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THE KENTUCKY



High School Athlete

Hazard High School Basketball Team
K. H. S. A. A. Champion - - 1955



(Left to Right) Front Row: Mgr. Dale Creech, Robert Igo, Don Chapman, Arnold Feltner, Herman Watts, Mgr. Robert Fugate. Second Row: Athletic Dir. James Caudill, Prin. H. M. Wesley, Gary Gabbard, Walter Ward, Johnny Cox, James Stidham, Sammy Burklow, David Copeland, Coach Goebel Ritter.

District Tournament Games Won

Hazard.....78 - 57..... Combs Mem.
Hazard.....47 - 22..... Leatherwood
Hazard.....94 - 72..... Napier

Regional Tournament Games Won

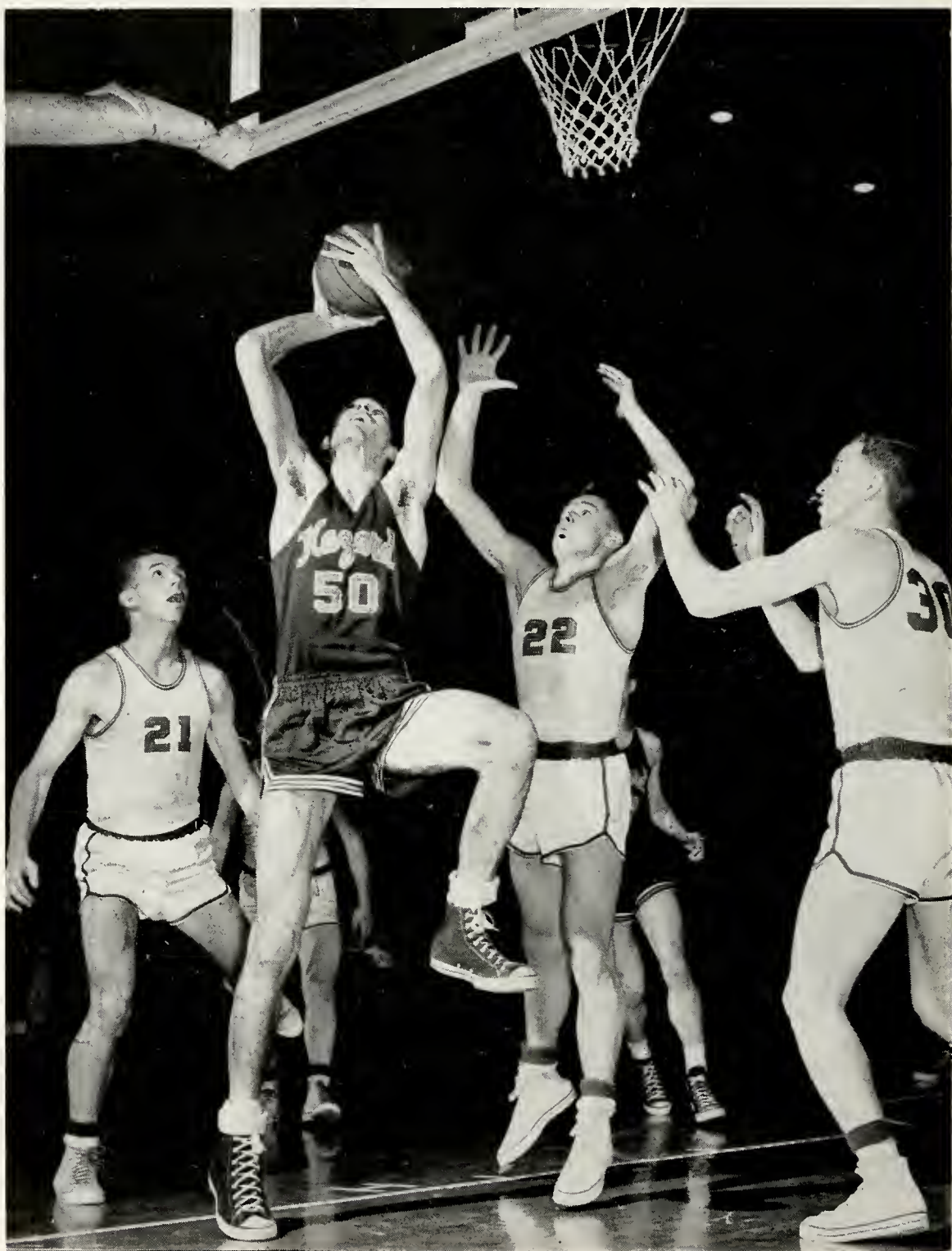
Hazard.....66 - 62..... Carr Creek
Hazard.....73 - 66..... Hindman
Hazard.....87 - 64..... Powell Co.

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Mark up Two Points for the Champions!



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THE 1955 ANNUAL MEETING

The business meeting of the Kentucky High School Athletic Association will be held on Friday, April 15, at 2:00 P. M. The place will be the South Room at the Brown Hotel, Louisville. The dinner meeting will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Brown Hotel, the hour being 6:00 P. M.

The principal speaker at the dinner meeting will be Commissioner L. V. Phillips of the Indiana High School Athletic Association. The subject of Mr. Phillips' talk will be "Current Problems in High School Athletics." The presentation of the Game Guy Award will be made during the meeting, and the program will also include entertainment features.

