

Editors Speak With Senator Humphrey

Nancy Steinhauer and Paula Burks, co-editors of the Oak "K," were able to speak briefly with Senator Hubert Humphrey when he visited Paducah last week. The girls "cornered" Mr. Humphrey when he went to the television station to tape a program.

With security men and others trying to guide Senator Humphrey into the station, the girls worked their way into such a position that when the Senator got out of his car the first two people he met were Paula and Nancy. They hurriedly asked the following questions:

Paula: Senator, we are the editors of Lone Oak High School's paper. Our band welcomed you last night.

Nancy: We wondered if you could answer a few questions? The ADA has been acclaimed to be a socialistic organization in the United States. Of course, we know that you do not agree with this. Would you tell us exactly what this is?

Humphrey: It is an organization of liberals. It is independent in its attitude and strongly supports our defense policy. The ADA serves to create education and help our youth as well as our older citizens. Some of the main founders were Eleanor Roosevelt, The Episcopal Church, Wilson Wyatt of Kentucky, (smile) and Hubert Humphrey.

Nancy: Your opponent has stated on several occasions that if he is elected he will sell TVA. Why do you feel that this would be detrimental?

Humphrey: Well, why should we sell it when it is doing so well? And when it is accomplishing so much? Furthermore we aren't going to sell TVA because they are not going to get into office!

Paula: Senator, for the kids, how was the reception?

Humphrey: Wonderful! The band was terrific. If I were a judge they would get all the prizes.

Our editors deserve a great deal of praise for their courage. They have now interviewed Governor Breathitt and spoke with Senator Humphrey. Who knows! Maybe LBJ is next.

Seniors Rings Arrive

October 5 at nine o'clock in the morning, a feeling of superiority filled the halls of Lone Oak as the ecstatic '64-'65 seniors finally received their high school rings. The styling of the rings was traditional with a choice of blue, red, or black stones.

Those students who did not pick up their rings October 5 were advised to pay for them in the office of Mr. Boyce McElya in the Guthrie Building some time before the end of January.

While the group was in session a tentative order was taken for graduation announcements. Mr. McElya explained to the class that these orders may be changed by seeing Mrs. North before January.



CLASS PRESIDENTS—10th Grade, Roger Rives; 11th Grade, Charles Hamlin; 9th Grade, Steve Owen; 12th Grade, Dick Blackston.

New Publications Presented To PTA

The new "Lone Oak High School Directory" and the "Handbook and Curriculum Guide" were distributed to those present at the October PTA meeting.

These publications present to the community the basic information about our school. The "Directory" gives vital information about the faculty and staff. A calendar of all the events for the entire school year is also found in this publication. The "Handbook and Curriculum Guide" is a thorough source for various questions regarding school policy or questions about particular courses of study.

These publications are the results of a period of hard work over the last six months led by our principal, Mr. Robinson. They are a part of a long-range program for this school to become a comprehensive high school under the requirements put forth by the Kentucky State Board of Education.

It is desired that the family of each student at Lone Oak have copies of these publications. Both can be picked up at the school office.

Kaler High Salesman In Drive

The junior class of Lone Oak High School ended their magazine drive Oct. 23 with Diane Kaler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kaler, being the high salesman.

Second and third high salesmen respectively were Mary Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith, and Phyllis Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ross.

Daily prizes were earned by Nancy Godfrey, Bobbie Reeves, Ann Dunbar, Diane Kaler, and Mary Smith.

The captains for the drive were Rosalie Edwards, Reva Crooks, Iris Hargrove, and Linda Cruse.

The junior class wishes to thank everyone for lending a hand in making the drive a success. We feel that you will benefit greatly from the subscriptions.

We also wish to thank Mrs. Goheen for encouraging salesmanship among the juniors.

Class Officers Elected

SENIORS

The senior class met in the auditorium at 10:00 a. m. on October 13, to elect their class officers. Nominations were accepted from the floor. Nominees' names were given and reasons for nominations were presented.

The nominees for president were Dick Blackston, Gary Coltharp, Mike Johnson, Rodney Mabry, and Gary Detraz. Each one of them gave a short speech.

Elected for president was Dick Blackston. Also elected were: Gary Coltharp, vice president; Cheryl Green, secretary; and Sue Rose, treasurer.

In electing the class officers, the only qualifications were that any officer elected should maintain at least a "B" average, and be a good speaker, leader, and representative of their class and school.

JUNIORS

On October 12 the junior class was called together to elect their class officers for the '64-'65 school year. Those elected are as follows:

President—Charles Hamlin
First Vice President—Gary Fields
Second Vice President—Dennis Steger
Secretary-Treasurer—Nancy Godfrey

The juniors feel that these people are capable of representing their class in the best manner possible.

SOPHOMORES

On October 14 the sophomore class held a class meeting in the gym with the main order of business to elect class officers. The president, Jerry Lynn, called the meeting to order and nominations were opened immediately. The results were as follows:

President—Roger Rives
Vice President—Jerry Lynn
Secretary—Mary Burt Neimeir
Treasurer—Tommy Shelton

FRESHMAN

On October 15, the freshman class met in the gym at 10:00 to elect new class officers for the oncoming year. They are as follows:

President—Steve Owen
Vice President—Rickey Coltharp
Secretary—Marvis Lisso
Reporter—Patti Wandling
Treasurer—Debby Padgett

'Guidance' Theme Of PTA Meeting

Jack Blackburn was guest speaker at the October 12 PTA meeting. His speech was entitled "Guidance Involves the Parents." Vade Bolton gave the devotional for the meeting, followed by Charley Lindsey, who gave the reading "I Am Your Flag."

Glenn Dexter, membership chairman, launched the membership drive "2005 in '65."

Hostesses for the fellowship meeting were senior parent room mothers, Mrs. R. A. Mabry, chairman; Mrs. Perry Smith, Mrs. Bruce McDougal, and Mrs. William Rose. Senior parents were recognized as invited guests of the evening.

Mr. Gary Trentham, art teacher, provided colorful decorations, which received many compliments.

