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39 Students Join City-County Band

The fourth annual All-City-County Band concert was on February 1, 1970 at Paducah Tilghman High School. The concert was preceded by a week of practice sessions beginning on January 26. The All City-County Band consisted of approximately 110 members, 39 representing LOHS.

In order to perform in the All-City-County Band, each person was required to audition in front of assigned band directors.

Warren W. Lutz, the woodwind instructor at Mississippi State University, was the guest conductor and soloist. Mr. Lutz, formerly band director at UK, now appears all over the country.

Lone Oak's participants in the All City-County Band were: Janet Borgerding, Sheila Buchanan, Rusty McElrath, Pat Parker, Nancy Hayden, Debbie Turley, Barbara Bichon, Jenna Hodges, Debbie Dexter, Amy Capizzano, Jeff Given, Suzi Steinkamp, Linda Casey, Martha Selfert, Kathy Grief, Marilyn Seay and Tara Northington.

Patti Bailey, Tracey Brogerding, Bruce Hayden, Diane Sawyer, Debbie Hendricks, Ellen Goldsmith, (See City-County Band, page 8)

FLASH

Feb.

19-Regional DECA Conference
20-Band Booster chill Supper

Mar.

2-KYA Pre Assembly
4-Clubs 10:00
9-PTA
18-19-20-STATE TOURNAMENT
24-Ball game PTA



New students at Lone Oak talking with Mr. Atherton are: Charise Wesler, Brenda Mayeux, Randy Thomas and Jeri Thomas.

60 Students Comprise February Honor Roll

The 60 students making the honor roll this month achieved an A and B or better average on their semester grades.

The senior class contributed 28 students for the honor roll. Valerie Irby, Doris Kesterson, Judy Nelson, Jennie Barriger, Kathy Dallas, Malissa Wilkins, Vicki Stayton and Keith Flake were able to display a report card with all A's.

Making A's and B's were Ronnie Smith, Arlene Zagata, Jenna Hodges, Cheryl Dickerson, Robert Block, Nancy Lawrence, Nancy Ashburn, Linda Thomasson, Janet Borgerding, Kristi Smith and Margaret Shoulta.

PTA Speaker Is Bill Powell

The three Lone Oak PTA's met on February 16, 1970 at the Elementary School for the annual Founders Day meeting.

The parents and teachers heard the speaker, Mr. Bill Powell, speak on the Generation Gap.

Sharron Ritchie, Lynn Via, Carolyn Bunger, Alan Nagel, Ginger Bauer, Cindy Carter, Debbie Trout, Gayle Hall and Thomas Deboe also made the A and B list.

Fifteen outstanding students represented the freshman class. Stan Spees made straight A's. Joe Miller, Don Eaker, Richard McGuire, Lana Riley, Rodger Smith, Anita Tucker and Geoff Nagel made all A's and B's. Mark Feather, Lynette Mitchell, Phillip Bagwell, Carl Yeargin, Tracey Borgerding, Karen Yeomans and Karen Moore also made the A and B list.

Juniors, Karen Baker, Marcia Champion, Diane Sawyer and Johnny Hoffman made straight A's. Gail Ayers, Bobbie Fuller, Rene Evenson, Susan Moore, Rhonda Straub and Rodger Ragland with A's and B's made a total of ten juniors helping to form the honor roll.

The seven sophomores making outstanding grades were John James, Connie Gaines, Fred Beckman, Eddie Ellis, Jackie Jennings, Bruce Hendon and Nancy Maddux with A's and B's.

New Term Brings Four New Students

As the second semester begins, new faces are appearing at Lone Oak. Two seniors and two sophomores have started classes.

Charlie Wesler, a senior, is here from Birmingham, Alabama. Other than size there is not much difference between Lone Oak and the school he attended in Birmingham. He says there is not much to do in Paducah. He likes hunting and driving his 396 Super Sport.

Jeri and Randy Thomas come from Missouri Valley, Iowa. Jeri, a sophomore, likes sports, drama and other interesting activities. Lone Oak is larger than Mountain Valley, she said, and the

people are more friendly. She also said it looks like a new school is needed. After high school Jeri plans to go into modeling.

Randy Thomas is a senior. He has been here for six months and he likes to do everything. The difference between Missouri Valley and Lone Oak is the size and his opinion that the girls are better looking. After high school Randy wants to go to college and make a million.

Brenda Mayeux is a sophomore from Dallas, Texas. Brenda enjoys swimming and horse back riding. She said Lone Oak is a smaller school than the one she attended in Dallas and the people here are more friendly. After high school Brenda plans to attend college.

Karen Wilkins Is Second Place Prize Winner at Contest

With 15 schools from three states attending the Paducah Tilghman High School Tournament of Hearts, February 7, Karen Wilkins won the second place trophy in poetry. In four rounds Karen accumulated the second highest number of points over about 20 entrants. Honorable mention was given to Cindy Carter and Jill Thompson, third and fourth place respectively, in humorous interpretation and Oteka Chenault, third place in poetry.

Others attending the tournament from Lone Oak were: Vicki Stayton, extemporaneous; Eddie Ellis, David Witherington, debate; Patti Williams and Jeannie Miller, Jeri Hammonds and Joyce Hammonds, duet acting.

3 Students Sing In All-State Choir

Three members of the A-Cappella Choir participated in the Kentucky All-State Chorus, January 22-24, in Bowling Green. Mike Goodman, David Hughes and Keith Watson were chosen by auditions held at Murray State University on November 8.

The director of the chorus was Mr. Alfred Skoog from Arkansas. Various selections were performed, taken from Latin, German and English texts. The Presentation of the selected music was January 24, in Van Meter Auditorium on the Western Kentucky University Campus.

