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Executive Assistant named

RICK JENNINGS
News Editor

Bene' S. Cox has been named executive assistant to the president of Middle Tennessee State University.

Dr. Cox is assistant vice chancellor for Academic Affairs at the Tennessee Board of Regents, MTSU's governing body.

MTSU President James Walker said during Saturday's roundtable discussion that Cox will be working closely with himself and Leonard Bradley, who lobbies with TBR and the Legislature for MTSU.

Cox is a native of Athens,

Ala. She earned bachelor's and master's degrees in history and English, respectively, from the University of Alabama, and a doctorate in higher education administration in 1980 from Peabody College of Vanderbilt University.

A search committee chaired by Dr. James Hindman, vice president for Academic Affairs, selected three candidates from more than 200 applicants for the position, which was advertised nationally.

"Though they all had excellent credentials. Dr. Cox's broad range of experience makes her the best fit for the position,"



Dr. Bene' S. Cox

Walker said.

"We're pleased that she's joining us," Hindman said. "She brings a lot of skills and experience that will be helpful to us and the university. I look forward to working with her."

From 1976 to 1988 Cox served in the English department at MTSU, progressing through the ranks from instructor to associate professor and a member of the graduate faculty.

Among her areas of responsibility at the TBR have been working with the Legislature and with strategic planning and institutional missions, and coordinating the Tennessee Collaborative for Educational

Excellence and the TBR systemwide participation in academic partnerships.

"When I worked supporting the TBR strategic planning process, I saw that MTSU's institutional mission and geographic position in a growing demographic area provides educational opportunities, research possibilities, and public service opportunities that are not paralleled by any other institution in the south," Cox said. "I'm pleased to return to MTSU in this most promising time of success and growth through innovative, strong leadership and consensus building."



Shelley Mays/Photographer

BLUE LIGHT SPECIAL: Tammy Howse, a Fashion Merchandise major, and Steffanie Bryant, a Broadcast Journalism major, examine MTSU's new blue light security phones.

Installation complete

JANA JAMISON
News Writer

Security telephones that have a direct line to the campus Public Safety and Security Department have been installed.

According to Don Zlotky of Administration and Supervision, most of the larger campuses in Tennessee already have security phones. Campus security and the Associated Student Body thought the phones would be helpful in providing easy access to security in case of an emergency.

The phones will be strategically located at 12 locations on campus. "They are here to add security for students on campus," said Shawn Burgess, ASB president.

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Task force profiles weekend ghost town

RUSTY GERBMAN
News Writer

A university task force will be profiling the average student to see whether the school is doing all that is possible to keep students on campus during the weekends.

The task force was created by university President James Walker during the past spring semester.

The task force is made up of 14 people, students and faculty members picked by the president. The chairman of the committee is the Director of Student Programming Harold Smith.

"We are going to be examining the reason why or why not more students do not remain campus during weekends," Smith said, "and make long- and short-term recommendations regarding our findings."

Smith and his team are in the process of devising a

questionnaire for students to give information about themselves in order to profile an average MTSU student. The questionnaire will be finished in October, Smith said.

The questionnaire will be designed to allow the task force to see what an average student does during the weekend. It also will allow the students a chance to give suggestions on what would keep them on campus, Smith said.

The task force should be able to make recommendations from its findings by the end of the semester.

Smith said he would entertain any ideas or thoughts students have about the subject if they stop by his office and make an appointment, call or write to him.

"We are not sure students

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Boots is made for walking all over the competition. History of accomplishments.

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A sad state of affairs for health care facilities in many universities.

University health care on the ropes

(CPS) A university without an English department is impossible to imagine. Unfortunately, officials from colleges across the country say the absence of campus health care and counseling is not considered equally as absurd.

As a result, student health clinics are trying to find alternative sources of funding. Many counseling services could be ended as a result of budget cuts, administrators warn.

"There is a change in mood on university campuses across the country," said Dr. Donald Peters, director of the University of Minnesota's Health Services.

That mood is not a health-conscious one.

"As state and federal funding decreases, tuitions increase. Because schools are trying to keep their total costs as low as possible, some fees, like health fees, are not escalated to maintain service," said Dr. Verna Armstrong, senior educational resources consultant with the American Association of State Colleges and Universities.

Most student health centers across the country are supported primarily by student fees. The remainder of the money comes from university funding and third-



party insurance. Insurance money is collected from non-student patients using the student health centers for medical care.

Most university counseling services, such as rape crisis centers, drug and alcohol treatment programs and educational programs for AIDS, eating disorders and stress, do not fall under the health services

umbrella.

Instead, they are funded primarily by each university with minimal money coming from fees. In times of financial strain, counseling programs are usually the first to get cut.

"This is the 1990s," Peters said. "We are not just Band-Aid centers. There are an incredible number of services students need. Unfortunately those programs, the one peripheral to health care, are always the first to go."

Already this year budget problems at Stanford University have resulted in the school ignoring a task force recommendation to hire someone to run its sexual assault services.

The University of Florida has suffered cuts in its rape counseling and victim advocate services as well.

