA encourages all UK fans and followers to wear blue to the contest to make this year's "Big Blue Spirit Night" a success.

About the series

This is the 61st meeting on the gridiron between Kentucky and Vanderbilt. . . Vanderbilt leads the series, 30-26-4. . . In games played at Lexington, the Wildcats lead 14-10-2. . . Last year, Vanderbilt defeated Kentucky at Nashville, 38-29. . . The last Kentucky victory in the series was in 1986 when the Wildcats won 34-22 at Lexington.

About the '88 'Dores

Vanderbilt (3-4-0 overall, 2-3 in the SEC) enjoyed an open date last week. . . Vandy dropped its last outing, 36-28, to Mississippi at Nashville on Oct. 22. . . The Commodores led 6-0 after one period, thanks to 39- and 43-yard field goals by Johnny Clark, but trailed 14-6 at halftime. . . Vanderbilt then scored 22 points in the third period to take a 28-14 lead. Touchdown by Vanderbilt on a 34-yard pass from Heisman Trophy candidate Eric Jones to Mark Johnson, a four-yard run by Jones, and a 46-yard fumble return by Steve Law. . . Ole Miss, however, scored 22

points in the final period to give the Rebels the victory. . . Vanderbilt owned a whopping 38:05 to 21:55 edge in time of possession. . . Johnson led Vandy with 67 yards rushing. . . Jones completed 19 of 39 passes for 255 yards. . . Vandy's offensive formation: Multiple. . . Vandy's defensive formation: Multiple "4-3."

About Watson Brown

Watson Brown is in his third year as head football coach at Vanderbilt. . . The Vandy coach is in his eighth season overall as a collegiate head mentor. . . A 1973 graduate of Vanderbilt. . . His first Vandy squad was 1-10 in 1986, then 4-7 in 1987. . . Began his head coaching career at Austin Peay (1979-80) and recorded a 14-8 record. . . Head coach at Cincinnati in 1983 (4-6-1). . . Also spent two seasons at Rice (1984-85) and was 4-18-0. . . Named head coach at Vandy on Dec. 5, 1985.

Listing Vandy's leaders

Rushing: Quarterback Eric Jones (97-228, 2.4 average, five touchdowns).
Passing: Eric Jones (15-219-10, 52.5 percent, 1,592 yards, six touchdowns).
Receiving: Split end Boo Mitchell (51-804, 15.8 average, three touchdowns).
Punting: Punter Tim Richardson (28-1,041, 37.2 average, 51 long).
FGs/PATs: Placekicker Johnny Clark (9-13 FGs, 43 long/13-13 PATs).
Kickoff Returns: Running back Mark Johnson (20-370, 18.5 average).

Punt Returns: Cornerback: Derrick Payne (13-63, 4.8 average).

Interceptions: Linebacker Billy Cunningham (2-3, 1.5 average); Cornerback Steve Law (2-46, 23.0 average, one touchdown).

Tackles: Linebacker: DeMond Winston (42-26, 68 total); LB Scott Brown (30-19, 49 total, one sack); and LB Billy Cunningham (37-12, 49 total, two sacks).

Claiborne on Vandy

UK head coach Jerry Claiborne on this year's Vanderbilt team: "(Vanderbilt) really laid it on us last year. They have two of the best offensive players in the Southeastern Conference and the nation in Eric Jones and Boo Mitchell. Jones is a tremendous runner and passer and he runs the option as well as anyone. We have our work cut out for us. The key for us is to control the ball offensively. If we give Vanderbilt the football, they will move it, I guarantee that. They are a good football team."

'Cat Chat

Quarterback Chuck Broughton on the Vandy-UK matchup: "There were a lot of points put on the board last year. They've got an explosive offense as well as we do. We'll just have to wait and see what happens."

Running back Alfred Rawls about having confidence in UK's defense to shut down Vanderbilt: "I think they can. Our defense hasn't played against the wishbone. Tonight (against Southern Illinois) we faced a team that ran the wishbone and they looked pretty

good. Vanderbilt has a good team; they run the wishbone and have a good quarterback."

Rawls on a particular bet he has going with backs Ivy Joe Hunter and Al Baker (the loser being who ever has the least amount of yardage): "We bet on who will carry the bags to the bus. We started last week (against Georgia) and Ivy Joe was to take it this week. He (Hunter) said 'You all did it to me again.'"

Running back Ivy Joe Hunter on looking forward to playing Vandy, a team in which the senior has had good success in the past: "I've always had a good game against Vandy, I don't really know why. This game coming up is going to be a hard game—Vandy runs the wishbone and runs it well. So, our defense has to be ready and we have to be ready. We've got to put some point on the board because Vandy will score some points."

Fullback Andy Murray about bowl talk which has been working its way inside the UK camp: "Well, we know as a team we've got to play every game one game at a time. There really hasn't been that much talk about it amongst the team—about playing in a bowl—because every year at this time everybody starts talking about bowls. That's just always made everyone think so much ahead. But you've got to concentrate on one game at a time. When you start looking ahead it can do nothing but hurt you."

(Vanderbilt-Kentucky notes compiled by UK assistant sports information director Joey Howard; Cat Chats is an exclusive compiled by the staff at TCP).

