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Oldham, Sydnor Form Solid Coaching Nucleus

Head Basketball Coach JOHN OLDHAM
In three seasons as head coach at Western, John Oldham has posted an impressive 66-15 record and has guided the Hilltoppers to a post-season tournament berth every season. Oldham, who coached nine seasons at Tennessee Tech, has an enviable 12-year coaching record of 184-98. Now in his 13th season as a collegiate coach, Oldham is recognized as one of the nation's top basketball strategists.

Oldham graduated from Western in 1949 after a spectacular athletic career, before playing professional basketball, and coaching on the high school level before reaching the collegiate level. Oldham succeeded E. A. Diddle following the 1963-64 season.

Assistant Basketball Coach BUCK SYDNOR
Wallace B. (Buck) Sydnor was a veteran of 15 years of high school coaching before returning to Western in the fall of 1964. Sydnor's main responsibility is to develop the potential of the Hilltopper freshmen in addition to his usual coaching, scouting, and recruiting duties. He was an outstanding guard on the first two Western teams to play in the NIT in 1943 and 1944. He is a well-versed instructor in the fundamentals of basketball.

Assistant Basketball Coach JERRY L. PARKER
University of Tennessee, 1963
Graduate Assistant MIKE KITCHENS
Western Kentucky University, 1965

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Western Kentucky University
10—WAYNE CHAPMAN ... Senior ... 6-6 ... 186
... 22 ... Owensboro, Ky. Top returning scorer on squad, has improved steadily over past two years ... has played most of varsity career at guard, but moved to forward at mid-season last year and did solid job ... his height makes him particularly effective on defense at guard position, especially in zone alignments ... needs to improve offensive rebounding if he stays at forward post this season ... has good jump shot, is particularly effective scorer on fast break ... has been something of a "streak" shooter, but showed more consistency in latter half of 1965-67 campaign ...

11—CHARLES SELBY ... Sophomore ... 6-1 ... 178
... 10 ... Corbin, Ky. Led scoring for last year's freshman club ... has great shooting touch from outside ... good speed, ball-handling ability ... should be valuable asset once he becomes accustomed to playing with varsity teammates and fits his play into overall team patterns ... is quick enough to become outstanding defender ... youngest member of famed Selvy family of basketballers ... elder brother Frank set NCAA single-game scoring record with 100 points in 1954 at Furman, where he's now head coach ... another brother, Marvin, currently playing with University of Louisville.

15—RICH HENDRICK ... Junior ... 6-1 ... 180
... 20 ... Bristow, Ky. Should be battling for starting guard berth this season after year of seasoning ... great shooter from almost any distance ... quick reflexes, good hands ... led all Kentucky prep players in scoring his junior and senior years, earning All-State and All-America honors at Bristow High, same school which produced former Western All-American Darel Carrier, now playing for Louisville Colonels of ABA ... paced scoring for Hilltopper freshmen two years ago with 26.1 average ... one of reasons he chose Western for collegiate career was to allow him to help out on family farm during spare time.

20—JOHNNY RUSSELL ... Junior ... 6-2 ... 180
... 20 ... Hardyville, Ky. Played all last season as reserve guard after playing both the back and front courts as freshman ... good scrapper, hustler ... improving steadily in ball control and passing ... does good job on defense ... should improve in ability to drive and start offensive patterns as he gains experience ... has good shooting touch from outside.

21—BUTCH KAUFMAN ... Senior ... 5-10 ... 163
... 22 ... Louisville, Ky. Prime example of what desire and determination can accomplish ... came to Western "on his own," earned grant-in-aid with fine play during freshman year, leading yearlings in scoring with 17.8 average ... played as key reserve during sophomore year, then earned spot on starting five last season ... good ball-handler, clever playmaker ... always willing to give up his own shot to get the ball to teammate nearer basket ... extremely consistent outside shooter ... dependable at foul line ... offsets lack of size on defense with aggressive play, continually hounding opponents.

22—WALKER BANKS ... Sophomore ... 6-9 ... 205
... 19 ... Clifton Forge, Va. More consistency and drive in his performances could make him one of top "big men" for Hilltoppers in recent years ... was something of an "in-and-out" player for freshman last season, but has all physical ability for front-liner ... good shooter from short and middle distances ... surprising quickness and agility for size ... has good jumping power to go with height ... more aggressiveness could make him real factor on boards ... Virginia high school All-Stater ... runs well enough to fit into Western running game ... should be contender for regular front-line role.

