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Glasgow Kentucky News

Full Program on Tap for Western Homecoming, Oct. 9, 1937

A HISTORY OF HOMECOMING AT WESTERN

The history of Homecoming football games at Western is the closest thing to a football saga in Western Kentucky grid annals. Far surpassing any heated rivalries—even those between Western and Murray and Western and Eastern — the 23 Homecoming games have for the most part been close and thrill-packed frays. They have lacked inspiration at times, but they have never been dull. Thus today's 24th Homecoming scrap has a great tradition to live up to.

The first Homecoming game in 1927 set the pace and the other games have lived up to that inaugural in closeness of score or brilliant individual play, not always by Hilltoppers.

In that 1927 epic the Hilltoppers under Coach Ed Diddle upset Louisville 7-6. Center August Throgmorton recovered a Card fumble in the end zone for Western's touchdown and Cy Williams kicked the winning point.

Three features of the game were dropping of the ball from an airplane in pre-game ceremonies, the fact that Western used no substitutes and Biss Reynolds' plunge over a 40-foot embankment at the east end of the field while chasing a pass. That end of the field hadn't been built up then past the end zone.

In 1928 Williams, Curley Ellis and Turner Elrod, scored touchdowns as the Hilltoppers dropped Georgetown 19-6. Centre won the 1929 tilt 7-6, with Turner Elrod passing to brother Leroy Elrod for the Western marker. Swede Anderson was the Western mentor that year.

In 1930 Coach Jim Elam watched Wendell "Lardy" Johnson pass to Paul Vaughn for the TD and then kick the extra point to drop U of L again 7-6. In 1931 Carroll Broderick pranced for two touchdowns and Leroy Elrod made the other as Western whipped Miami, Fla., 20-0.

In 1932 Garnett Mancer ran wild to bag two touchdowns and scamper 130 yards in four runs as Western won 24-0 from Georgetown under Ernie Miller. In 1933 Murray walloped Western 20-6. In 1934, with Anderson at the helm again, Max Reed and Leo Yeskigan, a couple of linemen, grabbed the glory as Howard was held to a 0-0 tie.

In 1935 the Hilltoppers received their most crushing Homecoming defeat at the hands of Howard, 19-0. The following year Butterball Williams and Red Roddy led Western to a 6-0 triumph over Oglethorpe. Joe Cook, (deceased) a guard, romped 40 yards with an intercepted lateral to highlight the 13-0 win over Tampa, Fla. in 1937. In 1938 under Gander Terry, Waddell "Big Train" Murphy scored both touchdowns as the Hilltoppers upset Western Michigan 13-6.

Tom Zoretic and John Magda gained the ground in 1939 when Louisiana Tech fell 20-0. The following year saw Western go on its biggest scoring spree in history to swamp a fine Western Michigan team 25-6.

It would be hard to single out one game and call it tops. But if there was one it must have been in 1941 when Gene Sparrow, Johnny Mazola, Joe Cullen, Dick Brouch and Bob Wilson wouldn't admit defeat and stormed back from a halftime deficit of 20-0 to nudge an unbeaten Eastern eleven 27-20 as Wilson ran 65 yards with an intercepted pass for the clincher.

A 6-6 tie with Tennessee Tech provided the 1942 Homecoming feature. In that game Arnold Winkenhofer, then Western's coach, had the game halted for 15 minutes while the officials searched for a ruling on a fieldgoal attempt which hit a man in the end zone and bounced back on the playing field.

Dan Ward's passing and the defensive play of Dallas Arnold were the highlights in a 32-20 loss to Western Michigan in 1946 when football was resumed at Western following a wartime lapse with Jesse Thomas in charge. In 1947 came what was possibly the biggest upset of them all when a powerful Bradley eleven fell 15-13.

Then in 1948 another highly favored Eastern Maroon eleven came in only to be knocked off 14-13 in a hair-raising thriller.

Delta State slipped up on the Hilltoppers in 1949 and carried off a 13-7 win in the first meeting between the two schools.

Eastern came roaring in for the 1950 clash. When the excitement died down the Hilltoppers had won 14-13. Jimmy Feix's 50-yard touchdown pass to Max Stevens in the final 10 seconds with Butch Gilbert's boot for the winning extra point set off pandemonium in the Western Stadium.

Tennessee Tech, today's opponent, whipped the Hilltoppers 14-7 in 1951.

Last year the Eastern Maroons were swamped, 48-6, for Western's most decisive Homecoming triumph in history.

So today with Tennessee Tech, defending co-champions of the Ohio Valley Conference along with the Hilltoppers, as the foe, the stage is set for another traditional Homecoming battle. This one should provide plenty of thrills and excitement.

News

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BY TINA COMBS, a WKU journalism major from Irvington, Ky.

Bowling Green, Ky.--After 55 years, Homecoming at Western Kentucky University has the same purpose and many of the same activities that it had when it began.

"We want you to come . . . to advance the institution and to establish in its life a great annual Homecoming Day when we can get together and renew old friendships and exchange experiences," Henry Hardin Cherry wrote in 1927.

They celebrated that first Homecoming with a pep rally and an open house. Before the game, a 50-cent dinner was provided for those who ordered tickets in advance.

When Westerners return to the Hill Oct. 31, the 1981 Homecoming will celebrate the University's 75th anniversary, and an array of Homecoming activities, centered around the Diamond Jubilee theme, "Foundation for the Future," will be something alumni and friends will remember for years to come.

Homecoming in 1927 was an excellent way to show off Western's new football stadium, which stood where the Ivan Wilson Center for Fine Arts stands today.

The Homecoming of 1932 was original, with a "Depression Supper" providing a free meal for about 2500 people.

The Depression Supper, "because of its novelty, its economy, its sincerity and its building of good fellowship, will long be remembered as one of the highlights of the 1932 Homecoming," said one newsletter.

Ticket prices were 75 cents in advance and one dollar at the gate due to the bad economic conditions that year.

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75TH ANNIVERSARY...(Add One)

About this time, in the early 1930s, the Homecoming dance emerged as a way for alumni and students to "get together" the night before the game.

Another important part of the early 1930 Homecomings was the mass chapel held in Van Meter Auditorium the morning of the game.

The schedule of events in 1933 said that during the mass chapel everyone would be given a chance to deliver a one minute speech as, "a boost for education in Kentucky, for Western, for any worthy cause, or as a call for militant loyalty."

In 1934, the Homecoming game had no winner. Western played Howard University to a 0-0 tie.

Football games were suspended during World War II, so Homecomings were not held during that period.

In 1949, the first Homecoming Queen, Teddy Lou Johnson, was crowned. The crown was somehow misplaced, and Miss Johnson wore a crown made of cardboard.

Former Western President Kelly Thompson's daughter, Pattye, was crowned Homecoming Queen in 1955.

Homecoming expanded to three days in the 1960s, and in 1970, the Homecoming Game between Western and Eastern Michigan was one of the most "exciting" in Western's history. Both teams were ranked in the top 10 nationally. Tenth-ranked Western upset sixth-ranked Eastern, 45-6.

The "Hilltoppers," who gained national recognition in popular music during the 1950s, were guests of the University for the 1972 Homecoming. Members of the group, Billy Vaughn, Don McGuire, Jimmy Sacca and Seymour Spiegelman, had two good records, "Trying" and "P.S. I Love You," and they entertained in their Western letter sweaters and beanies.

Many changes and unusual things have happened since that first Homecoming in 1927, but the traditions, like the bon-fire and the pep-rally; the purpose, and the spirit have long remained a part of Homecoming on the Hill.

The first University sponsored Homecoming was on November 5, 1927. Homecoming became an annual event thereafter. The 1927 calendar was as follows:

Morning: Open House for visitors, alumni and citizens of Bowling Green

Noon: Dinner served in Potter Hall Dining Room

2:00 p.m. – Football game vs. University of Louisville

8-10 p.m. – Faculty and students reception for visitors and Louisville football team

Western won the football game 7-6.

The first participation by Greeks was in 1963, when the Interfraternity Council was permitted to sponsor a dance. In 1964, fraternities and sororities participated in the Homecoming parade.

A pre-homecoming chapel was held in 1968. In 1969 it was referred to as just a “pre-homecoming assembly” but appears to have been dropped after that in favor of a pep rally.

The last bonfire was in 1978. With the debut of Big Red in 1979, this appears to have been replaced by Big Red’s Roar, a pep rally which included fireworks but no bonfire.

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BY TINA COMBS, a WKU freshman from Irvington, Ky.

Bowling Green, Ky.--Homecoming at Western Kentucky University hasn't always included the crowning of a queen.

The first Homecoming queen at Western was elected in 1949 and wore a cardboard crown. Officials had hoped to use the crown designed for the Talisman queen, but that fell through, and a crown had to be made out of white cardboard.

Homecoming queens since that time have worn more substantial crowns, and although some early homecoming traditions have changed, the annual crowning of a queen has not.

The queen who wore the "cardboard crown" was Teddy Lou Johnson, an art major who represented West Hall in the 1949 pageant.

The queens for the next ten years were: 1950--Jean Amos, a Cave City senior, 1951--Nancy Atkinson, a White Plains junior, 1952--Tyler Diemer, a junior elementary education major, 1953--Jane Winchester from Taylorsville, 1954--Netta Oldham, an Owensboro senior, 1955--Pattye Thompson, a senior physical education major from Bowling Green, 1956--Shirley Barnes, a Beaver Dam senior, 1957--Phyllis Robinson, a junior elementary education major from Hazard, 1958--Marilyn Norris, from Seymour, Ind., and 1959--Alice Chumbley, a Jamestown junior.

The queens of the 1960s were: 1960--Dianne Robinson, a Hazard junior, 1961--Martha Jo Johnson, a Scottsville senior, 1962--Wanda Steenbergen, a Glasgow physical education major, 1963--Pat Norman, a senior commercial education major from Glasgow, 1964--Christine DeVries, a Bowling Green senior, 1965--Linda Thomas, a senior English major from Burkesville, 1966--Sharon Roby, a senior elementary education major from Owensboro, 1967--Pat Hunt, a senior sociology major from Bowling Green, 1968--Charlsie Malone, a Clarksville, Tenn. junior, 1969--Dru Gibson, a junior elementary education major from Bowling Green.

The queens of the '70s were: 1970--Suzanne Riggins, a senior sociology and psychology major from Jonesboro, Ark., 1971--Brynda Taylor, a junior psychology and recreation major, 1972--Alice Gatewood, a sophomore art major from Bowling Green, 1973--Cherie Hoxworth, a Beaver Dam senior, 1974--Gayle Smith, a senior elementary education major from Glasgow, 1975--Brenda Smiley, a sophomore clothing and merchandising major from Vanzant, 1976--Marissa Greene, a junior commercial art major from Winchester, 1977--Joyce Ann Haskins, a sophomore speech pathology major from Campbellsville, 1978--Connie Gibson, a sophomore

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education major from Hodgenville, 1979-Betty Thompson, a senior clothing and textiles major from Bowling Green.

The first queen of the '80s is Jane Lockin, a junior business management major from Benton, Ill. She will give up her title on Oct. 31, during the Western's 55th homecoming game to....we'll see on Saturday!

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HOMECOMING '84: The Role Models

Story by
ANGELA STRUCK

A Royal Heritage



At left, Julie Lippert, last year's Homecoming queen, receives a hug after being crowned. Below, the 1958 queen and her court sit on a throne after the coronation ceremonies.

Left photo by Gary Hairison
Bottom photo courtesy Public Information

She must be popular and pretty. She should be intelligent. She can't be a trouble maker.

And, most importantly, she must be school spirited — if she wants to be Homecoming queen.

Fashions, hairstyles and make-up have changed. But the women who have been Homecoming queen at Western are still "cut out of the same yard of wool," said Lee Robertson, director of alumni affairs.

Robertson attended Western when the first Homecoming queen was crowned in 1949. "Everybody thought she was the prettiest girl that ever lived," he says.

Teddy Lee Johnson Bryant, Western's first Homecoming queen, seemed flattered by the compliment.

Mrs. Bryant graduated in 1950 with an art degree. She's married to a Bowling Green attorney and has reared four children.

Mrs. Bryant said she was surprised when she was nominated as a candidate from West Hall, now Florence Schneider Hall. She didn't expect to win. "I think I was shocked," she said.

The 18 candidates were escorted by the football players to a bonfire the night before the game. The next morning, students and Homecoming guests voted for queen at Van Meter Hall. Western didn't have a parade then.

Mrs. Bryant didn't receive a typical crown. She should have received the crown used for the Talisman queen, but it wasn't available, and officials had to replace it at the last minute. They cut a crown from white cardboard, put a cardboard "W" in the middle and painted a red border around it. It was fastened with a paper clip.

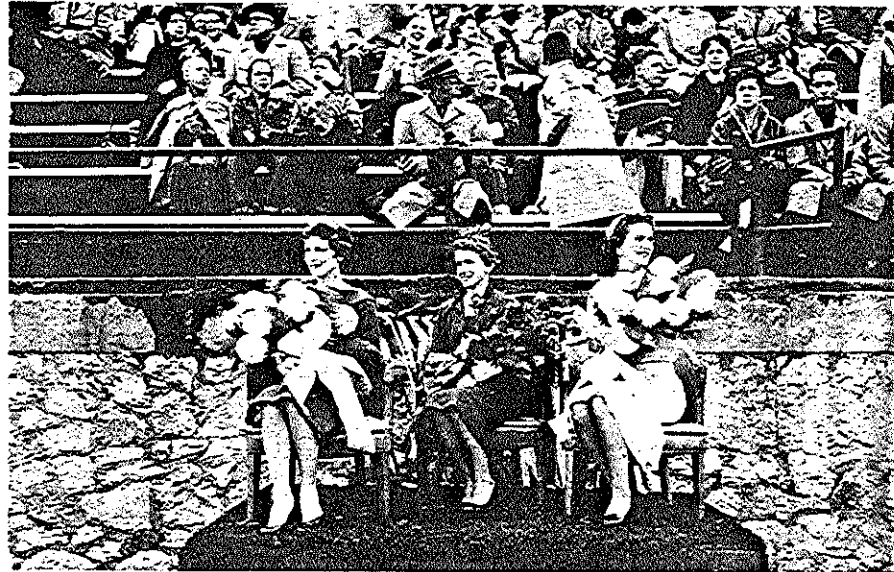
During the crowning ceremony, the paper clip fell off.

"We all just died laughing," Mrs. Bryant said.

When Patsy Thompson Gilligan, daughter of former president Kelly Thompson, was crowned in 1955, the affair wasn't so light-hearted. "I just remember being miserable that day," she said.

The day was cold, and her mouth was throbbing from a root canal she had a few days earlier. Photographers had to shoot her picture from an angle that hid the swelling.

She said she was "probably the



ugliest Homecoming queen we've ever had."

She was crowned by her father, who was president at the time. That was a thrill, she said. But the honor "truly does take a place of less importance as time goes on," she said.

Mrs. Gilligan, who is now a social worker, graduated in 1956 as a physical education major. She met her husband while teaching at Fort Campbell, and they married in 1957. They live in Ocala, Fla., and have five children.

Mrs. Gilligan, 48, thinks it's important that candidates put the election in perspective. Young women should work toward a career and not be content with being pretty, she said.

Linda Thomas, queen in 1965, says the election wasn't a beauty contest.

Mrs. Thomas, who teaches English composition at Midway College near Versailles, said it wasn't competitive. Just being in the queen's court was an honor, she said.

She particularly remembers the "spirit of the occasion." "Everyone came to the top of the Hill for Home-

coming," she said, and faculty and staff had close relations with students.

"I got much more from Western than I could ever give back," she said.

Although she describes herself as a shy student, she was still active on campus. She was a member of Chi Omega sorority, co-editor of the Talisman, a member of the English and French clubs and vice president of Panhellenic Council.

Being elected Homecoming queen helped build her self-image, she said.

When Alice Gatewood Waddell won in 1972, black students got the kind of representation they wanted.

Mrs. Waddell, director of a senior citizen's home east of Louisville, said blacks wanted representation in something besides sports.

They got it. And that became more important than Homecoming itself, she said.

But the election was controversial. Students voted twice because people suspected that the ballot boxes had been stuffed the first time. This made the outcome of the election more thrilling, Mrs. Waddell said.

When the queen was announced, the audience was hesitant in its applause.

She remembers bearing a few people clapping, then a few more, then more — "all except the black students. You could really hear the black students."

But Mrs. Waddell, 31, said the controversy improved her self-image. She learned that a good self-image helps keep you strong when facing problems.

Julie Lippert, last year's queen, says she was elected with the help of friends and campus organizations she belongs to.

Lippert, a Paducah senior, is a member of Chi Omega sorority and Associated Student Government. She also serves on the university athletic committee and was a member of last year's pompon squad.

Homecoming last year was the best day of her life, Lippert said. "It was just like a dream." She started shaking when her name was announced during pregame ceremonies, and she dropped some of the roses that she received. The whole thing didn't sink in until half-time.

Lippert's reign ends Saturday. Her advice to the candidates is simple. "Make the best of the day," she said.

"Just being where you are now is an honor, and what comes later is extra."

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College Heights

Promises to be a Great Event in the History of the
Western Kentucky State Teachers College

An Invitation

The Athletic Committee, the Board of Regents, Faculty, Students, and the Citizenship of Bowling Green join in a most cordial invitation to you to attend the HOMECOMING of the Western State Teachers College, which will be held in the new Stadium on College Heights, November 5, 1927.

We want you to come because we need your presence, loyalty, moral and material support in our efforts to advance the institution and to establish in its life a great annual HOMECOMING DAY when we can get together and renew old friendships and exchange experiences. We want you to come because hallowed memories bid you come, and everybody wants you to come. Bring your brothers, sisters, families and friends. If you cannot come in an automobile, come on the train or some other way. Come and spend a day on College Heights and observe the magical development that has taken place. All of the buildings will be open for inspection and warmed by the modern heating plant, which has just been completed. The big field at the foot of the Hill will be open where you can park your cars. A FIFTY CENT DINNER WILL BE SERVED AT NOON IN THE LARGE DINING ROOM ON THE HILL FOR ALL WHO ORDER IN ADVANCE.

It is hoped that you will come and spend the entire day in order that you may have time to inspect the Hill, renew former associations and do other things.