"People really need to have these programs to deal with what's going on," said Lt. Sadie Darnell, spokeswoman for the Gainesville Police Department.

At Rutgers University in New Jersey, a recommendation by a task force resulted in the hiring of a person to run the school's sexual assault services. But the school has reduced funds for its alcohol treatment program.

"I think there's a general

feeling of considerable vulnerability because classroom activities won't be cut," said David Burns, Rutgers' assistant vice president for student life. "Many people feel these services are essential. We see them as linked to education, but many institutions just hold instruction at the top."

In Washington, the government is getting involved in the issue as well.

Selena Dong, legislative consultant for the United States Student Association, a lobbying group for student concerns, said USSA is working on trying to get federal money earmarked for rape counseling services.

Sen. Joseph Biden, D-N.J., recently worked with the Senate Judiciary Committee to get a bill passed that provides some federal money to colleges that agree to make sexual assault statistics public information.

"I think that's great," Burns said. "But I don't think the government is going to come up with enough money for everyone."

While many are contemplating the fate of counseling services, health administrators are scrambling to come up with their own methods

of earning money.

Dr. William Broyles, administrator of the Student Health Center at Mississippi State University, recently shared his school's success at the American College Health Association's annual meeting.

Broyles said Mississippi State is allowing private doctors to practice at the student health center. The center then charges the physician an overhead cost for using the facilities.

Also, the student health center is providing low-cost health care, such as physicals for non-students, and is reducing the cost of X-rays and other tests by having them performed at outside laboratories.

"What major institutions have to do is use the inner structure (of health care centers) to include health care for employees, faculty, staff and others to gain revenue," Peters said. By adding these non-student patients to the list, university health centers can receive increased insurance money for payment of services.

"Because we are self-supported, we have to generate our own revenue," Broyles said.

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Residential students receive discount cable

KIM SHEPPARD
ASB Correspondent

Middle Tennessee State University residential students will be able to receive cable starting in the spring.

That action was decided upon during the Associated Student Body's first Joint Sessions Meeting of the school year. Campus residents will receive cable in the spring for \$20 a semester, while premium channels will cost about \$7 more a month.

Fifty-four people attended the meeting, and they also discussed the name change of the ASB to Student Government Association (SGA), to be voted on during Wednesday's referendum. The name change is to leave no doubt as to the function of the

organization.

"All organizations have bonded together for a common goal to ensure that the rights and the needs of the students are met," Gilley said.

Voting booths will be at Peck Hall and Keathley University Center. "Without the student participation, the name change won't occur and progress will be hindered," said Toby Gilley, speaker of the House.

Students also will vote on the \$3 activity fee. Voting "yes" will keep student funding possible and school events at their present rate.

If students vote "no" on the present activity fee, a large portion of student funding will be cut, and university events will be curtailed.

1992 proclaimed Year of the Student

SAMMY FRANKLIN
ASB Correspondent

The 1991-92 school year has been proclaimed "The Year of the Student" by Dr. James Walker, university president, and Shawn Burgess, Associated Student Body president.

"A proclamation is to serve as reassurance that we, the students, are No. 1 in the eyes of the university and the student government," Burgess said.

In Walker's proclamation, he states that Middle Tennessee

State will soon be the second largest university in the state and that he wishes to reaffirm the university's commitment to recognize each student as an individual.

"The whole purpose of the proclamation is to empower the students to use it as a tool to wake up faculty and administration and to remind them that this is their year," Burgess said.

"We hope to do it through legislation, personal contact and by Dr. Walker," Burgess said as to how students can expect

changes to occur.

Getting the students to be heard and making sure everyone is together are matters that Walker and Burgess face.

"Most people feel that they aren't involved, and then when something is passed and they don't like it, they feel left out," Burgess said. "I want students to tell me what's going on, what's bothering them. Let's work together in this 'Year of the Student' and make sure that some positive changes are made for the university."

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"We are not sure students want to stay on campus," Smith said. "We are not trying to force them to stay on campus."

Smith stressed the point that the committee is looking into what the student body wants. If students do want to stay on campus or are not able to stay on campus during the weekend, the task force will not try to change anything, Smith said.

The task force is trying to get the Murfreesboro community involved in keeping students on campus, Smith said. Smith has already been in contact with Ralph Vaughn, chairman of the Rutherford Chamber of Commerce, to help the task force.

Some of the aspects that the task force is looking into are keeping the library open longer hours, dorm visitation, bookstore and Health Services hours, Smith said.

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Burgess said the phones cost about \$1,000 each.

The orange rectangular boxes are mounted on a small post with a blue light on top. The push of a button links the caller to security and activates the revolving blue light. Security members then go to the place where the call originated.

Although these will look like ordinary phones, they will

actually work more like a radio-type phone, said Sgt. Brian Grisham of campus security.

"They were able to get more of these than the phones," Grisham said. "The phones are a different type of system, so the price was cheaper but the quality was still the same."

"This came about by legislation pursued by Todd Burnett, Shawn Burgess and Derek Ledford," Burgess said.

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"It's strictly market-driven. The more patients, the more money."

Another option for some schools is "trying to help by offering group insurance plans to students," Armstrong said.