Mr. Robinson spoke on the help parents can give in our effort to become a comprehensive high school. Mr. Robinson also introduced the new "Lone Oak Directory and the "Handbook and Curriculum Guide" to those present. These publications and the work involved in them are deeply appreciated by the PTA.

"Education Meets the Challenge of Change" will be the theme of the November PTA meeting. Mr. Leon Smith, superintendent of McCracken County School System, will be the guest speaker. Hostesses for the evening will be 11th grade room mothers.

Lone Oak Plays In Jamboree Tonight

Tonight the area basketball fans will get a preview of the coming basketball season at the annual Jamboree starting at 7:30 in Heath's gym.

In the first game we will see Heath vs. Sedalia; second game Lone Oak vs. St. Mary's; the final two games will be played between Ballard and South Marshall and Reidland and Carlisle. Each team will play a 12-minute quarter and the team scoring the most points will receive the game ball.

Along with the fans, the coaches have a chance to compare their clubs with those of the teams participating. According to Coach McKinney, "The Jamboree is played for the players themselves. It helps them get over their jitters and butterflies and it will help them break the tension that builds up before the season begins."

The team needs the support of the fans in order to have a winning season. Let's begin our support tonight at Heath High School gym.

**ASSEMBLY
TODAY
2:00 P. M.**



MR. DEXTER, chairman of the PTA, is shown signing up Mrs. Bruce McDougal.

Membership Drive A Success

I would like to congratulate all the students who worked so hard on the PTA membership drive. A very hearty thanks goes to all the homeroom teachers for their fine work in handling this. Had it not been for the teachers and students, we could not have done this.

We have 1,250 memberships for this year and I'm sure this is by far the biggest in the county. Why shouldn't it be? We are the biggest and the best.

Encourage your parents to participate in your PTA this year. We have a good one and they are working hard to help you. The best way for us to get your parents here is for you to ask them. They will

come if you ask them to, but sometimes refuse otherwise.

The grades were divided into 3 groups 7-8, 9-10, and 11-12, and the top salesman in each group won \$5 in prizes. The 7th and 8th grade was won by Wayne Beyer of the 7th grade. The 9th and 10th was won by Mike Harris, and the 11th and 12th was won by Bob Hougland. Each brought in 12, 16, and 10 respectively.

I would like to say thanks again for all who worked on this fine project. Special thanks goes to Mr. Trentham for the posters he made for each homeroom.

Mr. Glenn Dexter, Membership Chairman

OAK "K" STAFF

Editors	Paula Burks, Nancy Steinhauer
Advertising Managers	Ricky Pittman, James O'Brien
News Editors	Nan Smallmon, Cherie Steger, Janice Harper
Advertising Managers	Ricky Pittman, James O'Brien
Sports Editors	Dickie Coleman, Dick Blackston
Business Managers	Grant Richards, Jim Cooper
Photographer	James Roberts
Cartoonist	J. D. Cosby

Question--Unanswered Expansion A Must At LOHS

The teenagers of today were born in the post war baby boom. The Korean War and the space race happened during our childhood. These occurred as did television and the 2-car family, the quiz scandals and the drive-in passion pits. We have witnessed automation, the knowledge explosion, and the affluent society.

An article in LOOK magazine stated that the students of today are more serious and hard-working than ever. It continued by saying that we are a more realistic, well-rounded generation. Yet our plea for recognition goes unanswered in the adult world. Why? Why is it that there are adults who will not even acknowledge simple greetings when given by a teenager?

At public gatherings we may be treated with insolence or simply ignored. Yet, the same individuals, who act this way, will wonder why it is that we are resentful of their friendliness at other times.

We don't claim to be perfect or sure of ourselves or our actions. However, the majority of us consider no challenge impossible, no task too steep and no hope unattainable. Yet, a percentage of adults (a small one I must admit) ridicule our goals, scoff at us and claim that we are nothing but impracticable dreamers.

We realize, all too readily, that we may never accomplish many of the ends we set out to meet. Nevertheless, we must try and not give up for we cannot say which of our aims will become actualities and which will not. The teenagers of today must try and excel in whatever it is that they endeavor.

We are trying now to seek our identity in relationship to the adult world, but we cannot, for we are not even recognized by enough adults as individuals. Again, I must ask WHY?

There's Still Hope

Take a good look at our school grounds. What a mess! Paper here, cups there, scrap and rubbish everywhere. Did you help make that open garbage can? All of us will have to admit that we, at one time, have been guilty of this school crime. True, we don't mean to be litterbugs, it's just one of the faults of carelessness. But it's not too late; there's still hope.

Drop your trash in a trash can, not on the ground. Make it an effort to pick up that stray paper that you passed without thought. Form clean-up groups.

Imagine a clean yard for once! Let's show our school that we love it.

Meaningful Thoughts

I leave you with this thought . . . Religion can be taught in arithmetic by accuracy; in language by learning to say what we mean; in history by humanity; in geography by breadth of mind; in science by reverence; in art, home economics or manual arts by thoroughness; on the play ground by fair play; by being courteous to one another and by helpfulness in all things.

Hopefully, in the fall of 1966, our 7th and 8th grades will move to a new building. This project will be possible because of a half-million dollar school construction program announced Friday, October 23, by the McCracken County Board of Education.

The new building will accommodate 600 students. It will be constructed of brick and masonry and will be completely fireproof.

Superintendent Smith said plans and specifications have not been drawn, but "we anticipate 16 to 20 rooms, library, multi-purpose room, and other facilities." He explained the program was necessary because of the rapid growth of the community. The school will be built on 4.2 acres of land between the high school and the elementary school.

We are proud of the rapid growth of our school. This new project will do much for the Lone Oak community.

Cheris Chats

The Lone Oak basketball players are really showing enthusiasm. Besides attending regular basketball practices, they spend their week-end nights practicing. But instead of using basketballs they use balloons filled with water, don't they Dick?

Warning!
Paula, be sure the tail end of your car is lit up before going out at nights.—Rudolph.

Notice to all new male students! If you want to know where to get a good hair cut just ask Donnie Harper.