As provided in Article IX, Section 1, of the K. H. S. A. A. Constitution, the following changes in the By-Laws and Tournament Rules, to be acted upon by the Delegate Assembly, are hereby submitted to all members of the K.H.S.A.A. for their information:

PROPOSAL I

Twenty-one school administrators of the Central Kentucky Association of School Administrators propose that the second sentence of By-Law 21 be amended to read as follows: "A school maintaining a football team shall not play more than twenty basketball games during the season, and a school which does not maintain a football team shall not play more than twenty-six games." (This amendment shall not be put into effect until the school year 1956-57 for those schools whose principals have already signed contracts for 1955-56 basketball games in excess of the number permitted under the amendment.)

PROPOSAL II

Supt. Joe P. Duke (Benton) proposes that the first line of Tournament Rule XV be amended to read as follows: "The Board of Control is authorized to select, standardize, and purchase."

PROPOSAL III

Coach George A. Sadler (Hiseville) proposes that Tournament Rule V be amended to provide that regional tournament officials

shall be selected by the Commissioner.

PROPOSAL IV

Prin. W. Harold Kesselring (Red Bird Settlement School) proposes that the By-Laws be amended to provide that a "B" team player shall not be eligible to play on an "A" team during the same evening or session.

PROPOSAL V

Prin. H. D. Puckett (Munfordville) and Coach W. W. Smith (Munfordville) propose that By-Law 4 be amended to read as follows: "A contestant becomes ineligible at the end of the semester during which he reaches his twentieth birthday."

PROPOSAL VI

Prin. C. A. McCray (Kirksville) proposes that "twelve" be substituted for "ten" in Tournament Rule XI.

PROPOSAL VII

Prin. Riley Denington (Fulgham) and Coach R. L. Thurston (Fulgham) propose that the following be added to By-Law 5, Section 3: "A bona fide student shall be one as defined and interpreted by the Kentucky State Board of Education in its accrediting standards, and should not be the subject for any interpretation other than that given by the Department of Education."

New Organization

The first meeting of the newly formed organization of Sponsors of Cheerleaders, Pep Clubs and Baton Twirlers will be held during K.E.A., on Thursday, April 14, at 10:00 A. M., in the Chapel of the Warren Memorial Presbyterian Church, Fourth and Broadway, Louisville. For further information, write to Mrs. Stella S. Gilb, University High School, Lexington, Kentucky.

The newly formed organization awarded a cup during the State Basketball Tournament to the group of cheerleaders which came the nearest to meeting certain requirements. The cup was won by the cheerleaders of the Berea High School. The girls were Frances Andrews, Pat Porter, Patsy Marcum, Jean Wilson and Imogene Combs. The cheerlead-

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REPORTS PAST DUE

1. 1954-55 Basketball Participation List (Eligibility)
2. School's Report on Basketball Officials
3. Official's Report on Schools - Basketball

Regional Track Meets

The Board of Control has established twelve track regions for 1955. The scheduled date for the regional meets is May 13. Only first and second place winners in the regions will qualify for the State Meet. Sites of the meets are: Murray, Henderson, Bowling Green, Danville, Louisville (Bellarmine College), Louisville (Shawnee), Bellevue, Newport, Lexington, Barbourville, Elkhorn City and Ashland.

The assignment of schools by Regions is as follows:

Murray Region — Ballard Memorial, Caldwell County, Fulton, Graham, Hopkinsville, Murray, Tilghman, Trigg County.

Henderson Region—Barret, Breckinridge County, Clay, Crittenden County, Daviess County, Henderson County, Madisonville, Marion, Morganfield, Owensboro, Providence, Sturgis, Uniontown.

Bowling Green Region—Albany, Austin Tracy, Bowling Green, Center, College, Edmonton, Elizabethtown, Franklin-Simpson, Glasgow, Greensburg, Hiseville, Park City, Russellville, Temple Hill, Tompkinsville, Vine Grove, West Point.

Danville Region—Bardstown, Berea, Berea Foundation, Camp Dick Robinson, Danville, Junction City, Monticello, Old Kentucky Home, Perryville, St. Joseph, Springfield, Stanford, Wayne County.

Bellarmino Region—Carrollton, Eastern, Eminence, Fern Creek, K.M.I., Ky. School for the Blind, Oldham County, Ormsby Village, Pleasureville, Simpsonville, Southern, Trimble County, Valley.

Louisville Region—duPont Manual, Flaget, J. M. Atherton, Louisville Male, St. Xavier, Shawnee.

Bellevue Region—Bellevue, Dayton, Dixie Heights, Holmes, Lloyd, Ludlow, Silver Grove, Simon Kenton.

Newport Region—Beechwood, Boone County, Campbell County, Grant County, Highlands, Newport, Walton-Verona.

Lexington Region—Bourbon County Vocational, Bridgeport, Camargo, Central, Elkhorn, Frankfort, Garth, Harrodsburg, Henry Clay, Lafayette, Lexington Catholic, Madison Model, M.M.I., Nicholasville, Oxford, Peaks Mill, University, Versailles, Winchester.

Barbourville Region—Bell County, Barbourville,

Benham, Corbin, Eubank, Harlan, Hazel Green H.S., Henderson Settlement, Knox Central, London, Middlesboro, Pineville, Somerset, Williamsburg, Woodbine.