1988 University Of Kentucky football roster

Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (High School)/C	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown (High School)/C
1 Jeff Nelson	P	5-10	165	Sr-IL	Florence (Boone Co.)	52 Scott Booth	OG	6-3	274	Jr-JC	Bradenton, Fla. (NE Miss. CC)
2 Gary Willis	FS-CB	6-1	172	Fr-RS	Gainesville, Fla. (Buchholz)	53 Matt Brannum	C	6-1	238	Fr-HS	Florence (Boone Co.)
3 Alfred Jones	SE	6-4	180	Jr-JC	Oak Ridge, Tenn. (NE Oklahoma)	54 T.J. Maynard	C	6-4	257	Fr-HS	Flatwoods (Russell)
4 Glenn Fohr	QB	6-2	214	Sr-IL	Phillipsburgh, N.J. (Hudson Valley JC)	55 Travis Hahn	OG	6-2	246	Fr-HS	Louisville (St. Xavier)
5 Al Baker	TB	5-11	225	So-Sq.	Cadiz (Trigg Co.)	56 Derrick Thomas	LB	6-2	228	Fr-RS	Lexington (Bryan Station)
6 Tony Massey	DE	6-2	221	Jr-2L	Somerset (Pulaski Co.)	58 Mike Cahill	LB	6-0	233	Sr-Sq.	Louisville (St. Xavier)
7 Eric Green	TB	6-0	193	Jr-Sq.	Cincinnati, Ohio (Forest Park)	59 Steve Kelley	LB	6-2	228	So-Sq.	Hopkinsville (High)
8 Ron Mack	CB	5-10	188	Sr-3L	Lexington (Fates Creek)	60 Courtney Longacre	C	6-2	235	Fr-RS	Louisville (Fairdale)
9 Ken Willis	PK	5-11	184	Jr-IL	Owensboro (Centre College)	61 Bill Hulet	OG	6-2	257	So-Sq.	Morganfield (Union Co.)
11 Mark Sellers	FS	6-3	204	Sr-1L	Louisville (Eastern)	62 Bo Smith	OT	6-3	267	Sr-Sq.	Lexington (Henry Clay)
12 Bill Allen	QB	6-0	201	Sr-Sq.	West Liberty (Morgan Co.)	63 Joel Mazzella	OG	6-1	259	So-Sq.	Parkersburg, W.Va. (High)
13 Tim Smith	TB-SE	6-1	196	Sr-Sq.	Whitesburg (High)	64 David Crane	C	6-2	254	Jr-Sq.	Louisville (Trinity)
14 Chuck Broughton	QB	6-4	228	Sr-Sq.	Ashland (Blazer)	65 Chuck Bradley	OT	6-5	265	Fr-HS	Louisville (Fern Creek)
15 Sterling Ward	CB	5-11	167	Fr-HS	Lexington (Bryan Station)	66 Brian Denham	OG	6-1	254	Sr-Sq.	Winchester (Clark Co.)
16 Jay Tesar	P	6-0	184	Sr-2L	Vine Grove (North Hardin)	67 Brian Cralle	C	6-1	280	Jr-Sq.	Elizabethtown (High)
17 Larry Jackson	CB	5-11	196	Fr-RS	Mayfield (High)	68 Todd Perry	OG	6-4	252	Fr-HS	Elizabethtown (North Hardin)
18 Freddie Maggard	QB	6-2	220	Fr-RS	Cumberland (High)	69 Tom Crumrine	OG	6-4	276	Jr-Sq.	Westerville, Ohio (North)
19 Ryan Hockman	CB	6-2	185	Fr-HS	Harrison, Ohio (High)	70 Shawn Evans	DT	6-6	240	Fr-RS	Richmond (Madison Central)
20 Chris Tolbert	CB	5-11	182	So-1L	Pensacola, Fla. (B.T. Washington)	71 Greg Lahr	OT	6-4	257	Fr-HS	Pickerington, Ohio (High)
21 Doug Pelfrey	PK	5-11	201	Fr-HS	Edgewood (Middlesboro)	72 Jim Graves	DT	6-6	245	Fr-RS	Lexington (Henry Clay/Tenn. Military)
22 Greg Hunt	SE	6-0	189	Fr-RS	Richmond, Va. (Fork Union)	73 Chris Reedy	OG	6-2	223	Fr-HS	Elizabethtown (High)
23 Alfred Rawls	TB	5-11	201	Jr-JC	Pitts, Ga. (NE Oklahoma A&M)	74 Dean Wilks	SN-OG	6-3	292	So-1L	Proctorville, Ohio (Fairland)
24 David Johnson	CB	6-1	190	Sr-3L	Louisville (Male)	75 Mike Pfeifer*	OT	6-7	290	Jr-2L	Louisville (Trinity)
25 Steve Phillips	FL	6-2	203	So-Sq.	Fairfield, Ohio (High)	76 Mike Nord	OT	6-7	278	So-Sq.	Louisville (St. Xavier)
26 Ron Robinson	FS	6-1	189	Jr-2L	Nashville, Tenn. (Stratford)	77 Mike Jones	OT	6-0	255	Sr-Sq.	London (Beechwood)
27 Tony Missick	CB	6-0	197	Jr-JC	Miami, Fla. (Marion Institute)	79 Oliver Barnett	DT	6-3	285	Jr-2L	Louisville (Jeffersonton)
28 Ray Gover	FL	6-3	196	Sr-3L	Dayton, Ohio (Jefferson)	80 Phil Logan	FL	6-2	203	So-1L	Louisville (Holy Cross)
29 Darren Bilberry	FB	6-2	211	Jr-1L	Ft. Knox (High)	81 Jim Wetta	SE	6-2	195	Sr-Sq.	Wellington, Kan. (Hutchinson JC)
30 Tony Zigman	DE	6-2	204	Jr-1L	Lewes, Del. (Cape Hanlopen)	82 John Bolden	SE	6-0	172	So-1L	Louisville (Male)
32 Ivy Joe Hunter	TB	6-0	218	Sr-2L	Gainesville, Fla. (Buchholz)	83 Mike Meece	TE	6-6	227	So-Sq.	Madeira, Ohio (High)
33 Bill Shehan	FL	5-11	190	Sr-Sq.	Florence (Boone Co.)	84 Billy Swanson	DE	6-0	216	So-Sq.	Paducah (Tilghman)
34 Todd Meyer	CB	5-9	180	Jr-Sq.	Louisville (Trinity)	85 Neal Clark	SE	5-9	165	Fr-RS	Paducah (Tilghman)
35 Andy Murray	FB	6-1	237	Jr-2L	Louisville (Trinity)	86 Daniel Schulz	DG	6-1	229	Fr-HS	Lexington (Lafayette)
36 Jay Dortch	DE	6-1	212	Sr-2L	Paducah (Tilghman)	87 Martin Pennington	TE	6-2	226	Sr-3L	Corbin (High)
37 Albert Burks	CB	5-11	186	Jr-JC	Monroe, La. (Hinds CC)	88 Charlie Darrington	TE	6-3	224	Sr-1L	Tifton, Ga. (NE Oklahoma A&M)
39 Jeff Brady	DE	6-1	230	So-Sq.	Melbourne (Newport Catholic)	89 Lane Vargo	FB	5-11	200	Fr-RS	Akron, Ohio (St. Vincent)
40 Randy Holleran	LB	6-1	230	So-1L	McKeesport, Pa. (High)	90 Mike Chism	DG	6-0	262	Jr-Sq.	LaGrange (Oldham Co.)
41 Rodney Shepard	FB	5-11	235	Jr-JC	Brooklyn, N.Y. (Nassau CC)	91 Daniel Lee	DT	6-5	244	Fr-RS	Marianna, Fla. (Cottondale)
42 Dean Wells	DE	6-2	220	Fr-HS	Louisville (Holy Cross)	92 Vic Adams	DG	6-1	269	Jr-2L	Middlesboro (High)
43 Chris Connery	CB	5-10	185	Jr-Sq.	Rochester, Mich. (High)	93 Patrick Porter	TE	6-3	221	So-Sq.	Flemingsburg (Fleming Co.)
44 Craig Benzinger	LB	6-1	221	Jr-1L	Stone Mountain, Ga. (Clarkston)	94 Carlos Phillips	LB	6-1	216	So-Sq.	Owensboro (High)
45 Chris Chenault	LB	6-2	240	Sr-3L	Lexington (Henry Clay)	95 Mike Meiners	DG	6-2	261	Jr-Sq.	Louisville (St. Xavier)
47 Jay Amshoff	LB	6-0	208	Sr-Sq.	Louisville (St. Xavier)	96 Donnie Gardner	DT	6-4	236	Jr-2L	Louisville (Trinity)
48 Joey Couch	DT	6-1	229	Fr-RS	Hager Hill (Paintsville)	97 Chuck Latimer	DT	6-5	242	Fr-HS	Lorain, Ohio (Admiral King)
49 Mike Knox	FB	5-10	209	Jr-Sq.	Louisville (Germantown)	98 Jerry Bell	DG	6-3	284	Fr-RS	Louisville (DeSales)
50 Kevin Disotelle	OG	6-3	255	Fr-RS	Houston, Texas (Northshore)	99 Doug Houser	DT	6-4	241	Jr-2L	Aliquippa, Pa. (Central)
51 Scott Rayburn	OG	6-3	241	So-Sq.	Richardson, Texas (Berkner)						