The Great Rest: Delight or Disaster?

"To be snow or
Not to be snow
That is the question.
Whether tis nobler in the
Minds of kids to suffer the
Pangs of school or the
Pleasures of snow..."

The first two weeks in January of 1970 will go down in the minds of all Lone Oak students as the week of the "Great Rest."

After being out of school for two weeks during Christmas vacation it was hard to get back in the grind of sitting in a wooden chair all day. But, relief was on the way. Little did the students know that they were going to have a few more days free of Algebra and Gas Law Problems.

Late Monday night, little white liberators were falling from the sky. Slowly, but surely, the ground was covered by the little friends of the night. The temperature dropped and the "Great Rest" was under way.

But of course, all good things must come to an end. It was back to school on the following Wednesday. Still, Lady Luck was at work. We got to sleep an hour later that day.

Upon arriving at school that day, you probably saw a few students lying prostrate on the ground, if you weren't on the ground yourself. Changing buildings between classes was an event not to be taken lightly.

School proceeded on schedule for four more days. Then the following Sunday night, it happened again. With a layer of ice topped by powdery snow, we were out of school again. On Tuesday, school was held, but again the classes started an hour late.

There followed a few days of what could possibly be called normality.

Then, on Monday, February 2, it happened again. That afternoon a layer of freezing rain was covered with a layer of snow. The temperature dropped rapidly.

Tuesday provided another day of rest and relaxation...for some. Wednesday, school was in session, but buses ran one hour late.

Wednesday night, promises of more snow from the weather man caused many hopes to be raised. Upon awakening Thursday morning, it looked like some prayers had been answered. The ground was covered with a soft blanket

of snow.

But, after listening to the radio, it was found that again school was to be held one hour late. Students enjoyed a beautiful white Christmas scene that morning. But, it didn't last long. The temperature rose, rain fell and the snow disappeared.

If you are wondering how much longer this can go on, here's your answer. The 1970 Almanac is calling for snow, snow, and more snow in February. With colder weather on the way, it is quite likely that this snow will be with us quite awhile.

March calls for more of the same with snow falling at least once a week. Cold, blustery weather is to accompany the snow.

The snow comes in handy sometimes, but we could be getting too much of a good thing. If the Almanac proves correct, this will be the worst winter in thirteen years.

We have already used our four calamity days, and it looks like we are going to miss even more school before the winter is over. So, you had better pray for sunshine...but don't do it at school --it's illegal!



Junior Rotarians, Bill Hayden and Garry Massa.

Fearless Jr. Rotarians Have Perfect Records

Hats off to the Junior Rotarians from Lone Oak! In spite of sleet, snow, rain, wind, and other inclement weather, the Wednesday meetings of the Rotary Club were attended faithfully throughout January by Bill Hayden. His activities at school include captain of the football team and secretary of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Hayden II and lives on Summit Drive.

February's "weatherproof" Junior Rotarian is Garry Massa. Garry is very active in school. He is senior class president, president of Fellowship of Christian Athletes and a member of the football and track teams. Garry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Massa and lives on Old Mayfield Road.

Bill and Garry were chosen by Mr. Dexter on their outstanding records and efforts at Lone Oak.

The Principal Speaks

We are now in our second semester so let's all start it off right by studying hard and trying to get the best education we can. Be sure you have checked with the guidance counselor if you have failed a course or are in trouble on your credits.

I ask all of you for your help and cooperation this new semester to keep Lone Oak a fine school. I appreciate the help most of you have given. We have the best school because you are the best students. Study hard and let us keep you if we can. Back your school and have good school spirit.

Congratulations to all students in the Journalism Class for a fine paper. Keep up the good work.

A Year of Progress

The year 1969 will be placed in history as being a year of great achievement and progress for our nation and mankind. 1969 was highlighted of course by the colossal feat of placing an American on the moon. The war in Viet Nam took on a new meaning, as public concern demanded increased political action. As a result the first massive pullout from Viet Nam took place. Another result occurred when thousands participated in two of the greatest movements for peace in history. Racial tensions were somewhat relieved as the word "equality" acquired a new definition. The words "love" and "peace" also took on new meanings as they resounded from every street corner, shouted by the lips of some long haired, unbathed being, whose name "hippie" became firmly entrenched in the American vocabulary.

However, with all the triumphs also come the tragedies. Public apathy increased to new dimensions as the "New Morality" and ideas based upon sexual freedom made their entry into our society. Members of the "New Left" became a major political force. International conflict--Biafra, China and Germany--reached new heights. Yet all of this is gone, never to return. The arrival of the new year has come like a fresh new shower. Now is the time to start anew, remembering the triumphs and forget the tragedies. Indeed it was an awesome feat when man landed upon the moon, but mankind faces a far greater task. Hunger, poverty and the possibility of atomic destruction are still problems looming ahead of us. They seem, and indeed, they are enormous. However, they must be met unafraid and conquered, if man is to survive. The new year must bring new hope and new ideas into the hearts and minds of men, ideas which must finally crush and destroy the enemies of mankind.

Will You Be Ready?

What kind of person should attend college after he finishes high school? Is it for me? Am I qualified? How do I get in? Which college should I attend? What will I major in? How can I know now what I want to make a career of? Why should it worry me now? Will I need financial help? What about scholarships? Maybe I should work for a year or two first.

Perhaps you are asking these questions. If not, it is time you were concerned. Did you know that the senior class of 1970 will be graduating in less than four months? The day they thought they would never see is almost here.