Ironically, about two years ago, when many concerns about student health care and its cost surfaced, a College-Aid Health Care Kit emerged for students to keep in their dormitory rooms or apartments.

Its sales have tripled this year, perhaps underscoring the concerns parents and students have about their health.

The kit, designed by S. D. Salvi, came about because "I went back to school when I was older and I saw students asking me all kinds of health questions. I just felt that kids knew absolutely nothing about health care."

The kit sells for \$19.95 and includes a 60-page health care guide along with a thermometer, antihistamine, pain/fever reducer, bandages, antibiotic ointment, an elastic bandage wrap and an ice

pack. Condoms are optional.

Many colleges and universities are looking to incorporate the kits into their residential life programs — many have ordered kits for their resident assistants and would like all students living on campus to have one.

All of these creative solutions are helping to provide continued medical services to students in an environment in which administrators "do not see health care in the mainstream of academics," Peters said.

He added that student health care services are essential because they are one of the only options of low-cost medical treatment students without insurance or for students from low-income families.

"I think for the next decade health centers will be under the microscope. Presidents keep asking, 'Why? Why do we need health care for students?'"

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The Fall Honors Lecture Series features Jill Hague of the English department speaking on "Intuition and Creativity" at 3:30 Sept. 16. The fall program is a series of interdisciplinary seminars about creation and discovery. The lecture will be given in Peck Hall 107.

The **Middle Tennessee Symphony** presents pianist Charlene Harb September 16, 8 p.m. at Tucker Theater, Boutwell Dramatic Arts Building. The show is

free to students with a student I.D.

Weather permitting the **MTSU Observatory** will be open to the public from 8-10 p.m. Sept. 17:

Alpha Kappa Sigma Sorority, Inc. and **Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity** will be sponsoring a blood drive September 17 & 18 from 11 a.m. - 5 p.m. in the KUC Room 322.

Weather permitting the **MTSU Observatory** will be open to the public from 8-10 p.m. Sept. 17.

The **Society of Professional Journalists** will host a "Meet the New Faculty" reception for all students and faculty in the journalism and radio/tv/photography departments on Tuesday,

Sept. 17, from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m. in the second floor lounge area at the front of the new Mass Communications Building. Refreshments will be served. All majors and faculty are invited. For more information, call Dr. Glenn Himebaugh at 898-2205.

An organizational meeting for the **College Democrats** will be held at 2:30 p.m., Sept. 18, Peck Hall Room 227. Agenda will include setting a date for the election of officers.

Anyone interested in playing **three-person volleyball** should come to the sign-up meeting on September 18th in the AMG Room 219 at 5:30 p.m. This will be the deadline to sign-up. The cost is \$7.00 per participant. For more

information call Campus Recreation 898-2104.

Pi Sigma Epsilon will hold an orientation for prospective members on Thursday, Sept. 19 at 7 p.m. in KUC 322. Pi Sigma Epsilon is the national professional fraternity for marketing, sales and sales management. PSE is open to all majors with an interest in professional contacts, experience and success.

Donald Ratjczak, director of the **Economic Forecasting Center** at Georgia State University will make the keynote address at a conference on economic outlook at MTSU on Sept. 19 at 9 a.m. A panel discussion entitled "**Tennessee and the Mid-State Economy**" will follow Ratajczak's address. Registration is \$10 to cover

the cost of lunch. Reservations should be made before Sept. 13. For more information, contact Earl Thomas, chair coordinator, at 898-2880, or Barbara Haskew, dean of the college of business, at 898-2764, or Kyle at 898-2610.

The **Division of Community Health Sciences** is sponsoring a free prep session for the **Graduate Record Exam** on Sept. 20 from 8 a.m. to Noon at Meharry Medical College. Call 327-6069 for reservations and details.

The **Middle Tennessee Women's Studies Association** is having its first meeting of the year Sept. 21 at the Mental Retardation Lab in the Kennedy Center, Room 241

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Campus — continued from page 4 on the George Peabody College campus of Vanderbilt University. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. with coffee and refreshments. The topic for the meeting is "Working the network — MTWSA's Resources as Women."

Purity Dairies and Cheekwood have teamed up to present an old-fashioned Family Sunday Social Sunday, Sept. 22 at 2:00 p.m. There will be games, activities, a children's fashion show and a concert given by members of the faculty of Blair School of Music. For more information, call 353-2148.

Career Day will be Tuesday, September 24, 1991 from 10 a.m.-3:00 p.m. on the Murphy Center track. Approximately one hundred employers and graduate schools will participate. All students and faculty are invited and encouraged to attend. For additional information, contact the Placement Office.

Homecoming week is soon approaching. For all organizations or groups who would like to participate, a meeting will be held Sept. 24th at 5 p.m. in the KUC, room 324. Homecoming

promotion packets will be distributed and discussed at this meeting. For further information, call the ASB office at 898-2104.

The **White Beret Female Precision Drill Team** would like to invite you to enjoy our organization this semester. You do not have to be in ROTC to join. Our meetings our every Tuesday and Thursday at 4:30 in Forest Hall.