Elkhorn City Region—Belfry, Elkhorn City, Ezel, Fleming-Neon, Hazard, Jenkins, Martin, M. C. Napier, Paintsville, Pikeville, Phelps, Prestonsburg, Stuart Robinson, Wayland, Whitesburg, Wolfe County.

Ashland Region—Ashland, Boyd County, Catlettsburg, Erie, Fleming County, May's Lick, Morgan County, Orangeburg, Prichard, Russell.

Golf Tournaments

Six regional tournaments have been set up in golf. These tournaments will be held on May 25 at Madisonville, Bowling Green, Louisville, Dixie Heights, Lexington and Middlesboro. The State Golf Tournament will be held at Fort Knox on May 31 - June 1. The assignment of schools by regions is as follows:

Madisonville Region—Barret, Fulton, Greenville, Hopkinsville, Madisonville, Owensboro.

Bowling Green Region—Bardstown, Bowling Green, Elizabethtown, Elizabethtown Catholic, Fort Knox, Franklin-Simpson, Glasgow, Russellville, St. Augustine, St. Joseph, Scottsville.

Louisville Region—Ahrens, duPont Manual, Eastern, Fern Creek, Flaget, J. M. Atherton, K.M.I., Louisville Male, St. Xavier, Shawnee, Shelbyville, Southern, Valley.

Dixie Heights Region—Beechwood, Covington Catholic, Dixie Heights, Holmes, Holy Cross, Lloyd, Newport, Newport Catholic, St. Henry, St. Thomas.

Lexington Region—Ashland, Berea, Danville, Henry Clay, Lafayette, Paintsville, Prestonsburg, University.

Middlesboro Region—Cumberland, Hazard, Middlesboro.

Tennis Tournaments

On May 16 four regional tennis tournaments will be held. The sites are Bowling Green, Louisville, Lexington and Bellevue. The State Tennis Tournament will be held in Louisville on May 23-24. The assignment of schools by regions is as follows:

Bowling Green Region—Bardstown, Barret, Bowling Green, Caverna, Central Park, College, Elizabethtown, Glasgow, St. Joseph.

Louisville Region—Eastern, Flaget, J. M. Atherton, K.M.I., Louisville Male, St. Xavier, Shawnee, Valley.

Lexington Region—Ashland, Berea Foundation, Erie, Garth, Hazard, Hazel Green H.S., Junction City, Oxford, Stanford, University.

Bellevue Region—Augusta, Bellevue, Boone County, Covington Catholic, Grant County, Holmes, St. Henry, Silver Grove.

Baseball Tournaments

The district baseball tournaments are scheduled to be held on May 4 - 6 or May 9 - 11. The dates should be set by the district tournament managers, and should represent the thinking of the majority of principals or coaches in the district involved. The regional tournaments will be held on May 26-27, and the State Baseball Tournament is scheduled to be played at Parkway Field, Louisville, on June 10-11. The assignment of schools to the various districts and regions is as follows:

MURRAY REGION

South Christian District—Guthrie, Hopkinsville, Lacy, Sinking Fork, South Christian.

Murray District—Benton, Murray, Murray Training, Reidland, St. John, St. Mary.

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NEW BOARD MEMBER**Kenneth G. Gillaspie**

Supt. Kenneth G. Gillaspie of Georgetown defeated Prin. George H. Wright of Bellevue in balloting for Board of Control membership, which ended March 1. Mr. Gillaspie's four year term will begin on July 1, 1955. He will represent Section 5.

Mr. Gillaspie was born in Montgomery County, Kentucky, on December 21, 1905. He is a graduate of Mt. Sterling High School. He received his A.B. degree from Georgetown College, his M.A. degree from Columbia University, and he has done additional post-graduate work at Western Kentucky State College, George Peabody College, and the University of Kentucky.

In 1928 Mr. Gillaspie married Miss Martha Jane Thompson of Frankfort, who died in 1936. In 1940 he married Mrs. Mary Willoughby Scott of Georgetown. He has two step-daughters and four step-grandchildren.

The new sectional representative played basketball and football at Georgetown College. He was assistant coach at the Morganfield High School for four years. During his eleven year tenure at Morganfield, he was principal for three years and superintendent for the last eight. He went to the Garth High School, Georgetown, in 1939 as principal, and has been superintendent at Georgetown since 1952.

Mr. Gillaspie is Past President of the C.K.E.A., the Kentucky Association of Secondary School Principals, the Western Kentucky Athletic Conference, the Georgetown

College Alumni Association, the Morganfield Kiwanis Club, and the Georgetown Rotary Club. He is Past Vice-President of the Blue Grass School Executives Club and the C.K.E.A. He is Past Chairman of the Deacons of the Georgetown Baptist Church. He is currently Chairman of the Georgetown Rotary Charity Horse Show and is President of the Central Kentucky Athletic Conference. For several years he was on the summer faculties at Western and Georgetown colleges. At the present time Mr. Gillaspie holds membership in the following: C.K.E.A., K.E.A., N.E.A., American Association of Secondary School Principals, Kentucky Association of Elementary School Principals, Pi Kappa Alpha, Pi Kappa Delta, Phi Delta Kappa, Kappa Delta Pi, Georgetown Baptist Church, Masonic Order, and the Georgetown Rotary Club.