*Injured, expected to miss remainder of the season.

Kentucky depth chart

OFFENSE

Split end
82 John Bolden (6-0, 172, So.)
3 Alfred Jones (6-4, 180, Jr.)

Left tackle
76 Mike Nord (6-7, 278, So.)
62 Bo Smith (6-3, 267, Sr.)

Left guard
66 Brian Denham (6-1, 254, Sr.), or
74 Dean Wilks (6-3, 292, So.)

Center
67 Brian Cralle (6-1, 280, Jr.)
64 David Crane (6-2, 254, Jr.)

Right guard
63 Joel Mazzella (6-1, 259, So.)
66 Brian Denham (6-1, 254, Sr.)

Right tackle
62 Bo Smith (6-3, 267, Sr.)
71 Greg Lahr (6-4, 243, Jr.)

Tight end
88 Charlie Darrington (6-3, 224, Sr.)
83 Mike Meece (6-2, 227, So.)

Quarterback
4 Glenn Fohr (6-2, 214, Sr.)
14 Chuck Broughton (6-4, 228, Sr.)

Fullback
35 Andy Murray (6-1, 237, Jr.)
29 Darren Bilberry (6-2, 211, Jr.)

Tailback
32 Ivy Joe Hunter (6-0, 218, Sr.)
5 Al Baker (5-11, 225, So.)

Flanker
28 Ray Gover (6-3, 196, Sr.)
80 Phil Logan (6-2, 203, So.)

Kicker
9 Ken Willis (5-11, 184, Jr.)

DEFENSE

Left end
6 Tony Massey (6-2, 221, Jr.)
30 Tony Zigman (6-2, 204, Jr.)

Left tackle
79 Oliver Barnett (6-3, 285, Jr.)
72 Jim Graves (6-6, 245, Fr.)

Left guard
98 Jerry Bell (6-3, 284 Fr.)
95 Mike Meiners (6-2, 261, Jr.)

Right guard
92 Vic Adams (6-1, 269, Jr.)
48 Joey Couch (6-1, 229, Fr.)

Right tackle
96 Donnie Gardner (6-4, 236, Jr.)
99 Doug Houser (6-4, 241, Jr.)

Right end
36 Jay Dortch (6-1, 212, Sr.)
30 Tony Zigman (6-2, 221, Jr.)

Left linebacker
45 Chris Chenault (6-2, 240, Sr.)
40 Randy Holleran (6-1, 233, So.)

Right linebacker
40 Randy Holleran (6-1, 233, So.)
44 Craig Benzinger (6-1, 221, Jr.)

Left cornerback
24 David Johnson (6-1, 190, Sr.)
27 Tony Missick (6-0, 197, Jr.)

Free safety
26 Ron Robinson (6-1, 189, Jr.)
11 Mark Sellers (6-3, 204, Sr.)

Right cornerback
20 Chris Tolbert (5-11, 182, So.)
37 Albert Burks (6-0, 185, Jr.)

Punter
16 Jay Tesar (6-0, 184, Sr.)

Vanderbilt depth chart

OFFENSE

Split end
6 Boo Mitchell (5-11, 181, Sr.)
19 Kerry Clem (6-4, 214, Fr.)

Left tackle
79 Greg Smith (6-7, 275, Jr.)
72 Kevin Dowling (6-4, 252, Jr.)

Left guard
59 Charles Peirson (6-3, 262, Jr.)
74 John Fouts (6-5, 251, Sr.)

Center
60 Jim Arnouts (6-1, 262, So.)
62 Thor Erikson (6-1, 252, So.)

Right guard
71 Mike Johnson (6-5, 264, Sr.)
78 Bobby Craycraft (6-4, 268, Fr.)

Right tackle
63 Craig Witt (6-4, 262, Jr.)
70 Mills Fleming (6-5, 254, Sr.)

Tight end
80 Nabil El Sheshai (6-3, 228, So.)
87 Steve Kosanovich (6-3, 217, Jr.)

Quarterback
5 Eric Jones (6-2, 197, Sr.)
15 John Gromos (6-5, 210, Jr.)

Flanker
8 Tony Pearcey (6-3, 182, Sr.)
1 Derrick Gragg (6-3, 185, Fr.)

Fullback
36 Andy McCarroll (6-3, 225, Jr.)
33 Anthony Carter (6-0, 209, Fr.)