Official Basketball Program
24—NORMAN WEAVER ... Senior ... 6-5 ... 205
... 22 ... Scottsville, Ky. Extremely valuable last
years as front-line reserve ... should make big
push this season to become regular ... was particu-
larly effective last season in relief roles at LaSalle
(12 points, 4 rebounds) and at Austin Peay (12 points,
8 rebounds) when other Hilltopper front-liners got
into foul trouble ... strength and jumping ability
make him tough around bucket ... can play at both
center and forward ... made big strides toward im-
provement last season by working on moves toward
basket ... was All-Stater for ex-Western player Jim
Bazzel at neighboring Allen County High.

25—MIKE FAWCETT ... Senior ... 5-10 ... 175
... 21 ... Kokomo, Ind. Another "rags to riches" story
of an "overlooked" prospect who worked his way
into an athletic scholarship by ability and determina-
tion ... originally made a try for football scholarship,
switched to basketball, and made grade in big way
... has spent most of career as valuable back-line
reserve, but came in to play regularly last year when
Hilltopper star Clem Haskins was sidelined by broken
wrist ... responded marvelously, averaging 9.4 points
for five games he started during Haskins' absence ... helped lead team to late-season drive that clinched
OVC title ...

33—PAUL HASKINS ... Sophomore ... 6-4 ... 195
... 19 ... Campbellsville, Ky. Younger brother of
last year's Western All-American, Clem Haskins ...
while probably not as talented an all-around player,
Paul may be stronger in some departments of the
game than Clem ... great jumper, really goes after
ball around bucket ... extremely quick, good driver
... fine jump shooter ... still has to prove himself in
collegiate competition since he did not play freshman
ball last season ... speed should make him easily
adaptable to fast break style of play.

34—GREG SMITH ... Senior ... 6-5 ... 205
... 20 ... Princeton, Ky. Has few peers around basket
... tremendous jumping ability, good touch on tap-ins
... has great instinct for being at right spot to grab
rebound ... quick and agile enough to out-maneuver
many bigger opponents ... played as forward two
years ago, at center last season ... very effective on
wheel-and-drive from high post ... ability to clear
ball and get it moving down floor in fast break en-
hances his value as rebounder ... named to last year's
All-OVC squad ... does solid job on defense, would
be even better if able to eliminate tendency toward
excessive fouling ...

42—WAYNE BRIGHT ... Sophomore ... 6-8 ... 235
... 19 ... Greensville, Ind. Probably improved as
much as any player on last year's freshman squad ... came on especially strong in latter half of season after
being moved from forward to center ... strength is
No. 1 asset under board, but is very good jump shooter
from around free throw circle ... not exceptionally
fast, but can fit himself into fast break game by learn-
ing to clear ball more quickly off defensive board and
get it started down floor ... continuation of improve-
ment shown last year should put him into thick of
fight for starting position on front line.

51—JOE MAC HILL ... Senior ... 6-2 ... 187
... 21 ... Beaver Dam, Ky. Has one of shrewdest basket-
ball minds on squad ... moves well, makes few
mistakes ... scrappy and tenacious on defense ... good jump shot from out front ... deceptively effec-
tive rebounder, mainly because of hustle, determina-
tion, ability to play position under boards ... adept
at starting pattern plays from guard post ... has
done outstanding job as reserve ... was particularly
outstanding in last year's OVC Tournament, leading
late all-court press that overcame Morehead lead and
enabled Hilltoppers to win semifinal game in overtime.
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Western shoots for its fourth victory of the season and its third in a row tonight against Butler University. The Hilltoppers split a pair of games in the season-opening Ohio Valley Conference Tournament, then picked up wins over Louisiana College and St. Francis (Pa.).

Butler is still looking for its first win after losing to three well-regarded opponents — Illinois, Northwestern and Oklahoma.

Wayne Chapman continues to lead Western's scoring with a 21.5-point average, followed by Butch Kaufman at 14.0, Greg Smith at 13.0, Rich Hendrick at 11.0, and Norm Weaver at 7.8. Smith is the top rebounder with a 14.6 average, followed by Chapman and Weaver at 10.0 and 7.5, respectively.

The Western Kentucky-Butler rivalry is a relatively new one, with tonight's battle standing as the "rubber game" in a series that is currently tied at 1-1. The Hilltoppers first met Butler in the NCAA Mid-East Regional Tournament in 1982, when the Bulldogs took an 87-86 overtime win in the consolation game.

The two teams met on a regular season basis for the first time last year, when the Hilltoppers grabbed an 81-63 triumph at Indianapolis.