Often, parents say that their children actually step out on their own after graduation, though they sometimes hate to admit it. Many students, however, will be in sad shape if they do not decide some things now. You first need to do a lot of honest thinking and talking with yourself about what you should do. This often is not exactly what you would like to do. You should also talk with your parents, teachers, and guidance counselor. He knows to whom you should talk, and about financial aid, (such as loans, grants, and scholarships). He also may be able to answer the various other questions you may have concerning vocational choices, job opportunities and how to obtain applications.

The important thing is that you are doing something about it NOW! Stop and evaluate yourself. Look for guidance to help you make the best choice. Then Listen!
SENIORS! WILL YOU BE READY???

The Snow

Patti Williams

Once upon a school night dreary, while I studied, weak and weary,
On many a ghastly, grinding page of algebraic lore,
While I studied, slumber growing, suddenly there came a blowing,
As of something gently snowing, snowing on my rec-room door.
" 'Tis my salvation!" I exclaimed. "This it is, and much, much more."

"If the sky keeps on its snowing, it will mean some icy going
For the yellow buses early on tomorrow morn."
While I thought this, Hope a-growin' and Retief through mind a-
flowin'
Mother warned, "Might melt 'fore morn!"
"No school tomorrow!" I insisted, Mother's doubts dismissed with
scorn.

So to bed I went, a-thinking, "Homework undone, yet heart unsink-
ing."
How nice to know that snow is covering Earth's brown, barren floor!
Yet in the morn I woke at seven; sun was shining down from Heaven,
Shining where ice was before.
"What? No snow!?" I cried in anguish. Quoth the T. V., "Nevermore!"



Jeannie Miller

It has finally come. This morning I was sitting at my unimportant desk as usual and it came. The purple buzzer lit and sang its song of death for the entire universe. That was my signal to destroy.

I am the gate-keeper between life and death. The controller of life and death for all nations. I have rotted away at this small, miserable desk for ten years. The great majority of people have never even heard of me. No one thought that there would really ever be a time for extermination. But it has come.

It is now my turn to pull the long, black lever at my right. That will start the wheels grinding. A message will be sent to the automatic control ships that circle all planets. They will do the rest. I shiver.

I reach for the end and stop. What if it is a short circuit! I will be to blame for ruining all of God's and man's work. I can't do it!

If it is really the time, though, I must work quickly, or it will be too late. These people will get away and pollute other universes besides our own. They must be destroyed now!

I know what I must do. I raise my sweating palm and close it around the cold black steel of death. My hand seems to creak with rusting, unused hinges. I exert pressure. The lever sticks. It seems that it doesn't want to be pulled into socket. Maybe it knows. I hurriedly slap my other hand into place. Now that I have decided, I must hurry, if I don't I will crumble. I can't stand the responsibility any longer. I stand and pull down with all of my might. With protesting squeaks and rumbles the death blow is finally laid. My head sags.

The door is suddenly flung open. A young technician rushes into the room. His words seem to echo through-out time. "The boys over in maintenance sent me up to tell you not to push any buttons. One of them was repairing a circuit and accidentally hit your switch. I'm sorry it took me so long, but I was simply dying of thirst, so I stopped and had a Coke. You know, I don't have any coffee breaks."

Of The Month

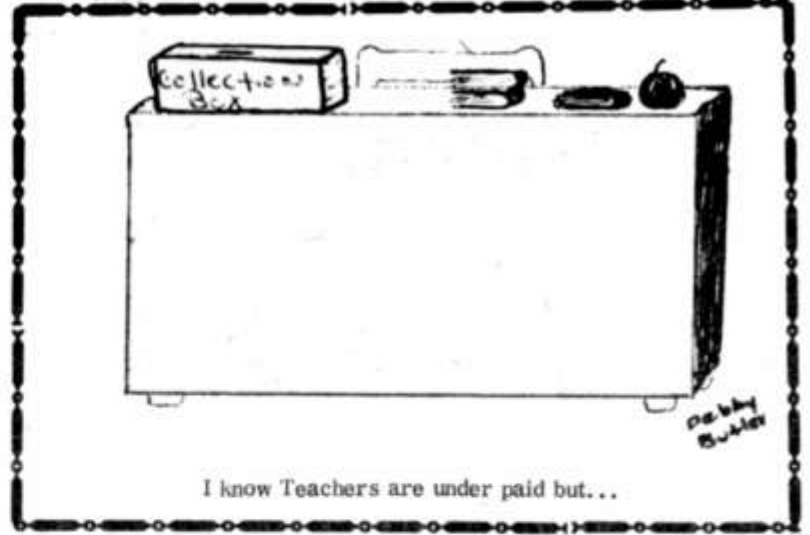
- Senior Boy-Larren Carfield
- Senior Girl-Jennie Barriger
- Junior Boy-Blair Northington
- Junior Girl-Vickie Gault
- Sophomore Boy-Ed Burnett
- Sophomore Girl-Nancy Alexander
- Freshman Boy-Mark Morris
- Freshman Girl-Leslie Perdue
- Car-Johnny Walker's Bird 400
- Movie-"On Her Majesty's Secret Service"
- Song-"Monster"
- Wolf-Louis Hartwell
- Lamb-Rodney Timmons
- Happening-Mr. Adam's promotion
- Mouth-Peggy Dunning

Perfect Junior Girl

- Results of a recent survey taken of seven Junior boys showed that the most perfect junior girl would have the....
- Arms of Susan Littlejohn
- Brains of Patti Williams
- Clothes of Gayle Lindsay
- Eyes of Debbie Boyd
- Figure of Debbie McDougal
- Hair of Lita Duncan
- Hands of Jeannie Miller
- Legs of Lynn McKinney
- Mouth of Karen Cathy
- Nose of Kathy Hunt
- Personality of Susan Moore

Minute Biography

Name: Vicki Stayton
Grade: Senior
Song: "Walk a Mile in My Shoes"
Movie: "Romeo and Juliet"
Food: Pizza



Afraid of Myself

Nancy Ashburn

Who says I'm afraid of my shadow? I am not. Every year I get up and go out to face the world. Then if I meet that big black thing out there waiting for me I go back down. I don't think you would do any different if you were me. They all blame me for causing a longer winter, and it isn't my fault. I'm just scared of the big black animal that is always waiting around my door. You know, I've noticed it must not like rain because it's never there unless the sun is shining.