Executives of **Japanese** companies in the Middle Tennessee area will discuss **management styles** at MTSU Sept. 26 at a seminar entitled "Management Styles of Japanese-Owned Companies in Middle Tennessee," which is jointly sponsored by the Jennings A. Jones Chair of Excellence in Free Enterprise and the Middle Tennessee Japan Club. The seminar begins at 2:45 p.m. and is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Earl Thomas at 898-2880 or Kiyoshi Kawahito at 898-5751.

Historic Nashville's annual Downtown Progressive Party will be October 11 from 6:30-10:30 p.m. Each historical location will feature food and musical entertainment. Tickets are \$35 per person. For more information, call

244-7835. **Tennessee Association Dance Conference**, October 12 & 13 in Murphy Center. Contact Dr. Katherine Strobel (HPER-Dance), 2891 for information.

The **Love Without Pain** seminar will be October 12 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Learn to love yourself first so you can choose healthy relationships with others. For more information call Sarah Todd at 386-3618. **Start your career in broadcasting.** Any student interested in becoming the game announcer for the **Blue Raider baseball team**, contact assistant coach Ronnie Vaughn at 898-2961.

The **Seventh Day Adventist** fellowship welcomes students to campus and invites anyone interested in seeking a well rounded education that provides not only spiritual needs but also health needs, to contact call the fellowship president Eugene Rankins at 898-3924 (work) or 890-7452 (home) or Frank Michello at 898-2491 (work) or 898-3896 (home). Outreach activities will be based on health principles, diet and natural remedies.

MTSU Dance Club will meet Tuesdays from 6:40-

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9:30 p.m. in Dance Studio A in Murphy Center. Jazz artist Lisa Lewis will direct the club. No former experience is necessary to participate.

YWCA is sponsoring a support group for women of color. The group will deal with domestic violence problems. The group meets on Thursdays at 6 p.m. For more information call 297-8833. Meetings are confidential.

Intervarsity Christian Fellowship would like you to join us Thursdays, 5:30 p.m. at KUC 313.

The Associated Student Body would like to announce the **MTSU 1991 Homecoming Parade** to be held Oct. 26 at 9 a.m. Any groups or organizations who are interested in participating in the parade should come by the ASB office in the KUC, room 304 to pick up entry forms. For more information, call 898-2464.

Murfreesboro needs adult volunteers to serve as **Girl Scout troop leaders.** Free training is available to adults interested in sharing their time and talents with Girl Scouts. For more information, call 890-2451.

You can prevent child

abuse! **Parents Anonymous of Tennessee**, a state-wide non-profit child abuse prevention agency, is seeking volunteers for the Parent Pathway program and the Parent Helpline. A Parent Pathway volunteer assists parents of newborns, by offering emotional support, discussing infant care and development, modeling parenting skills, and linking the family with community resources. The Parent Helpline is a 24-hour toll free support line for parents under stress. Volunteers answer the line in their own homes. Volunteer training will be held in the fall. For an application of further information, call Lee Anne Sharp at 227-2273.

Campus Capsule is a service provided by *Sidelines* for non-profit campus groups. If you have a notice that you would like to run in **Campus Capsule**, please submit typewritten or printed information to our office in the James Union Building, Room 310. Items must be received by **Tuesday at noon** for **Wednesday's** publication and **noon Friday** for **Monday's** publication. Inclusion is not guaranteed and is based on available space.

Florida suspect may be long-time killer

Louisiana investigation begins

(CPS)The chief suspect in the killings of five students in Gainesville may face three murder charges in his hometown in Louisiana, according to a police affidavit.

The affidavit from Shreveport, La., police was filed in support of a search warrant to obtain saliva, blood and hair samples from Danny Harold Rolling, 37.

Shreveport police say the samples may link Rolling to the 1989 triple-murder of Julie Grissom, 24; her father Tom, 55; and her nephew Sean, 8. They believe Julie Grissom was the target, but her father and nephew also were stabbed to death when they walked in on the killing.

The affidavit's release came Aug. 26 as Rolling held up a

grocery store and then led them on a chase and subsequent shootout. On Aug. 29, a jury convicted Rolling of robbery, attempted and aggravated assault on police.

The Tampa robbery charges came a few days after police found the bodies in Gainesville in August 1990, but they are unrelated to the student murders. Still, investigators say the Tampa conviction could help connect Rolling to the murders because the car used in the robbery was stolen from an apartment complex near the University of Florida.

Although Rolling is suspected in the Shreveport and Gainesville killings, no charges have been filed against him in either case.

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ASB to SGA? Who cares?

Wednesday is the big day when MTSU students will take to the polls to see democracy in action.

Will they be voting for more parking? A not-for-profit student bookstore? More input in the academic process? Nope, not even close. Students will be deciding whether to change the name of the Associated Student Body to the Student Government Association. Wow! The power of choice overwhelms the mind, doesn't it?