Butler will be one of the few teams without a height advantage over the Hilltoppers this season. In its outings so far, the Bulldogs have been troubled with their lack of size, although they try to counter with good outside shooting led by nifty 6-0 guard Doug Wninger.

Wininger was one of the nation's top 18 shooters last year with a .579 average, almost a unique accomplishment for a backcourt star. Through his first two games this season he was hitting at an even more torrid pace. He was pumping in 69.6 percent of his field goal attempts for a 17.5-point scoring average.

Butler is guided by one of the nation's most highly respected coaches, Tony Hinkle, a veteran of 58 years at Butler. He took over the Bulldog coaching reins in 1926 and has headed the University's basketball fortunes ever since, except for three years when he coached the strong Great Lakes Navy team during World War II.

Hinkle's Butler teams have won 524 games, lost 353. His teams at Great Lakes compiled a brilliant 71-6 record. Incidentally, Western Head Coach John Oldham was one of the Navy eaglers who helped Hinkle put together that impressive record at Great Lakes.

Tonight's game is Western's final home appearance before the Hilltoppers hit the road for two of the nation's top invitational tournaments, the Cable Car Classic in San Francisco December 15-16 and the All-Sports Association Classic at Dallas December 20-29.

HOW TO SUCCEED IN BASKETBALL
By Jerry Radding

Christopher Columbus and Lee Williams were a couple of explorers who had one thing in common—both were firm believers that the world was round.

Williams' world is more specific. His sphere of life is associated with a Basketball and a hoop. As energetic Executive Director of the Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame, Williams is eating, sleeping, and just plain living for this popular sport.

There is no team activity in the United States played as frequently and by so many as this sport of strictly American origin invented by Dr. James Naismith in Springfield, Massachusetts, in 1891.

After years of dreaming, planning, and growing pains, Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame has become a reality. The beautiful shrine, situated on the Springfield College campus just a few dribbles away from where Dr. Naismith hung his first peach baskets, is nearing completion. The doors are expected to swing open to the public this winter.

This is a tribute to all Basketball and to the people who have made the game great. Including the 1566 Electees, 62 individuals and 4 teams have been named to the Hall of Fame. Each year, the Honors Committee reviews and votes upon new nominations to the shrine.

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ASSISTANTS: Wallace B. (Buck) Sydnor and Jerry L. Parker

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Western Kentucky University is fielding its 49th basketball team this season. Since its inauguration in 1914, the Hilltopper style of basketball has remained in the national spotlight and has greatly added to the national popularity of the game.

It all started in 1914 when Western defeated Bethel (Ky.) College 38-21, under head coach J. L. Arthur. Basketball was discontinued from 1917 to 1922 when coach L. T. Smith guided the Toppers against 15 opponents.

The real history of Western basketball began with the appointment of E. A. Diddle as head basketball coach. For 43 seasons, Diddle's name became synonymous with winning basketball. Coaching his first collegiate basketball game, Diddle witnessed a startling 103-7 victory which set the pattern for future fame and recognition.

After Western played 149 games in the original "Little Red Barn", the Hilltoppers moved into the Physical Education Building (now the Margie Helm Library) where Western was to win 336 of 374 home games in 32 seasons.

During the 1933-34 season, Diddle's Toppers posted the first of 19 seasons with 20-or-more victories — it was the first of ten straight seasons with 20 wins or more. Western won 30 of 33 games in 1937-38, which also was Ted Hornback's first season to assist Diddle.

Under coach Diddle, Western captured 13 Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference championships and eight Southern Intercollegiate Athletic Association titles in addition to placing over 20 players on All-KIAC and All-SIAA squads.

In 1948, Western became a charter member of the newly-formed Ohio Valley Conference (see page 16). Under coach Diddle, the Hilltoppers won the OVC season championships and four conference tournaments.

Coach Diddle retired following the 1963-64 season, played in the Diddle Arena. In 43 seasons, Diddle won 759 games and lost only 302 for a lifetime basketball coaching percentage of 71.3.

Head coach John Oldham and assistants Gene Rhodes and Buck Sydnor took the helm in 1964 and guided the Toppers to their ninth appearance in the National Invitational Tournament. In the 1965-66 season, the Hilltoppers posted a 25-3 record in winning the OVC championship and tournament and reaching the NCAA Tourney to finish third in the Mid-East Regional.

Last season, Western captured a "triple crown" by winning the OVC tourney and league titles and the Hurricane Classic, on the way to a 23-3 season that was terminated by an overtime loss to Dayton.

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