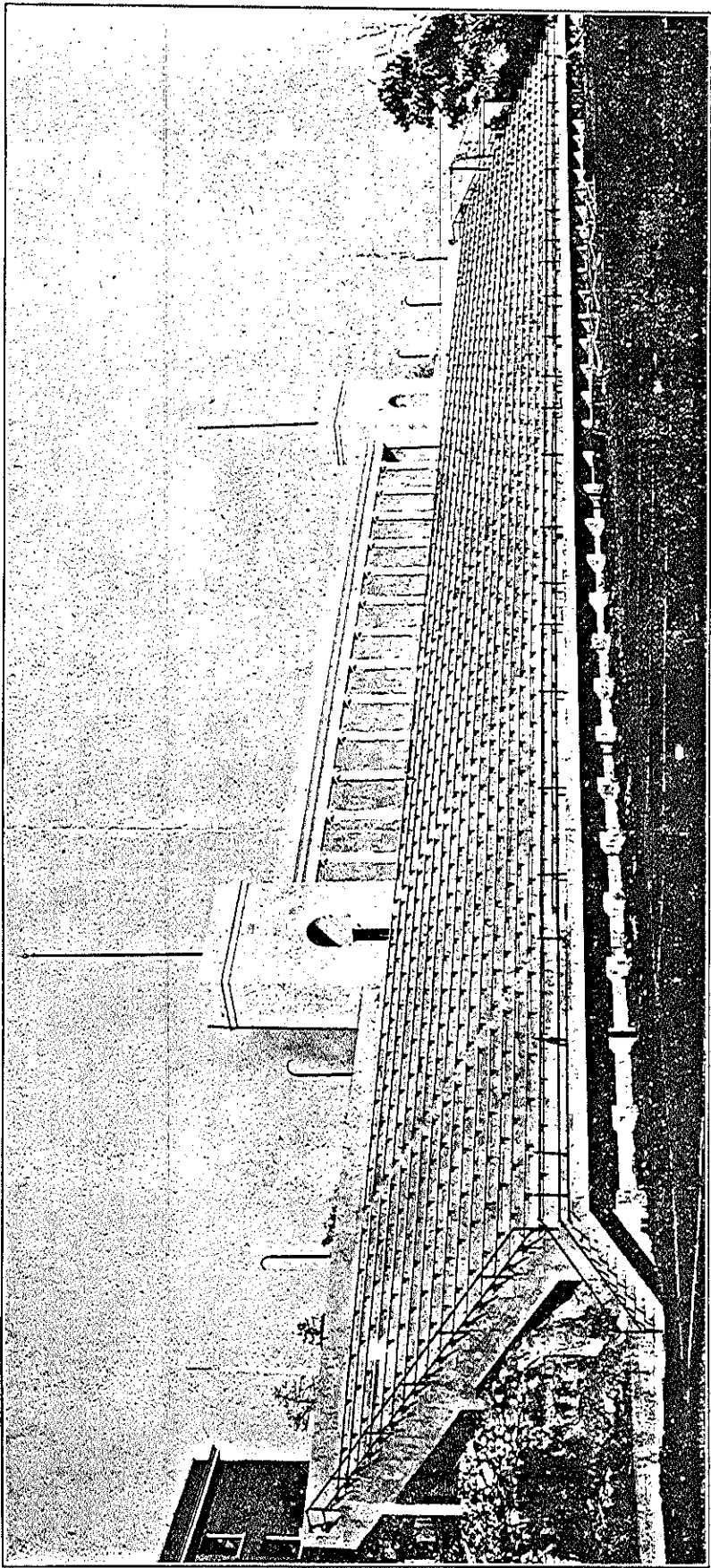
The outstanding program of the day will be the Football game between the Varsity Team of the Western Teachers College and the Varsity Team of the University of Louisville.

The game will be called at 2:00 P. M. and will be over in time for you to return to your home the same day, provided you desire to do so.

We will look for you on November 5th.

Very truly yours,
H. H. Cherry

H. H. CHERRY,
President Western Kentucky State Teachers College.



Above is a picture of the new Stadium which was taken on October 11, 1927. It is located on the side of the Hill overlooking one of the most beautiful landscape views in the country. Single admission tickets for the game between the Western State Teachers College and the University of Louisville will be \$1.25. A RATE OF \$1.00 FOR RESERVED SEATS IS MADE TO ALL FORMER STUDENTS WHO RESERVE THEIR SEATS IN ADVANCE. PERSONS DESIRING RESERVED SEATS SHOULD WRITE: L. T. SMITH, CHAIRMAN, ATHLETIC COMMITTEE. Every dollar collected will be a contribution to an unselfish and patriotic cause and will help meet the financial obligations of the Athletic Association.

*Greetings from L. T. Smith, Chairman
Athletic Committee, Western State
Teachers College*

To Alumni and Friends of Western Teachers College:

No less than twenty-five years ago our esteemed and beloved President dreamed of the vast growth and development of the material aspects of this noble institution. As you are well aware that dream is rapidly becoming a reality through the kindly friendships and faithful perseverance of former students, friends, officials and directors of Old Western.

An outstanding and commendable phase of this development is the fine memorial to the physical growth of the future manhood and womanhood of this great Commonwealth, the handsome and impressive stadium erected on the south slope of College Heights where you once knew the old stone quarry.

There is no finer structure in America of similar nature, with the valley opening for miles before it and the beautiful hills in the distance. It is most fitting that this massive structure should come at this time in the life of your Alma Mater and the student body, faculty, and all desire to impress on you the importance of the formal opening on November 5th.

Let November 5th become an historic day in marking our first Home-Coming and by filling this magnificent structure to overflowing with proud sons and daughters of Western we will cause to be realized in every detail that dream of our noble leader.

The stadium has 3600 reserved seats, all of which are well located and afford an excellent view of the entire athletic field. We are especially desirous that former students and friends have the same opportunity of securing the best seats for this great opening, afforded others and, consequently, you will find elsewhere a blank to be filled out and mailed to us stating the number of seats and dinners you desire.

We are making a special rate of only \$1.00 for tickets to the game and 50 cents for dinner to you who secure your reservations before November 1st and your reservations will be made from the best seats available at the time your request arrives. Don't wait until you reach Bowling Green on "Home-Coming" Day to purchase your seats because, from every indication, the seats will be sold long before time for the game to start.

We will start festivities on Friday night, November 4th, with grand student rally and welcome to you and University of Louisville supporters and close on Saturday night with an enormous parade and celebration of our victory which your presence will help to gain. Come and help support one of the greatest football aggregations in Western history and we will open The Western Stadium in a blaze of glory.

L. T. SMITH,
Chairman Athletic Committee.

Greetings from Coach Diddle

The Alumni and former students of Western have always responded to every worthy call made by their Alma Mater. Another call is being made now by asking your presence in the new stadium at two o'clock on Saturday, November 5th. The members of the football squad on that date will fight to the finish to preserve the ideals and traditions of this institution. Won't you help them? We urge your presence and shall be disappointed if you are not here.

ED DIDDLE, Coach.

*Greetings from Assistant-Coach
Anderson*

Although a member of the faculty of Western for only a short time, I am heartily in accord with President Cherry and the faculty in desiring your presence here on November 5th. It is our desire to make this a gala day not only in the history of this school but of Western Kentucky. We are asking your presence as an encouragement to the boys who will give every ounce of energy which they possess to bring victory to their Alma Mater.

CARL ANDERSON,
Assistant Coach.

Greetings from Students Who Are Now Attending Western Kentucky State Teachers College

Rah! Rah! Rah! Autumn is here. Nature's most beautiful season has commenced. The leaves are turning red and yellow, and as James Whitcomb Riley has well said, "The frost is on the pumpkin, and the fodder's in the shock." But what does all this mean if a fellow cannot look back on some past fall and recall fond memories? "Not much," I should say. What does the old cheer remind you of, folks? I know—football. That is it. I am going to school up at WESTERN TEACHERS COLLEGE, as you know. I like everything about the school, but don't you think it would be a shame if we did not give you and the other folks, who have not seen our new Stadium, a special welcome? We have decided to do that very thing. Saturday, November 5th, we are playing football against the University of Louisville. The game will be played here in our new Stadium. It is the Homecoming football game. Won't you be in the Stadium to cheer for Western? Think of the thrill you will feel, seeing the old campus in its new beauty, meeting old friends and making new ones, and most of all you will be showing loyalty to your Alma Mater. I will be looking for you that day, just to see your old smile and to feel the grip of your hand once more.

Sincerely yours,

McDANIEL EWING.

I want you to be on the Hill on November 5, 1927, for the Homecoming game with the University of Louisville. Western needs you here to make her Homecoming a success. Perhaps your presence may help Western to win this game. Your cheering might be the little that spells the difference between victory and defeat. Not only will you help Western, but you will meet old friends, renew old associations and again live your college days. Please be here, as Western needs you and wants you.

Yours truly,

HAROLD TURBEVILLE.

I am writing you a few lines in order to be sure that you hear about the big Homecoming Day we are to have here on November 5th.

It will be worth your while to see the old Hill; you won't know the place it's so "dolled up", with a new Training School, and a new Library Building, asphalt roads all over the place, and last but not least, the best of all, the big new Stadium in which the biggest football game of the season will be played with the University of Louisville at 2:00 o'clock, Nov. 5th.

U. of L. beat us last year in the last half of the game, but we are going to lick them "good and proper" this year. As a reminder to them of how badly they will be beaten, our Freshmen beat their Freshmen by a score of 7 to 2, last Friday.

I know that you will be right here, helping us cheer them over that goal line.

As ever,

CHAS. S. NAHM, Jr.

We are planning on having a big time down here on November 5th. It is our Homecoming Day. If you know what a big time is, you know what we are going to have. If you don't know what one is, come down and find out.

Western meets U. of L. here on the gridiron that afternoon. It will be a great game. We are expecting a lot of people here that day, and you're one of the ones we're expecting.

Let us know what train you'll be on, and we'll meet you.

Yours truly,

T. PERRY WESLEY.

I do not intend to ask you if you can or if you will, but I am telling you to come to Bowling Green on November 5th. That day, which is Homecoming Day here, is the greatest day of the year for Western. You know how certain high schools are; well Western and the University of Louisville are the same way. They are so great rivals that Western had rather lose all her games than the Homecoming game. All the men and women who ever went to school here will be here on that date.

Now people, don't disappoint me. I shall be expecting a letter from you in a few days, telling me you will be here for that great event.

Yours very truly,

GEORGE CONNER.

It is absolutely necessary for me to request your presence at the Homecoming Game which is to be played on November 5th. between the University of Louisville and Teachers College.

Let me take this opportunity to tell you why I expect your attendance. Having been once a student of this institution, you should want to come and help cheer our boys along. They need it. The new Stadium, which is one of the most beautiful in the South, will be finished at that time. Of course, you will want to see this beautiful addition to the Hill. We want this Stadium to be packed with boosters, and you are one who is wanted. You may think that you would not be of any significance. Suppose everyone thought that. Do you think that we would have the spirit? No. So please come.

Sincerely,

ELIZABETH NALL.

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ITINERARY FOR OPEN-HOUSE RECEPTION, NOVEMBER 5, 9:30 - 11:30

All guests will come to the foyer of the Administration Building. There a group of teachers will welcome them informally. A single file of guests will pass through on each side of the rear of the foyer. Here each guest will be asked to sign his name in the "Guest Book". Trained guides will escort groups of these visitors over College Heights. The two files will pass down the corridors and out at the rear doors of their respective sides.

Unless the guests themselves express a wish as to what shall be shown them and the order in which they wish it shown, the following route is suggested:

From the rear doors pass to the old Fort where Mr. Bryant will inform them concerning it.

From the Fort pass to the New Library Building where Miss Helm, the librarian, will explain the "Library of tomorrow". Passing out the front entrance of the New Library, notice the Grecian beauty of the building.

Continuing the march, enter the front of Recitation Hall, where can be seen the geography department, presided over by Miss Jeffries; the Personnel Department, by Mr. Craig; the post office; room 108; the Correspondence Department, by Mr. Pearce; R.O.T.C. Office, by Major Rothwell; then to the College Heights Book Store.

Passing out at the rear of Recitation Hall, call attention to the old temporary gymnasium, which is soon to be replaced by one that is modern in every detail.

At the Cedar House will be found Miss Ragland, former librarian, who will explain how the library has grown, etc.

Do not fail to see the College Heights Foundation Building where Secretary Seward will give not alone a cordial welcome, but also some interesting information as to what this Fund has done and will continue to do.

Pass on to the campus entrance of what Doctor Cherry chooses to term "The great Spiritual Laboratory of the Hill", the splendidly constructed and modernly equipped Training School. Here Mr. Stephan and his co-workers will explain any part you wish from Kindergarten through Senior High School. (Pass up the first flight of steps to the right to the high-school departments; down the second flight of steps to the first floor, taking in the home-economics department, the kindergarten, and the clinic; then through the gymnasium and out its State Street entrance to the Music Hall).

In the Music Hall will be found Mr. Strahm and his co-workers anxious to answer any questions.

Pass to the New Home Economics Building where Miss Day and her assistants will be delighted to show all guests over the building.

From here pass to the New Stadium and Athletic Field where Coach Diddle will have representatives awaiting all guests.

From this vantage point the Manual Arts Building and the Village can be seen, and the wonderful view in the direction of the Normal Farm and the Model Rural School may be pointed out to those who do not choose to include these in a longer itinerary. Before passing on to Potter Hall call attention to the New Central Heating Plant.

Pass to the left until Potter Hall is reached. Here the Social Director, Mrs. Lee, will give information in regard to the facilities of the Hall. Light refreshments will be served by the wives of the Faculty Members.

To those wishing to take the longer itinerary, after leaving the Home Economics Building, follow the path leading by the Manual Arts Building through the edge of the Village to the Model Rural School, in charge of Miss Clark. From here can be seen the 65-acre farm which is owned and operated by the College. (Anyone who desires to go over the farm and see the activities in which its managers are engaged, will be provided a special escort at this point.

Return through the Village by the quaint path to the left of the Stadium. Here the genial mayor of Cherryton, Rudy Matthews, will tell something of its history.

After getting a good view of the beautiful and spacious New Stadium, follow the path leading to the Central Heating Plant. Here the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, Mr. Woodward, will explain it in detail, if it is so desired.

Return to the parlors of Potter Hall.

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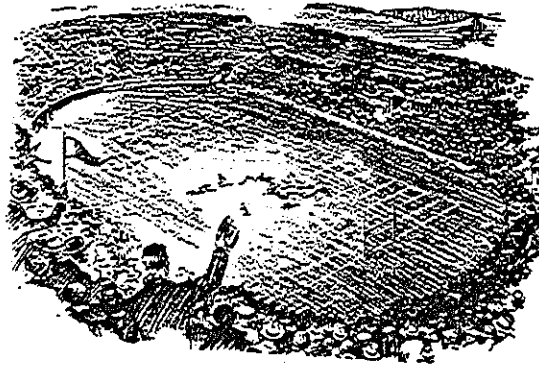
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HOMECOMING!

GREATEST FOOT BALL GAME IN THE STATE!

STADIUM

State Teachers College

Saturday, Oct. 27 - 2:15 P. M.

WESTERN vs. GEORGETOWN

Bowling Green

State Champion 1927

Reserved Seat \$1.50 Gen'l. Admission \$1.00

Mail Orders Filled NOW. Seat Sale at the Will B. Hill Store

NOTE—Five thousand people will witness this game. Western blanked Centre 12 to 0 and Southwestern University, of Memphis 18 to 0. Reserve your seat and see Western battle the State Champions.

This flyer announced Western's second Homecoming game, held in 1928. Western blanked Georgetown 19-0 in that game and went on to win that year's state championship with a season record of 7-1.

Courtesy University Archives

Western's first Homecoming offered guided tours, a game and a

'Big Time'

Things have changed in 60 years of Homecomings.

Western's first Homecoming was Nov. 5, 1927. Henry Hardin Cherry, Western's founder, sent an invitation to all graduates telling them "we want you to come because we need your presence, loyalty, moral and material support in our efforts to advance the institution and to establish in its life a great annual HOMECOMING DAY when we can get together and renew old friendships and exchange experiences."

Tours of the Hill and a fifty-cent dinner were offered, along with "the outstanding program of the day . . . the football game between the Varsity Team of the Western Teachers College and the Varsity Team of the University of Louisville."

The invitation flyer included short greetings from students attending the school at the time. One billed the day as a "big time."

We are planning to have a big time down here on November 5th. It is our Homecoming Day. If you know what a big time is, you know what we are going to have. If you don't know what one is, come down and find out.

Western meets U of L here on the gridiron that afternoon. It will be a great game. We are expecting a lot of people here that day, and you're one of the one's we're expecting. Let us know what train you'll be on and we'll meet you.

yours truly,

J. PERRY WESLEY

It did turn out to be a great game. The 1928 Talisman gave this account of the day:

The Pedagogues (Western) then attained the zenith of glory, when, with the new stadium packed with a crowd of home-coming students and visitors, they brought the haughty banner of the vaunted University of Louisville team to the dust with a 2-10-6 victory. The spectators were treated to a perfect ball game, when, during sixty minutes of perfectly coordinated and fierce attack, not a substitute was made. Revenge was sweet, as all we who remember last year's now. The day was a complete success.

In addition to the game and dinner, campus tours were offered, featuring the new heating plant and the "library of tomorrow," which was under construction on that Homecoming day and is now Wilson Hall.

According to the November 1927 issue of the Herald (then a four-year-old monthly) more than 1,000 people showed up and "the immense parking problem was managed by the R. O. T. C. under Captain Hart."

Well . . . maybe things haven't changed that much.

(Herald)

'You had to enjoy the game'

In 1927, when Western celebrated its first homecoming football was a different game. Players didn't have heavy padding or expensive scholarships — they loved to play.

By Mark Mathis

When Western takes the field against Morehead Saturday, it will be the renewal of a tradition started in 1927. Homecoming.

Players like Elvis Donelson, Max Stevens, Jim Pickens, Jim Burt, Dale Lindsey, Lawrence Brame, Virgil Livers, Dickie Moore and Leo Peckenpaugh are familiar to long-time Hilltopper fans.

Now it's hard to find a Western supporter who doesn't know about the feats of Troy Snardon, Tim Ford, Donnie Evans or Mike Miller.

Fans at that first homecoming in 1927 were yelling for Throgmorton, Winkenhofner, Reynolds and Taylor. Football has changed drastically since then, but homecoming still does today what it did on that cold November day in 1927 — bring together students, faculty and alumni.

Athletes didn't wear heavy padding, and most played the game because they loved it, former Western player and coach, Ted Hornback, said.

"When you blocked you felt it all the way to your toes; you had to be tough to walk onto the field," he said. "Padding consisted of some hard leather for shoulder pads and a hard piece of perforated leather for a helmet."

Hornback said one player didn't even go that far with protection.

"We had one character on the team, 'Horsemeat' Taylor, who didn't wear a helmet and took off his shirt to play."

"We didn't have scholarships or anything — you had to enjoy the game."

The first homecoming was a big day for quarterback Arnold "Winky" Winkenhofner and his teammates.

"It was probably the biggest football day for Western up to that time," the 1928 graduate said in a telephone interview from his Atlanta, Ga., home.

Indeed, Western did have a big day. Coach E. A. Diddle's Hilltoppers upset a highly regarded University of Louisville team, 7-6.

The game's most unusual play came late in the fourth quarter, when Western had the game in hand, Winkenhofner said.

"Delmar 'Puss' Reynolds went deep, and in those days the end of the stadium by the Helm Library was

open and there was a swimming pool at the bottom of the hill, but the hill was covered with rocks," he said.

"I overthrew him, and he ran down the hill and disappeared. Everybody in the stadium was standing, looking for him. He caught the ball, but he had run out of the end zone."

Reynolds had plunged over a 20-foot embankment, Winkenhofner said, but

Louisville's strength. Their quarterback, Freddie Koster, was one of the highest-scoring players in the country. He was a fine athlete. They were one of the best teams in the country at the time."

Hornback also praised Koster. "He was an outstanding athlete, who could do it all. He was the best athlete in Kentucky, and he would've compared favorably with anybody in the

tackle August Throgmorton pounced on the ball as it rolled into the end zone. The extra point by Williams made the score 7-0 at halftime.

Winkenhofner was a defensive halfback as well as quarterback, and he made what turned out to be one of the game's big defensive plays.

"Koster was running a punt back and I was the last man between him and a touchdown. I was able to knock him out of bounds," Winkenhofner said.

The platoon system of an offensive team and defensive team didn't exist when Winkenhofner played, he said. They played both offense and defense.

"We didn't even know what going one-way was. We only played about 14 or 15 people in the Louisville game."

In the third quarter U of L had the wind, and the kicking game was a factor. The Cardinal punter kept Western in its own territory most of the quarter.

After a bad punt by Williams, Koster threw a 25-yard pass to his halfback, putting the Cardinals on Western's four-yard line.

Louisville scored the next play on a run, making the score 7-6. The Cardinals tried a two-point conversion, but offsetting penalties nullified the play. Louisville then decided to go for the extra point, but it was blocked by Western tackle Tom Ellis' chin.

Throgmorton came up with another great play late in the game to preserve the Topper victory. He intercepted a pass on the two-yard line as time ran out.

Statistics were as important then as they are now.

Winkenhofner threw seven times, completed two short passes and had two picked off — not impressive, but effective.

Western finished 5-4 on the year under Diddle, also basketball and baseball coach at the time.

Football has changed considerably since that homecoming game and the ways to show spirit are also different than they were 52 years ago.