Tailback
44 Brad Gaines (6-1, 218, So.)
20 Mark Johnson (5-6, 185, Jr.)

Kicker
4 Johnny Clark (5-11, 179, Jr.)

DEFENSE

Sam linebacker
49 David Summers (6-3, 223, Fr.)
37 Scott Brown (6-2, 205, So.)

Left end
98 Joel Walker (6-4, 237, Fr.)
35 Derrick Sartor (6-2, 237, So.)

Left tackle
50 Cedric Moore (6-1, 265, So.)
47 Kevin Brothen (6-3, 250, Fr.)

Right tackle
56 Doug Bradley (6-2, 220, Jr.)
76 Oscar Malone (6-3, 255, Fr.)

Right end
97 Rod Keith (6-1, 220, Fr.)
94 Tom Wroblewski (6-4, 242, So.)

Will linebacker
31 Billy Cunningham (6-0, 185, Jr.)
37 Scott Brown (6-2, 205, So.)

Left cornerback
27 Bill Kirkpatrick (5-10, 178, Fr.)
24 Derrick Payne (5-7, 170, Fr.)

Strong safety
13 Joe Centry (6-0, 202, Sr.)
23 Kenny Prus (6-0, 185, Fr.)

Mike linebacker
52 DeMond Winston (6-3, 233, Jr.)
64 Bob Scanlan (6-0, 227, Sr.)

Free safety
3 Renford Reese (6-3, 201, Jr.)
9 Tim Richardson (5-11, 184, Jr.)

Right cornerback
14 Steve Law (6-1, 188, Jr.)
43 Torey Price (6-0, 175, Jr.)

Punter
9 Tim Richardson (5-11, 184, Jr.)

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Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown	Player	Pos.	Ht.	Wt.	Cl.	Hometown
1 Derrick Gragg	WR	6-3	185	Fr-HS	Huntsville, Ala.	49 David Summers	LB	6-3	223	Fr-RS	Powder Springs, Ga.
2 Corey Harris	RB	6-1	176	Fr-HS	Indianapolis, Ind.	50 Cedric Moore	DT	6-1	265	So-1L	Bessemer, Ala.
3 Renford Reese	OLB	6-1	198	Jr-2L	McDonough, Ga.	52 DeMond Winston	LB	6-3	233	Jr-2L	Lansing, Mich.
4 Johnny Clark	K	5-11	185	Jr-1L	Birmingham, Ala.	53 Kenny Pulce	DE	6-2	240	So-1L	Nashville, Tenn.
5 Eric Jones	QB	6-2	197	Sr-2L	Decatur, Ga.	54 John Short	C	6-1	238	Sr-3L	Gallatin, Tenn.
6 Boo Mitchell	SE	5-11	181	Sr-3L	Valdosta, Ga.	56 Doug Bradley	DT	6-2	220	Jr-2L	Centerville, Ohio
7 Tom Fitz	FL	6-0	196	Sr-3L	Cincinnati, Ohio	59 Charles Peirson	OG	6-3	262	Jr-1L	Columbia, Tenn.
8 Tony Pearcey	FL	6-3	182	Sr-3L	Bradenton, Fla.	60 Jim Arnouts	C	6-1	262	So-1L	East Lansing, Mich.
9 Tim Richardson	FS/P	5-11	184	Jr-2L	Sparta, Tenn.	61 Mike Mroczek	OG	6-3	263	Jr-SQ	Chicago, Ill.
10 Mike Healey	QB	6-1	175	Fr-HS	Louisville, Ky.	62 Thor Erikson	C	6-1	252	So-1L	Birmingham, Ala.
11 Bernard Nomborg	QB	5-11	201	So-SQ	Dothan, Ala.	63 Craig Witt	OT	6-4	262	Jr-1L	Memphis, Tenn.
12 Joe Centry	SS	6-0	202	Sr-3L	Humboldt, Tenn.	64 Bob Scanlan	LB	6-0	227	Sr-3L	Chicago, Ill.
14 Steve Law	CB	6-1	188	Jr-2L	Athens, Ga.	65 Jim See	OT	6-8	307	Fr-RS	Utica, Mich.
15 John Gromos	QB	6-5	210	Jr-2L	Crest Hill, Ill.	66 Hubert Jordan	DE	6-5	246	Fr-RS	Lilburn, Ga.
19 Kerry Clem	SE	6-4	214	Fr-RS	Tallahassee, Fla.	68 Grant Glewwe	OG	6-5	285	Fr-RS	Richardson, Texas
20 Mark Johnson	TB	5-6	185	Jr-2L	Birmingham, Ala.	70 Mills Fleming	OT	6-5	254	Sr-2L	Dunwoody, Ga.
21 Jeff Mayes	FL	6-1	194	Sr-3L	Tampa, Fla.	71 Mike Johnson	OG	6-5	264	Sr-3L	Sparta, Tenn.
22 Brett Hayes	WB	5-9	183	Fr-RS	Los Angeles, Calif.	72 Kevin Dowling	OT	6-4	252	Jr-2L	Land O' Lakes, Fla.
23 Kenny Prus	SS	6-0	185	Fr-RS	East Brunswick, N.J.	74 John Fouts	OG	6-5	251	Sr-3L	Deedsville, Ind.
24 Derrick Payne	CB	5-7	170	Fr-HS	Memphis, Tenn.	76 Oscar Malone	DT	6-3	255	Fr-HS	Memphis, Tenn.
25 Arnold Elliott	CB	5-10	183	Sr-3L	Mt. Healthy, Ohio	77 John DiNardi	OT	6-5	270	So-1L	Chicago, Ill.
26 Rodney Barrett	WB	6-1	186	Sr-3L	Franklin, Tenn.	78 Bobby Craycraft	OG	6-4	278	Fr-RS	Ashland, Ky.
27 Bill Fitzpatrick	CB	5-10	178	Fr-RS	Orchard Lake, Mich.	79 Greg Smith	OT	6-7	275	Jr-2L	Lansing, Ill.
28 Matt Justice	CB	6-1	200	Fr-HS	Lilburn, Ga.	80 Nabil El Sheshai	TE	6-3	228	So-1L	Dunwoody, Ga.
29 John Newman	TB	5-9	179	Jr-2L	Jacksonville, Fla.	82 Jeff Owen	PK/P	5-7	160	Fr-HS	Nashville, Tenn.
30 Steve Medes	LB	6-2	188	Fr-RS	Runnemed, N.J.	85 Jerry Magee	FL	6-2	185	Fr-RS	Winter Park, Fla.
31 Billy Cunningham	LB	6-0	185	Jr-1L	Nashville, Tenn.	86 Mark Kubow	TE	6-4	226	So-1L	Park Ridge, Ill.
32 Sean Guerin	FB	5-11	199	Fr-RS	Royal Oak, Mich.	87 Steve Kosanovich	SE	6-3	217	Jr-2L	Lombard, Ill.
33 Anthony Carter	RB	6-0	209	Fr-HS	Radcliff, Ky.	88 Dante Ferguson	TE	6-4	233	Sr-2L	Fort Pierce, Fla.
34 Carlos Thomas	RB	5-10	195	Fr-HS	Memphis, Tenn.	89 David Lawrence	P	6-2	210	Fr-HS	Rome, Ga.
35 Derrick Sartor	DE	6-2	237	So-1L	College Park, Ga.	90 Rob Chura	PK	5-6	160	Fr-HS	St. Louis, Mo.
36 Andy McCarroll	FB	6-3	225	Jr-2L	Memphis, Tenn.	91 Louis Wooldridge	LB	6-1	213	Fr-RS	Carson, Calif.
37 Scott Brown	LB	6-2	205	So-1L	Jasper, Ala.	92 David Adams	C	6-3	264	Jr-1L	Jackson, Miss.
38 John Wanzung	FB	6-1	198	Jr-SQ	Elmhurst, Ill.	93 Wally Hubert	DT	6-1	220	So-SQ	Quitman, Ga.
41 Randy Pyle	LB	6-1	222	Jr-1L	Hinsdale, Ill.	94 Tom Wroblewski	DT	6-4	242	So-1L	Beavercreek, Ohio
43 Torey Price	CB	6-0	175	Jr-2L	Chicago, Ill.	96 Jay Fischesser	DT	6-2	220	Jr-2L	Spring City, Tenn.
44 Brad Gaines	TB	6-1	218	So-1L	Old Hickory, Tenn.	97 Rod Keith	DE	6-1	220	Fr-RS	Hueytown, Ala.
46 Tim Walker	WB	5-11	185	Fr-HS	Solana Beach, Calif.	98 Joel Walker	DE	6-4	237	Fr-RS	Dallas, Texas
47 Brent Turner	DE	6-1	218	Sr-1L	Chattanooga, Tenn.	99 Robert Rauschenberger	DT	6-2	250	Jr-2L	Antioch, Tenn.