Mr. Throgmorton we know now that you were not Sweetheart of Sigma Alpha or Sigma Chi, but that you are a sweetheart only to your wife.

We congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Maddox on the birth of a son, John, born on September 18th.

If any girls wonder what the boys bathroom is like on the second floor, just ask Brenda Durrett, Stewie Gillan, or Linda Metzger.

Gail, the next time you find a new locker and put your books in it make sure it's not David Clark's.

Donnie, how is your car running since two experienced senior female drivers had it?

I would like to correct an error made in the last paper about Mr. Trentham surfing. Probably the closest he has been to anything resembling an ocean is his bath tub.

Weatherspoon October Rotarian

For the month of October, Bill Weatherspoon has been selected as Junior Rotarian. A senior, he will have completed twelve years at Lone Oak. Bill and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Weatherspoon, reside at 3118 Lone Oak Road.

He is president of the senior Beta Club and plays trumpet in the stage, marching, and concert bands. Bill is taking this year the following subjects: Honors English, speech, trigonometry, physics, along with stage and concert bands.

Guidance Available

I am sure you have noticed the new shingle in the hall downstairs. In case you haven't, it reads "Guidance". What does it mean and to whom does it apply? Guidance is a service for each student to assist in: self-understanding, vocational choice, educational planning, and personal growth. These services for each student are achieved through: individual counseling, group guidance, testing, information related to vocations, educational opportunities, parent conferences, and working with community groups.

Guidance is available to all students who need our services. I say our because it begins with the teachers and is coordinated from the new central office which we call the Guidance Office!

The emphasis of Guidance is self-understanding and self-direction. One of the basic contentions of Guidance is that school has a function beyond the inculcation of knowledge and skills. It is a point of view emphasizing professional assistance and the team teacher approach in meeting the various guidance needs of students.

Students if you feel that you have a problem that you need to talk about come on down and knock and I will listen.

Parents, feel free to come in to discuss your student's problems.

If the Guidance office can be of service to you come on in. Please observe the following schedule.

Guidance Office Hours: 08:00-08:55; 09:05-10:00; 1:30-3:30.

Most Perfect . . .

Perfect Senior Girl

Hair—Kay Kelley
Complexion—Maritom Sinquefield
Eyes—Mary Clark
Nose—Diane Harris
Dimples—Linda Flint
Mouth—Gail Padgett
Teeth—Sue Rose
Figure—Teresa Hicks
Legs—Nancy Hughes
Smile—Nan Smallmon
Personality—Janice Harper
Best Dressed—Cherie Steger

Perfect Senior Boy

Hair—John Boaz
Complexion—Allen Phelps
Eyes—Charles Walker
Nose—Grant Richards
Dimples—Dick Blackston
Mouth—Donnie Harper
Teeth—Bill Weatherspoon
Physique—Terry Massa
Legs—Eddy McDougal
Smile—Freddy Via
Personality—Charles Sigler
Best Dressed—Danny Huff

Of The Month

Saying—It's no big thing
Song—Mr. Lonely
Flirt—Geraldine Perdew
Event—Senior rings
Car—Freddy Via's Mustang
Tragedy—Report cards
Wolf—Brenda Roberts
Lamb—Bobby Summers
Senior girl—Barbara Carroll
Senior boy—Danny Walls
Junior girl—Joyce Owens
Junior boy—Dale Wheeler
Sophomore girl—Charlotte Wenzel
Sophomore boy—Larry Griffith
Freshman girl—Ann Terry
Freshman boy—Douglas Johnson
8th grade girl—Debbie Smallmon
8th grade boy—Mike Steger
7th grade girl—Teresa Harned
7th grade boy—Bobby Crooks



"Dancing In The Street"

The Woman's Club of Paducah and other area merchants will sponsor a Halloween Art Fiesta on Saturday, October 31.

Students from all city and county schools have been invited to paint designs on the windows of stores in various business districts. These designs will be placed on the windows beginning at 9:00 a. m. and decision of the judges will be made by noon of November 1.

Ribbons will be awarded to first, second, and third place winners, and award money will be divided among the participating schools.

The designs are sure to be both interesting and unusual and would be well worth your time to see. The locations are as follows: Broadway from 2nd St. to 7th St., 10th St. and Kentucky Ave., 1500 block on Broadway, Jackson St. shopping center, Joe Clifton Drive shopping area, and 3100 block on Broadway.

Twenty-eight students from Lone Oak will be entering this event, and their work will be on the windows of Sears' and Woolworth's.

Have You Read . . .

One Clear Call by Edwin Ryan is the story of a water front priest and his forty-five years in an Irish-Italian parish. The book tells about some of the problems he has faced there. It tells about a polio epidemic early in his career that took the lives of many children and of a strike along the water front that put many of the men in his parish out of work.

It tells of Serofina, the Communist labor leader, who left a permanent scar on the priest's life and career. Now the priest is faced with a new problem. Many Puerto Ricans have moved into his parish. He does not speak the Puerto Rican language and cannot communicate with them. He receives a message to appear before the Bishop and is certain he will be retired. The way the priest faced and solved this problem is the conclusion of the book.

Many of the people in his parish have moved away. He recalls many of his friends and reminisces over experiences he had with them. He also recalls the memory of a young priest who was one of his best friends and was killed in World War II.

One Clear Call moves quickly and holds the reader's interest from start to finish. The author tells the story in a pleasant way without being over-sentimental.

The book is in the library and it is well worth your time to read it.

Brand New Oak 'K'

Have you noticed the change in the Oak 'K'?

This year's paper is larger and (we hope) better. It has been enlarged from four columns to five.

Also there was a change in the mast or the name of the paper. Instead of plain printed letters, we now have a "oak hewn view."

Many have noticed the increase in advertising. These added funds make it possible for us to have a larger paper. The journalism class has sold about \$1,200 in advertising.

We hope to have more articles that will be of interest to everyone and more news articles to inform you of what is happening here at school.

We urge you to read the paper, patronize our advertisers and take your paper home, so that your parents can know what you are doing at school.

LOHS'ers On Radio

Paula Burks, Paulett Laymon, and David Cosby, along with their supervisor, Mr. Weatherspoon, were interviewed Saturday, September 19th on WPAD.