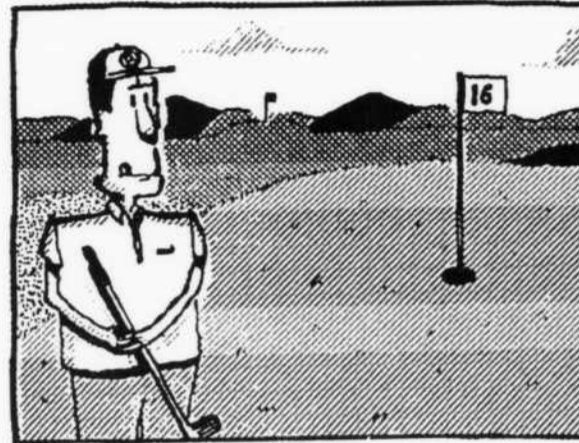
Let's look at the facts. Noone really cares what we call it. In the elections last spring, barely 10% of the student population voted and several ASB senators were elected by having a few buddies write them in. It's a joke!

If the ASB had any real power we would be voting on real issues. Unless the students are included in the decision-making process concerning important issues, noone will care about the title of the student government or any of the other trivial details associated with it.

To do nothing, however, would be irresponsible. We've all heard the old, "If you don't vote, you can't bitch," adage, so we are encouraging students to go to the polls and let your student representatives know that you want to see real action and not superficial show.

Write in a name you think will best represent our student government. We've already gotten some good suggestions such as ISA (Impotent Students Association), SBR (Students Building Resumes), and SIT (Senators In Training). Write in your favorite or come up with your own.

After all, it is your student government.



Letters to the Editor

Non-traditional student clarifies column

Dear Mr. Trout;

I'm writing in response to your 'Letter to the Editor' regarding my SATIRE article on traditional students. So — do you think you might have a sense of humor deficiency, or what?

You said in your letter that my proposal "frightened" you. What's frightening is that you took the proposal seriously. You not only missed the point; you missed the joke. I thought for sure the "happy face" stamp would clue you in.

If you had read closely, you would have realized that you don't even fit into my definition of "traditional student." You seem to take your education seriously and are contributing to the cost, so you weren't even the target of my criticism.

I wanted non-traditional students to see that they aren't alone and I hoped traditional students would realize how fortunate they are. If I had the opportunity to do it all over again, I'd love to be a traditional student, and yes, I'd probably be just as bad as those I'm criticizing. I don't mind admitting that I'm jealous and that there are days when I feel sorry for myself.

Sidelines is a forum for all students, and I took advantage of it. Most non-traditional students can't relate to 90% of what appears in the paper or to what happens on campus. It's only fair that now and then we're given the opportunity to be heard.

Sorry if I "frightened" you, but if this kind of thing scares you, then you're in for a big surprise later in life. I do, however, applaud you for caring enough to write the editor. It shows you're not an apathetic traditional student. You've also shown me that I have a lot to learn about writing satire.

Fern Greenbank
Box 1317

Student praises financial aid office's efforts

Mucho Beaucoup thanks to the Financial Aid Office for their help.

I would like to thank Winston Wrenn, Beth Parker, Lee Eaton, Celia, Angie, and the rest; BUT a special muchas gracias (above and beyond the call for duty) to Joan Owen for coming to my rescue (many hours of computer time for just me) when ACT lost my records one week before registration.

Again, Many Thanks
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Street Beat

Compiled by Sam Gannon

What do you think of MTSU's new smoking policy?



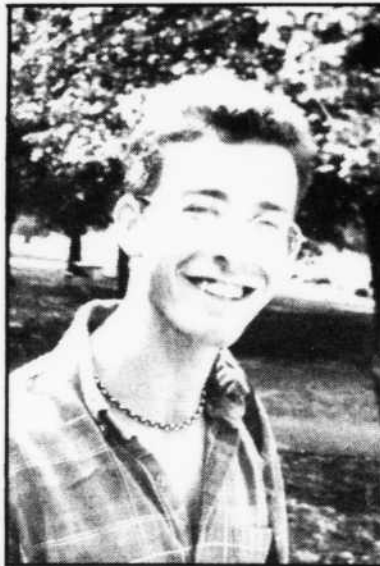
Keith Taylor
Education

"I guess it's fair. I'm not a smoker, so it didn't bother me, but I guess it's fair."



Wendy Yates
Physical Therapy

"Although I smoke, smoke closes in buildings and stuff, I think it's (smoking policy) perfectly alright."



Jad Starnes
Professional Pilot

"I'm kind of on the smoker's side but then again I'm not— people should put up with each other."



Karen Jones
Business-Finance

"I think it's great. I think it's good to enforce that policy at MTSU. It helps those who don't smoke. It is a healthier atmosphere."



Michelle Hargis
R.I.M.

"I think that's good, my grandfather died of smoking, and I'd rather not smell it or breathe it. It's pretty good."

Yankee Come Home!

The Cold War is over - let's bring our boys back

With the introduction of glasnost and perestroika, we thought maybe, maybe not - it's still too early to tell.

When the Berlin Wall came down and eastern Europe went free, many declared victory while still others remained skeptical.

However, developments in the Soviet Union since last month's failed coup attempt have removed all doubts.

The Cold War is over, and we won.