KENTUCKY FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Team Stats	UK
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS.....	127
By Rushing.....	62
By Passing.....	54
By Penalty.....	11
NET YARDS RUSHING.....	1103
Ave. Net Per Game.....	137.9
Rushing Attempts.....	319
Avg. Gain Per Rush.....	3.5
NET YARDS PASSING.....	1280
Avg. Net Per Game.....	160.0
Avg. Net Per Attempt.....	6.2
Passes Attempted.....	207
Passes Completed.....	100
Had Intercepted.....	12
TOTAL OFFENSIVE YARDS.....	2383
Avg. Net Per Game.....	297.9
Total Plays.....	526
Avg. Plays Per Game.....	65.8
Avg. Gain Per Play.....	4.5
PUNTING AVERAGE.....	36.0
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	9.4
KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE.....	20.6
PENALTY YARDS PER GAME.....	51.4
FUMBLES LOST.....	8
TOUCHDOWNS.....	19
By Rushing.....	15
By Passing.....	3
By Return.....	1
TOTAL POINTS.....	160
Points Per Game.....	20.0

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UK punter Tesar

Individual Rushing: Top 5

PLAYER	G	CAR	YDS	AVG	TD	YDSPG
Alfred Rawls.....	8	71	396	5.6	6	49.5
Ivy Joe Hunter.....	8	104	353	3.4	6	44.1
Al Baker.....	8	57	261	4.6	2	32.6
Andy Murray.....	8	26	96	3.7	1	12.0
Darren Bilberry.....	8	6	22	3.7	0	2.8

Individual Receiving: Top 5

PLAYER	G	RECP	YDS	TD	CTPG	CT.AVG
Ivy Joe Hunter.....	8	14	113	0	1.8	8.1
Ray Gover.....	8	13	191	1	1.6	14.7
Phil Logan.....	8	12	214	0	1.5	17.9
John Bolden.....	8	12	232	1	1.5	19.3
Alfred Jones.....	7	11	159	0	1.6	14.5

Field Goals

PLAYER	G	FGA	FG	PCT	FGPG
Ken Willis.....	8	13	9	69.2	1.1

Punting

PLAYER	NO	AVG	G	YDS
Jeff Nelson.....	33	41.06	7	1355
Jay Tesar.....	8	38.0	2	304

Punt Returns

PLAYER	NO	YDS	TD	AVG	G	PGM
Chris Tolbert.....	24	231	0	9.6	8	3.0
Tony Missick.....	1	4	0	4.0	8	.1

Kickoff Returns: Top 5

PLAYER	NO	YDS	TD	AVG	G	PGM
Ivy Joe Hunter.....	9	205	0	22.8	8	1.1
Alfred Rawls.....	5	108	0	21.6	8	0.6
Chris Tolbert.....	3	56	0	18.7	8	0.4
Ray Gover.....	1	26	0	26.0	8	.1
Albert Burks.....	1	23	0	23.0	8	.1

Individual Passing

PLAYER	G	ATT	CMP	PCT	INT	YDS	YPA	TD	RATING
Bill Allen.....	2	2	2	100.0	0	16	8.0	0	167.20
Glenn Fohr.....	8	149	70	47.0	9	946	6.4	3	94.9
Chuck Broughton.....	7	55	28	50.9	3	318	5.8	0	88.6
Andy Murray.....	8	1	0	0.0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0

Scoring: Top 5

PLAYER	G	TD	XP	FG	PTS	PPG	FGA	XPA
Ken Willis.....	8	0	15	9	42	5.3	13	17
Alfred Rawls.....	8	6	0	0	36	4.5	0	0
Ivy Joe Hunter.....	8	6	0	0	36	4.5	0	0
Al Baker.....	8	2	0	0	12	1.5	0	0
Andy Murray.....	8	2	0	0	12	1.5	0	0