The three students, among many others, were part of a 4-H automobile safety project which is offered to many schools. In this project the students were taught part of the functions of the motor. Those who did not know how to drive were taught the safeties of the road.

Mr. Weatherspoon, who did most of the talking, said that he just went along for the ride.

Support Advertisers

September 8, 1964 began the advertising drive for the "Oak K". In this short period the journalism class under the direction of Mr. Bolton sold about eighty ads. The ads which were sold throughout our area came to a total of \$1,200.

Without the support of these ads, there would be no paper. Since they are willing to help support you why not do your best to support them. Read the "Oak K", and patronize our advertisers.

ORCHIDS TO . . .
Journalism Picture Board
Weejuns and Madras
Beatles
Senior class of '65
New fall clothes

ONIONS TO . . .
Long lunch lines
Those who don't read school paper
Ratted hairdos
Crowded halls
Mr. B.'s pencil sharpener

DAGGERS TO . . .
Milton
Bulfinch
Vocab words
Deadlines

Club and Class News

TRI-HI-Y

The Tri-Hi-Y is one of the largest clubs in the school, this year having 110 members. The new officers leading the club are: President, Phyllis Alexander; Vice President, Beverly Hammonds; Secretary, Diane Kaler; Treasurer, Jeanie Rose; Chaplain, Mary Davidson; Reporter, Dianne Morris.

The club plans to send representatives to KNIA (Kentucky National International Assembly) where they are to bring up a bill concerning the abolishing of federal excise tax. Lone Oak is also to send a sergeant at arms for the Assembly's Cabinet.

KNIA is to be held at Louisville on November 19-21. On October 29 a called meeting (in form of a Halloween party) will be held at Mrs. Helfer's house.

Tri-Hi-Y is a working club and last year was listed as second in the state. We will continue working until we are best.

MUSIC CLUB

The music club was organized for this year on October 12. The club has an exceptionally large group. For this reason, it was divided into junior and senior clubs co-sponsored by R. L. Throgmorton and R. L. Petty, heads of the music department at Lone Oak.

The meeting got under way with the election of officers. Those elected in the junior club are: president, Carol Wilkes; vice president, Don Presley; secretary, Rodney Massie; and treasurer, Mike Steger.

The senior club's officers are as follows: president, Gary Coltharp; vice president, Bill Weatherspoon; secretary, Nancy Goffrey; and treasurer, Linda Box.

There was discussion of future topics and activities for the club. A great deal is expected to be accomplished in the club as the new year begins.

F. B. L. A.

Again this year F. B. L. A. is fortunate to have as a member a state elected officer. Rheta Choice was elected State Historian at the convention last spring in Louisville. Not only will the club be sponsoring Rheta, but working in many school activities.

The newly elected club officers are Linda Kay Harris, president; Lola Johnson, secretary; Bill Overstreet, treasurer; and Rheta Choice, reporter. The vice-president will be elected at the first club meeting. These officers will provide a successful year for F. B. L. A. Club sponsors are Mrs. Mary North and Miss Wylma Stewart.

Several business students participated in the National Business Entrance Tests given last spring. All who took part were required to take the Business Fundamentals Test with individual tests being given in typewriting, stenography, bookkeeping, and general clerical. Lone Oak students winning certificates in typewriting were Barbara Carroll and Sharon Glisson. Judy Davenport, Vonda King, and Martha Terry gained certificates for stenography. General clerical winners were Linda Richardson and Bobby Rushing. Bookkeeping certificates were given to Ronnie Kaler and Pat Kelley. Those students who earned scores as high as 125 or higher in the bookkeeping division were eligible for certificates of Superior Proficiency. Terry Barkley and Wanda Rogers were superior winners from Lone Oak.

LIBRARY CLUB

The Library Club had its first meeting September 11, 1964. Mrs. Gwendolyn Helfer, supervisor, presided.

The members of the club for the year are: Jan Medley, Nancy Johnston, Billie Lane, Dee Shaw, Debbie Finley, Julia Lofton, Sherry Walker, Regina Goode, Jean Smith, Lavene Riley, Eileen McElrath, Lynette Davis, and Bobbie Reeves.

The newly-elected officers for this year are as follows:

President—Laveren Riley
Vice President—Eileen McElrath
Secretary—Jan Medley
Treasurer—Billie Lane
Reporter—Bobbie Reeves

On September 25, the club met once again and discussed common problems confronting librarians.

Several new books have been ordered to add a greater variety to the library. New additions are being made. The Encyclopedia International is one of the latest additions to the library.

Come to our library and add fun and pleasure to your life with one of our great new books.

N. F. L.

The Lone Oak NFL'ers attended the First Preliminary Congress at Bellarmine College in Louisville on September 26th. Dianne Harris was elected Speaker of House I and Chris Perry, Speaker of House II. Rodney Mabry was nominated for President of the Senate.

Others attending the congress were Steve Baker, Charlotte Clark, Pam Groben, Charles Lindsey, Marvis Lisso, and Eric Moore. We thank Mr. Groben for his aid in transportation.

Two weeks later, on October 10th, the NFL'ers traveled to Clarksville, Tennessee, for a congress and debate tournament. Rita Schnuck and Eric were elected Best Speaker of their houses in congressional competition.

Others in the congress were Debbie Dixon, Gale Doyle, Pam Groben, Julie Kazmierzac, Eric Moore, Rita Schnuck, Elaine Sowell, and Janis Steinhauer.

Entered in experienced debate were Gary Detraz and Rodney Mabry; Nancy Steinhauer and Ann Dunbar.

Those in inexperienced debate were Marvis Lisso and Steve Baker; Charles Lindsey and Chris Perry.

Our thanks to Mr. Trentham for going with us to Clarksville.

OUR NFL held its first official meeting Monday night, October 19, at the residence of Mrs. McCracken. Ann Dunbar, vice president, presided due to the absence of the president, Gary Detraz.

A review of the future scheduled events was made and people were assigned tournaments which they wished to attend. For the benefit of novice members, an explanation was made of discussion and plans

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were made to attend the Discussion Workshop at Murray College Tuesday, October 20th.