"There was a lot of excitement and enthusiasm the week before the game, but we didn't have any big pep rallies like you do now," Winkenhofner said.

But homecoming still does today what it did on that cold November day in 1927. It brings students, faculty and alumni together.

"When you blocked you felt it all the way to your toes; you had to be tough to walk onto the field."

— Ted Hornback

amazingly, was not injured.

Another light moment came when Cy Williams tried to punt the ball on third down and missed the ball. "It is funny now but it wasn't too funny at the time," Winkenhofner said.

The game was only the third played in what was then called the "new stadium," with its impressive colonnade. The fine arts center occupies the space now.

The new stadium, built on the site of an old rock quarry, had been completed in time for the season's opening game.

About 3,500 people turned out for the first homecoming game.

Western had won two games — burying Bethel (Tenn.) College, 61-0, and shutting out Transylvania University, 27-0. The Toppers had lost three times — to Chattanooga, Georgetown and Kentucky Wesleyan.

The Nov. 5 contest was "a sensational football game," Kelly Thompson, a former Western president, said.

Thompson, a Danville High School senior in 1927, recalls that the game was highly publicized. "It made all the headlines," he said. "U of L had one of its all-time best teams. They were expected to have comparatively clear sailing over Western."

Winkenhofner remembers

country. He played pro ball back when making \$2,000 or \$3,000 was a lot of money.

But Hornback said Winkenhofner was an excellent player, too.

"Winky" was an outstanding quarterback," Hornback said. "He was a skinny kid, but he was tough as a nail."

Before the game began, an airplane circled the stadium several times before dropping a football to the field.

"Hog" Harrison recovered the ball, and after speeches from administrators, the game began.

Hornback described the day as cold and cloudy, but Winkenhofner said it was "a perfect day for football."

"It wasn't an overflow crowd, but it was the biggest one of the year and one of the noisiest crowds we had all that year," he said.

The game was exciting, even measured by today's standards.

After a scoreless first quarter during which Western had to dig in for a goal-line stand, the Toppers pushed Louisville deep into their own territory.

Winkenhofner described Western's only score of the afternoon:

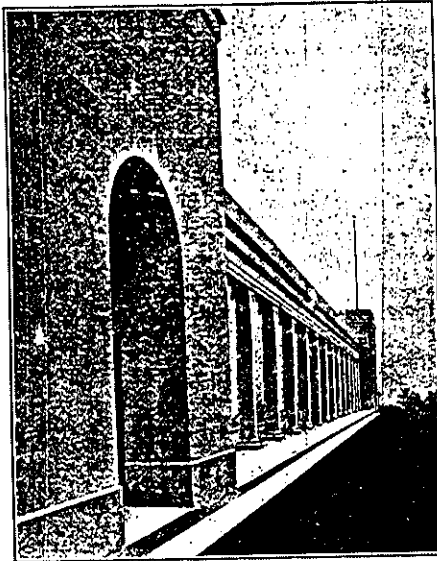
Louisville had to punt, and they got a bad snap from center. Western

Homecoming

On

College Heights

October 27, 1928



The Colonnade of the Stadium

WESTERN FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1928

Sept. 29—Centre—Danville. Score 12 to 0.
Oct. 6—Southwestern—Bowling Green.
Oct. 13—Bethel College of Tenn.—Bowling Green
Oct. 20—Middle Tenn. T. C.—Murfreesboro
Oct. 27—Georgetown—(Homecoming)—Bowling Green.
Nov. 3—University of Louisville—Bowling Green
Nov. 10—Kentucky Wesleyan—Bowling Green
Nov. 17—Union University—Jackson
Nov. 24—Cumberland University—Bowling Green
Nov. 27—Eastern Teachers College—Richmond

Western is preparing for a great Homecoming on October 27. Judging from the present interest and enthusiasm, every available seat in the Stadium will be taken. Western earnestly urges its students to disseminate Homecoming Day and to organize delegations to be here at that time.

WE'RE GOING HOME TO DEAR O'LD WESTERN

We're going home to dear old Western
And we can't get there too soon.
We want to see the blue grass waving
"Welcome Home" morn, night and noon.

College Days amongst the wild-wood
Always will be memories,
Back on the old Hill-top, where we are bound to
stop.
College Heights, We're here today.

CALENDAR OF THE DAY

9:30 to 11:30—Open-House Reception for Visitors, Alumni, and Citizens of Bowling Green. Groups will be conducted over the Hill from the Administration Building.
12:15—Dinner served in Dining Room of J. Whit Fetter Hall to those making reservations.
2:00—GAME. Western vs. Georgetown.
8:00 to 10:30—Faculty and Students' Reception to Western and Georgetown Team, Cedar House.

AN INVITATION

The Athletic Committee, the Board of Regents, Faculty, Students, and the Citizenship of Bowling Green join in a most cordial invitation to you to attend the HOMECOMING of the Western State Teachers College, which will be held in the new Stadium on College Heights, October 27, 1928.

We want you to come because we need your presence, loyalty, moral and material support in our efforts to advance the institution and to establish in its life a great annual HOMECOMING DAY when we can get together and renew old friendships and exchange experiences. We want you to come because hallowed memories bid you come, and everybody wants you to come. Bring your brothers, sisters, families and friends. If you cannot come in an automobile, come on the train or some other way. Come and spend a day on enlarged College Heights and observe the wonderful development that is taking place. All of the buildings will be open for inspection including the two handsome stone structures now being erected.

It is hoped that you will come and spend the entire day in order that you may have time to see the Hill, renew former associations and do other things.

The outstanding program of the day will be the Football game between the Varsity Team of the Western Teachers College and the Varsity Team of Georgetown College.

The game will be called at 2:00 P. M., and will be over in time for you to return to your home the same day, provided you desire to do so.

We will look for you on October 27th.

Very truly yours,

WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY
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H O M E C O M I N G

Saturday

November 2, 1923

CALENDAR OF THE DAY

7:30 - 11:30 West Hall open to all visitors. All other buildings will also be open.

8:30 - 11:30 Art Exhibit and Historical Museum open to visitors, citizens and students.

12:15 Dinner (35 cents) served in Dining Room of J. Whit Potter Hall to those making reservation. Otherwise lunch may be had in that building in the Tea Room or Sandwich Shop, if desired.

2:00 GAME. Western vs. Centre.

7:30 - 10:00 Reception to Homecoming students, visiting friends, and Centre Team, Cedar House.

WESTERN

HOMECOMING!

SAT. OCT. 25th

BEAT U of L!

MOISTEN INSIDE OF GLASS—PLACE THIS SIDE OF STICKER AGAINST WET SPOT ©PRYOR PRESS—CHICAGO

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE 1930 Western Kentucky Teachers College

VARSITY

SEPT. 27—CENTRE COLLEGE.....DANVILLE
OCT. 4—TRANSYLVANIA.....LEXINGTON
OCT. 11—BETHEL.....BOWLING GREEN
OCT. 18—MIDDLE TENNESSEE.....BOWLING GREEN
OCT. 25—UNIVERSITY LOUISVILLE...BOWLING GREEN
(Homecoming)
NOV. 1—KENTUCKY WESLEYAN...BOWLING GREEN
NOV. 15—GEORGETOWN.....BOWLING GREEN
NOV. 22—EASTERN.....RICHMOND
NOV. 27—KALAMAZOO (Western State Tech. College)
(Thanksgiving).....BOWLING GREEN
DEC. 5—MIAMI UNIVERSITY....CORAL GABLES, FLA.

FRESHMAN

OCT. 10—MADISONVILLE H. S.....MADISONVILLE
OCT. 24—UNIVERSITY LOUISVILLE.....LOUISVILLE
OCT. 31—VANDERBILT.....NASHVILLE
NOV. 7—KENTUCKY WESLEYAN...BOWLING GREEN
NOV. 14—GEORGETOWN.....GEORGETOWN
NOV. 21—AUSTIN PEAY NORMAL SCHOOL.....
.....CLARKSVILLE

Saturday, October 25, 1930

Cedar House open Saturday from 7:30 A.M. to 6:00 P. M. as a gathering center for visitors and guests.

Registration and Alumni News for College Heights Herald, Alumni Desk, Cedar House.

FRIDAY

- 6:30 P.M. - Annual Homecoming Banquet of History Club, Cedar House
Dr. Michael J. Demiashevich, Penbody College, Speaker.
- 6:45 P.M. - Pep Meeting, Stadium.
- 8:00 P.M. - Bonfire, Old Athletic Field.

SATURDAY

- 7:30 - 9:30 - Inspection of grounds and buildings. The beginning of a beautiful Italian Garden on the south side of Snell Hall should be seen.
- 9:30- 10:45 - Art Galleries and Historical Museum, third floor of Library, open to all visitors.
- 11:00-11:45 - Get-together Meeting in Little Theater
- 12:00 - Dinner (35 cents) served in Dining Room of J. Whit Potter Hall to those making reservation. Otherwise lunch may be had in that building in the Tea Room or Sandwich Shop, if desired.
- 12:30 - The Big Parade. Starts on State at Fourteenth, led by the Band.
- 2:00 - GAME - Western vs. U. of L.
- 6:00 - "W" Banquet, J. Whit Potter Hall.
- 7:30- 10:00 - The Faculty and Student Body will give an Informal Reception in the Cedar House for Homecoming Students, Visiting Friends, and Louisville Team.

W. K. T. C. HOMECOMING

Saturday, October 25, 1930.

CALENDAR OF THE DAY

Cedar House open all day as a gathering center for visitors and guests. Registration and Alumni news for College Heights Herald, Alumni Desk, Cedar House.

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9:30-10:45 Art Galleries and Historical Museum open to all visitors. The beginning of a beautiful Italian Garden on the south side of Snell Hall should be seen.

11:00 Get-Together meeting in Little Theater.

12:15 Dinner (35 cents) served in Dining Room of J. Whit Potter Hall to those making reservation. Otherwise lunch may be had in that building in the Team Room or Sandwich Shop, if desired.

2:00 GAME: --Western vs. U. of L.

6:00-10:00 Reception to Homecoming students, visiting friends, and Louisville team, Cedar House.

4. Y-E-A Team —or Western
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Y-E-A Team —or Western
Fight! Fight! Fight!

5. W-E-S-T-E-R-N —slow
W-E-S-T-E-R-N —faster and louder
W-E-S-T-E-R-N —faster and louder
Western! Western! Western!

6. Yea! —name of player leaving field
Yea! —name of player coming into game
Fight 'em!

7. College Heights!! College Heights!!
Smash 'em! Bust 'em!
That's our custom!
College Heights!

8. Clap! Clap! Clap! —clapping hands
Slap! Slap! Slap! —Slapping thighs
Silence Silence Silence —no sound
Western!

9. W-W-W—E-E-E—S-S-S—T-T-T
E-E-E—R-R-R—N-N-N
Western!

10. We want a touchdown! — lean to one side
We want a touchdown! — lean to other side

11. Y-e-a Team!
S-a-y Team!
Sock it to 'em!

WESTERN STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Twenty-fifth Anniversary and Homecoming



COLLEGE HEIGHTS YELLS

For the kick-off:

Skyrocket—All noise possible, ending with:
Boom-Rah! Rah! Western.

1. Rah! Rah! —Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! —Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! —Rah! Rah! Rah!
Western! Western! Western!

2. T-E-A-A-M
T-E-A-A-M
T-E-A-A-M

Team! Team! Team!
Who? Team!
What? Team!
What Team? — Western! Western! Western!

3. Fight Team Fight!
Fight Team Fight!
Fight Team! Fight Team!
Fight! Fight! Fight!

Over.

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WELCOME TO COLLEGE HEIGHTS

As our invitation to you was heartfelt so is our welcome today. We are glad you are here. We are glad to see you all. The Athletic Committee, the Board of Regents, the Alumni Association, the faculty, the present student-body, the citizens of Bowling Green extend each of you a warm handshake and the wish that the day will be a happy one in every respect. It is a joy to greet you again--it gives us genuine happiness to see you and to note your good health, good fortune, and ardent loyalty to College Heights. Your presence here today, your moral and material support in our efforts to advance the institution and to establish in its life a great annual HOMECOMINGDAY when we can thus get together and renew old friendships and exchange experiences, bring joy and happiness into our strenuous lives. Thank you for coming, for bringing your family and friends, and for entering into this occasion with the purpose of making this Homecoming the greatest yet experienced in the life of "Old Western". On your return at the close of this joyous occasion may you carry with you happy memories of a well spent day, the knowledge that you have given encouragement and pleasure to others, and the renewed desire to "Ring the Bell for Western",--as we are trying to do here.

We shall expect you again next year. Don't fail to come again.

Fraternally yours,

H. H. CHERRY

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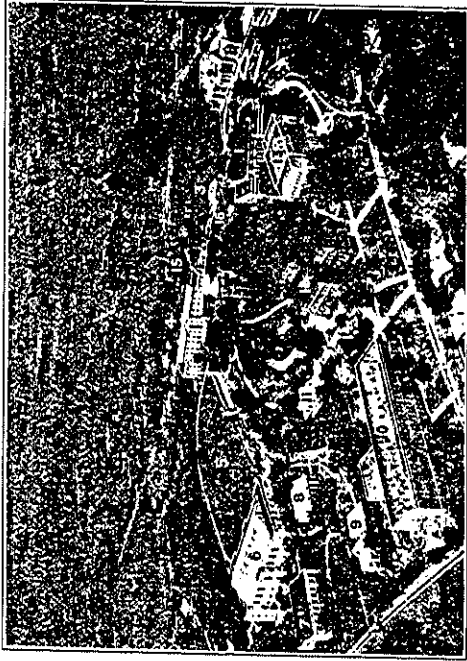
THE DEPRESSION SUPPER

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One of the many outstanding events of the homecoming celebration which was observed on College Heights on November 5th was the mammoth combination get-together rally and "Depression Supper" served in the Physical Education Building following the Hiottoppers victory over the Georgetown Tigers.

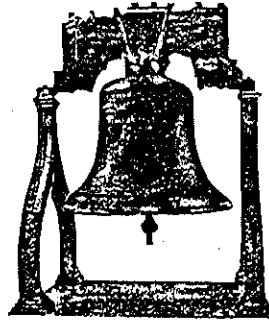
The supper which attracted between 2000 and 2500 guests and which was given free, was an overwhelming success in every way. The Depression Supper was a study in the economy of food values. Its total cost was less than eight cents a plate, yet its menu presented a bountiful repast for the hundreds of hungry homecomers who saw the Teacher team crash through the Georgetown defence for a 24-0 victory.

The college deserves much praise for the way in which the Western homecoming was handled. Every number of the day's program was a boost for Bowling Green and Warren County as well as the college. The Depression supper, however, because of its novelty, its economy, its sincerity and its building of good fellowship will long be remembered as one of the highlights of the 1932 homecoming.



"College Heights on Hill Top Fair"

WELCOME
TO
Western Kentucky Teachers College
HOMECOMING
"DEPRESSION SUPPER"



Ring the Bell for Western
November 5, 1932

GREETINGS

We wish you to accept this "Depression Supper" (actual cost of food contents 8 cents), not for its intrinsic value, but for the spirit which it expresses. The one principle which has actuated this institution from the time of its inception has been service. "Hard-times" has not stopped W. K. T. C. from serving and carrying out its ideals.

Service Ever Is Thy Goal

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

1. Western - Established as a Normal, 1906; made a Teachers College, 1922; authorized to establish a Graduate School, 1931.
2. Western - Appropriations for buildings and permanent improvements, 1906 - 1932, \$1,405,000; estimated value of plant and equipment at present, \$2,736,000, (not including Ogden College property).
3. Western - Faculty, 1907, 11; present faculty, 109. Students, first full year, 1907-1908, 1024; different students, school year, 1931 - 1932, 3900. College enrollment, present semester, larger than any previous fall semester; 48 percent of present enrollment men.
4. Western - Has issued 3307 life certificates; 1357 A. B. and B. S. degrees; 12 M. A. degrees (1932).
5. Western - 38 courses and 5 curricula offered in 1907; 291 courses and 11 curricula at present.

Life, More Life

WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY
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GENERAL

The Western Kentucky State Teachers College has enrolled now in the college proper more students than it has ever had at the same time of the year in its entire history. Fifteen "Rahs", for the spirit of the students of Western, who carry on with their educational work regardless of circumstances.

The spring semester at Western opens January 30, 1933. There will also be a nine week term open on April 3, 1933. These openings are arranged to suit the teachers in the rural schools. Prospects were never better for large enrollments at each of these enrollments.

The Third Congressional District Educational Association will meet in Western's auditorium on the 14 and 15 of October. An inspiring and educative program has been prepared. Alumni T. O. Hall and Barkus Gray are the leading officials. Attend this meeting, get help in your work and meet many old friends.

The varsity football team will play two more games after November 5 on the home grounds. One will be with Union University on November 12 and the other on Thanksgiving Day, November 24, with the University of Louisville. The freshman team will play its first home game against the freshman team of the University of Louisville on October 7.

The Alumni Association sponsors the Homecoming day, as it also sponsors the student breakfast in Louisville during the annual meeting of K. E. A. and the class reunions at Commencement time. The association publishes the College Heights Herald, the college paper. There is no better way to help Western than by subscribing for the paper and joining the association.

HOMECOMING AT WESTERN

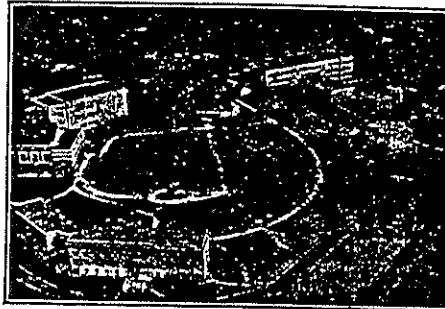
Bowling Green, Kentucky

NOVEMBER 5, 1932

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We will look for you then.
Very truly yours,
H. H. Cherry



"College Heights we hail thee.

We shall never fail thee."

THE DAY

Homecoming is truly a "coming home" - coming back to old familiar places to mingle with faces that once belonged there with you. When you were here at Western you looked forward eagerly to those holidays spent at home with Mother and Dad. Remember how glad they were to have you back! Nothing was too good for you during your stay with them. Western is a mother that has grown a bit lonely for you during the years you have been away. You will find her waiting to receive you with open arms. Nothing will be too good for you.

COME

The old saying that "All roads lead to Rome" is also true of Bowling Green. The roads are good now, so that from any point in Western or Central Kentucky, one can drive to this city, spend the day at Western and return to his home the same evening. Also, the bus and train schedules are so arranged that the same thing may be done by these means. It is easy and inexpensive to have a day of good fellowship on the Hill. Come for the sake of Auld Lang Syne.

STUDENTS WELCOME

To those who are in college now, your presence will be an inspiration. Your friends and members of your families will look after your welfare while you are here, and the sight of a familiar face and a bit of news from home will be a real joy to them. To those who would remain longer with us the hotels and restaurants offer the best of service at the lowest possible prices.

WHEN YOU GO

When you return we hope that you will carry with you pleasant memories of a well spent day, the knowledge that you have given pleasure to others, and that you will have a renewed desire to "Ring the Bell for Western", as we are trying to do here.

PROGRAM FOR THE DAY

10:00 A. M. Homecoming Chapel
Auditorium
(Music by Band, Short Talks and Rally, Songs and Cheers.)

12:00 Noon Luncheon
For Individual Groups, Classes, and the History Club
(Plates reserved for Class Groups and for the History Club, by writing to the Alumni office.)

2:00 P. M. Football Game
Stadium
WESTERN vs. GEORGETOWN

5:00 P. M. "Depression Supper"
Physical Education Building
Guests, Students, and Faculty, invited to this free supper.

(A demonstration of real economy in food values.)

8:00 P. M. Get-Together Meeting
Physical Education Building

HOMECOMING

WESTERN vs. MURRAY
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FRIDAY

OCTOBER 13

7:30 P.M.

