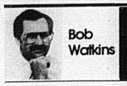


Bob Watkins UK Sports Report

Always interesting the things out-of-state sports reporters write about basketball in Kentucky.

Following UK's 65-44 win over Louisville last month, Bob Meszerski of the Los Angeles Herald-Examiner wrote: "If its destruction of Louisville is any indication there are only two things, besides Joe B. Hall, that could keep Kentucky from going to Seattle next spring. One is another injury to Sam Bowie, the other is that Melvin Turpin loves to eat and his favorite stomping ground is (under)" the Golden Arches."

About UL, Meszerski added: "Don't be lulled into thinking Denny Crum is going to have an off year because of the way his Cardinals were handled by Kentucky. Consider past performance and you know Louisville is always better late than it is early, and isn't that the way a team wins national titles?"

Meszerski's last remark brings to mind a statement made by Iowa Coach George Raveling after UL blasted his 5th ranked Hawkeyes by 79-58 last week.

"I said long before this game that Louisville was a top 10 ah, top 20 team," he said. "I'm not just blowing smoke either. When the NC 2-As start they'll be there. Tonight Coach (Denny) Crum outcoached us, and they outplayed us."

UL recruit

While many of the country's premier high school basketball prospects have committed to the colleges they expect to attend, one of the best has not. He is John Williams, a 6-8, 225-pound power forward from Crenshaw High School in Los Angeles. According to Mike Kennedy in the Dec. 1 edition of the Los Angeles Times, Williams is considering UCLA, Nevada Las Vegas and Louisville.

Jock Sutherland

The ex-Lexington Lafayette coach and "disaffected UK fan" continues to be a hot item for WHAS radio. Sutherland handles commentary on the Louisville station's UL coverage but is more recognizable as a regular on Van Vance's nightly sports call-in radio show.

Jock needles and goads UK fans just enough to keep them some place between grumpy and furious. It all serves to keeps the telephones ringing.

Jock's latest rub on the UKs came last week when he read a rather clever, if one-sided, poem about UL and UK on Vance's show. Louisville fans loved it of course which means the UKs were, well, furious.

I think the whole thing is hilarious, the passions Jock has been able to stir among UK fans. It convinces me all the more that the truest basketball fan in this state is one who is angry.

Right, Jock? Heh, heh, heh.

UK's 1,000 club

Kentucky's "1,000 point club" increased by one to 29 last week when Melvin Turpin moved into 27th place on UK's all-time scoring list.

At Kansas Saturday Turpin moved past one of UK's 30 All-Americans, into 26th place on the 1,000 points scored list.

The All-American who Turpin passed is Bob Burrow, now assistant superintendent of schools at Fort Knox. Burrow scored his 1,023 points in only two seasons at UK. He was a junior college transfer.

Also, at Kansas Jim Master became the newest (and 30th) member of the "1,000 club."

For UK fans who asked if tickets are available for UK Christmas Tournament, as well as the Houston game, Jan. 22, here's your answer.

The UKIT is sold out and the Houston game is part of the regular season book (for season ticket holders) so, unless students turn in their tickets, there won't be any," a ticket office spokesperson said last Friday.

The lady added, "but we still have plenty of tickets for the Hall of Fame Bowl."

I'm not surprised.

Jaggers/WKU

Fort Knox High School football Coach Joe Jaggers confirmed last week that he had officially applied for the head coaching post at Western Kentucky University.

Qualifications? Jaggers is a veteran of 21 years as a high school coach during which time he marched Trigg County to a pair of Class A state titles and Fort Knox to a Class 2-A crown.

But in all candor, Jaggers probably has no chance for a number of reasons. The first, it seems to me, has a name: Gerry Faust.

"I don't think I've got much of a shot, because I'm a high school coach," Jaggers said. "But I had some friends of mine down there who encouraged me to apply for it, give it a shot, so I did."

But Jaggers, and others close to Western believe that Dale Lindsey, an All-American at WKU in the 1960s, is all but a shoo-in for the post.

Readers write

Harold Carlton of Hickman, Ky. writes: "I agree that Kentucky's football team does not deserve a bowl bid."

Carlton added: A friend of mine predicts that James Blackmon will replace Roger Harden (on the UK starting lineup) soon. Your opinion?"

Comment: Blackmon led UK in scoring against Indiana with 14 last week. But Hardin played very well too, hitting his first three shots, handing out four assists and getting two steals. But yes, I believe Blackmon will win the starting job eventually.

Thank you!

In keeping with the Christmas spirit, I would like to wish every one of you—from the publishers and editors of this newspaper to the readers who make it all such a pleasure for me—a warm and happy holiday.