I appreciate the sentiment of giving me a day of my own and naming it after me. I just thought you liked me until I heard someone say that the long winter was caused by me. To set the record straight I thought I would write to tell you that it is not my fault. If you don't want me to turn around and go back into hibernation, why don't you come and keep the animal away from my door?
P. S.
Would someone please tell me what a shadow is?

Standing In Line

Kathy Winkle

I anxiously watched the minutes tick by;
Finally the bell rang out.
I rushed at once to the door
And fled on the usual route.

At last I reached my destiny
After many a struggle and strain,
Pushing, shoving, and shouting out loud
All my attempts were in vain.

People surrounding me everywhere,
All of them ready to dine.
I couldn't help thinking that they were unfair,
As I watched them cutting in line.

My distance from the meal wasn't far;
I thought I was doing just fine,
Until I looked around me and saw
That there was no one behind.

The anger rose as hunger did,
My good nature at an end!
So I decided to do what they did
Since cutting in line was the trend.

I walked with ease past them all,
I resumed my original place.
But as I looked up, the thing I saw
Was Mr. Adams' face.

He grinned that glaring grin at me,
And signaled the end of the line.
I turned and walked back again,
With 500 sentences assigned.

So now I've learned my lesson,
I wrote it 500 times.
From now on I'll wait till he turns his back
That's when I'll cut in line!

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Tellin' Ellen

By Ellen Price

Welcome Back! I'll bet a lot of things happened during our on and off vacation since Christmas. Because of the weather there was no January issue of the Oak K. Help me find out what is going on. Start tellin' Ellen!

ROBIN LENTZ, JENNA HODGES, MALISSA WILKINS, CINDY CARTER, and EDDIE ELLIS attended the cabinet meeting for the Kentucky Youth Assembly on January 23 and 24. The meeting was held in Louisville.

Congratulations to JULIE SANDERSON for making the high grade on the Betty Crocker test. Julie will receive a silver charm and a chance for a scholarship.

The ladies in the cafeteria want to thank the student body for their cooperation in keeping the cafeteria clean and for the fine way they have conducted themselves in the cafeteria. And we want to commend the cafeteria workers for the great way they carried through on Wednesday, January 14. Despite delayed deliveries they prepared a delicious meal!

Is TRICIA N. getting married soon? Rumor has it that the wedding party has been chosen.

Mr. Murphy has started a Music Theory class. This class meets twice a week at 2:30. This class is not for credit, but is offered to students who are planning to major in music.

Attention Seniors! March 23 is the deadline for the April ACT test. Deadline for scholarships and financial aid applications for Murray is April 1.

On Friday night, February 20, the Band Boosters will sponsor a chili supper before the Lone Oak vs. Murray ballgame. The supper will begin at 5:00 in the cafeteria. Tickets will be 50¢ for students and 75¢ for adults!

The SAVE THE CHILDREN FEDERATION clothing drive began on Friday February 13. The drive will last 2 weeks. Students are asked to bring clean clothing that is in good condition. The clothing will be taken up in homeroom.

Congratulations to the Face-Mont bowling team. ROBERT EDWARDS, junior, DAVE EDWARDS, sophomore, HARRY SARLES, sophomore, CHARLIE RITCHIE, graduate of Lone Oak, and LARRY CONKWRIGHT, Brazelton student, are members of the team. These boys won the City Bowling Tournament held December 20, 1969.

Name: Tom Sosted
Grade: Senior
Pet Peeve: Pep meetings
Movie: "Camelot"
Song: "Eve of Destruction"

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Sophomore ABC's

Artistic
Boastful
Cute
Darling
Energetic
Frog
Gem
Hero
Illogical
Jinx
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Leech
Magpie
Nut
Optimist
Puny
Quack
Ruthless
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Timid
Unique
Victims
Warrior
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Yegg
Zippy

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Kathy Buchanan
Nancy Alexander
Kristi Hillier
Robert Pierce
Ike Erwin
Andy Carfield
Jenny Nimaier
Claudine Downey
Teresa Mullinax
Sophomore Class
Steve Swinford
Debra Johnson
Mike Goode
Jill Wurth



Day for Lovers

Saint Valentine's Day - the day for lovers. It began many years ago when people believed that the birds began to mate on February 14. Keeping Saint Valentine's Day for lovers grew out of this belief. Many years ago in Europe young people would meet on February 13 for a party. Each person would draw a name from a valentine box and this would be his special friend or "valentine." Today friends exchange cards, candy and gifts on February 14 as a token of their friendship.

Minute Biography

Name: Sharron Ritchie
Grade: Senior
Pet Peeve: Serious people
Movie: "The Reivers"
Song: "Venus"
Food: Pizza
Place: Suds

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Stone age man performed brain surgery on the living and a high percentage of his patients survived, notes the February SCIENCE DIGEST. Surgical capitol of the ancient world was Peru, where over 1,000 skulls with pieces of bone removed have been found. The operations may have been performed to release evil spirits.