TO REPRESENT SECTION**Robert P. Forsythe**

Supt. Robert P. Forsythe of the Muhlenberg County Schools will represent Section 2 on the Board of Control for a four year period, beginning July 1, 1955. In recent balloting Mr. Forsythe defeated Supt. George T. Taylor of Central City, Prin. Charles S. Combs of Hartford and Prin. Edwin J. Mayes of Irvington.

Mr. Forsythe was born on August 20, 1917 at Belton, Muhlenberg County, Kentucky, being the eldest of three sons of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Forsythe. He attended rural

school in Muhlenberg County and graduated from the Hughes-Kirkpatrick High School, Beechmont, in 1935. He received his B.S. degree from Western Kentucky State College in 1940, and his M.A. degree from the same institution in 1953.

The new Board member taught three years in the rural schools of Muhlenberg County. He taught and coached basketball one year in Daviess County schools. He entered the Army in 1942 as a private, and was discharged in 1946 as a captain. He taught in the Central City Independent School system for six years. He was elected Superintendent of the Muhlenberg County School system in 1953, which position he still holds.

In 1942 Mr. Forsythe married Miss Clara M. Westerfield. He has two sons, Preston, age eight, and Noel, age five. He is a member of K.E.A., N.E.A., Lions, Kiwanis, American Legion, Masonic Lodge, and the Baptist Church. He has been a "Certified" K.H.S.A.A. official for eight years, and has worked in numerous state tournaments. Mr. Forsythe also works many O.V.C. and S.E.C. games each season.

FROM THE COMMISSIONERS OFFICE

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Mayfield District—Ballard Memorial, Bardwell, Central, Cuba, Farmington, Heath, Mayfield, Sedalia.

Salem District—Caldwell County, Crittenden County, Livingston County, Lyon County, Marion, Salem.

MADISONVILLE REGION

Henderson District—Barret, Henderson County, St. Vincent, Sebree, Uniontown.

Irvington District—Breckinridge County, Frederick Fraize, Irvington.

Hartford District—Butler County, Centertown, Central Park, Hartford, Horse Branch.

Owensboro District—Daviess County, Owensboro, Owensboro Catholic.

Madisonville District—Calhoun, Clay, Earlington, Livermore, Madisonville, Sacramento, Slaughters.

Central City District—Bremen, Central City, Drakesboro, Dunmor, Graham, Greenville, Hughes-Kirk, Muhlenberg Central, Rockport.

BOWLING GREEN REGION

Bowling Green District—Alvaton, Bowling Green, Bristow, College, Franklin-Simpson, Richardsville, Warren County.

Russellville District—Adairville, Auburn, Lewisburg, Russellville.

Tompkinsville District—Albany, Austin Tracy, Glasgow, Scottsville, Tompkinsville.

Caverna District—Caverna, Center, Cub Run, Edmonton, Hiseville, Hodgenville, Park City.

Brownsville District—Brownsville, Clarkson, Kyrock, Sunfish.

Campbellsville District—Adair County, Campbellsville, Greensburg, Lebanon, St. Augustine, St. Charles, St. Francis, Taylor County.

St. Joseph District—Bardstown, Bloomfield, Fredericktown, Lebanon Junction, Mackville, Mount Washington, Old Kentucky Home, St. Joseph, Shepherdsville, Springfield, Taylorsville.

Vine Grove District—Elizabethtown, Elizabethtown Catholic, Fort Knox, Glendale, Howe Valley, Lynnvale, Rineyville, Sonora, Vine Grove, West Point.

LOUISVILLE REGION

Louisville District—Atherton, Flaget, Male, Manual, St. Xavier, Shawnee.

Fern Creek District—Eastern, Fern Creek, K.M.I., Southern, Valley.

NEWPORT REGION

Boone County District—Boone County, Grant County, Morgan, St. Henry, Simon Kenton, Walton-Verona.

Beechwood District—Beechwood, Covington Catholic, Dixie Heights, Holmes, Holy Cross, Lloyd, Ludlow.

Newport District—Bellevue, Dayton, Highlands, Newport, Newport Catholic, St. Mary, St. Thomas, Silver Grove.

Maysville District—Bracken County, May's Lick, Maysville, Orangeburg, Tollesboro, Vanceburg-Lewis County.

VERSAILLES REGION

Frankfort District—Anderson, Elkhorn, Frankfort, Garth, Great Crossing, Oxford, Versailles.

Paris District—Bourbon County, Cynthiana, Harrison County, M.M.I., Nicholas County, Paris.

Buckeye District—Buckeye, Camp Dick Robinson, Crab Orchard, Danville, Harrodsburg, Kirksville, Lancaster, Paint Lick, Stanford.

Eminence District—Carrollton, Eminence, Gallatin County, Ormsby Village, Pleasureville, Trimble County.

Lexington District—Athens, Henry Clay, Lafayette, Nicholasville.

Richmond District—Berea, Central, Estil County, Irvine, Kingston, Lee County, Madison-Model, Waco.

Shelbyville District—Bagdad, Oldham County, Shelbyville, Simpsonville.

HARLAN REGION

Somerset District—Bush, Corbin, Eubank, Hazel Green, London, McKinney, Memorial, Somerset.

Harlan District—Benham, Black Star, Cumberland, Evarts, Hall, Harlan, Henderson Settlement, Loyall, Lynch, Wallins.