And thank you.

If you have a question, comment or opinion you would like to share, write to Bob Watkins, Route 1, Glendale, Ky. 42740. ■

Frankfort rally nips NCHS

Just when it appeared Nicholas County would record its initial win of the basketball season, Frankfort rallied to nip the boys in blue 63-61 Monday night on the winner's court.

The Jackets trailed 14-12 after the first period but led 26-23 at the half and 46-38 after three quarters.

Steve Anderson led all scorers with 29 points. Eric McGuffey and Gary Dotson each had 10, Rocky Young and Doug McCord chipped in five each and Darren Robinson had two.

The game, originally scheduled for Dec. 13, was moved to Monday so as not to conflict with inaugural activities Tuesday.

NCHS entertains Madison this Friday at 7:30.

WOODFORD 75, NCHS 65

by Rhonda Vaughn

The Woodford County Yellow Jackets put the sting on the Nicholas County Bluejackets, 75-65, last Friday night at Nicholas County High School.

The Yellow Jackets led the game the whole time, but the Bluejackets gave them a fight to the finish.

During the last quarter the Bluejackets closed within five but lost it on fouls.

The quarter scores with the Yellow Jackets leading: first quarter, 18-11; second, 41-29; and third, 53-45.

Team stats	Nicholas	Woodford
Field goals	22-69	30-65
FG percent	46.9	61.2
Free throws	19-26	17-20
FT percent	65.5	85
Fouls	13	21
Total points	65	75

Scoring: Anderson 9-18, 11-14, 29; Young 3-6, 1-5, 5; Robinson 4-7, 1-3, 9; Wells 1-3, 2-2, 4; McGuffey 6-13, 4-9, 16; Dotson 1-4, 0-0, 2.

Royals 64, Jackets 42

The Bluejackets lost to the Mason County Royals here Dec. 6, 64-42.

The Jackets were put to the test against the Royals, but they played extremely well. The Jackets had the lead in the first quarter with a score of 16-10, but the Royals gained the lead in the second quarter, 27-20, and led 44-30 after three quarters.

Team stats	Nicholas	Mason
Field goals	19 of 36	28 of 42
FG percent	52.8	66.7
Free throws	4-5	8-14
FT percent	80	57.1
Fouls	17	9
Total Points	42	64

Scoring: Anderson 10-16, 2-3, 22; Young 3-6, 0-0, 6; Robinson 1-1, 0-0, 2; Wells 0-1, 0-0, 0; McGuffey 4-10, 2-2, 10; Dotson 1-2, 0-0, 2; McCord 0-0, 0-0, 0.

Junior Jackets punish Paris, meet Harrison five tonight

The Nicholas County Junior High basketball team defeated the young Paris Greyhounds 46-36 Wednesday, Dec. 7, on the winners' home court.

Paris opened the game with a sticky 2-2 zone defense which practically took away the Jackets' inside game and enabled the Greyhounds to take an early six point lead.

After a Nicholas County time out and a few offensive adjustments by Coach Bill Anderson the Jackets overcame the deficit and went on to their fifth victory in as many tries.

The seventh grade dropped a 47-10 decision in the preliminary game.

Nicholas County's next action is Thursday (tonight), Dec. 15, against Harrison County. The game will be played at Cynthiana and game time is 6 p.m.

7th grade box scores:

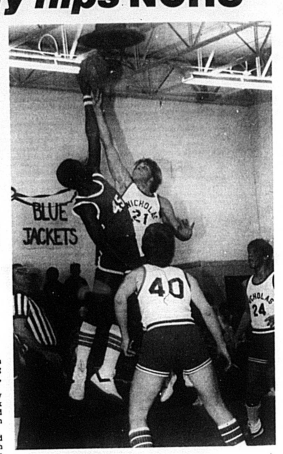
Paris (47) — Hawkins 10, Marks 2, Quigley 5, Beckett 2, Mason 2, Thomas 8, Reese 6, Morris 2, Fister 2, Henderson 6, Bolling 2.

Nicholas (10) Feeback 6, Mitchell 4.

8th grade box scores:

Paris (38) — Harris 6, Chumbley 6, Haney 4, Laythem 10, Bannister 10.

Nicholas (46) — Day 12, Hollar 8, Bryant 7, Anderson 14, Frymass 5.



Hollar skies for Jackets

Junior Jackets' Chris Hollar battles for a rebound with an unidentified Belmont player during a 42-33 Jackets win in conference competition last week. Chris Anderson (40) and Gamon Bryant (24) watch the action as does referee Garvey Cuetsinger. The undefeated young Jackets play Harrison County in Cynthiana tonight at 6 o'clock. — Photo submitted.