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Members of All State Band

Flood Is Discovered As Classes Resume

The Industrial Arts building of LOHS was found flooded with water the first day that the students came back from their Christmas vacation. The water averaged from three to four inches throughout the building. The reason for the flood was a burst water pipe which was found by Mr. Foster, who also searched throughout the building for any bodies. Fortunately for LOHS, there were no fatalities.



Mr. Barry Perry

Perfect Junior Boy

Results of a recent survey taken of 10 Junior girls showed that the most perfect junior boy would have the....
 Brains of Phillip Spees
 Clothes of Danny Garnett
 Eyes of Johnny Hoffman
 Hair of Steve Alderdice
 Hands of Tommy Lawrence
 Nose of Denny Rorer
 Personality of Richard Ragland
 Physique of Larry Knott
 Smile of Jimmy Walters
 Voice of Steve Anderson

Four Students Perform In '70 All-State Band

Dale Prince, Bruce Hayden, Jeff Given and Diane Sawyer were chosen to represent Lone Oak in Kentucky's All-State Band. Janet

Borgerding was chosen as an alternate. All-State Band is an annual event of the Kentucky Educators Music Association. It was held this year in Bowling Green on January 21-24. The band was chosen through auditions held in all districts of the state. Everyone who is instrumental music in Kentucky was eligible to try-out.

Shakespeare Group Presents Assembly

The Louisville Carriage House Players presented "Much Ado About Nothing" in the gym, Thursday, February 12. The audience consisted of Lone Oak Students and visiting students from the surrounding schools. Although the Carriage Players have presented many plays here before, this one was altogether different. The play was arranged by the Shakespearean Acting Co. of Massachusetts. The setting of the play was in the southwestern U. S. during the mid 1800's. The group consisted of nine actors. The play that was scheduled for that night, "MacBeth", was cancelled because of a lack of spectators. A rehearsal of "Julius Caesar" was presented in its place.

DE Instructor Selected As Jan. Teacher

The Lone Oak journalism class recently selected as their honorary teacher of the month for January a new comer to Lone Oak, Mr. Barry Perry. Mr. Perry was a 1963 graduate of Carlisle High School. After high school he went on to college at the University of Kentucky and then on to Murray, where he received his bachelors degree. He's now
 (See DE Instructor, page 7)

Minute Biography

Name: Kathy Winkel
 Grade: Senior
 Ambition: To graduate from Lone Oak
 Food: Lum's Pecan pie
 Favorite pastime: Sorority
 Movie: Good-bye Columbus
 Song: "These Eyes"
 Pet Peeve: Unfriendly people

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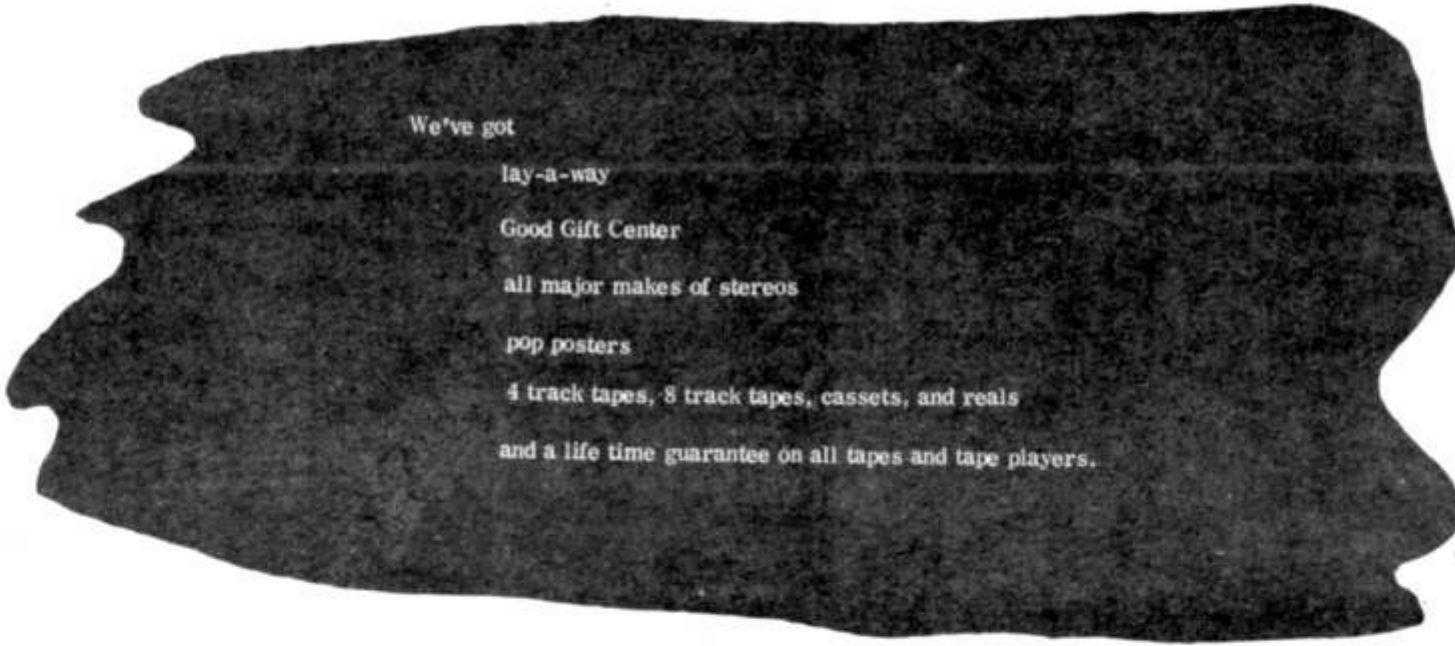
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MATH

The MATH CLUB heard a discussion by Mr. Cooper on computers and computer operations. Their plans for an up-coming math tournament are incomplete.

bookmarkers to be passed out in the library. TRI-HI-Y made Valentines

DRAMA

At the February meeting, the DRAMA CLUB saw a stage make up demonstration given by Mrs. Miller, the club's sponsor. The club members have each tried out for parts in the play, "If That's Where It's At, Baby, I'm Not Going," which is being sponsored by the Student Council.