After the business meeting the debaters remained to discuss the debate topic and Bobbie Reeves gave a practice performance of the poem *Go Down Death*.

BETA CLUB

The Beta Club held its first meeting on October 19. The officers for the year 1964-1965 are as follows:

President—Bill Weatherspoon
Vice President—Charles Hamlin
Secretary—Cheris Steger
Treasurer—Juliana Wenzel
Reporter—Danny Huff

An amendment was made to change the qualifications for becoming a member. The 2.2 grade average has been changed to 2.5, but the amendment will not go into effect until next year.

An executive committee was formed consisting of the vice president, Charles Hamlin and two seniors, Rodney Mabry and Nathan Davis.

An entertainment committee was appointed by the president. It is made up of three seniors, Kay Kinney, Nancy Steinhauer, and Janice Harper, and three juniors, Georgia Dunlap, Ann Dunbar, and Pat Burnette.

F. H. A.

The Future Homemakers of America officers, advisors and chapter mothers from Reidland, Heath, and Lone Oak chartered a bus and went to the Mid-South Fair at Memphis, on September 28. The chapter mothers attending were Mrs. O. J. Wallace, Lone Oak and Mrs. Carter, Heath. The advisers were Mrs. Lawson, Reidland; Miss Howard, Heath; and Mrs. Logan, Lone Oak.

We arrived at the fair at approximately 11:00 a. m. The remainder of the day we were on our own. We saw most of the fair or what our feet would let us. There were many educational exhibits to be seen. One in particular, was a science exhibit, there was an original size capsule with three life size men in it, there were films showing the shooting of a rocket and the parts which separate and stay in space. An instructor went along with us and explained all about how the missiles worked. It all was very interesting.

At 2:00 everyone gathered in the big circus arena, the spotlight was

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on FHA and FFA. These chapters were represented by several states.

After a tiring but exciting day, we met back at the bus at 6:00 p. m. and started our journey homeward. Some had souvenirs; others just had tired feet. That will be one day we all remember. Thank you, Mr. Smith and Mr. Robinson for making it possible.

The Lone Oak chapter of the Future Homemakers of America held their organizational meeting on Monday, October 12th, in the Home Ec department with Paula Burks presiding.

The business consisted of an introduction of the officers to the new members. A discussion of the District Training Conference, held in Lyon County High, and a report was given by Rosie Edwards and Gail Morris about their trip to the State Meeting in Lexington.

The members were given a copy of the chapter's Program of Work and then a vote was taken for its acceptance. The members, received a form to fill out showing which committee they would be willing to serve on the coming year.

The club was informed that they had been represented at the Mid-South Fair by all of its officers on the 29th of September. Mrs. Nancy Logan, adviser, and Mrs. Alma Wallace, chapter mother, went as the chaperons.

The Lone Oak FHA is looking forward to a busy and fulfilling year.

PHYSICAL SCIENCE CLUB

The Physical Science Club opened its first meeting of the year on October 12, with a membership of 31 as compared with 14 last year. The first order of business was the election of officers. Nathan Davis was elected president, Mariton Singuefield is vice president, Juliana Wenzel is secretary, and James Roberts was given the job of reporter.

Plans were then made for the following meeting. Mr. Douglas informed the club that a movie entitled "Photography" Children" by Eastman Kodak Company would be presented. The possibility of night meetings dealing with photography was also discussed.

HI-Y

On October 5, 1964, the Hi-Y held their first meeting for this school year.

The following people took over their new positions: president—Donnie Harper, vice president—Kenny O'Brien, secretary—Bobby Wallis, treasurer—Dickie Coleman, reporter—Pat Smithson, chaplain—John Boaz.

President Donnie Harper opened the meeting. The business consisted of membership dues and activities of the coming year.

ART CLUB

October 12 was the first meeting for the eighth grade Art Club. Mr. Morris and Mrs. Douglas began the meeting by holding elections for president and vice president. President elected was Lisa Tate. Vice president elected was Susan Skiba.

The first project for the Art Club is painting Halloween or Autumn pictures on the windows of downtown stores in Paducah, October 31. The Woman's Club is furnishing all of the paints, brushes, etc.

F. T. A.

On October 12 the Future Teachers of America met for the first time this year. We elected the following as officers for this year:

President—Nan Smallmon
Vice president—Nancy Duff
Secretary and Treasurer—Maxine Schroeder

Reporter—Kay Kinney
Parliamentarian—Patty Daniels
Social Chairman—Linda Flint
Program Committee—Nancy Duff, chairman; Linda M. Harris, Vonda Harris, Linda Boaz.

Our next meeting will be an installation service. We would like to extend a cordial invitation to those who do not belong to a club.

SCIENCE CLUB

The 8th grade Science Club met and elected their officers for the year. They are as follows: president, Vickie Hendricks; vice president, Wayne Shelton; secretary, Bill Sanderson; treasurer, Gene Leeper; and the club sponsor, Mrs. Mary Beckman.

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The marching band this year was organized after tryouts were held the first two weeks of school. Eighty-five were chosen along with several alternates. Rehearsals began the next day, and have been held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon along with extra rehearsals. The Monday following tryouts the band participated in the Metropolis Labor Day Celebration.

The 11th was the date of their Fourth Annual Ice Cream Supper and Concert. Over one thousand people were served and present to hear one of the two concerts played.

This year, for the first time, Lone Oak participated at Princeton in the West Kentucky Marching Festival. This contest was to be somewhat a "dry-run" for the contest to be held at Mayfield two weeks later. In the previous three years Lone Oak has brought honor to the school by participating in the Bluegrass Marching Contest at Mayfield. This year the band's goal was to be better than ever before and better than any other band in their class.

The competition was much stiffer as Lone Oak competed with four all-season marching bands. Lone Oak, however, had the ability and the incentive to win. On October 10, as a result of the hard work and efforts of Mr. Petty, drum major Gary Coltharp, the majorettes, and the band as a whole, Lone Oak High placed second in class "B" competition. Extra assistance offered by Mr. Throgmorton added to the success of the performance. October 12th, the trophy was presented to the school by Gary Coltharp on behalf of the band.