There will be a rally held in the Stadium by students, friends, and visitors at this hour. A parade through the campus and city, led by the college band and directed by the cheer leaders will terminate with a bonfire on lower athletic field.

9:00 P.M.

HOMECOMING MIXER. An informal social gathering directed by the Social Committee of the institution will be held in the Physical Education Building. Light refreshments will be served.

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SATURDAY

OCTOBER 14

9:30 A.M.

A concert will be given by the college band in Vanneter Hall. No one can afford to miss this program. Come in time to hear it.

10:00 A.M.

A mass chapel will be held in Vanneter Hall. This will be one of the real features of HOMECOMING. The "Spirit of the Hill" will be the inspiration of the hour. Everybody will be on the program. Greetings by former students, visitors, and others will characterize the occasion. Come and be a part of this hour which promises to be the greatest mass chapel ever held on the Hill.

The entire campus and all of the buildings will be thrown open to the public. Visitors, students, faculty members, and their families are urged to bring their lunches or family dinners and spend the entire day on the campus. PLENTY OF DRINKING WATER AND COFFEE WILL BE SERVED WITHOUT COST BY THE INSTITUTION TO ALL WHO ARE PRESENT.

The culinary Department will prepare box lunches for all desiring them, at twenty-five cents each. Persons desiring to have lunches should notify Miss Helen Gwin, Dietitian, Western Teachers College. The lunches will be given out at the Cedar House from 12:00 to 12:30. LUNCHES WILL BE PREPARED ONLY FOR THOSE WHO NOTIFY MISS GWIN IN ADVANCE.

SATURDAY

OCTOBER 14

2:00 P.M.

The annual football game between Murray and Western Teachers College which has created a state-wide interest will occur in the Stadium. This contest promises to be a classic--one of the best games ever played on College Heights.

7:00 P.M. to

10:00 P.M.

Everybody is cordially invited to take part in an informal reunion in the Cedar House. Come and greet your classmates, friends, faculty members, and others; renew the friendships of the past and experience the associations of former days.

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S P E C I A L

Those who attend the game between Western and Murray will have the benefit of exceptionally low rates which have been made on account of the economic conditions that exist. A students and former students who secure their tickets in advance will be given a GENERAL ADMISSION ticket for SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS including tax. If these tickets are purchased at the gate, the rate will be \$1.00 plus tax. Any seat in the Stadium is a good one. Persons desiring tickets should write Miss Florence Schneider at once and mail a check.

1934 -- HOMECOMING AT WESTERN -- 1934

PROGRAM

FRIDAY NOV. 2 2 There will be a rally held in the Stadium by faculty, students, friends and alumni at this hour. A parade through the campus and city, led by the College Band and directed by the cheer leaders will terminate with a bonfire on the lower athletic field.
7:30 P. M.

SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 3
9:30 A. M. A concert will be given by the College Band in Van Meter Hall. The band will be composed of one hundred pieces and will offer one of the best programs it has ever given on Collogo Heights. No one can afford to miss being present. Come in time to hear it.

10:00 A. M. A mass chapel will be held in Van Meter Hall. This will be one of the real features of Homecoming. The "Spirit of the Hill" will be the inspiration of the hour. NOT A SINGLE INDIVIDUAL WILL BE PUT ON THE PROGRAM OR PROMPTED TO PARTICIPATE. NO ONE WILL BE CALLED UPON. EVERYONE WILL BE ON THE PROGRAM AND EVERYONE WILL BE LIMITED TO ONE MINUTE. COME PREPARED FOR A REAL ONE MINUTE SPEECH. The one minute speech may be a boost for education in Kentucky, for Western, for any worthy cause, or a call for a militant loyalty. It may be a suggestion or a challenge for everybody to move forward for Education. Any individual, neighborhood, county delegation or school desiring to put on a one minute stunt will have this opportunity. No one must use more than one minute.

The entire campus and all of the buildings will be thrown open to the public. Visitors, students, faculty members and their families are urged to bring their lunches or family dinners and spend the entire day on the campus. Plenty of drinking water and hot coffee will be served without cost by the institution to all who are present.

The Culinary Department will prepare box lunches for all who desire them at twenty-five cents each. Persons desiring these lunches should notify Miss Florence Schneider, Western Teachers College. Those desiring a box lunch should not fail to notify Miss Schneider. Lunches will be given out at the Cedar House from 12:00 to 12:30. LUNCHES WILL BE PREPARED FOR ONLY THOSE WHO NOTIFY MISS SCHNEIDER IN ADVANCE.

SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 3
2:00 P. M. The football game between Howard College of Birmingham, Ala. and Western will occur in the Stadium. This contest promises to be a classic--one of the best games ever played on Collogo Heights.

SATURDAY
NOVEMBER 3
7:00 P. M. Everybody is cordially invited to take part in an informal reunion in the Cedar House. Come and greet your classmates, faculty members and others. Renew the friendships of the past and experience the associations of former days.

Welcome!

Welcome!

HOMECOMING Programme 1936

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30

6:30 P.M. Rally in Stadium by students, friends, and visitors, terminated by a parade on the campus and bonfire on the lower athletic field.

7:30 P.M. Congress Debating Club Banquet Helm Hotel
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~~9:30 P.M.~~ Homecoming Dance 10:00 P.M.-2:00 A.M. Physical Education Building
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 31

9:30 A.M. Concert by College Band Vanmeter Hall
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10:00 A.M. Mass Chapel Vanmeter Hall
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12:00 P.M. History Club Luncheon Cedar House
12:00 Noon French Club Reunion Potter Hall
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2:00 P.M. Football Game Stadium
OGLETHORPE vs. WESTERN
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6:30 P.M. "W" Club Dinner Helm Hotel
7:00-9:00 P.M. Informal Reception for Alumni Cedar House
and other visitors * *

~~9:30 P.M.~~ Shadow Hop 9:00-11:45 P.M. Physical Education Building
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MUSEUM OPEN HOURS

8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.
12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.

LIBRARY OPEN HOURS

8:00 A.M. to 9:00 A.M.
10:30 A.M. to 2:00 P.M.

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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 8

- 5:45 - Assemble in stadium for rally and parade.
- 10:00 - 2:00 Homecoming Dance in Physical Education Building.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9

- 9:00 - 12:00 - OPEN HOUSE ON THE HILL
Headquarters - Administration Building
Visit the Henry Hardin Cherry Hall
Museum
- 2:15 - Presentation of Presidents and Captains of Tampa and Western.
- Presentation of football squads of '20', '30', '36'

GAME CALLED AT 2:30

- TAMPA UNIVERSITY vs. WESTERN - Stadium
- 6:30 - "W" Club Dinner - Helm Hotel
- 9:00 - 11:45 Shadow Hop - Physical Education Building.

1938 HOMECOMING 1938

Western State Teachers College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

October 28, 29

Friday, P.M.

- ^{6:15}~~5:45~~ Assembly at Stadium for Pep Rally and Parade
- ~~8:30~~ Bonfire and Program, Lower Athletic Field
- 7:00 Congress Club Dinner, Helm Hotel
- 10:00 Homecoming Dance, Physical Education Building

Saturday

- 10:00 A.M. Get-together Chapel, Van Meter Auditorium
- 11:00 A.M. Open House, Kentucky Museum
- 12:00 M. History Club Banquet, Helm Hotel
- 12:15 P.M. French Club Luncheon, Potter Hall
- 1:30 P.M. Meeting of Varsity Members of Football, Basketball, Baseball, and Track Squads of 1923, 1933, and 1937, Physical Education Building
- 2:00 P.M. Football Game:
WESTERN vs. WEST MICHIGAN STATE
- 5:00 P.M. Open House, Refreshments
West Hall, Potter Hall, and Cedar House
- 6:30 P.M. "W" Club Dinner, Helm Hotel
- 9:00 P.M. Shadow Hop, Physical Education Building

Reservations for Homecoming football game should be sent to Florence Schneider, Bursar.
(Reserved seats \$1.50 each)

1941 HOMECOMING 1941

Western State Teachers College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

October 25, 1941

Friday

- 6:30 P.M. Assembly at Stadium for Pep Rally and Parade
- 7:30 P.M. Bonfire and Program, Lower Athletic Field
- 10:00 P.M. Homecoming Dance, Physical Education Building

Saturday

- 8:45 A.M. Talisman Breakfast, Helm Hotel
- 10:30 A.M. Get-Together Chapel, Van Meter Auditorium
- 11:30 A.M. W Club Luncheon, Helm Hotel
- 11:30 A.M. Cherry Country Life Club, Milner Hotel
- 12:00 M. French Club Reunion, Potter Hall
- 12:15 P.M. History Club Luncheon, Helm Hotel
- 2:00 P.M. Football Game:
WESTERN vs. EASTERN
- 5:00 P.M. Open House, Refreshments, Potter Hall, West Hall, and Cedar House
- 6:00 P.M. Industrial Arts Dinner, Helm Hotel
- 6:30 P.M. Congress Debating Club Dinner, Helm Hotel
- 9:00 P.M. Shadow Hop, Physical Education Building

1942 HOMECOMING 1942
Western State Teachers College
Bowling Green, Kentucky
November 7, 1942

Friday

9:00 P.M. Homecoming Dance, Physical
Education Building

Saturday

10:15 A.M. Pep Rally and General Get-together
for Students, Alumni, and Friends

12:00 M. French Club Reunion, Potter Hall

12:00 M. Studio Club Get-together Luncheon,
Helm Hotel

12:00 M. History Club Luncheon, Helm Hotel

2:00 P. M. Football Game:

WESTERN VS. TENNESSEE TECH

4:00 P.M. Open House, Refreshments, Cedar
House

4:00 P.M. Open House, West Hall, Potter Hall,
and Kentucky Building

9:00 P.M. Shadow Hop, Physical Education
Building

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BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY

Friday, October 25, 1946

First Post-War Homecoming Here Today And Tomorrow

Topper-Bronco Game High-Lights Weekend

By David Whittaker, Editor

Tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 in the Western stadium, the main event of this year's Homecoming program will get under way when the once beaten Western Hilltoppers renew their twenty-three year old rivalry with the Broncos of Western college. As was the case in the U. of L. traces played Saturday, the local gridlers will enter the game cast in the role of the underdog. However, the prognosticators of pliskin know too well that performance of the Western squad, too, they know that the Hilltoppers have a record of hanging iron eleven Homecoming tussles while losing three contests in the sixteen Homecoming games thus played. Two contests were deadlock affairs.

In 1938, the Toppers upset a favored Bronco eleven, 13-6, with "Big Train" Murphy providing the spark. Again, in 1940, the Kentuckians kicked the dope bucket out the window to the tune of 25-6 over the West Michigan visitors on Homecoming. But, except for the Homecoming tussles, the Red and Grey has had little success against their rivals winning three, losing nine, and tying one. The Brown and Gold waved early in this rivalry as the Michiganers, beginning with 1923, rolled up eight wins and had to be content with one tie in the first nine meetings with Western. In 1938, the Toppers broke the ice with their first win over the Broncos. They repeated with wins again in 1939 and 1940. In the last contest played between the two teams which took place in 1941, the Michiganians tallied to a 21-7 victory.

The Hilltoppers are returning to the gridiron after a three year lapse. While West Michigan, due to the presence of naval and marine trainees, postponed in their pliskin victories over Alma college, Ohio university, Valparaiso, and Wooster.

Not One, But Two Sets Of Twins Lead Cheers For The 1946-47 Hilltoppers



Probably the only college in the United States to boast two sets of twins on its cheer leading team, Western rooters will be fed by the above seven this year. Listed left to right are: Joe Baxter, 24 Fourteenth Street; Helen Willmet and Hazel Willmet, 1023 Rutledge Avenue; Martha Shacklett, Fairdale; Anna Jo and Betty Jo Cook, London; and J. R. Cowles, 1039 College Street.

After the usual announcements in chapel Thursday morning, October 17th, Dr. Ward Sumpter announced the names of those students trying out for the cheering squad. Eleven hopeful students displayed their ability in leading the assembly in a school yell. After all had finished, they were called on singly so that the student body might ascertain which of the students would represent Western as cheer leaders. The election this year was conducted by secret ballot. To fill the gap in the program while the students were voting, the band rendered several selections including the Western cheer song.

Results of the election, tabulation of which was completed at 2 o'clock that afternoon, were announced by L. I. Smith, chairman of the college's athletic committee. Leading the college yells will be Misses Betty Jo and Anna Jo Cook in a game with two years of Western cheer leading to their credit. Miss Hazel and Helen Willmet, 1023 Rutledge Avenue; Martha Shacklett, Fairdale; Joe Baxter, 24 Fourteenth Street; and J. R. Cowles, 1039 College Street.

The group, which ordinarily has leave tomorrow's game early in the afternoon, was scheduled to have first period to have your eyes examined. You aren't seeing double.

Rally, Parade, Bonfire, Chapel Feature Events

Happy days are here again! Western's first post-war Homecoming, which will be observed on the campus today and tomorrow, has revived all of the traditional highlights of Homecomings in pre-war days. President Paul I. Garrett, along with the entire faculty and student body, expects the largest crowd in Homecoming history. Under the supervision of Mr. Charles Taylor, chairman of the Homecoming Committee, extensive plans have been made to provide for a weekend crammed full of excitement and thrills reminiscent of past Homecomings.

This, the seventeenth annual Western Homecoming, promises to surpass even those historic get-togethers of the past. For, after a four year lapse caused by the world-wide conflict, alumni who have been eagerly awaiting this day for a span of years will return to the Hill.

Highlights of the Homecoming program—the Western-West Michigan football game, will be dedicated to the Western men and women who served in the armed forces during World War II. At half-time, a dedication ceremony honoring those Westerners who lost their lives while in service for their country will take place. "Gold Stars" parents will be honored guests of the institution.

The capra-raising event will take place at the stadium this evening at 6:15 when students, alumni, faculty members, and down-town fans will convene to hold a pre-game pep rally. The stands will be empty to form a parade, led by the Red and Grey band under the direction of Dr. Hugh Gunderson. The parade will form at the stadium, sweep down the Hill to circulate through down-town Bowling Green before returning to the lower athletic field for the traditional-stepped bonfire.

The bonfire is sponsored by basketball Coach E. A. Didde, who has salvaged enough tics minus threads and rubbish to provide a real treat to bonfire-lovers. Impromptu

The Point Brush
Students and faculty were quick and emphatic in their condemnation of the vandals who smeared red paint on Western's buildings on Friday night. The

Class Officers Are Elected

"Cross Your Fingers"
As the HERALD goes to press, word reaches us concerning candidates in the Hilltopper football camp.

Two Western freshmen, highly regarded by the faculty,

Jack Hicks and Bruce Turner attended the National Out-Board Speed Races at Paris, Tennessee, on September 28.

The North Kentucky Alumni Association of Western will hold its annual dinner on November 8 at Newport.

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have announced the marriage of their daughter, Marjorie, to Gene Madison, Scottsville. The wedding took place in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison are both former students of Western.

Crenshaw-Miller

The marriage of Miss Bernice Crenshaw, daughter of Mrs. Hazel Crenshaw, to Randall Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Miller, was solemnized on Saturday, October 12.

Mrs. Miller is employed at General Electric. Mr. Miller is a student at Western and is also employed as an engineer at WLB.

Personals

Bubba Atwell visited his home in Nashville, October 10-13.

Jimmie Wedding visited his home in Beaver Dam, October 10-13.

Bob Richardson, former Westerner from Valley Station, spent last week in the Hill.

Mary Virginia Averitt was at home in Lebanon last Saturday and Sunday.

Clara Ramsey, former Westerner now attending the University of Louisville, was in town for the Western-U. of L. game last Saturday.

Miss Justine Lynn, of the English department, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Sexton, in Cadiz. Mrs. Sexton, the former Mabel Lynn, is Western graduate.

Raldon M. Smith, son of Dr. and Mrs. Bert R. Smith, and a former student of Western, will return with his wife for the Homecoming. He is now engaged in the engineering use of the government arsenal at Prattville, Alabama.

Mary Phil Egerton spent last Sunday at her home in Cadiz.

and Park

Most Popular Center.

Dining Room
parties
places
in Pavillion
at

TECH BEND

the action resulting in the award. Sergeant Stickles was a member of the 78th division.

Maj. Willie C. Head read the citation with the medal being presented by Lt. Col. Richard Agnew, P. M. S. & T.

At present, Mr. Stickles is attending Indiana university, from which he will graduate this year. He plans later to enter law school. Mr. Stickles attended Western for three years before entering the armed forces.

RALLY, PARADE,

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speeches by members of Western's faculty, coaches, and football players will be served up during the course of events. Rumor has it that Coach Diddle, one of Western's most effective cheer-leaders, may be prevailed upon to lead several yells at the rally.

Following the bonfire, the group will move their headquarters to the gymnasium for the Annual Homecoming Dance, which will begin at 9 p. m.

Billy Butterfield's orchestra will be on hand at the gymnasium to render the well-known "Butterfield treatment" to Homecomers. Butterfield is a young master of the trumpet who has blown himself and his band right to the top. He is currently ranked as one of the top five trumpet-men in the nation. His featured vocalist, Pat O'Connor, is an eye-catching Irish thrush.

A mass chapel welcoming former Western students and alumni will be held in Van Meter auditorium at 10:30 tomorrow morning. President Garrett will be on hand to extend a warm note of welcome which will be echoed by his entire staff.

Western's Hilltoppers vs West Michigan's Broncos! That event, which will unfold in the stadium at 2:00 tomorrow afternoon, will climax the 1946 Homecoming. Western's newly-lighted stadium is expected to be packed for this contest. In sixteen Homecoming tussels, the Hilltoppers have emerged victoriously eleven times but they have dropped nine of thirteen past games with the tough Broncos from Kalamazoo.

Open house will be held in West hall, Potter hall, the Cedar house, and the Kentucky library after the game. Former students, visitors and

Closing the '46 Homecoming will be the Shadow Hop in the gymnasium. The remainder of the weekend will be used to hold informal get-togethers, renew old friendships and visit familiar campus scenery.

RENOWNED MUSICIAN

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Weidman Dance company in New York. At present, he is Professor of Piano and Theory at Syracuse university and Assistant Director of the School of Music at that institution.

Mr. Nowak's outstanding musicianship secured for him in Ohio, the First Award for Piano Playing on three occasions. He has given numerous solo recitals and chamber music performances including two appearances with the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra. He was pianist and composer at the Yaddo Music Festival in 1940, and was guest conductor, composer, and pianist with the Federal Orchestra at Cleveland.

A talented composer, his musical compositions include works for the

Hawkins' Day an almost national holiday, Al Capp, hats off!

ROBERT SHAVER

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ford, Ohio, who delivered the address of the morning at Van Meter auditorium. His subject was "Danube River Flows Down Main Street".

Because many American soldiers who gave their lives in World War II are buried along the banks of the Danube, Dr. McConnell feels that the river has much meaning to the American public. He added that the relationship with Russia should be based upon mutual understanding as is our association with Canada.

Dr. McConnell also gave his opinion on the situation in Yugoslavia.

piano, voice, chorus, chamber music, ballets, and two orchestral suites.

Among the pieces which will be played on Friday are two of his own compositions, "Four Pages from Musical Diary" and "Two Phantasms." Beethoven, Liszt, and Brahms will also be represented.

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Team 100%.

The Goal

1948 HOMECOMING 1948

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, November 12

- 6:45 P. M. Assembly at Stadium for Parade to Lower Athletic Field
- 7:15 P. M. Bonfire and Pep Rally, Lower Athletic Field
- 9:30 P. M. Homecoming Dance, Physical Education Building

Saturday, November 13

- 10:15 A. M. Get-together Chapel, Van Meter Auditorium
- 2:00 P. M. Football Game:
WESTERN vs EASTERN
- 4:00 P. M. Open House, Refreshments, Cedar House, Potter Hall, West Hall
- 6:30 P. M. Annual W Club Dinner
- 9:00 P. M. Shadow Hop, Physical Education Building

All Homecomers are especially invited to visit the Kentucky Building, housing the Kentucky Museum and the Kentucky Library. Receptionists will conduct tours of the building throughout the day except during the hours of chapel and the football game.