ART

The ART CLUB is holding a bake sale this week in the student lounge during lunch. The club is now planning an assembly. The purpose of the assembly is to raise funds for the club's trip to the St. Louis Museum of Arts on April 8. Art club members from Reidland High School will also be in the group traveling to the museum.

HI-Y

The HI-Y sponsored the faculty ballgame of Heath versus Lone Oak. The game was held at the Lone Oak gymnasium Saturday, February 7.

LIBRARY

The LIBRARY CLUB is binding the 1969 magazines for the students' future reference use.

PSC

PHYSICAL SCIENCE CLUB'S guest speaker for the February meeting was Mr. Don Schrock, technical manager of the B. F. Goodrich plant in Calvert City. Mr. Schrock described the duties of a chemical engineer at the plant. He also brought several examples of end-products resulting from plastics manufactured from raw materials at the plant.

TRI-HI-Y

TRI-HI-Y has performed many civic activities in the last year and plans many more for 1970. The club sent Christmas presents to soldiers in Viet Nam and patients at Western State Hospital. The club also collected and delivered magazines to Paducah nursing homes and clothes to underprivileged people. TRI-HI-Y decorated the teacher's lounge for the Christmas season. The club sent Christmas cards to missionaries. The club cleaned and polished the library and is making



Lone Oak's Faculty Ballteam.

Minute Biography

Name: Lynn Via
Grade: Senior
Pet Peeve: Nicknames
Movie: "Boston Strangler"
Song: "Eli's Coming"
Food: Chili
Place: Bowling alley



The high salesmen at the recent Middle School magazine drive were Gabe Hobbs, Cindy Nelson and Dale Waggoner.

CHESS

The CHESS CLUB purchased new equipment with the money raised on SOS day. They are now able to play chess at their regular meetings on Monday and Wednesday.

Anyone who has played chess, or is interested in it, should join the Chess Club.

DECA

Lone Oak High School's chapter of DECA will host the club's regional meeting on February 19. Contests will be held at the conference in the following categories: advertising, display, job interviewing, managing, public speaking salesmanship. A Distributive Education Boy and Girl of the Year will also be chosen. They will go to the State Conference in Lexington in March. DECA has elected new officers for the 1970-71 season. They are: president, Mike Goode; first vice-president, Jimmy Womble; second vice-president, Cherry Dunning; recording secretary, Celia Ford; corresponding secretary, Marilyn Sharp; treasurer, Belinda Hawes; reporter, Jeanne Taylor; parliamentarian, Bruce Buchanan.

FCA

The FCA listened to a tape from Laren Young, a national member of FCA.

A few of the members are planning a trip to FCA camp. The camp is held in the Smokie Mountains and is held the first week in June.

NFL

NFL members attended Henry Clay Speech tournament in Lexington on December 6 and Tilghman Speech tournament February 7. The members plan to attend the annual Regional Speech Tournament on March 21 and 28.

School Middle School

On March 28, students from Lone Oak Middle School will compete in the regional speech meet at Murray. Those students which rate superior will go to the University of Kentucky for the state speech meet. The Students and the categories in which they will compete are as follows: Public speaking, Pete Obermark and Keith Feather; story telling, Susan Little and Jean Ann Vick; prose, Carol Womble and Cathy Goode; poetry, Robin Hodges and Teresa Lanham; and alternates, Kim Thomas and Joe Turner.

On January 29, the Middle School held its annual installation of the Junior Beta Club officers and members.

The ceremony took place in the gym consisting of a program of speeches by Mr. Stephenson, the principal, Jeff Given, president of the Senior Beta Club, and Junior Beta Club members. The Beta Pledge was recited by all 51 members of the club. Afterwards each of the 33 members walked across the stage and placed their fruit on the table, which represented this year's harvest of new Beta members, and received their pins and certificates.

It's tournament time! On February 21, the eighth grade basketball team will compete against Jetton in the Paducah Junior High with Brazelton and Metropolis also participating.

On February 25, the Flash will play St. Mary's in the McCracken County Junior High Tournament at St. Mary's. Other schools participating will be Heath and Reidland.

Congratulations to the 7th grade basketball team. They have finished their season with a 8-0 record. This makes the second year in succession that the 7th grade has been undefeated.

The team was led by Kevin Caset scoring an average of ten points per game. However, the real star is the team as a whole including Coach Jerry Cruse. Here are the players which participated on the 1969-70 squad: Dale Liles, Kevin Casey, Mark Edwards, Kenneth Reeves, Greg Buchanan, Kelly Hollowell, Keith Duncan, Gary Hearrell, Randy Mitchell, Ronnie Beaton and Mark Brookling.

The art and speech departments of Lone Oak Middle School presented a play entitled "It's Great to be Crazy" on February 13 and 14, at the Middle School gym. Mrs. Ophelia Oliver assisted in the direction of the play. She has taken part in many of the Market House Theatre productions in previous years.