Interceptions

PLAYER	G	NO	YDS	TD	IPG
Jay Dortch.....	8	2	0	0	.3
Donnie Gardner.....	8	1	4	0	.1
Albert Burks.....	8	1	0	0	.1
David Johnson.....	8	1	4	0	.1
Tony Massey.....	8	1	-3	0	.1
Tony Zigman.....	8	1	3	0	.1
Randy Holleran.....	8	1	29	0	.1
Chris Chenault.....	8	1	14	0	.1



VANDERBILT FOOTBALL STATISTICS

Team Stats

	Vanderbilt	Opponent
TOTAL FIRST DOWNS.....	153	148
By Rushing.....	64	73
By Passing.....	77	69
By Penalty.....	12	6
NET YARDS RUSHING.....	1097	1195
Ave. Net Per Game.....	156.71	170.71
Rushing Attempts.....	313	269
Avg. Gain Per Rush.....	3.50	4.44
NET YARDS PASSING.....	1657	1671
Ave. Net Per Game.....	236.71	238.71
Ave. Net Per Attempt.....	7.43	7.20
Passes Attempted.....	223	232
Passes Completed.....	117	135
Had Intercepted.....	10	7
TOTAL OFFENSIVE YARDS.....	2754	2827
Ave. Net Per Game.....	393.43	403.86
Total Plays.....	536	501
Ave. Plays Per Game.....	76.57	71.57
Avg. Gain Per Play.....	5.14	5.64
PUNTING AVERAGE.....	36.35	39.29
PUNT RETURN AVERAGE.....	4.85	10.60
KICKOFF RETURN AVERAGE.....	19.83	19.15
PENALTY YARDS PER GAME.....	41.00	59.86
FUMBLES LOST.....	12	6
TOUCHDOWNS.....	18	23
By Rushing.....	10	15
By Passing.....	7	8
By Return.....	1	0
TOTAL POINTS.....	150	197
Points Per Game.....	21.43	28.14



Individual Rushing: Top 5

PLAYER	G	CAR	YDS	AVG	TD	YDSPG
Eric Jones.....	7	97	228	2.4	5	32.57
Mark Johnson.....	7	38	216	5.7	1	30.86
Andy McCarroll.....	7	71	209	2.9	1	29.86
Rodney Barrett.....	6	21	153	7.3	0	25.50
Brad Gaines.....	7	42	168	4.0	3	24.00

Individual Receiving: Top 5

PLAYER	G	RECP	YDS	TD	CTPG	CT.AVG
Boo Mitchell.....	7	51	804	3	7.29	15.76
Brad Gaines.....	7	18	184	0	2.57	10.22
Steve Kosanovich.....	7	17	202	1	2.43	11.88
Tony Pearcey.....	4	6	100	0	1.50	16.67
Rodney Barrett.....	6	5	130	1	0.83	26.00

Field Goals

PLAYER	G	FGA	FG	PCT	FGPG
Johnny Clark.....	7	13	9	0.69	1.29

Punting

PLAYER	NO	AVG	G	YDS
Tim Richardson.....	28	37.18	7	1041
Jeff Owen.....	3	30.33	7	91

Punt Returns

PLAYER	NO	YDS	TD	AVG	G	PGM
Derrick Payne.....	12	51	0	4.25	7	1.71

Kickoff Returns: Top 5

PLAYER	NO	YDS	TD	AVG	G	PGM
Corey Harris.....	3	122	0	40.67	7	0.43
Mark Johnson.....	20	370	24	18.50	7	2.86
Brett Hayes.....	5	87	0	17.40	7	0.71
John Newman.....	1	12	0	12.00	7	0.14
Kenny Prus.....	1	4	0	4.00	4	0.25

Individual Passing

PLAYER	G	ATT	CMP	PCT	INT	YDS	YPA	TD	RATING
John Gromos.....	6	4	2	50.00	0	65	16.25	1	269.00
Eric Jones.....	7	219	115	52.51	10	1592	7.27	6	113.48

Scoring: Top 5

PLAYER	G	TD	XP	FG	PTS	PPG	FGA	XPA
Johnny Clark.....	7	0	10	9	37	5.29	13	10
Eric Jones.....	7	5	0	0	30	4.29	0	0
Boo Mitchell.....	7	3	0	0	18	2.57	0	0
Brad Gaines.....	7	3	0	0	18	2.57	0	0
Mark Johnson.....	7	2	0	0	12	1.71	0	0

Interceptions: Top 5

PLAYER	G	NO	YDS	TD	IPG
Billy Cunningham.....	7	2	3	0	0.29
Steve Law.....	7	2	46	1	0.29
Derrick Sartor.....	7	1	0	0	0.14
Joe Gentry.....	7	1	0	0	0.14
Derrick Payne.....	7	1	0	0	0.14

Schedule/Results

Vanderbilt	Opp.
24.....	Mississippi State.....20
31.....	at Rutgers.....30
10.....	at Alabama.....44
15.....	Duke.....17
22.....	at Georgia.....41
24.....	Florida.....9
28.....	Ole Miss.....36
Nov. 5.....	at Kentucky
Nov. 12.....	at Army
Nov. 19.....	at Memphis State
Nov. 26.....	at Tennessee



Scoop Hudgins

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quarterback at Vanderbilt who led the SEC passers in 1957, a good citizen who supports his school, says: "Twelve games are too much for a young athlete in college. He is not mature enough, physically nor mentally, to handle the total attendant stresses."

Personally, I like a schedule of 10 games, on which we, near mid-point, celebrate Homecoming with a familiar opponent, and take the week off to prepare for the season-ending game with our traditional rival.

And, on the strength of it all, earn a surprising bowl invitation!

Unknown Fan

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6-4, 260-pound defensive tackle, both from Cincinnati. I found out that both of these players were also true freshmen. McClellan came to UK as a tight end, with reported 4.65 speed in the 40. With the added weight, he would not be nearly that fast, but should still be rather quick.

One other day while driving on campus near Donavon Hall, where the cafeteria resides, I spotted another behemoth. I stopped, beckoned the guy to the car and inquired who he was. I found out he was Chuck Bradley, a 6-6, 270-pound offensive tackle. Pure freshman, from Louisville.