"We" is, of course, a relative term. It is used to represent the victory of democracy over communism, freedom over oppression, capitalism over socialism and the United States over the Soviet Union.

Although the present crisis in the Soviet Union prevents us from basking in the glory of our victory, we must not forget the sacrifices our country has made to bring us to this moment. One need look no further than the war memorials, nuclear weapons facilities and huge budget deficits

TERRY MASSEY From Atop the Soapbox

to realize the enormous costs of "making the world safe for democracy."

The justification and effectiveness of America's role as "world policeman," can be debated, but its existence cannot be denied. Whether you like it or not, it happened. A better argument might be how America got that role in the first place and is that role still valid now that the Cold War is over?

It all started innocently enough. From its beginning, the foreign policy of the United States can best be described in a word — isolationism. The nature of the country and its people was to avoid "entangling alliances" with other countries and mind our own business. Military involvement abroad was met with cries from the heartland to keep our boys at home.

For the most part, America held to its principles of neutrality and isolation. We even refused to support France against Great Britain right after they had helped us to gain our independence. How's that for gratitude? It even took a direct assault on Pearl Harbor to draw us into World War II. And that is where the trouble began.

A war-ravaged Europe left the traditional powers powerless and the growth of the communist ideal created fear in the "free world." America realized that only it had the resources to carry the torch. Reluctantly, we accepted that role.

Before we even had a chance to settle down, we were in Berlin, Korea, Egypt, Vietnam, Lebanon and Nicaragua, just to name a few. Our new policy of containment carried us all over the globe to counter the Soviet threat, sometimes finding success, other times finding failure: but always present. Now, after fifty years of effort, our ultimate goal

has been achieved.

So, what's next? Do we find new enemies like we did in Iraq and continue to exert our influence abroad? Will we cash in on our spoils and continue to play power politics? Should we adopt a "New World Order" in which we call the shots? I believe the answer to these is simple—absolutely not.

The time has come to turn to our attention to home. Crime, drugs, poverty, recession, unemployment - there are too many battles to be fought within our borders to be patrolling those without. Now that we have accomplished our Cold War goals, we have to focus on the Home War.

A return to our original and intended policy of isolation does not mean a weaker America. In fact, the opposite is true. The future wars will be economic in nature, not militaristic. America can best prepare itself for these battles in the classroom, business sector and by investing in its own

people.

While a strong military is necessary, one that is too strong will be counter-productive to the future of America. Free protection for western Europe and Japan has got to end. Let's close our bases abroad rather than those at home. We have to reevaluate our position in the world and return to an "America First" policy while we still are.

America has reason to be proud. We stood strong abroad for fifty years and did the world some good. It's time to take care of ourselves for a change.

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Features

Miller's swing music lives today

AIMEE TRIGGS
Features Writer

There were so many people that the show had to be moved from the BDA to Murphy Center last Wednesday night when MTSU played host to the Glenn Miller Orchestra.

The Glenn Miller Orchestra is made up of many young performers wishing to recreate the magic of the original orchestra. Given the reaction of the audience, the current Glenn

Miller Orchestra succeeded in fulfilling the high expectations of its listeners.

Glenn Miller started his career in music back in 1925 with a man by the name of Ben Pollack. He played trombone for a number of years under several different bands, until he finally started his own band in 1937.

During the age of swing and big bands, Miller brought a unique sound which will not soon be forgotten. Miller continued a

successful career throughout the 1930's and into the early 1940's until his music was brought to a halt by his untimely death in 1944.

But Miller's music did not die with him. Ray McKinley, Miller's original drummer, carried on with Miller's band from the time of Miller's death until 1950.

"The Glenn Miller Story," a movie starring Jimmy Stewart, was made in 1956 which brought

about the rebirth of the Glenn Miller Orchestra. Again, under the direction of McKinley, the band continued on with its big band style.

Today, swing lives on under the direction of Larry O'Brien who has led the orchestra for the past 10 years.

In an age of rock and pop where jazz is seldom heard, the Glenn Miller Orchestra brings a welcome change of tune. It's trumpets, trombones, and

saxophones make for a pleasant evening of spectacular music.

While the big band sound may not be quite as familiar as the more popular music of today, it's upbeat style lets the listener enjoy a nice breather from the same-old sound of everyday music. Just give it a try, and you may find that big band orchestra music is not quite so boring after all.

Although one might expect

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Mark Miller/Photographer

FOLLOW ME BOYS: Larry O'Brien directs the Glenn Miller Orchestra in a free performance given last Wednesday at Murphy Center.



Mark Miller/Photographer

PLAYING AND DIRECTING: Larry O'Brien shows off his own instrumental talents by playing the trombone with the Glenn Miller Orchestra.

Dangerous situation: Seek professional help

Dear KC,

I think that a good friend of mine is thinking about committing suicide. He is willing to talk openly about his problem and we have talked for hours about it. But even after long discussions with him, I still can't seem to show him all he has to live for. He has already had some professional help, but refuses to go back because he thinks it's a waste of time. Kim, what should I do?