Elkhorn City District—Belfry, Elkhorn City, Fleming-Neon, Phelps, Pikeville, Virgie.

Hazard District—Carr Creek, Clay County, Combs Memorial, Hazard, Jenkins, Leslie County, M. C. Napier, Whitesburg, Wolfe County.

GRAYSON REGION

Ashland District—Ashland, Boyd County, Catlettsburg, Erie, Holy Family, Louisa, McKell, Raceland, Russell, South Portsmouth, Wurtland.

Mt. Sterling District—Camargo, Clark County, Montgomery County, Mt. Sterling, Owingsville, Powell County, Sharpsburg, Winchester.

Breckinridge Training District—Breckinridge Training, Fleming County, Hitchins, Morehead, Olive Hill, Prichard.

Wheelwright District—Auxier, Martin, Prestonsburg, Wayland, Wheelwright.

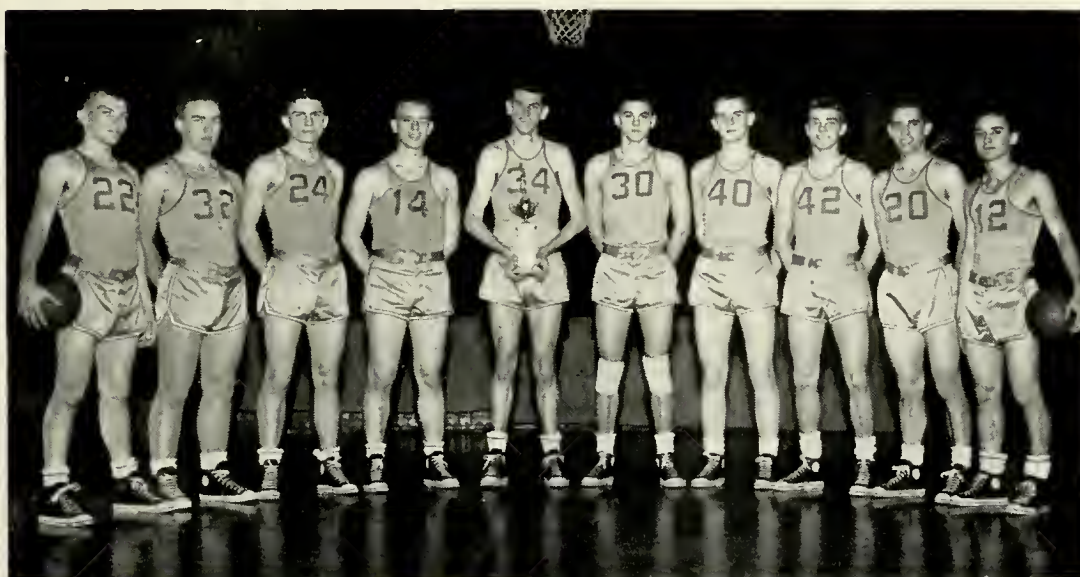
Paintsville District—Inez, Meade Memorial, Morgan County, Paintsville, Salyersville.

Adair County — Runner-Up 1955 State Basketball Tournament



(Left to Right) Coach John Burr, Lewis Pendleton, Terry Randall, Haskin Rowe, George Cheatham, Ralph Shearer, Mackie Baker, Rayburn Daugherty, Ralph McQueary, Billy Conover, Roger Pickett.

Henderson Barret — Third Place Winner 1955 State Basketball Tournament



(Left to Right) Dave Eakins, Pascal Benson, Billy Brown, Richard Yates, Donald Gish, Byron Pinson, Fred Schuette, Sammy Shelton, Tommy Childress, Bill Ruff.

1955 Kentucky State High School Basketball Tournament Results

HAZARD	57	HAZARD	80
GLASGOW	48	HAZARD	72
PIKEVILLE	78	PIKEVILLE	65
CENTRAL CITY	74	HAZARD	74
ST. XAVIER	82	ST. XAVIER	54
BRACKEN COUNTY	59	NEWPORT	62
OLIVE HILL	51	NEWPORT	58
NEWPORT	70	HAZARD	74
CLAY COUNTY	54	CLAY COUNTY	58
SOMERSET	43	HEND. BARRET	54
HENDERSON BARRET	78	HENDERSON BARRET	66
SHELBYVILLE	62	ADAIR COUNTY	72
DAWSON SPRINGS	51	ADAIR COUNTY	66
ADAIR COUNTY	60	MAYFIELD	57
BEREA	54	MAYFIELD	60
MAYFIELD	60	ADAIR COUNTY	66

Tournament Officials

George Conley
Ben Edelen
Bob Forsythe
Ralph Mussman
Vincent Zachem

HAZARD

CHAMPIONS

All-Tournament Team

Johnny Cox-----Hazard
Joe Viviano -----St. X
Corky Withrow ---.Cen. City
Ralph Shearer ---.Adair Co.
Byron Pinson-----Barret
Don Mills -----Berea
Terry Randall-----Adair Co.
Ed Huffman-----Newport
Ralph Gilliam-----Pikeville
Arnold Feltnr-----Hazard