And the list goes on. My point is: If the Nutter Center can do this for our program with five wins, what can it do with a winning season to work with? It makes the jobs of the coaches a whole lot easier.

Back to this week's game. Vandy comes into Commonwealth Stadium with an extra week of rest. The Commodores figure to give the 'Cats' defense their most severe test of the season. Not only do they run the option with great precision, but the Eric Jones-Boo Mitchell pass combination complicates matters even more. Vandy has won only once in Lexington since 1972, so let's keep that going 'Cats.

Nuf said for this week...get me outa here, Rooster.

Larry Vaught

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years and made a big contribution to our team," said the UK coach. "I just thought it would be nice to make them all captains to show we appreciate what they have done."

It was a nice gesture and showed just what a classy coach Claiborne really is. Maybe he's not the most colorful coach in America but I can't imagine a coach that cares more for his players than Claiborne.

IT'S STILL amazes me why UK President Dr. David Roselle has not met with assistant coach Dwane Casey to listen to his explanation of the NCAA charges against him.

Casey finally has ended his silence and started to defend himself. He has been on radio talk shows in Lexington and Louisville and granted interviews to various sports writers across the state.

He still insists he's innocent and guilty of nothing but hard work. Publicly he also says he feels UK Coach Eddie Sutton, Roselle and others at UK have supported him.

But what else can he say. He still works for Kentucky and has to remain a team player.

Loyalty has always been one of Casey's biggest assets. Now, though, he has to wonder about the way he's been treated by the UK administration. No matter whether he's guilty or innocent, he deserves a meeting with Roselle.

Even if the president already has his mind made up about Casey he owes him the courtesy of a face-to-face meeting.



UK 24, SIU 10

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moved 60 yards to score on a two-yard run by Hines. John Bookout's PAT made it 7-7. Bookout also tacked on the final three points for the Salukis late in the game with a 26-yard field goal.

"IT WAS ONE OF THOSE NIGHTS," said Kentucky coach Jerry Claiborne. "We couldn't get anything going. We were really inconsistent on offense. We just didn't play with any intensity."

Claiborne said he didn't change his defense at all the second half as the 'Cats gave up only 87 net yards offensively to 163 the first half. "Didn't change a thing," said Claiborne. "Our defense just played better."

However, in the 'Cats next howl against Vanderbilt, a half of defense won't be enough.

The 'Cats won't be able to give the Commodores a...well, "head" start.



Defensive end Tony Massey and his buddies will have their hands full with Vandy's high-gear offensive attack. Last season, Eric Jones and Company racked up 38 points in a 38-29 victory over UK in Nashville. At stake this time? Well, the winner will keep alive its bowl chances while the loser, in all likelihood, will fall out of contention for postseason honors. Kickoff for Saturday's Vandy-UK clash is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at Commonwealth Stadium.

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Back Thru The Wildcat Years

Seven Years Ago

✓ The Gobblers of Virginia Tech spoiled the University of Kentucky's homecoming and Halloween weekend with a 29-3 conquest of the 'Cats. On paper this game figured to be a close affair. Meanwhile, Tech running back Cyrus Lawrence ran all over UK's defense, ending the game with 160 yards.

Gobbler placekicker Don Wade also ruined the evening for most of the 54,500 fans at Commonwealth Stadium with a school-record five field goals.

"They beat us every way possible—passing, rushing and in the kicking game," Wildcat coach Fran Curci said afterward. "This is one of the most terrible things we've been through."

Tech's offense controlled the entire game. To wit: Bill Dooley's club ventured into

Wildcat territory on 10 different occasions, eight times inside their 35. The visitors owned possession for nearly 40 minutes while racking up 411 total yards.

The Big Blue also committed four turnovers compared to a clean slate for Virginia Tech.

"Coach Curci is a good coach but if you don't execute and if you make too many turnovers you just can't win," said Dooley, whose squad improved its record to 6-2.

The loss drops the Wildcats to a dismal 17 record.

Eight Years Ago

✓ Kentucky broke a four-game losing streak by defeating visiting Vanderbilt 31-10. Kentucky was in control most of the way but had some scary moments following a Commodore comeback. The 'Dores did not give

up its sinking ship after falling behind 17-0, closing the gap to 17-10 in the fourth stanza. But Wildcat quarterback Larry McCrimmon led the UK offense as, as the 'Cats racked up 14 unanswered points to clinch the win. The sophomore signal caller overall connected on 19 of 30 passes for 272 yards and two touchdowns. One scoring pass went to Jim Campbell, the other to Charlie Jackson. Randy Brooks ran in for scores from one and four yards out while Tom Griggs added a 37-yard field goal.

Jackson led Kentucky with 65 yards rushing. UK outgained the Commodores by 431 to 261 total yards.

✓ Speedster Eddie Simmons caught touchdown passes of 70 and 41 yards from Rick Buehner to lead the Kentucky Jayvees to a 24-6 victory over the Morehead Jayvees. Overall, Simmons caught five passes for 185 yards. Paducah's Lawrence "Choo Choo" Lee led UK in rushing with 52 yards and scored a touchdown.

Buehner passed for 216 yards but was intercepted four times. Kentucky finished its Jayvees schedule with a 2-2 mark.

Nine Years Ago

The Kentucky junior varsity team finished its season with a 2-2 record after losing to TMI 20-6 last week in Knoxville. UK's only touchdown came with three seconds left in the game when Henry Marzan scored from six yards out.

Marzan rushed for a game-high 65 yards. Wildcat quarterback Steve Smith was successful on eight of 17 attempts for 101 yards and one interception.

✓ Wildcat offensive guard Leon Shadowen is among a group of 11 college seniors named to receive scholar/athletic awards from the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame. All nominees qualify for \$1,500 fellowships if they pursue graduate study. Shadowen has a 3.79 average in accounting and is presently attending the University of Kentucky Law School.

✓ In a wild and sloppy affair, UK defeated Bowling Green 20-14 at Commonwealth Stadium, giving the 'Cats their third win in eight tries.

Overall, there were 12 fumbles, many penalties and other blunders which were featured in this non-conference matchup between the MAC and SEC. Kentucky played a below par first half as it trailed 7-6 heading into intermission.

On the second play following the halftime break, tailback Pete Venable took a pitchout and raced 82 yards for the go-ahead score. But the Wildcats failed on the two-point conversion.