The cast worked hard to make the play a success during January. The members of the cast consisted of: Teresa Lanham, Diane Wright, Jean Ann Vick, Sonny Smith, Paul McDonald, Jill Sawyer and Cindy Rose. Others on the cast were: David Watkins, Debbie Stubblefield, Terrie Lynn, Keith Feather, Ruth Ann Vandry, Kathy Wallace, Pete Obermark and Joe Turner.



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Ky. Youth, FBLA At Washington DC Are Council's New Projects



The Joyful Noise, a singing group from Florida, performed gospel music for the student body on January 26.

Karen Reeves, senior, has been selected to attend the 1970 White House Conference on Youth. She will be representing Kentucky FBLA, of which she is state president.

While Karen was attending the State White House Conference on Youth and Children in Frankfort, she was named honorary page by Senator Tom Garrett. Bill Powell, Sun Democrat Roving Reporter, introduced Karen to the Senator. On February 4 she was guest on the floor of the Senate for an afternoon session.

The White House Conference on Youth will be held May 15, 16 and 17 in Louisville. Three panel members from Paducah will be Mr. Glenn Earl Dexter, Principal of Lone Oak High School, Mrs. Patsy Crosby, a retired Principal of a Paducah elementary school and Father Howard of the Rosary Chapel.

Karen is the daughter of Marilee and William Reeves of Crossville Road.

Have you noticed the new phone in the hall by Mr. Adams' office or heard about a turned-on play coming up? These are the current Student Council projects.

Because the office phone is for student use during emergencies only and the pay phone is locked up almost all day, the Student Council decided another pay phone would benefit the student body. The telephone was placed in the

school courtesy of the Southern Bell Telephone Company. All the school must do is guarantee four calls per day during school months. So, use that phone!

The Student Council play will be given April 9-10. If That's Where It's At, Baby, I'm Not Going, by David Rogers, is about a riot on the campus of a university. Tryouts were held February 10-12.



Minute Biography

Name: Barbara Bichon
Grade: Senior
Pasttime: Driving
Song: "We Can Be Together"
Food: Chocolate Chip Cookies



A TEENAGER...

Shoots down last year's wardrobe as creepy then goes out and buys an outfit straight out of the thirties.

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Considers bearded teachers groovy, but would leave home if her father grew whiskers.

Invites the whole gang over to help themselves to the contents of the refrigerator; but heaven help the family member who touches her specially purchased low-calorie.

Spends an hour applying makeup that doesn't show; straightens her hair, whitens her lips, and turns out looking sweet and beautiful-even to her parents.

Helen Crawford, Parents Magazine

Minute Biography

Name: Linda Thomasson
Grade: Senior
Pet Peeve: 6+
Movie: "The Reivers"
Song: "No Time"
Place: Myle's horse pasture

Name: Kathy Shaffer
Grade: Sophomore
Song: "Tell It To My Face"
Movie: "Romeo & Juliet"

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A ripped seam, a soiled blouse, where do you go for such emergencies? The Home Ec. room is a great place to get a needle or a safety pin. But a lot goes on behind the scenes in the Home Economics department. One organization found in the Home Ec. department is the FHA.

The Future Homemakers of America is an organization for high school and junior high students who are taking or have taken home economics. It is a non-profit, incorporated organization. The function of the FHA is to provide opportunities for developing group and individual initiative for planning and carrying out activities of the dual role of wage earner and homemaker.

The FHA organization at the state level is 24 years old. The Lone Oak Chapter of FHA is 21 years old. FHA is an organization that has been respected for its purposes, ideals and standards. Its members have a heritage of which they can be proud.

The FHA at Lone Oak has kept this heritage and is continuing to be an active club. The FHA has included several service projects among their activities. During the holidays members delivered Christmas baskets and clothes for needy families. Sacks of fruit and candy were taken to some of the

local rest homes. Future plans include the observance of National FHA Week. It will be in the first week of April, unless Easter plans cause a conflict. National FHA Week will be observed by giving special emphasis to interpreting the FHA organization.

The Kentucky FHA Association holds an annual meeting for representatives of all chapters. At the state meetings scholarships are awarded to FHA girls who have made contributions to the organization and who are going to study Home Economics in a Kentucky college. State projects are drawn up and state degrees awarded.

State degrees are given as recognition of active personal achievement. These awards are recognized by presentation of the symbol of the degree to be received. The following degrees are given: the Key for the Junior Homemaker Degree; the Scroll for the Chapter Homemaker Degree; and the Torch for the State Homemaker Degree.

The State Associations also hold a Leadership Conference for state and district officers. The District Association holds at least two meetings a year. Local chapters hold meetings at least once a month or more.



Julie Sanderson

Julie Sanderson Is Winner of Contest

Julie Sanderson has been named Lone Oak High School's 1970 Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow. Because of her homemaking knowledge, Julie scored highest on the aptitude test given to senior girls of Lone Oak on December 2. Julie is now eligible for one of the 102 scholarships which will be given this year.

Within the future there will be a state winner which will receive a \$1,500 scholarship and a runner-up which will be awarded a \$500 educational grant. In addition, the school of the State Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive a complete set of Encyclopedia Britannica.

This spring, the 51 Homemakers of Tomorrow representing every state and the District of Columbia will have an expense paid tour of Washington D. C. with a school advisor. The climax of the tour will be the announcement of the 1970 Betty Crocker All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow. This girl will be selected by the basis of original test scores and personal observation and interviews. She will receive an increase in her scholarship to \$5,000. Second, third and fourth ranking Homemakers of Tomorrow in the nation will also be chosen and will receive scholarship increases of \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 respectively.