HOPELESS

Dear Hopeless,

You've definitely got a dangerous situation on your hands. Talk of suicide is very serious and should never be dealt with lightly. The cry for help is there and your friend

KIM'S COUNSEL

definitely needs guidance. A close family member of your friend should be contacted. You may feel like you'd be violating his trust, but it's a human life you're dealing with. If you feel you just can't tell someone in his family, I urge you to seek professional guidance on your own. MTSU's guidance office has many counselors who are there to help. That number is 898-2670. Another number you may find helpful is the Suicide Prevention Hotline (1-800-333-4444). Keep encouraging and listening to your friend. He really needs you right now, but there is only so much you can do. Whatever you choose to do,

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Concert series begins

The MTSU Concert Series began this past Wednesday with a performance of piano music by Jean - Yves Thibaudet. Presented at the Music Hall in the Wright music Building, the concert drew a fairly sizable crowd. For those of you who missed it, M. Thibaudet will be appearing with the Nashville Symphony Orchestra this coming May to perform Tchaikowsky's Piano Concerto No. 1.

Jean - Yves Thibaudet is a native of Lyons, France. His concert career began at the age of seven, and at age fifteen he won the Premier Prix de Conservatoire at the Conservatoire de Paris. Since winning the 1981 Young Concert Artist Auditions at age 18, M. Thibaudet has been busy performing in concerts all over the world. He has also recorded the complete solo music for piano by Ravel (London/Decca

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Records) on CD, which this critic would strongly recommend.

The first half of Wednesday evening's concert consisted of all Ravel starting with a short "Prelude", followed by the "Valse Nobles et Sentimentales" and ending with the "Gaspard de la nuit". M. Thibaudet presented the first two pieces with barely a break in between, and as the piece progressed I couldn't help noticing that there was a distance essence of jazz in his playing. When I got to speak with him after the concert I asked if he played any jazz, and he said he doesn't but would love to learn. Perhaps it was just his exquisitely relaxed technique I was noticing. I have to admit that there isn't too much I can say about the Ravel

pieces because they were so well performed. M. Thibaudet presented them with so much emotion and sensitivity. I felt like I had been transported back to the Paris of this early century.

The second half of the evening began with four Chopin etudes, which did not sound like studies at all. Although M. Thibaudet did not seem to grasp the concept of true rubato (a very difficult idea even for the best pianists), there was much passion and depth of feeling behind his presentation. Not only that, the theory of relativity was proven correct as time began to stand still when the Revolutionary Etude (Opus 10, No. 12) approached the speed of light.

The concert ended with three pieces by Franz Liszt: the "Ballade No. 2 in b minor" and

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Will revised test work?

SAT revamp should reflect students' true abilities

(CPS) Admissions counselors across the country are waiting to see whether the revised Scholastic Achievement Test will reflect students' abilities, especially those of minorities, more accurately.

The College Board, which administers the SAT, will publish the new version in 1994.

"We're eagerly awaiting it," said Joyce Smith, associate executive director of the National Association of College Admission Counselors. "Most of us want to know how the changes will affect the results."

SAT results have been the talk of academia this week after the release of the 1991 national average scores, which dropped two points each to 422 in the verbal section and 474 in the math section.

In his release of that information, College Board president Donald Stewart said the scores reflected "a disturbing pattern of educational disparity."

That disparity mostly involves African-American and Hispanic minorities, who still fall

Look for local reaction to the new test in Thursday's Sidelines

short of scores achieved by whites and Asian-Americans. Still, African-Americans and Mexican-Americans are the leading groups for steady increases in their scores.

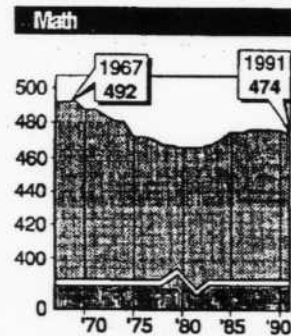
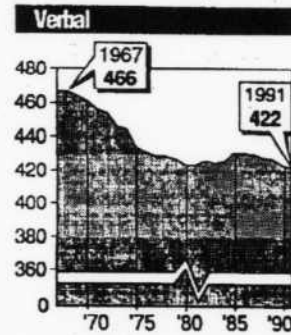
"Every time you see a standardized test result from a black student, the average score will be lower than the majority's score," said Walter Jacobs, director of Academic Support Services for the College Board, at a recent educational conference in Orlando, Fla. "Some people say this is just another example that the black man can't cut it. On the other hand, we see that blacks are the one group constantly progressing toward better scores."

Educators hope the new test will help close some of the gap. The 1991 test averages showed the following:

Since 1976, African-Americans have shown an overall

SAT verbal score at all-time low

1991 verbal scores for U.S. college-bound seniors dropped two points from last year. Math scores dropped as well. The trend since 1967, first year when records were kept:



SOURCE: College Board

point increase of 50 and 23 points respectively. But their overall average score still falls about 200 and 130 points shy, respectively, of scores achieved by whites and Asians. Their total average scores are 930 and 940 respectively.

Scores achieved by whites overall have dropped 14 points since 1976. The overall average for all groups taken together — 896 — has dropped seven points.

Men still score higher than women (923 average vs. 861 average), especially in the mathematics section of the test.