1949 HOMECOMING 1949

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky.

Friday, November 4

- 7:00 P.M. Western Stadium, Pep Rally,
Program, Fireworks Display.
9:00 P.M.— Physical Education Building,
1:00 A.M. Annual Homecoming Dance.

Saturday, November 5

- 9:00 A.M. Helm Hotel, Western Players'
Breakfast.
10:30 A.M. Van Meter Auditorium, Home-
coming Get-together Chapel.
2:00 P.M. Western Stadium,
WESTERN vs DELTA STATE
4:00 P.M. Cedar house, Potter Hall, West
Hall, Kentucky Building, Open
House, Refreshments.
7:00 P.M. Helm Hotel, Annual W-Club
Dinner
9:00 P.M.— Physical Education, Homecom-
Midnight ing Shadow Hop.

All Homecomers are especially invited to visit the Kentucky Building, housing the Kentucky Museum and the Kentucky Library. Receptionists will conduct tours of the building throughout the day except during the hours of chapel and the football game. Coffee served throughout the day.

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persons, who have served on the a period of as long as twenty-

plaque, measuring six by inches, bears the recipient's the period of years of his and reads: "In appreciation of five years faithful service Western Kentucky State College."

These Received Plaques Following is a list of persons receiving plaques, the years for which and their capacity on the via Bailey, 1920-1945, maid economics building; John 1923-1948, cook at cafeteria; G. Craig, 1922-1947, head of manship department; Lotta 23-1948, head of the home ics department; E. A. Diddle,

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Diddle To Tell Recent Trip

E. A. Diddle, who arrived yesterday morning from a week visit to Germany and European countries, will re-experiences at chapel Wed-

Diddle's work was the con- of a basketball clinic for ce personnel stationed in the n area. He was accom- by Claire Bee, coach of and university, Dallas Shir- Eastern Conference referee, lbert McDonald, Big Nine nce referee.

his stay he visited New- d, the Azore Islands, Paris, Italy, and Iceland. Mr. Did- scribed the American and zones of Germany as show- t signs of reconstruction. ing fell on the coach when d the Nazi prison camp at where 238,000 German Jews

tell in true Diddle fashion his as well as his relation- the basketball clinic. Mr. stated that it was probably t successful clinic that he attended.

Dogpatch Comes To Hill Sadie Hawkins Party

e Puckett folks! This is your wander- ber speaking to you from s gym in dogpatch. For e been hearing about "Sadie Day," and now here I am it all I've seen all the folks from Daisy Mae to e Polecat. like they're getting ready to ig square dance and Mar- ifin, better known as e emceeing this gala oc- While the fellows in the e tuning up their instru- e square-dance caller is his throat. Looks like all re rarin' to go That's over! Now to join d for refreshments of cider mts. It sure was nice of

Columbus Boychoir Gives First Concert Of Season

The Columbus Boychoir made its second appearance in Bowling Green Tuesday, November 8, when it presented the first of this season's Community Concert Series.

The group, which was composed of forty boys between the ages of ten and fourteen, was directed by Herbert Huffman, with Donald Bryant as accompanist.

The first portion of the program consisted of the following numbers: "Ascendit Deus," a motet by Hankl; "Kyrie Eleison," Antonio Lotta; "Fac ut ardeat cor meum," from "Stabat Mater," Giovanni Pergolesi; and Benjamin Britten's "Ceremony of Carols," a medley of old Christmas carols.

Mr. Bryant at the piano played Chopin's Etude Opus 10, No. 3, Liszt's

Poems By Seven On Hill Accepted

Seven poems by Western students have been accepted by the National Poetry Association for publication in the 1949 edition of the Annual Anthology of College Poetry, AMERICA SINGS.

The poems are as follows: "Continuation," by Douglas Moseley; "To Summer," by Robert W. Lavoy; "The Poet," by Carolyn Boyd; "Childhood," by Raymond Batton; "Unfeeling," by Ina Ware Thornbury; "The Song of Morning," by Stanford L. Simmons; and "The End of Day," by E. Price Smith.

The Anthology is a compilation of the finest poetry written by the college men and women of America, representing every section of the country. Selections were made from thousands of poems submitted.

BULLETIN

A box has been placed on the table in the English "channel" for the use of students and faculty. Any news for publication in the COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD should be placed in this box for the consideration of the HERALD staff.

the four dorms, who incidentally are sponsoring this shindig, to furnish the eats.

I'd like to take this opportunity to mention the names of those who are doing a fine job of chaperoning. They are Dean F. C. Grise and his family; Dr. Ward Sumpter, of the chemistry department, and his wife; Mrs. Mary Drew, housemother of the new dorm; Mr. Leonard T. Hardin, supervisor of Potter hall; Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clark, managers of the Rockhouse; Dr. Judson Griffin, head of the geography department, and his wife; and Dr. Hugh Johnson, of the mathematics department, and his wife.

I can hear "Griff" announcing a

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Hungarian Rhapsody No. 15, and an encore.

The Boychoir then presented Bastien and Bastenne, a comic opera in one act by Mozart.

The last group included Schubert's "Ave Maria," featuring a soprano soloist and repeated as a result of the tremendous ovation of the audience; "Tee Roo," a southern folk song by Gail Kubik, "Echo Song"; "The Deaf Old Woman," a Missouri folk song arranged by James J. Savage; and a medley of American show tunes arranged by Lowell Riley, including, "It's a Grand Night for Singing," "Surrey with the Fringe on Top," "All the Things You Are," and "Halleluhah."

The encores were "Coming through the Rye," a second Medley of Show Tunes, including "Begin the Beguine," "I Hear Music" and "Yankee Doodle Boy," "Shortening Bread," and the melodic setting of "The Lord's Prayer" as the closing selection.

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Homecoming Is Great Success

Western's twentieth annual Homecoming, held November 4 and 5, has been termed one of the most successful in the history of the college. Nearly 4,000 students, homecomers, faculty, and townsmen attended the ceremonies, which saw the crowning of Teddy Lou Johnson as the first homecoming Queen.

Miss Johnson, a senior from London, was crowned at halftime of the Western-Delta State football game by United States Representative John A. Whitaker. Her attendants were Dorothy Agnew, Owensboro senior, and Judy Pruitt, Princeton sophomore.

Homecoming got under way with a pep rally at the College stadium Friday evening. A brilliant array of fireworks climaxed the rally. Following the pep rally many of the aggregation attended the dance at the gymnasium. David Livingston and his Red and Gray orchestra played for the dance and also for the Saturday night Shadow Hop.

One disappointment fell on the campus Saturday afternoon when the Delta State Statesmen handed the Western Hilltoppers a 12-7 defeat in the Homecoming game.

Another outstanding halftime attraction was the parading of six high school bands and the Western band. They formed the words YEA ALUMNI as the audience sang "Auld Lang Syne," accompanied by the bands.

Among other memorable events that will be remembered with the most successful Homecomings in Western history were the Saturday morning Homecoming get-together chapel; open house at the Cedar house, Kentucky building, West hall, and Potter hall; the breakfast given by the Western Players at the Helm hotel Saturday morning; and the annual "W"-club meeting at the Helm hotel Saturday night.

Western chorus and the physical education club.

Betty Sue Webb, Tompkinsville. Miss Webb, a senior home economics major is secretary of the senior class and a member of the home economics club.

Josephine Riggsby, Bowling Green, a senior English major. She is a member of the English club.

Lou Nell Russell, Princeton, a sophomore music major. She is a majorette in the Western band.

Joanne Puckett, Owensboro, a sophomore physical education major. Miss Puckett, who was battalion sponsor for the cadet corps last year, is a member of the physical education club.

Mary Ruth Page, Columbia, a sophomore English major. Miss Page is a member of the English club and the French club.

Dorothy Agnew, Owensboro, a senior majoring in both biology and mathematics. She was elected to WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN UNIVERSITIES AND COLLEGES and is assistant editor of the TALISMAN. A member of the biology club, Miss Agnew was a "Campus Favorite" last year and an attendant to this year's Homecoming Queen.

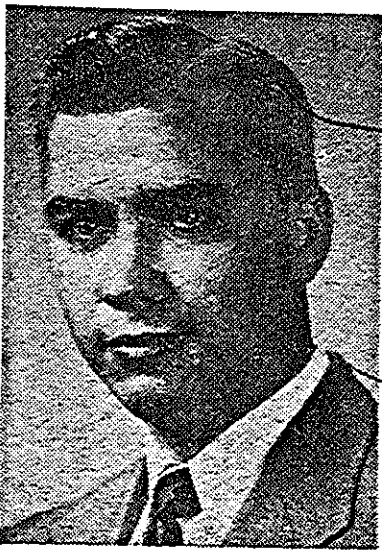
Plans for this year's Military Ball, one of the highlights of Western's social calendar, indicate a bigger and better Ball than ever. Tickets, which may be purchased from any cadet, will be \$2.50 in advance or \$3.00 at the door.

ROTC Sponsors Chosen For Year By Cadets

Nina Koenan and Jean Amos have been selected by the ROTC cadets as sponsors for this year. Miss Koenan will be battalion sponsor for the Infantry and, Miss Amos will be group sponsor for the Air Force.

Miss Koenan, is junior from Hansen, is majoring in English. Miss Amos, a sophomore from Cave City, is majoring in physical education.

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Hugh Noffsinger has been elected president of the completely reorganized Congress debating club.

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1950 HOMECOMING 1950

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, November 10

- 6:30 P. M. Western Stadium, Pep Rally,
Program, Fireworks Display.
- 9:00 P. M. Western Gymnasium, Annual
Homecoming Dance

Saturday, November 11

- 9:00 A. M. Helm Hotel, Western Players'
Breakfast.
- 10:30 A. M. Van Meter Auditorium, Home-
coming Get-together Chapel.
- 2:00 P. M. Western Stadium,
WESTERN vs EASTERN
- 4:30 P. M. Cedar House, Potter Hall,
West Hall, Kentucky Building,
New Residence Hall, Open
House and Refreshments.
- 7:00 P. M. Helm Hotel, Annual W-Club
Dinner.
- 9:00 P. M. Western Gym, Homecoming
Shadow Hop.

All Homecomers are especially invited to visit the Kentucky Building, housing the Kentucky Museum and the Kentucky Library. Receptionists will conduct tours of the building throughout the day except during the hours of chapel and the football game. Coffee served throughout the day.

FINAL HOME GAME OF THE SEASON,
Nov. 18 2:00 P. M. WESTERN vs MURRAY
IN THE WESTERN STADIUM

1951 HOMECOMING 1951
Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, October 19

- 7:30 P.M. Western Stadium, Pep Rally, Program
Fireworks Display.
9:00 P.M. Western Gymnasium, Homecoming
Dance.

Saturday, October 20

- 8:15 A.M. Ferrell's Drive-In, College Heights
Herald Breakfast.
8:30 A.M. Music Dept. Breakfast, Archway Inn
8:30 A.M. Snell Hall, Cherry Country Life Club
Homecoming Get-Together.
9:00 A.M. Homecoming Parade
(Sponsored by W-Club)
9:00 A.M. Helm Hotel, Western Players
Breakfast
10:30 A.M. Van Meter Auditorium, Homecoming
Get-Together Chapel
12 Noon Ferrell's Drive-In, English Club
Luncheon
2:00 P. M. Western Stadium
WESTERN vs TENNESSEE TECH
4:00 P.M. Kentucky Building
Feature Homecoming Reception
7:30 P.M. Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner
9:00 P.M. Western Gymnasium
Homecoming Shadow Hop

Homecomers and the general public are invited to attend a piano recital by Dr. Steven Barwick, new head of the Western piano department, in Van Meter Auditorium, Sunday afternoon, October 21, at 3:30 P.M.

1952 HOMECOMING 1952

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 7

6:30 -P.M. - 15th Street front of Cherry Hall. Assembly for downtown parade.

7:15 -P.M. - Baseball field, Bonfire and Pep Rally.

9:00 -P.M. - Western Gymnasium. Homecoming Dance.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 8

8:15 -A.M. - Ferrell's Drive-in, College Heights Herald Breakfast.

9:00 -A.M. - Archway Inn, Music Dept. Breakfast.

9:00 -A.M. - Helm Hotel, Western Players Breakfast.

10:50 -A.M. - Van Meter Auditorium, Homecoming Get-Together Chapel.

12 Noon Ferrell's Drive-In, English Club Luncheon.

2:00 -P.M. - Western Stadium.
WESTERN vs EASTERN

4:00 -P.M. - Kentucky Building.
Feature Homecoming Reception.

7:00 -P.M. - Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner.

9:00 -P.M. - Western Gymnasium.
Homecoming Shadow Hop.

1954 Homecoming 1954

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, November 5

- 7:00 P.M. Baseball Field, Bonfire and Pep Rally
9:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M. Student Union, Homecoming Dance, music by Red and Gray

Saturday, November 6

- 8:00 A.M. Student Union, College Heights Herald Breakfast
8:30 A.M. Student Union, Music Department Breakfast
9:00 A.M. Kentucky Building, Art Club Coffee featuring water color Exhibit by Mr. Ivan Wilson
10:00 A.M. Kentucky St. rear of Bowling Green high school, Assembly for parade through downtown area and back to Van Meter Auditorium
11:00 A.M. Van Meter Auditorium, Homecoming Chapel
12 Noon Student Union, Western Players Luncheon
2:00 P.M. Western Stadium
WESTERN vs. EASTERN
4:30 P.M. Student Union, Feature Homecoming Reception
7:00 P.M. Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner
9:00 P.M. to Midnight - Student Union Building Shadow Hop, music by Red and Gray

1955 HOMECOMING 1955

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, November 18

7:00 P. M. Baseball Field, Bonfire and Pep Rally
9:00 P. M. - 1:00 A. M. Student Center, Homecoming Dance, music by Red & Gray

Saturday, November 19

8:00 A. M. Student Center, College Heights Herald Breakfast
8:00 A. M. - 11:00 A. M. Art Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room 300, photographs by Mr. Herman Lowe, "Europe and Bibleland - 1955".
8:30 A. M. Student Center, Music Department Breakfast
9:00 A. M. Kentucky Building, Art Club Coffee
9:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon Kentucky Building, Featuring watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson
10:30 A. M. Van Meter Auditorium, Homecoming Chapel
12 Noon Student Center, Western Players' Luncheon
12 Noon Student Center, Arts and Crafts Club Luncheon
1:00 P. M. Homecoming Parade on Campus and in Stadium
2:00 P. M. Western Stadium
WESTERN vs. MURRAY
4:30 P. M. Student Center, Feature Homecoming Reception
7:00 P. M. Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner
9:00 P. M. - Midnight Student Center, Shadow Hep, music by Red & Gray

An all day exhibition in Room 315, Cherry Hall, will be given by the Penmanship Department.



HOMECOMING QUEEN Pattye Thompson receives a buss from her father, Western president E. Kelly Thompson, during halftime ceremonies at yesterday's Western-Murray football game. Miss Thompson's escort is Harry Gray.

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**50th ANNIVERSARY
1956 HOMECOMING 1956**

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

Friday, October 19

7:00 P. M. Baseball Field, Bonfire and Pep Rally
9:00 P. M. - 1:00 A. M. Student Center, Homecoming Dance, music by Red & Gray

Saturday, October 20

8:00 A. M. Ferrell's Restaurant, College Heights
Herald Breakfast
9:00 A. M. Manhattan Towers, Music Department Breakfast
9:00 A. M. Kentucky Building, Art Club Coffee
9:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon Kentucky Building, Featuring watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson
9:00 A. M. - 12:00 Noon Art Gallery, Cherry Hall room 300, Oil Painting Exhibit courtesy of Studio Guild, Redding, Conn.
10:30 A. M. Van Meter Auditorium, Homecoming Chapel
12 Noon Helm Hotel, Western Players' Luncheon
1:00 P. M. Homecoming Parade on Campus and in Stadium
2:00 P. M. Western Stadium
WESTERN vs. EASTERN
4:30 P. M. Student Center, Feature Homecoming Reception
7:00 P. M. Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner
7:00 P. M. Helm Hotel, Small Dining Room, dinner for wives and guests of W-Club members
9:00 P. M. - Midnight Student Center, Shadow Hop, music by Red & Gray
An all day exhibition in Room 315, Cherry Hall, will be given by the Penmanship Department.

1957 HOMECOMING 1957

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8

6:30 P.M. Baseball Field, Bonfire and Pep Rally

9:00-1:00 A.M. Student Center, Homecoming Dance,
music by Red and White Orchestra

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9

8:00 A.M. Olde Fort Restaurant, College Heights
Herald Breakfast

9:00 A.M. Kentucky Building, Art Club Coffee

9:00-10:30 A.M. Art Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room
300, Watercolor Exhibit, Courtesy of
Studio Guild, Redding, Connecticut

9:00-10:30 A.M. Kentucky Building, Featuring
Watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson

10:30 A.M. Van Meter Auditorium
HOMECOMING CHAPEL

12:00 Noon Helm Hotel, Western Players' Luncheon

1:00 P.M. Homecoming Parade

2:00 P.M. Western Stadium
WESTERN vs. MOREHEAD

4:30 P.M. Student Center
FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION

7:00 P.M. Helm Hotel, W-Club Dinner

7:00 P.M. Helm Hotel, Small Dining Room,
Dinner for wives of W-Club member

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PRETTY AS A PICTURE are these three finalists in the Homecoming queen contest. From left are Phyllis Robinson, junior from Hazard; Alice Chumbly, freshman from Jamestown, and Gayle Young, sophomore from Glasgow. The queen will be announced at halftime of the Homecoming game tomorrow afternoon.

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To Represent
Western In
1957 Festival



TEN CANDIDATES were chosen by the student body to run for Homecoming Queen. These ten were again voted on during Chapel Wednesday. All of whom will be seen in the Homecoming parade tomorrow afternoon. They are, from left, Sandra Fuqua, Paducah; Melanie Sue Rowland, Madisonville; Gayle Young, Glasgow; Alice Chumbly, Jamestown; Marilyn Jones, Simpsonville and Ellen Layman, Valley Station. On back row from left are Sandra Dunham, Evansville; Phyllis Robinson, Hazard; Marilyn Paris, Seymour, Ind., and Jane Lovell, Morganfield.

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HOMEcoming CHAPEL

Saturday, November 9, 1957

Van Meter Auditorium 10:30 A. M.

President Kelly Thompson, Presiding

Music	Western Band
Invocation	Dean F. C. Grise
Welcome	Mr. Dero Downing
Response from the Alumni	Mr. Lee Robertson
Music	Western Band
Remarks	Head Coach Nick Denes
Selection of Homecoming Queen	Mr. Lisle Sherrill
Closing Remarks	Dr. Kelly Thompson
"College Heights"	Western Band

Mrs. Jeanette Rider Sallee

1958 HOMECOMING 1958

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31

6:30 P.M. Bonfire and Pep Rally, Baseball Field
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance, music by Red and White
1:00 A.M. Orchestra, Student Center

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 1

8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria,
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:45 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Ferrell's Restau-
rant, following breakfast open house at Music
Building
9:00-10:30 A.M. Art Club Open House and Student Show, Art
Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room 300
9:00-10:30 A.M. Watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson, Kentucky
Building.
9:00-10:30 A.M. Exhibit of Penmanship, Lettering & Engrossing,
Cherry Hall, Room 315
9:00-10:30 A.M. Geography Department Coffee, Cherry Hall,
Room 308
10:30 A.M. HOMECOMING CHAPEL
Van Meter Auditorium
11:45 A.M. to Western Players' Luncheon, Helm Hotel
12:45 P.M.
12:30 P.M. Homecoming Parade
1:40 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. WESTERN vs. EASTERN
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
6:00 P.M. W-Club Dinner, Helm Hotel
6:00 P.M. Dinner for wives of W-Club members, Helm
Hotel, Small Dining Room

1959 HOMECOMING 1959

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 16

6:15 P.M. Bonfire and Pep Rally, Baseball Field
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance, (music by Karl Garvin's
1:00 A.M. Orchestra), Student Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17

8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria,
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:15 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western Hills
Restaurant
9:00 A.M. to Home Economics Department coffee, Home
10:15 A.M. Economics Department
9:00 A.M. to Open House in Art Department, Japanese Print
10:30 A.M. Exhibit, Art Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room 300
9:00 A.M. to Exhibit of Penmanship, Lettering & Engrossing,
10:30 A.M. Cherry Hall, Room 315
9:00 A.M. to Geography Department coffee, Cherry Hall,
10:30 A.M. Room 308
9:00 A.M. to Watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson, Kentucky
10:30 A.M. Building
9:00 A.M. to High School art exhibit, Western Training
10:30 A.M. School, Room 29
9:00 A.M. to Physics Department open house, Cherry Hall,
10:30 A.M. Room 229
9:00 A.M. to College art exhibit, Western Hills Restaurant
4:00 P.M.