Third Place Winner - Henderson Barret
Henderson Barret 68 - Newport 62

Summary of All Shots Taken in State Tournament

WINNERS		Short	Medium	Long	Ratio	Pct.	Foul Ratio	Foul Pct.	LOSERS		Short	Medium	Long	Ratio	Pct.	Foul Ratio	Foul Pct.
1.	Hazard	35-14	19-8	2-0	56-22	.393	28-13	.464	Glasgow	26-7	37-9	1-0	64-16	.25	24-16	.666	
2.	Pikeville	33-13	18-10	10-7	61-30	.492	34-18	.529	Central City	32-14	26-11	11-3	69-28	.406	31-18	.58	
3.	St. Xavier	41-22	21-6	9-4	71-32	.451	27-18	.666	Bracken Co.	25-13	31-6	20-6	76-25	.329	21-9	.428	
4.	Newport	24-11	28-11	18-5	70-27	.386	20-16	.80	Olive Hill	15-7	18-3	16-3	49-13	.265	34-25	.735	
5.	Clay County	21-9	20-6	4-2	45-17	.378	26-20	.769	Somerset	27-8	22-5	12-0	61-13	.213	25-17	.64	
6.	Hend. Barret	32-16	32-9	11-4	75-29	.387	32-20	.625	Shelbyville	26-13	37-8	11-3	74-24	.324	23-14	.609	
7.	Adair County	33-17	12-4	7-0	52-21	.404	27-18	.666	Dawson	18-7	19-4	17-8	54-19	.352	18-13	.722	
8.	Mayfield	24-15	19-5	11-3	54-23	.426	24-14	.583	Berea	20-12	17-9	5-2	42-23	.548	11-8	.727	
9.	Hazard	35-17	23-10	3-1	61-28	.459	29-24	.828	Pikeville	21-10	21-7	13-1	55-18	.327	46-29	.630	
10.	Newport	20-5	20-8	13-2	53-15	.283	39-28	.717	St. Xavier	25-13	17-5	13-4	55-22	.40	19-10	.526	
11.	Hend. Barret	21-11	21-12	11-5	53-28	.528	15-10	.666	Clay County	30-14	25-10	6-0	61-24	.393	17-10	.588	
12.	Adair County	25-13	16-9	6-2	47-24	.511	34-24	.705	Mayfield	35-12	23-6	4-0	62-18	.290	39-27	.692	
13.	Hazard	40-13	14-7	11-4	65-24	.369	31-24	.774	Newport	36-10	35-9	8-3	79-22	.278	25-18	.72	
14.	Adair County	34-18	13-5	9-1	56-24	.429	22-18	.818	Hend. Barret	22-9	28-12	18-2	68-23	.338	25-18	.720	
15.	Hend. Barret	31-17	23-6	6-3	60-26	.433	22-16	.727	Newport	37-12	33-10	13-5	83-27	.325	11-8	.727	
16.	Hazard	37-11	20-12	5-3	62-26	.419	31-22	.709	Adair County	34-8	16-5	13-5	63-18	.285	35-30	.857	

The Flying Dutchman

It is James "Cap" Caudill of Atherton High School who joins the Parade of Game Guys and is the winner of the Game Guy Plaque of 1955. "Cap" Caudill and Coach Junie Jones of Atherton, who took such an interest in the physically handicapped youngster, can be justly proud of this honor which was nationally recognized in Sports Review as one of the finest achievements which can come to a Kentucky high school athlete.

Take a look at the achievements of this fighting lad whose right arm is only three-quarters its normal length and is so poorly developed that the same condition would have discouraged many young men of less courage. Couple this with the fact that "Cap" is only 5/8' tall, weighing only 140 pounds, and you will readily agree that the annual Flying Dutchman Award has to go to him for setting an example which inspires other young men, despondent because of handicaps, to keep carrying on the fight.

Here's the picture. In 1951-52 he played J. V. football, winning his letter and playing in every game. In 1952-53 he played baseball, pitching a no-hitter for the V.F.W. Post 3636 and having a record of four games won and none lost. The same year he played varsity football as a halfback and pitched on the Atherton High School baseball team. In 1953 he again had a perfect year as a pitcher, losing no games, and was given a try-out with the Little Colonels. Then in 1953-54 he turned to basketball and captained the Audubon Methodist Church basketball team which won the championship of Louisville.

The Dutchman doffs his hat to the Game Guy of 1955, Atherton's "Cap" Caudill, who showed the world that fight and determination plus a little encouragement from interested adults can make happy kids of handicapped boys who in turn render service by the inspiring example they set.

Now for some Kentucky sportsmanship which places Kentucky's high school athletic program on a sound foundation and causes it to be praised far and wide. Abou Ben Adhem certificates have gone to Jarvis Parsley and His Bracken County crew, and Maurice Jackson's Clark County gang on recommendation of Gene Neal who had to work the Brooksville-Clark County game alone when Bob Miller was unable to get there because of icy roads. Both Maurice and Jarvis took time to explain to their boys that Gene would have to work alone and to give him due consideration. According to Gene there has never been any sportsmanship anywhere to top the performance turned in by both Clark County and the Bracken County kids that night.

LaRue Sosh calls for an Abou Ben Adhem award to be sent to Louie Litchfield for outstanding sportsmanlike conduct in the Livingston County-Crittenden County game when his decision was the factor which caused Crittenden County to lose a "Blood and Thunder" game. It was Louis who was the first on the floor to tell LaRue that he had worked one of the best games he had ever seen, and that his kids and people could lose close ones on an official's decisions, without pushing the blame for defeat on the arbiter. You just can't top guys like Louie Litchfield, anyway.