Another event in which Lone Oak was represented by the band was the Murray Homecoming Parade. Many other fine area schools were in this event.

This year, the band has had several occasions on which to perform for government dignitaries. The first was that of September 17th, when it played a concert for Governor Edward T. Breathitt while he was at the school.

Another such occasion was October 20. Monday morning, the 19th, Mr. Robinson received a call from the governor's mansion in Frankfort. The Lone Oak Band was asked to furnish music for the grand reception to be held Tuesday night at Barkley Field upon the arrival of Senator Hubert Humphrey.

The band did play for the vice presidential nominee. Numerous other officials were present, including Governor Breathitt and several of the Commissioners, Congressman Stubblefield, and McCracken County officials. Ray Scherer of NBC news and Pers Anderson of ABC news were also on hand.

As the Minnesota Senator stepped through the door of the plane, the band struck up "Minnesota Rouser," with which Humphrey was very pleased, as he indicated later. He talked individually with Mr. Petty and the band before leaving the airport.

Marching season will soon be at a close for this year. There will be nine graduating from the band and already forty-five have applied to fill these vacancies. This year, the marching band was a success and with the hard work and the will to win, there is no limit to the

progress that can be made in the years to come.

CHOIR

The greatest improvement of the a Cappella Choir this year is the increased enthusiasm among the members which seems to be largely a result of the new director, Mr. Richard Throgmorton. In trying to spread such enthusiasm and school spirit, we are emphasizing our school song, "Alma Mater". The words are:

Alma Mater

- (1) Our strong band can ne'er be broken
formed at Lone Oak High
Far surpassing wealth
unspoken
sealed by friendship tie.
- (2) Mem'ries leaflets close shall
twine around our hearts for aye.
And waft us back o'er life's
broad track to pleasures
long gone by.
- (3) High school life at best is
passing gliding swiftly by.
Then let us pledge in word
and deed our love for Lone
Oak High.

Chorus:

Alma Mater, Alma Mater, deep
graven on each heart,
Shall be found unwavering
true, when we from life
shall part.

Anticipating a busy year, the choir members have elected officers to assist Mr. Throgmorton with the hopes of alleviating his tasks and producing a better choir. The officers are: Pres. Nan Smallmon; Vice Pres. Ann Dunbar; Sec. Treas.-Librarian, Cheris Steger; Robe Chairman, Di-
anne Morris.

The annual Quad-State Music Festival is being held November 2 at Murray State College. Those who will be attending from Lone Oak are: Sopranos—Cheris Steger, Kay Kinney, Ann Dunbar, and Juliana Wenzel; altos—Mary Clark, Nan Smallmon, Bobbie Reeves, and Nancy Hughes; tenors—David Clark, Tom Strong; basses—John Carpenter, Joe Katzel, Tony Holhouser, Randy Johnson, and Pat Smithson.

The A Cappella Choir, Madrigals, and other various music groups will present their concert on November 1, at 2:00 in the school gymnasium.

They have been working hard and are expecting a fine attendance. The program:

Adoramus Te Christe by Palestrina; Create In Me, O God by Brahms, Praise to the Lord, arr. by Shaw, Jesu Joy of Man's Desiring by Bach, Good News, arr. by Gardner, Autumn Leaves by Brydan, I Dream of Jeanie, arr. by Shaw, Black is the Color of My True Love's Hair, arr. by Waring, The Road Not Taken by Randal Thompson, Choose Something Like a Star by Randal Thompson, The Lord Bless You and Keep You by Lukin. Also, the Madrigals will sing three numbers.

Penny Parks Wins 4-H Awards

Penny Parks, who has been a 4-H'er for five years is the champion of this district for achievement in career exploration and money management. She gained the title first winning the county championship in September and the district the 2nd and 3rd of this month at a meeting held at the Cobb Hotel.

Nine counties competed in this event. Her winning records are now competing in state competition. Let's all wish her luck.

Tradition Upheld By Class Of '63 & '64

An annual custom of the junior class is to leave a token of their appreciation to the school and students. In keeping with this tradition, the junior class of 1963-64 presented two stone benches to Lone Oak. These benches were placed in front of the gymnasium facing Oregon Street.

The officers of this class were: Gary Detraz, President; Billy Don Harper, Vice President; and Nan Smallmon, Secretary. The adviser was Mrs. Zitell Goheen.

1964 Graduate Does Well In College

Miss Janis Lynn Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Boyd, is on the honor roll at David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tennessee.

The honor roll is made up of students in the upper 10 per cent of the class, based on grades for the previous quarter.

A graduate of Lone Oak High School, Miss Boyd plans to major in Elementary Education. While in high school, she was valedictorian and a member of the Beta Club.

Cheerleaders Elected In Jr. High

A very enthusiastic crowd of the eighth and ninth graders elected cheerleaders on Friday, October 23. Those elected to represent the eighth grade were: Christy Boren, Brenda Rice, Tina Green, Carole Wilkes, Janice Allen, Lisa Tate, and Jan McKinney, alternate.

The freshmen cheerleaders are Brenda Canup, Linda Carpenter, Diane Garnett, Sandra Mohler, Patty Wandling, and Nancy Simmons; alternate Cathy Wallace.

The remaining ten minutes of the hour were spent in learning new yells. They were taught by the high school cheerleaders.

Mrs. Douglas is sponsoring the Junior High cheerleaders this year with Paula Burks as assistant. The ninth grade does not yet have a sponsor.

Seventh Grade News

Two homerooms in the seventh grade were unintentionally left out of our last issue. Their officers are as follows:

MRS. KELLY'S HOMEROOM
President—Sherry Lewis
Vice President—Vonna Tyree
Secretary—Tracy Morris
Treasurer—Marcy Maddox
Reporter—David Hughes
Devotion Chairman—Cindy Parker

MRS. REEVES' HOMEROOM
President—Kerry Brandon
Vice President—Joe Edd Cothran
Secretary and Treasurer—Ellen Price

The school would like to welcome two new members of the seventh grade. They are Donna Ligon from Broadway Elementary, Madisonville, Kentucky, and David Cain from Atkins-Porter Elementary, Paris, Tennessee.