HOMECOMING CHAPEL
Van Meter Auditorium

11:30 A.M. Western Players' Luncheon, Helm Hotel
11:45 A.M. Informal luncheon for French Club alumni,
Cafeteria, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
12:30 A.M. Homecoming Parade
1:40 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony,
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. WESTERN vs. TENNESSEE TECH
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
7:00 P.M. W-Club Dinner, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
7:00 P.M. Dinner for wives of W-Club members, Paul L.
Garrett Student Center

1960 HOMECOMING 1960

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

6:15 P.M. Bonfire and Pep Rally, Baseball Field
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance, (music by Karl Garvin's
1:00 A.M. Orchestra), Student Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria,
Paul L. Garrett, Student Center
8:45 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western Hills
Restaurant (Private Dining Room)
9:00 A.M. to Geography-Geology Department Coffee,
10:15 A.M. Cherry Hall, Room 308
9:00 A.M. to Exhibition—"Anatomy of Nature," Art De-
10:30 A.M. partment Open House, Cherry Hall, Room 300
9:00 A.M. to Watercolors by Mr. Ivan Wilson, Kentucky
10:30 A.M. Building
9:00 A.M. to High School Art Exhibit, Training School,
10:30 A.M. Room 29
9:00 A.M. to Student Art Work in Progress, Cherry Hall,
10:30 A.M. Rooms 7, 8, 304, 302, and 301.
9:00 A.M. to Home Economics Department Coffee, Home
10:30 A.M. Economics Building
10:30 A.M. **HOMECOMING CHAPEL**
Van Meter Auditorium
11:30 A.M. Western Players Homecoming Luncheon,
Helm Hotel
11:30 A.M. Business Session of "W" Club, College High
Gymnasium
11:45 A.M. French Club Alumni Luncheon, Cafeteria,
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
12:00 Noon "W" Club Luncheon, College High Gymnasium
12:30 P.M. Homecoming Parade
1:40 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony,
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. **WESTERN vs. EASTERN**
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. **FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION**
Paul L. Garrett Student Center

1961 HOMECOMING 1961

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

- 6:15 P.M. Bonfire and Pep Rally, Site of Academic-Athletic Building
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance, (music by Karl Garvin's
1:00 A.M. Orchestra), Student Center

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

- 8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:00 A.M. to Open House, Kelly Thompson Science Hall
2:00 P.M.
8:15 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western Hills
Restaurant
9:00 A.M. to Ornamental Penmanship Demonstrations,
10:15 A.M. Cherry Hall Room 315
9:00 A.M. to Home Economics Coffee, Home Economics
10:30 A.M. Building
9:00 A.M. to Exhibition—"Political Cartoons" by William
10:30 A.M. W. Sanders, Greensboro Daily News, Greens-
boro, N.C., Cherry Hall, Room 1
9:00 A.M. to Exhibition—"Prints and Drawings" by Dante
10:30 A.M. Vena, Gallery Cherry Hall, Room 1
9:00 A.M. to Art Department Open House, Gallery Foyer,
10:30 A.M. Cherry Hall, Room 1
9:00 A.M. to Student Art Work in Progress, Cherry Hall,
10:30 A.M. Rooms 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 301, and 302
9:00 A.M. to Training School Art Exhibit, Training School,
10:30 A.M. Room 29
9:30 A.M. HOMECOMING CHAPEL
Van Meter Auditorium
10:30 A.M. HOMECOMING PARADE
11:30 A.M. Western Players' Homecoming Luncheon,
Helm Hotel
11:45 A.M. French Club Alumni Luncheon, Cafeteria
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
11:45 A.M. "W" Club Luncheon, Western Hills Restaurant
(Private Dining Room)
1:40 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony,
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. WESTERN vs. MOREHEAD
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION
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BOWLING GREEN, KY.

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 1, 1951

VF-UK 80 - 1961 Western's 32nd Annual Homecoming Scheduled For Friday And Saturday



Herald staff photo by Allen Pardon
FUTURE CORONATION SITE . . . Western's 1951 Homecoming Queen will be crowned at the Western Stadium, Saturday, during the pregame ceremonies. Candidates for Homecoming Queen are (left to right) Carol Cristy, junior from Louisville; Marilyn Cates, junior from Louisville; Martha Jo Johnson, senior from Scottsville; Kathleen Kobb, senior from Slaughters; Mary Jo Butler, sophomore; and Janice Russell, sophomore from Campbellsville.

Western's 32nd annual Homecoming will begin with the bonfire and pep rally, Friday night, November 3, at 6:15, at the site of the future academic-athletic building.

Friday night's activities will be climaxed with the Homecoming Dance in the Paul L. Garrett Student Center. The music of Karl Garvin's Orchestra will be featured from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. The Karl Garvin also played for Western's Homecoming last year.

Saturday's schedule will include Open House from 8 a.m. until 2 p.m. at the Kelly Thompson Science Hall and organizational and departmental breakfasts.

The College Heights Herald Breakfast will be at 8 a.m. in the Cafeteria of the Student Center. The Music department breakfast will be at 8:15 a.m. at Western Hills Restaurant.

Several departments have planned activities of special interest from 9 until 10:30 a.m. Saturday. A coffee for Home Economics Alumni will be held in the Home Economics Building. Ornamental Penmanship Demonstrations will be presented in room 315 of Cherry Hall. A training school art exhibition is planned for room 29 of the training school.

The Art department will hold open house and visitors will have an opportunity to see student art work in progress in rooms 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 301, and 302 of Cherry Hall. "Prints and Drawings" by Dante Vena will also be exhibited in the Gallery, room 1 of Cherry Hall.

High light of the morning will be the annual Homecoming Chapel in Van Meter Auditorium at 9:30.

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32nd Homecoming Begins Friday

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Alumni, Faculty, and Freshmen will cast their ballots in the Homecoming Queen election. Upperclassmen will vote Friday, all day, in the student center.

Western spirit will again be exhibited at 10:30 a.m. by the West-

ern units in the combination Homecoming and Tobacco Festival Parade. The Western Band will lead the parade over the route from Fourteenth Street, through the downtown section. Mr. C. C. Hart, a Western alumnus, is in charge of the Tobacco Festival Parade.

Following the parade, there will be several alumni luncheons. The Western Players luncheon will be held at 11:30 at the Helm Hotel. At 11:45, the French club luncheon will be held in the student center cafeteria and the "W" Club luncheon at Western Hills Restaurant.

The colorful Homecoming Queen Coronation will be held at 1:40 in Western Stadium.

Western's football team will meet long time OVC rival Morehead at 2 p.m.

The Feature Reception is scheduled for 4 p.m. in the Paul L. Garrett Student Center.

1962 HOMECOMING 1962

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

- 6:15 P.M. Pep Rally, Van Meter Auditorium
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance (music by Karl Garvin's
1:00 A.M. orchestra), Student Center

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

- 8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria,
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:00 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western Hills
Restaurant
8:45 A.M. to Art Department Coffee Hour, Art Gallery,
10:00 A.M. Cherry Hall, Room 1
8:45 A.M.— Exhibit—"Student Relief Prints", Art Gal-
All Day lery, Cherry Hall, Room 1.
8:45 A.M. to Home Economics Department Coffee, Home
10:00 A.M. Economics Building
10:00 A.M. **HOMECOMING CHAPEL,**
Van Meter Auditorium
11:30 A.M. Western Players Homecoming Luncheon,
Helm Hotel
11:45 A.M. "W" Club Luncheon, Western Hills Restau-
rant
12:15 P.M. Homecoming Parade
1:50 P.M. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony,
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. **WESTERN vs. EASTERN,**
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. **HOMECOMING RECEPTION,**
Paul L. Garrett Student Center
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HOMECOMING CHAPEL

Saturday, October 27, 1962

10:00 A. M.

Van Meter Auditorium

Presiding	- - -	President Kelly Thompson
Band	.	Mr. Edward A. Knob, Director
Invocation	.	Dr. Gordon Wilson
Western vs. Eastern	.	Dr. Raymond Cravens
Introduction of Homecoming Queen		
Candidates	.	Mr. Lisle Sherrill
Band	.	"Stand Up and Cheer"
Alumni Representative	.	Mr. Brad Mutchler
Hail to the Hilltoppers	.	Dr. John Scarborough
Band	.	"College Heights"

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1963 **HOMECOMING** 1963

Western Kentucky State College
Bowling Green, Kentucky

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25

8:45 A.M.— Exhibit — "Prints — 15th to 20th Centu-
ALL DAY raries", Art Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room 1
4:30 P.M. Parade and Pep Rally, Western Stadium
9:00 P.M. to Homecoming Dance and Coronation of
1:00 A.M. the Queen, (music by Tommy Knowles
orchestra), Western Gymnasium

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26

8:00 A.M. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafe-
teria, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:45 A.M.— Exhibit — "Prints — 15th to 20th Centu-
ALL DAY raries", Art Gallery, Cherry Hall, Room 1
8:45 A.M. to Art Department Coffee Hour, Art Gal-
10:30 A.M. lery, Cherry Hall, Room 1
9:00 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western
Hills Restaurant
10:00 A.M. to Homecoming Get - Together, Faculty
11:30 A.M. House
10:45 A.M. Business Meeting of "W" Club, Student
Center, Room 1
11:00 A.M. Homecoming Parade
11:30 A.M. Western Players Luncheon, Helm Hotel
11:45 A.M. "W" Club Luncheon, College High Gym-
nasium
1:50 P.M. Introduction of Homecoming Queen,
Western Stadium
2:00 P.M. **WESTERN vs. EVANSVILLE**
Western Stadium
4:00 P.M. to **HOMECOMING RECEPTION**
5:30 P.M. Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:00 P.M. Alumni-Student Dance, sponsored by the
Inter-Fraternity Council, (music by
Mar-Keys), Western Gymnasium

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Western's 35th Homecoming

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Record Breaker. — Dream is the theme, significant in educational citizenship and is for the future, upon the College will celebrate, closing on Saturday, Oct.

campus organizations of floats and demonstrations and promotional activities up to the high of the festivities, the football Eastern at 2 p.m. activities began this with the annual pre-coming Chapel. A pep and scheduled for 4 p.m. and the Homecoming of the Homecoming starts at 9 o'clock that in the Academic-Athletic in col. 5



AND ONE WILL REIGN as Western's 1964 Homecoming queen, Vying for the Queen's crown are, from left, Christine DeVries, senior, Jane Balze, sophomore, Linda Thomas, junior, Carolyn McClard, senior, Sandy Dever, junior, and Kay Washer, junior. The winner will be decided in tomorrow's election.

(Photo by Finley Willis)

Get-togethers
Numerous receptions, coffee hours, luncheons, displays and informal gatherings hosted by various organizations are scheduled throughout Saturday morning. The College hosts its annual Homecoming Get-Together Coffee in the lobby of the Academic-Athletic Building at 10 a.m. The Homecoming Parade through downtown Bowling Green and back to Western begins at 11 a.m.

Following the football game, the Homecoming Reception will be held in the Academic-Athletic Building lobby. A post-game dance, sponsored by the Inter-Fraternity Council, starts at 8 p.m. in the Academic-Athletic Building.

Homecoming Queen
Six girls have been nominated for Homecoming queen, to be chosen by campus-wide election tomorrow. The senior nominees are Christine DeVries, and Carolyn McClard both of Bowling Green. Juniors are Linda Thomas, Burkesville, and Kay Washer, Auburn. The sophomore candidates are Sandra Dever, Louisville, and Sandy Dever, Louisville, a n d Continued on page 3, column 2

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BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1964

Classes Elect New Student Leaders

Approximately 20 percent of student body turned out to vote to cast votes for student officers. The climax of a week-long campaign came with announcement of winners.

Ky. Kandy Kohlmeier, sociology and psychology major from Evansville, Ind., is treasurer.

SOPHOMORES SLATED Joe Cook as president — he's an accounting major from Bowling Green.

ATTENTION CLUB MEMBERS AND SPONSORS
Pictures of all clubs and organizations are now being taken for the 1964-65 Tall-man in room 204 of Shell Hall. All boys are requested to wear a coat and tie and all club presidents and sponsors are urged to be present for their group picture. Check with your organization's sponsor to find out when your picture will be

Thirty-Six Seniors Are Elected To Who's Who

Academic standing of 2.5 or above, high moral character, leadership, and attitude constitute the basis of election to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. Thirty-six seniors have been selected for this honor this year.

"FORTUNE AND FAME IS WESTERN'S CLAIM"

1965 HOMECOMING 1965

Western Kentucky State College

Bowling Green, Kentucky

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21

5:00 P.M. to 7:00 Pep Rally and Dance, Music by Castaways, between North and West Halls, Stadium.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 22

9:00 P.M. to 1:00 A.M. Homecoming Dance and Coronation of Homecoming Queen Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Music by Billy May, and his Orchestra.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 23

8:00 A.M. College Heights Breakfast, Paul L. Garrett Student Center Cafeteria No. 2.

9:00 A.M. Music Department Breakfast, Western Hills Restaurant.

9:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Open House, Margie Helm Library, and Paul L. Garrett Student Center.
4:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M.

9:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. "Recent California Painting," "Gallery, Cherry Hall; Ashland Oil Purchase Prize Collection," Paul L. Garrett Student Center, First Floor.

8:00 A.M. to 2:00 P.M. Penmanship, Lettering & Engrossing Exhibit, Room 315 Cherry Hall.

9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. Coffee Hour and Open House, Industrial Arts Department Arts & Crafts Club (I.A. Bldg.)

9:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. HOMECOMING GET-TOGETHER COFFEE, All Departments, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Room 107.

9:30 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. Geography - Geology Department, Open House Room 306 Cherry Hall.

10:00 A.M. Homecoming Parade, begins at Academic-Athletic Building.

11:00 A.M. to 11:45 A.M. "W" Club Alumni Business Meeting (Room 220 AA Building)

11:15 A.M. "W" Club Luncheon, Academic-Athletic Bldg.

11:30 A.M. Western Players Homecoming Luncheon, Helm Hotel.

1:30 P.M. Introduction of Homecoming Queen.

1:40 P.M. Introduction of Players

1:55 P.M. NATIONAL ANTHEM

2:00 P.M. WESTERN vs DRAKE

Halftime Announcements of winners in float competition and dormitory decoration winners, Western Stadium.

4:30 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. HOMECOMING RECEPTION Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center.

8:00 P.M. Post-Game Dance, sponsored by the Inter-Fraternity Council, Foyer and Concourse, Academic-Athletic Building. Music by Ray and the Datonas of GTO fame.

"LIFE OF DIVERSITY - WESTERN UNIVERSITY"

1966 HOMECOMING 1966

Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 27

5:00 p. m. to 7:00 p. m. Pep Rally and Street Dance, Academic-Athletic Building Parking Lot, sponsored by Panhellenic Council

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28

8:00 p. m. to 12:00 p. m. Homecoming Dance, Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Music by Warren Covington's Orchestra

10:30 p. m. Coronation of Homecoming Queen

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

8:00 a. m. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Cafeteria #2

9:00 a. m. to 10:30 a. m. Coffee Hour and Open House, F. C. Grise Hall, sponsored by the Student National Education Association

9:00 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. Coffee Hour and Open House, Industrial Arts Department Arts and Crafts Club, Industrial Arts Building

9:30 a. m. to 1:00 p. m. Exhibit of "Western Kentucky University Alumni Art", Cherry Hall, Room 1

9:30 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. Homecoming Get-Together Coffee, Lobby, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, all Departments

10:00 a. m. Sigma Chi Fraternity Alumni Breakfast, Western Hills Restaurant

10:00 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. Coffee Hour, F. C. Grise Hall, fourth floor, sponsored by the American Marketing Association

10:45 a. m. "W" Club Alumni Business Meeting, Academic-Athletic Building, Room 220

11:00 a. m. Homecoming Parade, begins at Academic-Athletic Building Parking Lot

11:30 a. m. "W" Club Luncheon, Academic-Athletic Building, foyer and "W" Club room

11:30 a. m. Western Players Homecoming Luncheon, Helm Hotel

1:40 p. m. Announcement of winners in float competition and dormitory decoration winners, Western Stadium

1:45 p. m. Introduction of Homecoming Queen and Court at football game

1:55 p. m. NATIONAL ANTHEM

2:00 p. m. WESTERN vs EASTERN

4:00 p. m. HOMECOMING RECEPTION
Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center

8:00 p. m. to 12:00 p. m. Homecoming Dance, sponsored by the Inter-Fraternity Council, Academic-Athletic Building

SEQUENCE OF EVENTS
1967 HOMECOMING CELEBRATION

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23

12 Noon Gemini 15 will appear on WSM Noon Show with 1967 Homcoming as the theme. Miss Jo Ann Clark, "Miss Kentucky of 1967", and the six (6) Homecoming Queen candidates will accompany Gemini 15 on the show. All other means of advertising Western's Homecoming will be used on the show.

Final arrangements for this program will be made by the Public Affairs and Public Relations Office.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25

10:20 a. m. E. A. Diddle Arena, Pre-Homecoming Chapel Western Band, Cheerleaders, Football Coaches and the Football Team, and the Homecoming Queen Candidates will appear on this program.

Dean Robert G. Cochran will be in charge of arrangements for this program.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 26

5 p. m. Bonfire and Pep Rally in area between Barnes-Campbell Hall and University Boulevard. Inter-Fraternity Council will be in charge.

6:30 p. m. Street Dance - North Hall Parking Lot. Associated Students, Inter-Fraternity, Panhellenic Council.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27

8 p. m. Coronation Ball, Ballroom of the Paul L. Garrett Student Center.

Mr. Bernie Beach, chairman; freshmen class will handle advertising and promotion of this dance. Associated Students will assist.

10:30 p. m. Homecoming Queen Coronation.

Miss Linda Thomas, Dean Mary Burt, Mr. Lee Robertson and cheerleaders in charge.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 28

Departmental and Organizational Breakfasts and other Meetings to be arranged.

10 a. m. Homecoming Parade.

Military Department and Senior Class in charge.

Junior Class will be in charge of decoration of stadium and construction of the throne for the Queen in the stadium.

Judging of the floats and dormitories' decorations will be in charge of Dr. Mary I. Cole and the Sophomore Class.

2 p. m. Football Game.
Coach Nick Denes and the Western Hilltoppers

4 p. m. Feature Homecoming Reception, Ballroom of the Paul L. Garrett Student Center.

Mr. Dee Gibson and Mrs. Bess Gilbert in charge.

8 p. m. Homecoming Dances - Ballroom of the Paul L. Garrett Center and National Guard Armory

Inter-Fraternity Council in charge.