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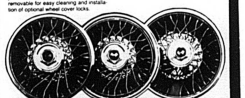

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Lady Jacket in action

Nicholas County High School Lady Jacket Teresa Sanders drives around a Henry Clay defender in a game earlier this season. Henry Clay prevailed, 85-15. — Photo submitted.

Pre-college Curriculum brochures for students

All 8th and 9th grade students in Nicholas County and throughout Kentucky will be receiving through their school's counseling office a brochure from the Kentucky Council on Higher Education that explains the new Kentucky Pre-College Curriculum now available at Kentucky's high schools.

The Pre-College Curriculum will be a minimum requirement for admission for students who want to enter one of Kentucky's public universities beginning in the fall of 1987.

To make sure that every student who will be affected by this new requirement understands it, the Council on Higher Education is providing copies of a brochure on "Kentucky's Pre-College Curriculum," and has mailed them to over 1,000 middle school and high school counseling offices for distribution.

THE PRE-COLLEGE Curriculum brochure explains to the students and their parents the value of the curriculum as a preparation for success in college after high school, and tells why the Council on Higher Education decided to adopt such a course of study as a minimum requirement for admission to Kentucky's public universities. (The requirement does not apply to students applying for admission to Kentucky's public community colleges.)

A special feature of the brochure is a planning schedule card for the entire four years of high school, which the students can fill out in cooperation with their counselors. The schedule gives the students an overview of the 11 courses that are required as well as the main areas from which they are encouraged to select nine elective units.

Kentucky's Pre-College Curriculum brochure also includes a message from Harry M. Snyder, executive director of the Kentucky Council on Higher Education, addressed to students, counselors, and parents. Snyder stresses the essential importance of the Pre-College Curriculum in Kentucky's commitment to upgrade its college-bound students for success in their higher education career, at whatever college or university they choose.

THE BROCHURE was developed as a standard program planning document for counselors statewide, according to Snyder. "The guidance counselors play a major role in helping eighth and ninth graders shape their plans for the future," he said. "The counseling these students receive now can have a significant impact upon the quality of their preparation for a productive future."

Snyder also noted that the Pre-College Curriculum is the minimum entrance requirement to the public universities, and some of the universities may require an even stronger academic preparation. This is another reason why the students must look to their counselors for guidance, he said, so that they will prepare properly for the specific university they want to attend.

"The hope for a new day for higher education in Kentucky," Snyder said, "lies in large measure with the success of curriculum-strengthening programs such as the Pre-College Curriculum. And the success of this program is in the hands of the middle school and high school counselors. We must all do everything possible to help them prepare our young Kentuckians to make the right choices."

The Pre-College Curriculum will be required for students applying to Kentucky's public universities beginning in the fall of 1987. It requires 20 units of academic courses in the four years of high school, and includes four units of English; three units of mathematics, to include algebra I or algebra II, geometry and an additional course; two units of science, to include biology I or chemistry I or physics I, and an additional course; and two units of social sciences, to include world civilization and U.S. history. It also recommends that elective courses be selected from the arts, foreign language, computer literacy, and additional courses in science and mathematics.

TOLL-FREE NUMBERS TO FRANKFORT IN 1984

From the state Legislative Research Commission newsletter comes this handy information: two toll-free numbers are being installed at LRC for citizens who need information about the 1984 General Assembly when it convenes Jan. 3, 1984.

A bill status line, 1-800-372-2993 will be available for those who want to check on the progress of specific legislation.

A message line, 1-800-372-2985 will be for anyone who wants to leave a message for a legislator.

Both lines will open on Jan. 3.

Stone

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Liberty Heights, about a half mile from the home where he was born on the East Union Road.

He is a deacon in the First Baptist Church of Carlisle.

Frank and Lucille were married on May 14, 1938, near the end of a 43-month tour of duty in the Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC). He was stationed originally in Redding, California before stops in Olney, Montana, Frenchburg, Clearfield and finally in Morehead.

He operated Gulf service stations here for 15 years before entering the banking field.

FRANK, WHO WILL be 67 on Dec. 28, two days before his final day at work, doesn't expect to be idle during his retirement. "There are too many things I like to do," he said. He enjoys repairing and refinishing antique furniture and tinkering on old cars, not to mention fishing and traveling.

And, according to Dudley, the bank plans to take advantage of his business talents from time to time.

Bank officers usually "man the store" on certain holiday periods. Guess whose turn it is to work this Christmas Eve morning? You're right if you said Frank Stone.

It's a happy birthday, happy retirement and happy new year time in his life. — EAW

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