McIntosh Heads Eighth Grade Class Officers

October 20, 1964, the eighth grade elected class officers. Several weeks before, each homeroom elected a president, vice president, secretary-treasurer. The officers from each homeroom were put on ballots. The following were elected:

President—Johnnie McIntosh
Vice president—Carol Wilkes.
Secretary-treasurer—Lisa Tate.

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Local Political Figures Speak To Government Class

On October 21 at 10:00, Mr. William Howerton, the McCracken County Chairman of the Republican Party discussed Republican philosophy with Mr. Blackburn's Advanced Government class.

On the following day, the class was privileged to have as a speaker, Senator Tom Garrett who spoke on the Democratic Party and on state legislation.

Mr. Howerton began with the statement "the only hope for America lies in political conservation." He explained conservation as the political philosophy which deals with the whole man and his spiritual side not just his economic and materialistic side. According to him conservation deals with the individual, his initiative and his ability to engage in private enterprise. He states, "constitutional government and free enterprise makes our country great, and the United States was built by the uncommon man."

SOCIALISM

Mr. Howerton then talked on Communism and said that socialism leads to communism. He said, "one third of the world is enslaved in Communism, and socialism is slowly creeping into our country and if it keeps up then the results could very well end up in Khrushchev's prophecy. "He won't have to come over there and raise our flag, you will raise it yourself!"

Mr. Howerton expressed the meaning of this in the parable of the frog. "If a frog is dropped into a pot of hot water it will jump out, but if it is put into lukewarm water, then it will slowly cook." This parable expresses socialism in this country slowly creeping into the minds of our people, and our struggle today is not going to be won by bombs, but by ideas."

"What we must offer to the people is better ideas, and we will have peace only through strength and preparedness." Mr. Howerton went further to explain some of the ways the communists are advancing in this country. "Certain agencies, as ADA are only Socialists fronts and run by bureaucrats of the third and fourth level." "Our country is run by groups which have power that can be used or abused and lately have been abused."

SOCIAL SECURITY

Mr. Howerton said the Republican candidate has voted for every measure to strengthen social security, but that he believes it should be based on voluntary action of the people and only the people themselves have the right to decide if they want social security or not.

He is against the people living off of federal aid when it leads to destroying their initiative and those people who do not want social security and are forced to accept it when it should be left up to their own free will.

He is against medicare because it does not really care for the patient but just gets him to the hospital and places him there without caring for him afterwards and that inflation will be worth nothing if matters persist as they are.

TVA

Mr. Howerton then said that the Republican candidate is not against TVA. He explained that it was originally made for flood control,

then it started selling power and land buying and how it came to be involved in the fertilizer business he could not even imagine. He said "TVA is government supported and what the Senator is against is the waste and the competition of federal companies and that TVA gets everything at a reduced rate and pays no taxes."

Mr. Howerton then spoke on Republican views on the foreign scenes. "The so-called cold war has lost more lives and cost more lives than any hot war in history." We are sending money, besides building steel and steam plants and sending food to communist countries. While we aid the Communists and Communist countries, such as Poland and Yugoslavia, they only become stronger and are not the least bit respecting us."

"They believe if you back down to aggressors then they move forward and the way to maintain peace is through strength and an understanding between the Communists and us, just where we stand. That we need is not a wishbone, but a backbone in the White House."

QUESTIONS

Q. Charles Walker asked "Barry Goldwater criticized the methods of TVA, what would he do and how could he bring the same accomplishments which TVA has been doing, with his ideas and methods?"

A. "Mr. Goldwater believes that TVA should be used for Federal projects and should not get into the park business because we have U. S. forestry and conservation divisions which should do this and Senator Goldwater objects to the way in which people are moved off their land. Mr. Goldwater has mentioned the TVA and agriculture problem and says he does not know all about agriculture but if it was his decision he would appoint someone who was raised on a farm and does know." He says "the farmers themselves should decide if they want price supports."

Q. Rodney Mabry then asked "What can we do to help elect Senator Goldwater?"

A. "Come to headquarters and I would be glad to discuss it with you there."

SENATOR GARRETT

Senator Tom Garrett is Chairman of Young Democrats Club, a practicing attorney, and has been in the State Legislature for four years. He stated that he was glad that the people had this much confidence in him.

Senator Garrett opened with a short discussion of State Legislature. He explained that Kentucky, at the present time, has a two-house legislature. He said that a state senator represents approximately 70,000 people and that a congressman represents approximately 30,000. He

then spoke against the idea of one house legislation. Senator Garrett feels that a two-house legislature makes it possible to have a system of checks and balances comparable to that of the federal government.

A law passed by one house which might not be in the best interest of the people is sometimes stopped by the other house.

DEMOCRATIC PARTY

The Senator continued with a discussion of the Democratic Party. He stated that the Democratic Party is the oldest political institution in this country and a party with great compassion. He said that the Democratic party is the party with a heart and is concerned with the individual. He then explained the various contributions made to our country by Democratic presidents.

According to the Senator, it is a strong Democratic belief that the government should be an instrument of service here and abroad. He said that Democrats do not believe in government inaction or withdrawal. It should work to bring greater happiness and fulfillment to the people of our country.

He pointed out that TVA and Social Security are two great monuments to the Democratic Party. According to the Senator, TVA brought our state from stagnation to potential wealth. TVA was paid for by the American people and he feels that it should not be sold to a private enterprise.

Then, in reference to Social Security, Senator Garrett spoke about the Medicare program. He said that medical care should be available to elderly people if they cannot afford to pay. He also said that the Medicare program would not completely solve the problem of caring for the aged, but that it would be a great step in that direction.

TAXES

The Senator also gave his views on federal aid to education. He said that Kentucky spends 66% of the general tax dollar for education, while New York only needs to spend 20% on education. This shows that all states do not have the same taxable wealth.