HOME COMING ACTIVITIES - 1967

15

Thursday, October 26

5:00 p. m. Bonfire and Pep Rally, between Barnes-Campbell Hall and University Boulevard, sponsored by the Panhellenic Council and I. F. C.

Friday, October 27

8 a. m. - 5 p. m. Art Department Faculty Exhibit, Room 1, Gallery, Cherry Hall

1:00 - 4:00 p. m. Display of Anthropological Artifacts and slides, 3rd floor, Grise Hall, sponsored by the Sociology Department

7:00 - 9:00 p. m. Open House, Hardin Planetarium

8:00 - 12:00 p. m. Coronation Ball, Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Music by Warren Covington's Orchestra

10:30 p. m. Coronation of Homecoming Queen

Saturday, October 28

8:00 a. m. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria #2, Paul L. Garrett Student Center

8:00 - 9:30 a. m. Iva Scott Home Economics Club Coffee, Home Economics Building

8:00 - 12:00 a. m. Reception in Industrial Arts Building

8 a. m. - 5 p. m. Open House, F. C. Grise Hall

9:00 - 12:00 a. m. Display of Anthropological Artifacts and slides, 3rd floor, Grise Hall

9:30 - 10:30 a. m. Homecoming Get-Together Coffee, Lobby, Paul L. Garrett Student Center

10:00 a. m. Homecoming Parade, begins at Academic-Athletic Building Parking Lot

10:00 - 12:00 a. m. Open House, Hardin Planetarium

10:00 - 12:00 a. m. Art Department Faculty Exhibit, Room 1, Cherry Hall (Gallery)

HOMEcomings ACTIVITIES - 1967 - page 2

Saturday, October 28 (continued)

- 11:15 a. m. "W" Club Business Meeting, Room 220, Academic-Athletic Building
- 11:30 a. m. The Western Players Luncheon, Dining Room, Helm Hotel
- 11:45 a. m. "W" Club Luncheon, Foyer, Academic-Athletic Building
- 1:40 p. m. Announcement of winners in float competition and dormitory decoration winners, Western Stadium
- 1:45 p. m. Introduction of Homecoming Queen and Court at football game
- 1:55 p. m. NATIONAL ANTHEM
- 2:00 p. m. WESTERN vs. MOREHEAD, Western Stadium
- 4:00 p. m. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION
Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
- 4:00 - 6:00 p. m. Open House, Hardin Planetarium
- 8:00-12:00 p. m. Dances sponsored by the Interfraternity Council:
Student Center Ballroom, Music by the "One Way Street"; National Guard Armory, Music by "Us, Incorporated"
- 8:00-12:00 p. m. Pershing Rifles Homecoming Dance, Detrex Family Club, Music by the "Sons of Adam"

HOME COMING AND DEDICATION OF
ACADEMIC-ATHLETIC BUILDING NO. 2 - L. T. SMITH STADIUM
WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

CALENDAR OF EVENTS 1968

'Topper Power - Great in the Past, Greater in the Future'

Thursday, October 24

- 3:00 a. m. - The Art Department presents "London/New York/Hollywood -
4:00 p. m. A New Look In Prints", Art Exhibit, Cherry Hall, Art Gallery,
Room 1, also "Southern Sculpture '68", in the Wetherby
Administration Building
- 7:00 p. m. Bonfire and Pep Rally, parking area across from McNeill
School

Friday, October 25

- 8:00 a. m. - The Art Department presents "London/New York/Hollywood -
4:00 p. m. A New Look In Prints", Art Exhibit, Cherry Hall, Art Gallery,
Room 1 - also "Southern Sculpture '68", in the Wetherby
Administration Building
- 1:00 p. m. - Open House in the Chemistry Department, Thompson Complex,
4:30 p. m. Center Wing, 4th floor, and North Wing, 3rd floor
- 6:30 p. m. Alumni Banquet, Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
- 8:00 p. m. The Associated Students present a concert featuring "The
Happenings", E. A. Diddle Arena

Saturday, October 26

- 8:00 a. m. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria #2, Paul L.
Garrett Student Center
- 8:00 a. m. - Open House in Academic-Athletic Building No. 2 - L. T.
10:00 a. m. Smith Stadium
- 8:00 a. m. - Open House in the Chemistry Department, Thompson Complex,
10:00 a. m. Center Wing, 4th floor, and North Wing, 3rd floor
- 8:00 a. m. - Sociology and Anthropology Exhibit, 3rd floor lobby, Grise
12 noon Hall
- 8:00 a. m. - Arts and Crafts Club Open House, Industrial Education Building
12 noon
- 9:30 a. m. - Open House in the Agriculture Department, Snell Hall
11:30 a. m.
- 10:00 a. m. - Dedication Ceremony, Academic-Athletic Building No. 2 -
10:45 a. m. L. T. Smith Stadium

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Saturday, October 26 (Continued)

- 10:00 a. m. - The Art Department presents "London/New York/Hollywood -
12 noon A New Look In Prints", Art Exhibit, Cherry Hall, Art
Gallery, Room 1 - also "Southern Sculpture '68", in the
Wetherby Administration Building
- 11:00 a. m. Homecoming Parade, begins at Academic-Athletic Building
parking lot
- 11:15 a. m. 'W' Club Business Meeting, Room 220, Academic-Athletic
Building No. 1
- 11:30 a. m. Western Players Homecoming Luncheon, Helm Hotel
- 1:30 p. m. Announcement of winners in float competition and dormitory
decoration winners, L. T. Smith Stadium
- 1:40 p. m. Coronation of Homecoming Queen and introduction of her
Court, L. T. Smith Stadium
- 1:55 p. m. NATIONAL ANTHEM
- 2:00 p. m. WESTERN vs. EASTERN, L. T. Smith Stadium
- 4:30 p. m. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION, E. A. Diddle Arena
- 8:00 p. m. - IFC sponsored dance - "Soul, Inc.", Ballroom, Paul L.
12:00 a. m. Student Center
- 8:00 p. m. - IFC sponsored dance - "The Magnificent 7", National Guard
12:00 a. m. Armory

"A WESTERN ROUNDUP"

1969 - HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES - 1969

Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 15

10:20 a.m. Pre-Homecoming Assembly, E. A. Diddle Arena
7:30 p.m. to 11:00 p.m. Pre-Homecoming Dance, Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center, Music by the bands "Rain" and "Us, Incorporated," sponsored by the Associated Students

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

2:00 p.m. Variety Show, Room 152, Television Studio I, Academic Complex, Division of Television, Radio and Film
6:30 p.m. Bonfire and Pep Rally, across from McNeill School, sponsored by the Physical Education Club
8:00 p.m. Don Cossack Chorus and Dancers, E. A. Diddle Arena, sponsored by Associated Students

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

2:00 p.m. Alumni Association Board of Directors Meeting, Alumni Center
6:30 p.m. Alumni Banquet, Ballroom, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
8:30 p.m. John Hartford Concert, E. A. Diddle Arena, sponsored by Associated Students

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 18

8:00 a.m. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Cafeteria No. 2, Paul L. Garrett Student Center
9:30 a.m. Club of Alumni Presidents, Alumni Center
10:30 a.m. Reception for former Homecoming Queens, Football Captains, and Alumni Association Presidents, Alumni Center
8:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Margie Helm Library, open during these hours
8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Kentucky Library, open during these hours
9:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Open house, Jones-Jaggers Laboratory School, guided tours
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Open House, Industrial Education Building, Guided tours through laboratories, Refreshments served
9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Coffee, sponsored by the Office Administration Department, fifth floor, F. C. Grise Hall
9:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. Open House and Coffee to be held in the new facilities of the Home Economics and Family Living Department, second and third floors, Academic Complex
10:00 a.m. Homecoming Parade, begins at Academic - Athletic Building parking lot
9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Open House, Snell Hall, sponsored by the Department of Agriculture
11:00 a.m. "W" Club Business Meeting, Room 220, Academic - Athletic Building
11:30 a.m. Homecoming Luncheon, Kentucky Belle Restaurant, sponsored by Western Players of the Department of Speech and Theatre in memory of the late Dr. Miller
11:45 a.m. "W" Club Buffet Luncheon, Foyer, Academic - Athletic Building
1:35 p.m. Announcement of winners in float competition and dormitory decoration winners, L. T. Smith Stadium
1:40 p.m. Introduction of Homecoming Queen and Court, L. T. Smith Stadium
1:55 p.m. National Anthem
2:00 p.m. WESTERN vs. TENNESSEE TECH
L. T. Smith Stadium
4:30 p.m. FEATURE HOMECOMING RECEPTION
E. A. Diddle Arena
8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m. Dance sponsored by the Sophomore and Junior Classes, Student Center Ballroom

"WESTERN - SPIRIT OF THE 70's"
1970 - HOMECOMING ACTIVITIES - 1970

Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1

8 a.m. - Exhibit of early Western campus and activities photos,
4:30 p.m. Kentucky Library Foyer. (Oct. 1-19)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3

8:30 p.m. Concert - "The Ides Of March", Diddle Arena, \$1 for
students; others \$2 in advance, \$2.50 at door.
Sponsored by Associated Students.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 7

8 a.m. - Art Exhibit - One-Man Show by William Green, Art
4 p.m. Gallery, Cherry Hall. (Oct. 7-9)

8 p.m. Broadway Play - "1776" - Van Meter Auditorium,
sponsored by Associated Students.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 8

7 p.m. Pre-Homecoming Rally—Dance & Bonfire, Edgehill
Parking Lot.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 9

7 p.m. Alumni Diner, Ballroom, Garrett Student Center.

8:30 p.m. Concert—"Pacific Gas & Electric" - Diddle Arena.
Students admitted on I.D. cards; others \$2 in advance,
\$2.50 at door. Sponsored by Associated Students.

Judging of decorations, Friday evening and Saturday
morning.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 10

8 a.m. College Heights Herald Breakfast, Academic Complex
Cafeteria.

9 a.m. - Open House, Jones-Jagers Laboratory School.
12 noon

9 a.m. - Open House, Academic Complex.
12 noon

9 a.m. - Open House, Downing University Center.
12 noon

9 a.m. - Open House, College Heights Foundation and W. J.
12 noon Craig Alumni Center.

9 a.m. - Open House, College of Education Building.
12 noon

9:30 a.m. - Coffee Hour, Agriculture Department, Snell Hall.
11:30 a.m.

10 a.m. Parade, will start at the Arena parking lot.

10:30 a.m. Public Planetarium Show, Hardin Planetarium.

11 a.m. "W" Club Business Meeting, Auxiliary Gymnasium. 11
11:30 a.m. a.m., Buffet Luncheon, 11:30 a.m.

11:30 a.m. Western Players Alumni Luncheon, Kentucky Belle
Restaurant.

1:10 p.m. Homecoming Queen Coronation Ceremony.

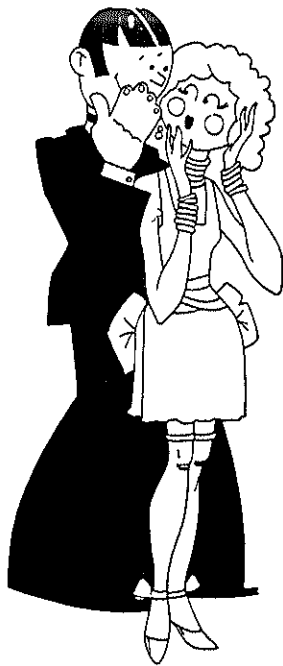
1:30 p.m. WESTERN vs. EASTERN MICHIGAN, L. T. Smith
Stadium.

4 p.m. Feature Homecoming Reception, following football
game, Downing University Center.

8 p.m. Sophomore & Junior Classes sponsored dance, "The
Magnificents", Ballroom, Garrett Student Center.
\$1.50 advance per couple, \$2 at door.

8 p.m. IFC Dance, "The Soul Celtics", Armory.

8 p.m. IFC Dance, "Gary and Sherry Edwards & The
Embers", Jaycee Hall



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annual
**Alumni
 Dinner and Dance**

(1973)

Friday, October 26

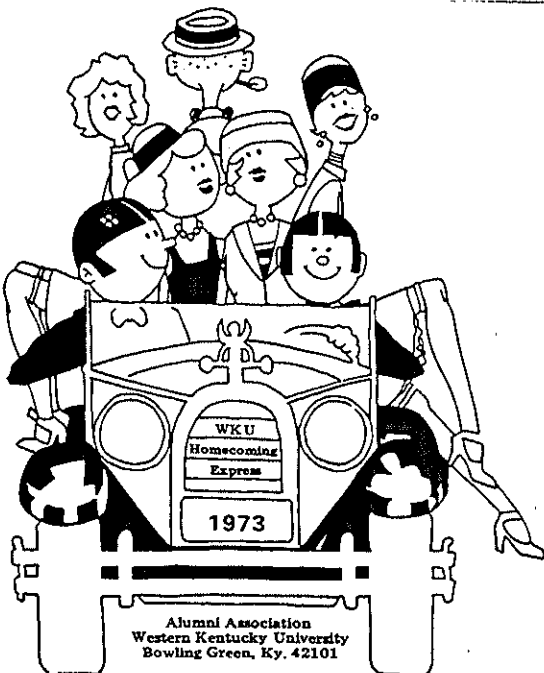
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WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY
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Friday and Saturday, October 26 and 27

Friday

- 6:30 p.m. ALUMNI DINNER and DANCE featuring Gemini 15, Western's popular student orchestra, and special guests—the University's 1963 Tangerine Bowl champions. Paul L. Garrett Conference Center Ballroom.
- 8:00 p.m. 1950's ROCK & ROLL REVIVAL featuring Jerry Lee Lewis, Bo Diddley, Danny and the Juniors, The Coasters and Gary U.S. Bonds. E. A. Diddle Arena. Admission—\$3.50 in advance; \$4 at the door.

Saturday

- 9:30 a.m. BU ALUMNI COFFEE HOUR. Craig Alumni Center.
- 10:00 a.m. HOMECOMING PARADE.
- 10:00 a.m. "W" CLUB LUNCHEON with special guests—the members of Western's 1963 Tangerine Bowl champions. E. A. Diddle Arena, Auxiliary Gym.
- 12:40 p.m. QUEEN CORONATION CEREMONY. L. T. Smith Stadium.
- 1:00 p.m. HOMECOMING GAME. Western vs. Morehead St., L. T. Smith Stadium. Tickets are priced at \$2 and \$2.50 and can be purchased from the Ticket Manager, Business Office, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Ky. 42101. Phone (502) 745-2244.
- Half time THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF MUSIC—MOVIE MEMORIES presented by the Big Red Marching Band and the two winning high school bands from the Homecoming Parade.
- After the game HOMECOMING RECEPTION for all alumni, students, faculty and friends of the University. E. A. Diddle Arena.

(Detach and mail today for your dinner and dance tickets)

I'm comin'... enclosed is \$ _____ (@ \$6 per person) for _____ ticket(s) to Western's '73 Homecoming Dinner and Dance.

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NOTE: Tickets may be claimed at the Garrett Conference Center reservation desk prior to the dinner on October 26.

Please return your ticket request to the Alumni Association Office, Craig Alumni Center, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Ky. 42101 before Monday, October 22, 1973.

Monday - Saturday, November 1-6

2076 AMERICA: The Next 100 Years

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Homecoming Week - 1976

1976 Homecoming Week Activities Calendar

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2

ELECTION DAY. No Classes.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4

6:30 pm **BONFIRE, PEP RALLY and STREET DANCE.** Keen Hall parking lot.
8 pm **C O M M U N I T Y INTERPRETATION FESTIVAL.** College of Education Building Auditorium.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 5

2-4 pm **HERITAGE ARTISTS EXHIBITION.** Downing University Center Mezzanine.
5:30 pm **OGDEN COLLEGE REUNION DINNER.** Holiday Inn (Greenwood)
6:30 pm **ALUMNI DINNER** with special guests - the Class of 1926. Garrett Conference Center Ballroom.
7 pm **ATLANTA CONTEMPORARY DANCE CO.** Van Meter Auditorium. Sponsor - Fine Arts Festival. Admission: Reserved seats - \$5, \$4, \$3; General admission - \$2.
9 pm **ALUMNI DANCE** featuring "Music for All Ages" by The Counts. Bowling Green Country Club. Immediately followed by a **BUFFET BREAKFAST.** Admission: \$6/person.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

8 am **COLLEGE HEIGHTS HERALD BREAKFAST.** Downing University Center Cafeteria.
9 am **H O M E C O M I N G Q U I L T COMPETITION.** Kentucky Building, front lawn.
9 am - noon **OPEN HOUSE AND RECEPTION.** Environmental Sciences and Technology Building.
9:30 am **ALUMNI COFFEE HOUR.** Craig Alumni Center.
10 am **"W" CLUB BREAKFAST** with special guests - the members of Western's 1948 football squad. Diddle Arena, Auxiliary Gym.



SEALS AND CROFTS

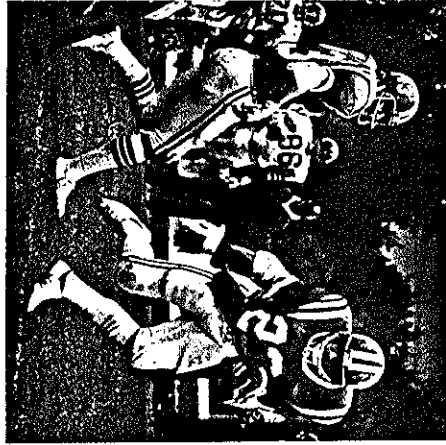
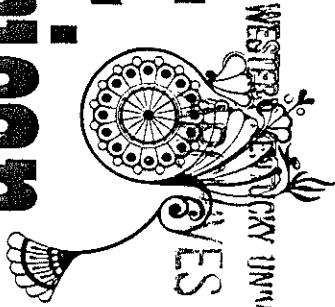
10 am **HOMECOMING PARADE.**
12:40 pm **QUEEN CORONATION CEREMONY.** Smith Stadium.
1 pm **HOMECOMING GAME - Western vs Middle Tennessee.** Smith Stadium.
Halftime **THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF MUSIC-AMERICA: THE NEXT 100 YEARS** presented by The Big Red Marching Band.
After the game **HOMECOMING RECEPTION** for all alumni, students, faculty and friends of the University. Diddle Arena.
8 pm **SEALS AND CROFTS** in concert. Diddle Arena. Sponsor - ASG. Admission: \$5 in advance; \$6 on day of show.
9-1 pm **ASG DANCE.** Garrett Conference Center Ballroom.

NOTE: Several University departments, clubs, fraternities and sororities will host open houses at various times and locations throughout Homecoming. 10/76/7M/PA - The cost of printing this publication by Western Kentucky University was paid from state funds. KRS 57.375.

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1977 Homecoming Week Activities Calendar

6 pm.	Thursday, October 27 BONFIRE-PEP RALLY. (Keen Hall Parking Lot)	10 am.	SECOND ANNUAL QUILT COMPETITION. Kentucky Museum Gallery, Garrett Conference Center.	12:30 pm.	QUEEN CORONATION CEREMONY. (Smith Stadium)
5 pm.	Friday, October 28 OGDEN COLLEGE RECEPTION. ALUMNI DINNER. Special guests—the classes of 1927, 1952, Ogden College and the 1927 Football Team. (Garrett Conference Center Ballroom) Admission \$5/person.	10 am.	HOMECOMING PARADE featuring floats, The Big Red Marching Band and area high school bands.	1 pm.	VS. MOREHEAD. (Smith Stadium) Admission is \$4 and \$3 and tickets can be purchased from the Ticket Office, Diddle Arena, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Ky. 42101. Phone (502) 745-5222.
6:30 pm.		10 am.	"W" CLUB BREAKFAST with special guests are the members of Western's 1927 Football squad. (Diddle Arena, Auxiliary Gym)	Halftime	THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF MUSIC - GREAT AMERICAN PASTIMES presented by The Big Red Marching Band
9 pm.	Saturday, October 29 HERALD BREAKFAST. (Downing University Center, Dining Room) CLASS OF 1952 COFFEE. (Faculty House) RECREATION GRADUATES REUNION. (Downing University Center Snack Bar) ALUMNI RECEPTION. (Craig Alumni Center, A great place to refresh, relax and watch the parade)	10 am.		After the game	HOMECOMING RECEPTION for all alumni, students, faculty and friends of the University. (Diddle Arena)
8 pm.		8 pm.		8 pm.	RECREATION PROGRAM RECEPTION (Room 212, Diddle Arena) For all present and former recreation majors.
8:30 pm.					ASSOCIATED STUDENT GOVERNMENT DANCE. (Garrett Conference Center Ballroom)
9 am.					
9:30 am.					