Referee John Heldman wants recognition of the outstanding conduct of Simpsonville's Kenny Tingle who impressed him greatly throughout every close



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game he played in. Said John, "This kid knows how to take adverse decisions and be a man." So you Dutchman fans can see that in Kentucky it is not only sportsmanlike coaches and superintendents, but hundreds of tough boy competitors as well.

Bowling Green's Barkus Gray is in the sportsman-life-light. In fact, Barkus has been there ever since the Dutchman worked the first game of his officiating career for him at Brownsville in 1928 when this great guy was coaching at Woodburn Brethren. This Dutchman will never forget that night, nor two great fellows, Coach Gray of Woodburn and Coach DeMunbrun of Brownsville.

Back to Barkus, though, we want to tell you that he has won an Abou Ben Adhem for his Bowling Green school on the recommendation of referees Ralph Hobbs and Roy Settle. These two whistlers called H. B. Gray "tops." Ralph and Roy, working the district and regional tournaments at Bowling Green, never wanted for cokes, towels, soap, entertainment or anything. Barkus simply stamped himself as "Mr. Public Relations of Kentucky."

Let's close on a wonderful tribute to Kentucky's officiating by Dean Eagle, Sports Editor of the Louisville Times, who said this to the Dutchman: "After watching officiating at the N. I. T. in New York and in surrounding areas, I am convinced that Kentucky's high schools have the best officiating I have observed." Brethren, Dean can say that again because, by overwhelming opinion, the officiating he saw at this year's state tournament substantiated his remark.

Newport — Fourth Place Winner 1955 State Basketball Tournament



(Left to Right) Front Row: Mgr. Marvin Wander, Allen Youtsey, Henry Green, Ralph Chapman, Ronnie Derrick, Jerry Morris, Roger Quinn, John Little, Mgr. Don McDaniel. Second Row: Phil Hamilton, Don Dietrich, Ronnie Pigg, Ronnie Bridewell, Irvin Deaton, George Foy, Bill Morton. Third Row: Ass't Coach Ed Burton, Ed Huffman, Paul Bergman, Prin. James L. Cobb, John Turner, Marilon Reams, Coach Stan Arnzen.

TABULATION OF VOTES ON HIGHEST RATED OFFICIALS - 1955 STATE TOURNAMENT

Listed below are the tabulations of votes on the twelve officials who received the highest ratings by coaches of the sixteen teams which participated in the recent State High School Basketball Tournament. Each coach voted on six Certified officials in the order of his preference, the official whose name was listed first by the coach receiving six points, the second official five points, etc. This is the method which has been used for many years by the Board of Control and the Commissioner in selecting State Tournament officials. The schools given below are not listed in order by regions nor are they listed in the order of the tournament bracket.

Official	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	TOTAL
Bob Forsythe---	2	2	6			5	6	1	4				4	6		6	42
Vincent Zachem--			5	4		4	5	2	5						3	5	33
Ben Edelen-----			3	6		3				6				5		3	26
George Conley --	4			3	5			4	2		4				4		26
Ralph Mussman--					6			5						4	6		21
Dero Downing --	5			2					6				6				19
Travis Combs---			4			6	2					4	2				18
Richard Betz ---	3	1	1		3		1					3	5			1	18
Doc Ferrell ----		4		1	4			6				1					16
D. Longenecker--		3		5						2					2	4	16
Dick Looney----											6	6					12
Shelby Winfrey -		6			2							2					10

Just Before the Battle Mother!



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NEW ORGANIZATION

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ing group from Henderson Barret was runner-up, and the Mayfield cheerleaders received honorable mention.

The cheerleaders were judged on the following: 1) Appearance—neatness and good grooming, 2) Ability to execute the yells, 3) Ability and effort displayed in control over own rooters, 4) Appropriateness of the choice of yells, 5) Conduct while in uniform, 6) Pep and enthusiasm displayed during the cheers, and 7) Sportsmanship toward opponents and officials.

Style of cheerleading was not taken into consideration in the judging. Six of the cheerleading groups were not eligible for the award because the Association had not received confirmation that the cheerleaders were being chaperoned during their stay at the tournament by an individual appointed and approved by the school authorities.



President Oakley and Berea Cheerleaders

Many favorable comments concerning the award were heard from individuals and from press and radio. It is the hope of the Association that this award will be an incentive for better cheerleading and better sportsmanship throughout the state.

At This Point, Everybody's Happy



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Kentucky Federation of High School Girls Sports Association

By Martha G. Carr

We have good news to report this month. Memberships are beginning to come in now for our new association which promises to be one of the best steps forward for physical education in this state. The G. S. A. at College High, Western Training School, with Miss Betty Langley as Adviser, should have the gold star for sending in its school membership first. Other early registrations have been received from Bowling Green High, Walton-Verona High, Lafayette Senior High, Lexington, Bellevue High and Lloyd High of Erlanger. Welcome to the Federation and congratulations on your early start.