DE Instructor

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working on his masters. Mr. Perry also attended the Academy of Clinical Technology in Southern Tennessee, where he was a Registered Laboratory Technician.

Mr. Perry is the Distributive Education teacher and also the sponsor of the DECA club.

The club is hosting the DECA Regional Conference, which is to be held February twelfth at Lone Oak. All of the schools in the district are participating. DECA is also hosting a Regional contest which is to be held February nineteenth, also to be held here at Lone Oak.

Mr. Perry is married to the former Miss Jennie Rose, who was a graduate from Lone Oak in 1966.

The Perry's are expecting a child in April. They reside at 2321 Bement, in Lone Oak.



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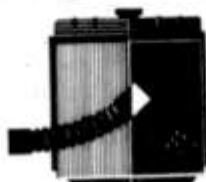
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FLASHBACK

Lone Oak defeated their host, Crittenden County, 60-53, Jan. 13. Lone Oak led all the way and won the game at the free throw line hitting 18 out of 30 attempts.

Coach McKinney stated that this part of the season looks much brighter for our young ball team and that he is very hopeful. But every team needs support and our team isn't getting enough! So attend all ballgames!

These are the scores for other recent games.

We	They
36 Ballard	65
43 Lowes	60
47 Benton	66
53 North Marshall	64
47 Tilghman	86
65 South Marshall	71
44 North Marshall	49
64 St. Mary	81
44 Symsonia	65
51 Reidland	61
41 Tilghman	81

Lone Oak Freshman team is looking good with a 6-1 record. Mr. Norris was quoted as saying, "All the boys are very dedicated and are coming along even better than expected, because most of the boys are in the B team and playing a lot of ball. One of their most outstanding feats was holding the

Heath Freshman to one field goal within the first 21 minutes, and ten points for the total game.

Here are the scores for the freshmen:

We	They
36 Reidland	33
52 Benton	31
46 St. Mary	48
46 Heath	19
25 Reidland	46

Lone Oak's Faculty Tops Heath 68-61

On February 7 the Lone Oak faculty team led all the way over the Heath faculty with a final score of 68-61. Lone Oak's Norris and Heath's Vannerson tied for the individual high points, each scoring 23.

The starting five for the Lone Oak faculty were: Norris, 23 points; Simmons, 9 points; Gregory, 14; Cruse, 13; and Stephenson, 9. The substitutes were Ellis and McGroarty. John Powell and Walter Hatchett were the referees. The Lone Oak Hi-Y sponsored the game as one of their fund-raising projects.



Coach Steve Simmons

Jr. College To Host Region VII Tourney

College tournament action will come to Paducah when Paducah Community College hosts the Region VII National Junior College Athletic Association Tournament March 2-7.

Eighteen of the twenty-nine Kentucky, Missouri and Tennessee teams will compete for the right to play the Region VII winner. The tournament, managed by Claude "Sonny" Haws, will be held in nine sessions.

Admission to the games will be: Adults -- \$2.00, Students -- \$1.50. Afternoon games will be at 1:00 p.m. Night games will be at 7:00 p.m. All action will take place in the PCC gymnasium.

Minute Biography

Name: Debbie Vidrine
Grade: Junior
Pet Peeve: Grading system
Song: "Jennifer Thompkins"
Movie: "The Reivers"
Color: Green
Ambition: Physical therapist

Name: Donna Troutt
Grade: Sophomore
Nickname: "turtle"
Pet Peeve: "fish"
Place: Robin's basement
Movie: "Romeo and Juliet"
Song: "I want you Back"

Name: Ginger Bauer
Grade: Senior
Pet Peeve: Practice sets
Song: "When Julie Comes Around"
Place: China Boy

City-County Band

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David LeDoux, David Ross, Mark Reno, Kay Metcalf, Karla Turley, David Hughes, Steve Anderson, Ronnie Hunt, Louis Bourgeois, Tommy Hughes, Dale Prince, Tony Daniels, Jimmy Walter, Mike Wills, Jimmy Womble and Freddie Beckman were also selected to perform.

Minute Biography

Name: Kenneth Colbert
Grade: Senior
Pasttime: Buying albums
Song: "Volunteers"
Saying: "But I'm Cute"
Food: Rootbeer milkshakes
Place: Downtown
Ambition: To be coach

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Coach Steve Simmons Is February Teacher

"I know we will have a winning season. I am looking forward to it," was Mr. Steve Simmons' reply on being questioned about the upcoming baseball season. "Half of the team graduated last year but with the interest of the guys coming back and the ones who are trying out for the team, the season looks great." With this contagious enthusiasm Mr. Simmons was selected as Oak K's teacher of the month for February.

Mr. Simmons is a graduate of Symsonia High School and Murray State University. He has been teaching advanced math and geo-

metry at Lone Oak for a year. Along with being baseball coach, Mr. Simmons is a sponsor of the Math Club.

Mr. Simmons, a favorite among all, is not only an asset to the faculty but to the school.

If you own a cat, don't feed her aspirin if you think she's sick, because it could be fatal. Aspirin contains phenol and a feline's physiological makeup just won't absorb it properly or throw it off, says February's SCIENCE DIGEST.



Let's have a "Breathe-in"

"Monkeys are the craziest people" was a favorite expression of old-time newsreel humorist Lew Lehr. Lehr may have been using the line just for laughs. But now there's evidence that monkeys, at least chimpanzees, actually have a slapstick sense of humor, says the February issue of SCIENCE DIGEST. They laugh heartily when they toss garbage or water at us humans. Their titillation seems to come from the midbrain, the chimp's neurological center.

THOSE FILM STRIPS

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