Because of this Senator Garrett believes that the federal government should supplement the states in supplying educational facilities if this help is needed. He feels that we in Kentucky should have the same opportunity for education as a person in any other state. He also stated that our country is large enough to provide equal opportunity, and that the government action may be necessary to assure this.

The only statement the Senator made about agriculture was that he did not believe in government withdrawal from it.

In relation to the presidential campaign, the Senator said that it is a campaign of large issues. He feels that an important choice confronts the people of our country



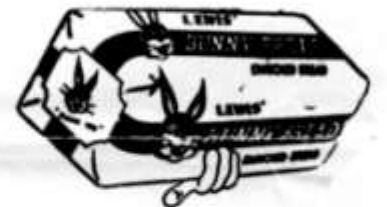
GROUP OF SENIORS shown getting their rings.

St. John's Students Visit Chemistry Lab

At sixth period, October 21, seven students from St. John's High School visited Lone Oak's chemistry lab. They are as follows: Regina Willett, Ruth Ann Durbin, Nancy Kaler, Theresa Drury, Milton Grief, Willard Weitlauf, Jr., and James Wurtz. They do not have a lab of their own and they are very interested in ours.

The Lone Oak students were preparing oxygen and the St. John's students worked with them. We are glad to be able to extend our facilities to these students in this way.

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FIRST—They provide the necessary competition against those boys who make the "A" team. A lack of competition in practice means a lack of aggressiveness and desire in actual game conditions. The more competition provided by the "B" team—the better prepared the "A" team will be.

SECOND—The "B" team will eventually become the varsity. Very few high school basketball players play only during their senior year. Most boys who become good high school players are products of the "B" team. In the "B" games the boy gains the very valuable experiences necessary for becoming a good ball handler and player.

THIRD—On the "B" team is where the boys learn team work and good sportsmanship. Team work is necessary in all sports. No individual can defeat a team. Team work, a potential ingredient for a good team, wins games. Sportsmanship is playing hard to win in a game, but losing well if you have to lose.

Good sportsmanship involves such matters as fair play, keen rivalry but careful observance of rules, courtesy, and a generous attitude toward an opponent.

The boys who make up the "B" team this year are:

Player—Position	Hgt.	Wgt.
Darrell Burkhart F	5-11	160
Rick Coltharp F-G	5-11	155
Mark Fleischhauer C	6-1	155
Ralph Goode C	6-2	160
Steve Goodman C	6-2	150
Charles Hamlin G	5-10	145
James Hollowell G	5-4	120
Ricky Leeder G	5-10	130
Val Moore G	5-7	130
Dale Smith G-F	5-10	150
Pat Smithson F-C	6-0	165
Dennis Steger F	6-0	173
Kerry Via G	5-8	130
David Wilson F	6-0	170

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4. He is the type man he wants his boys to be.

The Official . . .

1. He knows the rules.
2. He is fair and firm in all decisions. He calls them as he sees them.
3. He treats players and coaches courteously and demands the same treatment for himself.
4. He knows the game is for the boys, and lets them have the spotlight.

The Spectator . . .

1. He never boos a player or official.
2. He appreciates a good play, no matter who makes it.
3. He knows the school gets the blame or the praise for his conduct.
4. He recognizes the need for more sportsmen and fewer "sports."

VARSITY PLAYERS ANNOUNCED . . .

The Oak "K" announces the following varsity basketball players for the '64 and '65 season:

Name	Position	Height	Weight	Class
James O'Brien	C	12	6-3	16
Bobby Murphey	F-C	12	6-1	17
Dick Blackston	F	12	6-0	17
Ronnie Hayden	F	12	5-11	17
Dickie Coleman	G	12	5-10	17
Donnie Harper	G	12	5-9	17
Bobby Wallis	C	11	6-1	17
Tony Holshouser	F-G	11	5-11	18

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5. You eat 3½ pounds of food.
6. You drink 2.9 quarts of liquids.
7. You speak 4,800 words, including some unnecessary ones.
8. You move 750 muscles.
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Sports Brief . . .

In the first edition of the OAK "K" we failed to mention 3 boys of whom Lone Oak should be very proud. Rickey Coltharp, Kerry Via, and Val Moore played on the Pony League team that went all the way to the Pony League World Series in San Diego, California. This team finished third in the series and brought national recognition to Paducah.

We should congratulate these boys for the effort they have put out for Paducah, Lone Oak and the surrounding area.

Basketball Season Is Here!

Start planning to attend our first ball game which is only a week away. We will be playing at Symsonia next Friday night.

Then our first home game is two weeks from tonight. We will be playing arch-rival Ballard Memorial. It is in the wind that we are going to have a big pep meeting before this game.

Let's get started right. Be a supporter of L. O. H. S.

Intelligence!

WHAT WOULD YOU do if someone told you that you had zelotypia? This question was given to several of our students. Here are some of their reactions.

- Nancy Steinhauer—Take an aspirin and go to bed.
- Alan Phelps—I knew it all along!
- Nancy Hughes—Die!
- Danny Huff—Get shots.
- Mark Fleischhauer—Send it to my congress man.
- Rita Schnuck—Cringe in horror.
- Gary Hall—Call Dr. Kildare.
- Mrs. Ray—I'd look and see.
- Bill Weatherspoon—Say thank you.
- Charlotte Clark—I'd slap 'em.
- What is zelotypia?—Morbid or insane jealousy.

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Latest Adventure—No comment

Name—Tony Holshouser
Favorite Song—Last Kiss
Favorite Movie—New Interns
Favorite Pastime—Nothing
Ambition—Girls
Pet Peeves—Girls that smoke
Latest adventure—Trip to Mississippi

Name—Anna Phagley
Favorite Song—Walking in the sand
Favorite Movie—Lawrence of Arabia
Favorite Pastime—Dating
Ambition—Nurse
Pet Peeve—People who push people in the pool
Latest adventure—Trip to Virginia

Name—John Carpenter
Favorite Song—House of the Rising Sun
Favorite Movie—Ride the Wild Surf
Favorite Pastime—Baseball
Ambition—Girls
Pet Peeve—Girls that Smoke
Latest adventure—Party at the lake

Name—Kerry Via
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