For those of you who are in the process of organizing your Girls Sports Association, you may need a little help in writing a constitution. Here are a few suggestions along that line. First, write out the purposes of your association. They might be stated somewhat like these:

1. Development of leadership
2. Participation in physical and social recreation
3. Improvement of skill
4. Provision of an intramural program
5. Provision for co-recreational activities

Next things to consider will be:

1. The name of your organization (It can be named anything which means the same as our state association)
2. Membership requirements
3. Financing
 - a. preferably by school funds
 - b. by approved money raising activities
 - c. by dues (if this does not keep some girls from belonging)
4. Meetings. What is the purpose of meetings? When will they be held?
5. Officers and executive council

6. Election of officers
7. Duties of officers
8. Point systems and awards
9. Amendments
10. By-laws

Be sure to start with a simple constitution, the simpler the better. Add things as they come up rather than trying to have a complicated plan that you can't carry out. Everything should be on a trial basis for the first year. Awards and point systems for awards should not be developed right at first. You may not need them to get participation from your girls. If not, you will find you have avoided a lot of problems and bookkeeping. Try to plan things that lots of girls can enter into rather than trying for just one or two teams.

Teams and Tournaments: If you can get a few teams set up this spring in any activity which they already know, you can start a small tournament and get lots of interest which should carry over to your program next fall. Here are a few pointers about teams and tournaments:

A. The organization of teams and the type of tournament selected for participation will depend on the interests of the girls, facilities, the size of the group, time available, and the activity.

B. The teams should be so organized that they are of equal ability and should provide equal competition for all teams. The teams may be organized in various ways:

1. A student-faculty committee may make the selection.
2. A student committee may make the selection, subject to the approval of the adviser.
3. Captains or sports managers may make the selections.
4. Class teams may be used.

1955 State Tournament Basketball Statistics

Average Score: For Winners: 62; For Losers: 57. Total for both:-----	119.	per game
Average No. Personal Fouls (fouls by A plus fouls by B):-----	31.5	per game
Average No. Technical Fouls (fouls by A plus fouls by B):-----	.18	per game
Total No. Free Throw Attempts (per. and T. for all Games) 865. Successful	65.7%	
Total No. Players Disqualified for Flagrant Fouls:-----	0	per tour.
Average No. Times per game a player committed 5 Personals:-----	1.62	per game
Average No. charged time-outs (total for both teams):-----	5.70	per game

DATA COLLECTED BY FIRST STATISTICIAN

Average No. (a) Personal fouls made by players while on Offense:-----	3	per game
Average No. (b) Cases of traveling (include illegal dribble):-----	6.6	per game
Average No. (c) Times 2 throws were awarded because foul occurred during unsuccessful try:-----	6.8	per game
Average No. (d) Times a bonus foul occurred:-----	19.8	per game
% of times 1st throw in (d) was successful:-----	60.7%	
% of alt. throws which were successful:-----	58.	%
Average No. (e) Field goals (both teams):-----	43.5	per game
% scored without ball touching backboard:-----	58.6%	
Average No. (f) Over-all time from first toss to final gun: 1 hr. and 10 minutes		

DATA COLLECTED BY SECOND STATISTICIAN

Average No. (a) Jump Ball situations (include center jumps):-----	10	per game
(1) Times above jumps followed held ball:-----	.50	per game
(2) Times jump rules were violated:-----	.13	per game
Average No. (b) Throw-ins from end of court (Do not include throw-in after any goal):-----	9.5	per game
Average No. (c) Throw-ins from side of court (Do not include after Technical Foul):-----	9.5	per game
Average No. (d) Violations of 3-second lane rule:-----	.44	per game
For Last Three Minutes:		
(1) No. Field Goals:-----	2.6	per game
(2) No. Charged time-outs:-----	5.6	per game
(3) No. Held Balls:-----	1	per game
(4) No. Pers. fouls against a thrower:-----	1.6	per game
(5) No. Pers. fouls other than against a thrower:-----	2.2	per game
(6) Average time consumed by last 3 min. of clock time: 7 minutes 10 secs. per game.		

C. Care should be taken that team membership varies for the different sports.

D. Tournaments should be planned so that the games are scheduled for maximum participation by all.

1. If time and facilities are adequate, the round robin tournament is the most effective.

2. If time and facilities are limited, a ladder tournament or a single or double elimination tournament may be used.

E. Some consideration should be given to the organization of non-competitive activities.

F. Activities should be conducted according to the standards and rules of the National Section for Girls and Women's Sports. All rule books may be obtained from the above mentioned organization by writing to their office at 1201 Sixteenth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Have You Tried This Game?

BATTLE BALL

Number of Players: 30 or less.

Playing Space: 20 by 20 feet at least.

Equipment: Balls of volleyball type. One net or rone.

Method of Play: Divide group into two teams. Give the players at least seven balls. The balls are to be thrown over the six foot net or rope. At the end of the period, three to five minutes, the side wins which has the smaller number of balls in its possession. Fun and activity increase in proportion to the number of balls in play.

This is a good warm-up game. You may want to make some "home rules" of your own. If you have a good game that works in your school, send it into me and we will print it.

Don't Forget!

We hope to see you at the first state meeting of the Girls Sports Associations—Kentucky Hotel, April 14, 9:45 a.m., Louisville. Then plan to stay for the luncheon meeting of the Kentucky Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation. Luncheon tickets may be obtained by writing to Mr. E. B. Whalin, Department of Education, Frankfort, Kentucky.

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