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Pep rally fires up Homecoming

By ALFINA MAMI

It will weigh nearly eight tons. About 160 people have helped build it since 8 this morning. And tonight its mesmerizing orange and yellow flames will "rival the burning of Rome in brilliance," much as it was described for the first time 60 years ago.

Tonight's traditional bonfire, which "symbolizes everybody's energies for Homecoming," will begin at 6 in the Keen Hall parking lot, according to Lynn Morgan, bonfire-pep rally committee chairman and director of student organizations.

"It's all part of getting a little excitement for Homecoming. It's part of the spirit," he said.

Morgan, Veterans on Campus (VOC) and the Interfraternity Council (IFC) have been organizing the bonfire for more than a month. "Two or three people can't take on a project of that size," Morgan said. "It's more than just a bonfire. It brings in the football coaches, the team and the cheerleaders, and the Homecoming queen. candi-

dase are introduced.

"It brings in dorm residents and Greeks to get the football team fired up," he said.

Excitement was apparently what former Western president Henry Hardin Cherry had in mind for the first Homecoming bonfire in 1927. According to the Oct. 12, 1943 Herald, Homecoming was "conceived by Dr. H.H. Cherry as the one thing to make Western's tie with the alumni complete and unbreakable.... A pep rally and bonfire... aroused the student body to a pitch of unquenchable excitement."

John Ransdell, VOC president, has worked on the past two bonfires. "It's the beginning sign of the Homecoming weekend," he said. "It raises the student morale. It lights up the Homecoming weekend."

The Elizabethtown native said that as VOC president, he took the responsibility of getting the bonfire done. "I haven't really had any difficulties," he said. Seven Bowling Green businesses have pledged to donate their leftover wood. "Most are really helpful," Ransdell said.



The 1956 Homecoming bonfire.

The university will provide two trucks and drivers to get the wood. But, according to Ransdell, IFC President Keith Pawley is responsible for getting 10 volunteers from each fraternity to help build the bonfire in two-hour shifts, starting at 8 a.m. today.

"It's fairly inexpensive... since the manpower is donated, too," Morgan said. "The bonfire probably will require almost 10 truckloads of wood, Ransdell said, and

each truck holds about one ton.

The university also will donate a metal pipe about 30 feet high, Ransdell said. About 10 feet of the pipe will be implanted in the ground, and wood pallets with holes in the centers will be stacked on the remainder of the pipe.

"We'll put the scrap wood on the pallets," he said. "The pole keeps the fire from spreading." Next will come what

Ransdell calls the most enjoyable part of the project. "The fire is lit by dipping cloth-covered sticks in kerosene. Usually we throw the torches on it all at once," he said.

The Bowling Green fire department will supervise the bonfire and make sure the fire is extinguished after the festivities. "The bonfire has to be done according to city ordinances for burning," Ransdell said.

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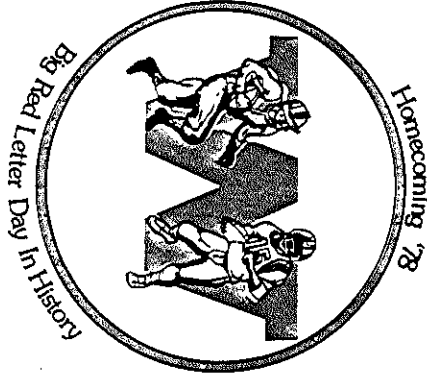
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1978 Homecoming Week Activities Calendar

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

3:00 p.m. **Bonfire-Pep Rally**; Keen Hall Parking Lot.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 3

3:00 p.m. **Ogden College Reception**; Bowling Green Country Club.
6:30 p.m. **Alumni Dinner**; Special guests, the classes of 1928, 1958, Ogdon College and the 1968 football team; Garrett Conference Center Ballroom; Admission: \$5 per person.

9:00 p.m. **Alumni Dance** featuring music for all ages by The Counts; Bowling Green Country Club; Admission: \$5 per person.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 4

8:00 a.m. **Herald Breakfast**; Downing University Center Dining Room.

9:00 a.m. **Distributive Education and Mid-Management Reception**; Florence Schneider Hall; First Floor Conference Room.

9:00 a.m. **Carillon Concert** by Mr. Claude Rose.
9:00 a.m. **Open House**; Department of Public Safety.

9:30 a.m. **Alumni Reception**; Craig Alumni Center; a great place to refresh, relax and watch the parade.

10:00 a.m. **Homecoming Parade** featuring floats, The Big Red Marching Band and area high school bands.

10:00 a.m. **"W" Club Breakfast** with special guests; the members of the 1928 and 1968 football squads; Diddle Arena Auxiliary Gym.

12:30 p.m. **Queen Coronation Ceremony**; Smith Stadium.

1:00 p.m. **Homecoming Game — Western vs. Middle Tennessee**; Smith Stadium; Admission is \$4.50 and \$3.50 and tickets can be purchased from the Ticket Office, Diddle Arena, Bowling Green, Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101. Phone (502) 745-5222.

Halftime **The Wonderful World of Music — Big Red Letter Day in History** presented by The Big Red Marching Band.

After the game **Homecoming Reception** for all alumni, students, faculty and friends of the University; Diddle Arena.

8:00 p.m. **Associated Student Government Dance**; Garrett Conference Center Ballroom; Admission: \$1 per person.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

5:00 p.m. **Outdoor Concert**, DUC lawn.
 6:00 p.m. **Homecoming Pep Rally**, DUC lawn. Special guests include Pat Paulsen, Homecoming Queen Candidates, 'Topper football players and coaches, WKU cheerleaders, Big Red Pep Band, and Western fans!
 8:00 p.m. **Pat Paulsen Show**, Diddle Arena. Tickets are available at the WKU Ticket Office.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26

3:00 p.m. **Ogden College Reception**, Bowling Green Country Club.
 4:00 p.m. **Golden Anniversary Reception**, Memorial Room, Garrett Conference Center. Special guests are the Class of 1929 and all retired WKU faculty and staff.
 5:00 p.m. **Alumni Club Presidents Reception**, Craig Alumni Center.
 5:00 p.m. **Former Student Government Presidents Reception**, Regents Room, Wetherby Administration Building.
 6:30 p.m. **Alumni Banquet**, Garrett Conference Center Ballroom. Special guests include the Class of 1929, Alumni Club Presidents, Former Student Government Presidents, Retired Faculty and Staff, Former football team captains, Alumni Association Board of Directors, Ogden College. Admission is \$5.00 per person; tickets are available in the Office of Alumni Affairs or at the door.
 8:00 p.m. **Homecoming Concert**, Diddle Arena. Featured is Pablo Cruise. Tickets are available at the WKU Ticket Office.
 9:00 p.m. **Alumni Dance**, Holiday Inn-Midtown, Regency Room. Featured is music by Billy Vaughn and the Dixie Land Band. All alumni, faculty and staff, students, and friends are invited. Admission is \$5.00 per couple and are available in the Office of Alumni Affairs or at the door.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27

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8:00 a.m. **Herald Breakfast**, Downing University Center Dining Room.
 9:00 a.m. **Reception**, Greater Louisville Alumni Club. Iron Skillet Restaurant.
 9:30 a.m. **Alumni Reception**, Craig Alumni Center. A great place to refresh, relax, and watch the parade. Everyone is welcome.
 10:00 a.m. **Homecoming Parade**. Floats, clowns, cartoon characters, the Big Red Marching Band, and area high school bands are featured.
 10:00 a.m. **"W" Club Breakfast**, Diddle Arena Auxiliary Gym. Special guests are the former football team captains.
 12:30 p.m. **Queen Coronation Ceremony**, Smith Stadium.
 1:00 p.m. **Homecoming Game—Western vs. Morehead**, Smith Stadium. Admission is \$4.50 and \$3.50. Tickets are available at the Ticket Office, Diddle Arena, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, KY 42101, telephone (502) 745-5222. All seats are reserved.
 Halftime **The Wonderful World of Music**. "Saturday Morning! Laughter Is on Our Side" presented by the Big Red Marching Band.
 After the Game **Homecoming Reception**, on the lawn across from Smith Stadium. Music will be by the WKU Jazz Band, and refreshments will be provided for all alumni, students, faculty and staff, and friends of the university.
 8:00 p.m. **Homecoming Dance**, Garrett Conference Center Ballroom.

Week-long activities include Homecoming Queen election, and celebrations in residence halls and fraternity and sorority houses.



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October 1, 1980

Bowling Green, Ky.--Danny Davis of the Nashville Brass will be grand marshal of Western Kentucky University's Homecoming Parade Saturday, Nov. 8, celebrating this year's theme, "A Country and Western Holiday."

Davis and his band also will headline the annual Alumni Association-sponsored dance with a special show Friday evening, Nov. 7 at 9 o'clock in the Garrett Center Ballroom on campus.

A week of events is scheduled for this year's homecoming celebration, which is being coordinated by Dr. Gary Ransdell of alumni affairs and Ron Beck of student affairs.

"The New Grass Revival," bluegrass band headed by Warren County native Sam Bush, will perform at the annual pep rally along with Big Red, WKU's cheerleaders and marching band on Thursday evening.

Other scheduled events for the week include a reunion of Ogden College graduates at the Bowling Green Country Club Friday at 3 p.m., the Golden Anniversary Banquet in the Downing University Center Friday at 6 p.m., and the Alumni Association Reception at 9:30 a.m. Saturday morning before the parade.

The Western versus Middle Tennessee University football game begins at 1 p.m. Nov. 8, and Western's marching band will present a musical "Country and Western Holiday" at halftime with a special appearance by the animated characters from Nashville's Opryland.

Information regarding student homecoming activities may be obtained by contacting Ron Beck at the Downing University Center. Dr. Gary Ransdell at the alumni affairs office is in charge of alumni activities.

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Office of Public Information

Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101



WESTERN KENTUCKY UNIVERSITY

BOWLING GREEN, KENTUCKY 42101

October 8, 1980

Office of Alumni Affairs

Dear Warren County Alumni and Friends,

Homecoming 1980 is just around the corner. Many people have been working long and hard to make this year's celebration a great one. The theme this year is "Homecoming 1980: A Country and Western Holiday." In conjunction with that theme and with a new emphasis on you, the Alumni Association and the Homecoming Steering Committee has planned an event that promises to be the highlight of Homecoming Week and a major social happening in the Bowling Green area. This is a special invitation for you to attend the 1980 Homecoming Show and Dance on Friday, November 7.

Danny Davis and the Nashville Brass will present a fantastic show with all of their hits followed by three hours of great dance music. Danny Davis and the Nashville Brass are regulars in Las Vegas, on network T. V. and have appeared at the White House on several occasions. They have won several Grammy Awards and since 1969, they've won the Country Music Association's Best Instrumental Group of the Year Award six times. The three major trade magazines have consistently voted them Country Music's most popular instrumental group.

The music begins promptly at 9:00 p.m. in the Garrett Conference Center Ballroom on the Western campus. Special recognition will be given to those alumni who graduated in the decade of the 1950's. Tickets are on sale in the Office of Alumni Affairs and at the WKU Ticket Office, but you may order your tickets with the form provided below. Only 1,000 tickets will be sold so order yours now!

See you there,

Ron

Ron Beck, Co-Chairman
Homecoming Committee
Student Affairs

Gary

Gary A. Ransdell, Co-Chairman
Homecoming Committee
Alumni Affairs

Office of Alumni Affairs
Western Kentucky University
Bowling Green, Kentucky 42101

I would like to order _____ ticket(s) for the Homecoming Show and Dance at \$7.50 each. Enclosed is my check for _____.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

A Country & Western Holiday



Country & Western

This painting brings to life all of the color and nostalgia of Homecoming 1980 — a Country & Western Holiday with the brilliant detail that only Steve Ford can depict.

This Homecoming commemorative print can be ordered through the Office of Alumni Affairs at WKU with the form below.

2000 signed & numbered \$18
22 x 28 custom framed \$60

Please return _____ custom framed prints \$60.00
Please return _____ signed & numbered prints \$18.00
Both prices include postage, tax & handling

Name _____
Address _____
City/State _____ Zip _____

HOME COMING — Schedule of Events

- Wednesday, Nov. 5**
11:30 a.m. Queen Candidates' Luncheon, Craig Alumni Center
- Thursday, Nov. 6**
8:00 p.m. Big Red's Pep Rally and Concert, L. T. Smith Stadium. An evening of Bluegrass music, fireworks and spirit. The concert will feature New Grass Revival, the hottest Bluegrass band in the country. The star of the pep rally will be Big Red, himself, with support from the WKU cheerleaders, the Big Red Marching Band, the football team and coaches, the Homecoming Queen Candidates and towel-waving Topper fans! A huge fireworks display will bring the Pep Rally to a spectacular conclusion.
- Friday, Nov. 7**
3:00 p.m. Ogden College Reception, Bowling Green Country Club.
6:00 p.m. Golden Anniversary Banquet, Auxiliary Dining Room, Downing University Center. Special Guests are the Class of 1930; a tribute in honor of 50 years of loyalty.
9:00 p.m. Homecoming Show and Dance, Garrett Conference Center Ballroom. Featuring Danny Davis and the Nashville Brass. This show and dance will be the main event for all alumni, faculty and staff, and friends of the university. Beginning promptly at 9:00 p.m. the Nashville Brass will perform in an hour long show highlighted by their many hits before turning the evening into a dance with music for everyone. Special guests at the Homecoming Dance will be those alumni who graduated or attended between 1950 and 1960 as we honor the Decade of the '50s!
- Saturday, Nov. 8**
8:00 a.m. Herald Breakfast, Downing University Center Dining Room.
9:30 a.m. Alumni Reception, Craig Alumni Center. A great place to refresh, relax and watch the parade. Everyone is welcome.
10:00 a.m. Homecoming Parade, Winding through downtown Bowling Green and the campus. The parade will feature floats, clowns, animated characters, bands and other entries decorated in celebration of our Country and Western Holiday. The Parade Grand Marshal will be Danny Davis of the Nashville Brass.
10:00 a.m. "W" Club Breakfast, Diddle Arena Auxiliary Gym. Special guests will be the 1970 Football Team. A ten-year reunion in honor of the 1970 OVC Champions.
12:30 p.m. Queen Coronation Ceremony, L. T. Smith Stadium.
1:00 p.m. Homecoming Game, Western vs. Middle Tennessee, L. T. Smith Stadium. Be sure to arrive at the stadium by 12:15 in order to catch all of the color and pageantry of balloons, queens, animated characters and music culminating in the excitement of Hilltopper football.
- Halftime**
The Wonderful World of Music, "A Country and Western Holiday" presented by the Big Red Marching Band.
- After the Game**
Homecoming Reception, on the lawn across from Smith Stadium. An outdoor celebration of country music and refreshments under the big top! All alumni, students, faculty and staff and friends are welcome.
8:00 p.m. Homecoming Dance, Garrett Conference Center Ballroom. Rock music and dancing for students and everyone.
- Week-long Activities:**
- Special Homecoming Exhibitions in the Wetherby Administration Building and the Downing University Center.
 - Exciting displays in the newly reopened Kentucky Building and Museum.
 - Homecoming Queen Elections.
 - Celebrations in the residence halls and fraternity and sorority houses.



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Oct. 24, 1980

Bowling Green, Ky.--One of the Highlights of Homecoming at Western Kentucky University this year will be Big Red's Pep Rally which is scheduled to kick off activities Thursday, Nov. 6 at 6 p.m.

Big Red will have the spotlight at the pep rally which is open to the public at L.T. Smith Stadium.

A performance by The New Grass Revival, bluegrass group led by Warren County native Sam Bush, will be an added attraction to Big Red's rally in addition to a special fireworks display.

Plans are for Big Red to host the traditional homecoming pep rally activities, featuring the 1980 WKU football team, yell leaders, candidates for homecoming queen, and remarks by alumni and student affairs representatives.

Tickets will be on sale priced at \$1.00 for students and \$1.50 for all others.

Homecoming Co-chairmen are Dr. Gary Ransdell of the Office of Alumni Affairs and Ron Beck of Student Affairs. "We hope Big Red's pep rally will become a traditional event, just as the dance, receptions and parade, so the community can feel more a part of Homecoming," said Ransdell.

Western's Homecoming Game is scheduled for Saturday, Nov. 8 at L.T. Smith Stadium when the Hilltoppers meet the Middle Tennessee State Blue Raiders.

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Further information, contact Dr. Gary Ransdell 745-4395 or Sheila Conway, 745-4295.

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Bowling Green, Ky.--Miss Jane Lockin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Lockin of Route 2, Benton, Ill., was crowned 1980 Homecoming Queen at ceremonies preceding Western Kentucky University's game against Middle Tennessee State University on Saturday, Nov. 8.

Miss Lockin, a junior business management major, was sponsored by Central and Pearce Ford Halls.

Miss Jennifer Lierley and Miss Karen Head tied as first runners-up. Miss Lierley, a senior recreation major, is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dayton W. Lierley Jr. of Clarksville, Tenn. She was representing the Phi Mu sorority and the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity.

Miss Head, a senior elementary education major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Head of 748 Ironwood Dr., Bowling Green. She was sponsored by the Lambda Chi Alpha and Alpha Gamma Rho fraternities and the Kappa Delta sorority.

Other finalists in the homecoming queen court were Susan Mabry, a senior elementary education major representing Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity; Jennie Sauer, a junior marketing major representing Alpha Delta Pi sorority, Phi Mu Alpha fraternity and the WKU men's basketball team; and Gloria Shaw, a senior medical and legal administration major sponsored by the Sigma Gamma Rho sorority and the United Black Students.

Miss Mabry is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Mabry of Hopkinsville, Ky.; Miss Sauer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Sauer of Louisville; and Miss Shaw is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hunt of Paducah.

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NOVEMBER 13, 1980

BY SUSAN FLOCK, a senior journalism major from Bowling Green, Ky.

Every girl dreams of the time when she will become engaged--"There's candlelight, soft music, and dinner for two in a quiet corner," said Becky Rue.

This was the way she had things pictured before she became engaged in front of some 20,100 screaming people in the middle of Western's L. T. Smith Stadium during pre-game activities at homecoming.

Ms. Rue, a 21-year-old nursing student from Bowling Green, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Nelson B. Rue was the Sigma Alpha Epsilon homecoming queen candidate. She was escorted by her boyfriend of four years, Tom Keck, a 21-year-old student with an area of concentration in Industrial Technology; the son of Bernice Keck of Bowling Green and John L. Keck of Jasper, Alabama.

Keck decided that homecoming would provide a truly unique setting for an engagement. A setting a girl is not likely to forget in the years to come.

"My family knew and her father knew," Keck said. "One of the girls in charge of homecoming activities took a new announcement to the press box before the candidates were to be introduced.

When Keck was introduced as her fiancée he slipped the ring on Becky's finger. Ah, romance is not dead!

Luckily for Keck things went as planned. Becky Sue said yes after asking him, "When did you decide to do this?"

Becky said, "My mom was a little upset until she realized that Tom really was proposing and the announcer just hadn't made a mistake."

According to Keck and Ms. Rue a definite wedding date hasn't been set yet, but the couple is thinking about August.

One thing is certain--when Becky recalls her college days--long after the Ms. has been changed to Mrs.--she'll certainly have something to tell her children.

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