Larry Carter and Chris Jones helped increase the lead to 20-7. First, Carter went 60 yards on a punt return for Kentucky's final touchdown. And Jones, the Danville product, ran in from two yards out on Kentucky's second two-point try of the day. Jones gained a career-high 134 yards on the ground, while quarterback Juan Portela captured the traditional homecoming Most Valuable Player honor.

✓ Point-guard Kyle Macy scored 20 points to lead the Blue team to an 85-67 win over the Whites in an intrasquad scrimmage before 12,300 fans at Louisville's Freedom Hall. Charles Hurt added 16 points for the Blues while forward LaVon Williams and guard Dirk Minniefield added 15 apiece.

Fred Cowan scored 11. Sam Bowie and Dwight Anderson led the White team, with 15 apiece. Bowie also grabbed 14 boards. Chuck Verderber added 12 points and Derrick Hord chipped in with 10.

Thirteen Years Ago

✓ Coach Fran Curci said it was the flattest any of his teams has been since he's been at UK. He had a reason to be upset as Kentucky lost by a count of 13-3 to Vanderbilt in Nashville. Kentucky now falls to 0-4, and for that matter in last place, in SEC play.

The Wildcat defense did limit Vanderbilt to only 182 yards. However, it was the 'Cats' offense which sputtered. Steve Campassi gained 82 yards and quarterback Bill Tolston added 24, but All-America candidate Sonny Collins had trouble for the second straight week. Vandy's defense held the UK back to only 39 yards on 13 carries.

✓ With a stable full of freshman running backs led by Chris Hill, Kentucky coach Fran Curci says his team may switch from the veer attack to the wishbone next season. For the last three seasons UK has used the veer.

✓ Indiana got revenge for an earlier loss to Kentucky as it defeated the UK water polo team 11-7 in Bloomington.

Twelve Years Ago

✓ Undefeated Maryland simply had too much manpower for Kentucky as coach Jerry Claiborne's Terps whipped the 'Cats 24-14 before a regional-televized audience. Kentucky was playing in front of Peach Bowl officials but the 'Cats' chances at a bowl dampened as they fell to 4-4.

Kentucky virtually didn't have any offense to speak of in the first half, but led most of the way when Jerry Blanton caused a fumble and Derrick Ramsey hit Charlie Dickerson for a 26-yard scoring strike on the next play. However, Maryland mangled two scores late in the half and dominated action after that. UK finished with just 10 first downs and 219 yards total offense. Rod Stewart gained 45 yards on the ground while Ramsey hit on five of 11 passes for 100 yards.

✓ After giving Miami of Ohio 27 points in the first stanza, the Wildcat Jayvees gallantly fought back but still lost the war by a 34-33 score. Mike Deaton led the Wildcat offense by hitting on 14 of 28 passes for 212 yards and three touchdowns, all to Dave Trospers. Trospers finished the game with 10 receptions netting 164 yards.

Thirty-Two Years Ago

✓ University of Kentucky tackle Lou Michaels is considered among the nation's best linemen, along with Stanford tackle Paul Wiggins and Pittsburgh end Joe Walton.

Michaels, who is noted for his tremendous charge as a blocker on offense, is also a fine defensive tackle as well as a placekicker.

Considered the best backs in the country are quarterbacks John Brodie of Stanford and Paul Horning of Notre Dame, with Purdue's Len Dawson not far behind.

✓ Winning its third straight game and fourth in seven outings, Kentucky posted its second shutout by downing host Maryland 14-0 under horrible playing conditions.

Ivan Curnette slushed through the mud from nine yards out for UK's first score in the second quarter. A sizzling 78-yard punt return in the fourth period by Billy Mitchell capped the game's scoring.

Twice Maryland failed to capitalize on first half fumbles and had only three first downs in the initial half. UK ended up with 160 yards rushing but failed to complete a pass on this dreary afternoon of football.

✓ Corbin High School's Calvin Bird set a high school scoring record with a 49-point outburst last Friday. His brother played basketball at Kentucky and Calvin may be headed to Lexington to play on the gridiron.

WILDCAT QUIZ

Vandy-UK history

1. True or False? Vanderbilt has never defeated a Jerry Claiborne coached team in Commonwealth Stadium.
 - a) Tulane
 - b) Tulsa
 - c) Cincinatti
2. Vanderbilt quarterback Eric Jones threw how many touchdown passes versus Kentucky last season?
 - a) two
 - b) three
 - c) four
 - d) five
3. True or False? Vanderbilt trailed at halftime during last season's win over Kentucky.
 - a) Anthony Carter
 - b) Bobby Craycraft
 - c) Sam Smart
 - d) Boo Mitchell
4. What UK tight end caught a 46-yard touchdown pass versus the Commodores last season?
 - a) Carl Parker
 - b) Chuck Scott
 - c) Keith Edwards
 - d) Allama Mathews
5. Who led the Wildcats with 133 yards rushing last season's game at Vandy?
 - a) Mark Higgs
 - b) Ivy Joe Hunter
 - c) Darren Bilberry
 - d) Glenn Fohr
6. At which school did Vanderbilt's head coach Watson Brown hold the same position before he came to Nashville?
 - a) Utah
 - b) Kentucky
 - c) Tennessee
 - d) Georgia
7. Which Vanderbilt offensive lineman played for Ashland's Paul G. Blazer High School?
 - a) Boo Mitchell
 - b) Keith Edwards
 - c) Everitt Crawford
 - d) Carl Parker
8. What former Vandy receiver caught an 84-yard TD pass against Kentucky in 1984?
 - a) Mark Higgs
 - b) Martin Pennington
 - c) Chuck Scott
 - d) Bobby Craycraft
9. Who is Vandy's all-time career pass receiver for the number of catches?
 - a) Boo Mitchell
 - b) Keith Edwards
 - c) Everitt Crawford
 - d) Carl Parker
10. True or False? Vandy coach Watson Brown has never coached the 'Dores to a bowl game.
 - a) True
 - b) False

Answers

- 1) False (1983).
- 2) Four.
- 3) False.
- 4) Martin Pennington.
- 5) Mark Higgs.
- 6) Cincinnati.
- 7) Bobby Craycraft.
- 8) Chuck Scott.
- 9) Keith Edwards (200).
- 10) True.

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