Students who took more academic classes during their educational careers scored about 50 points higher than the national average in both the verbal and the math sections.

"Those who took physics, for example, had average verbal scores of 464 and average math scores of 538, considerably above the national averages for each," said Robert Cameron, the board's senior research associate. "Those who took calculus had the highest math average, 599, and the

highest verbal average, 502."

Cameron says the College Board is concerned about an apparent paradox — "We are seeing more years of study in academics and in college prep courses and still the average scores are going down."

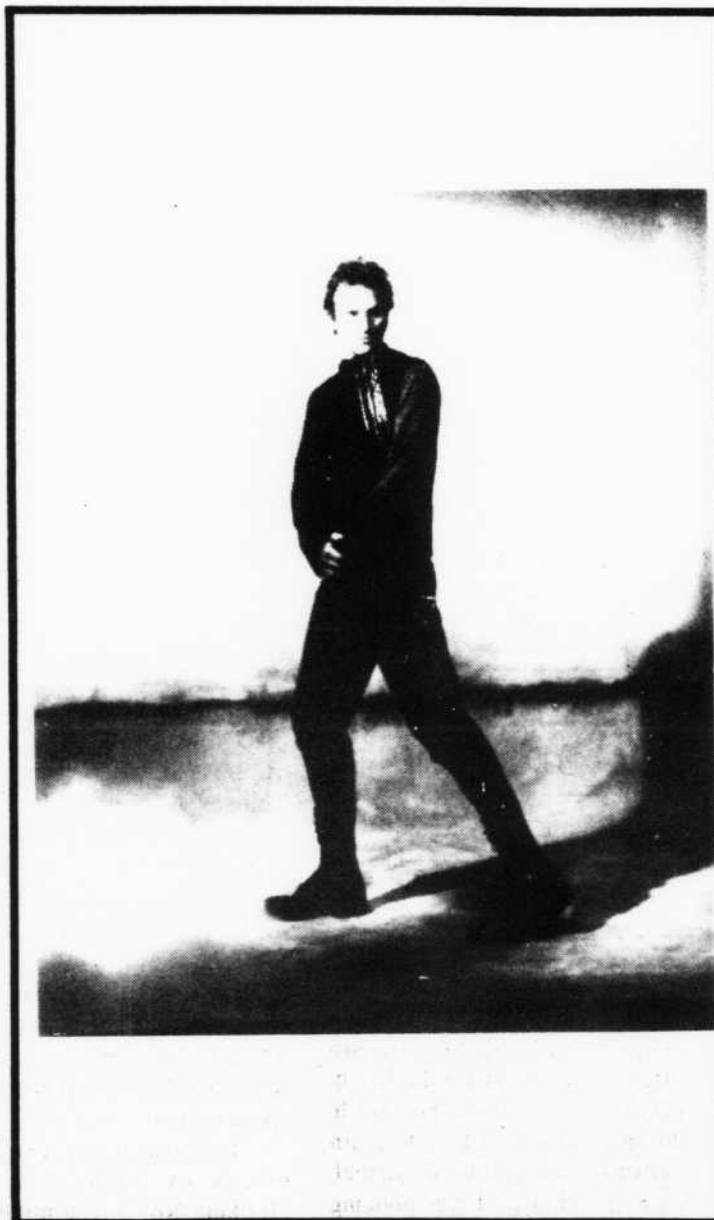
Much of the drop comes from the higher percentage of minorities taking the test — this year 28 percent of test-takers were minorities. Of that 28 percent, 8 percent reported that English was their second language and another 8 percent reported they were bilingual.

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the Glenn Miller Orchestra to attract only those who first listened to his music, a glance around the audience would show that his music is popular with all ages.

act quickly his life may depend on it.

Dear KC,
My roommate and I have been good friends for years. But now living in a dorm room with him, I am finding him to be an inconsiderate slob. Every time I try to get him to clean up the room or do something, he gets mad or ignores the suggestion. How do I straighten him out

without losing a friend?
Two-In-A-Box

Kim _____
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Dear Two-In-A-Box,
Hmmm...Sounds like you've got the "Roommate Blues!" Your buddy seems to be neglecting the proper roommate etiquette. My advice to you is to wake him up by nicely telling him how you feel about his behavior. If he doesn't stop being a total slob (and a rude one at that) find a "clean" new roomie for the next semester. Some people just can't live together, no matter how compatible they are. If the two of you are true friends, he'll understand and be more considerate. If not, a new roommate just may be the key to

a happier dorm life!

Dear KC,
I'm involved in many college activities. I just get so stressed out sometimes and find that I'm even rude to my best friends. I like to be busy, but I feel I'm in over my head. What should I do?
Busy Bee

Dear Busy Bee,
Sweetheart, it sounds to me like you're spreading yourself too thin! Slow down and relax. Take time out to enjoy the college life. I think it's great that you're so involved, but you must keep in mind that college is a place to get your education. Keep your grades a priority and decide what you can handle from there. Choose a few select activities that you

enjoy and realize you have the rest of school to do other things. Above all, tell yourself you don't have to do everything! Budget your time wisely and you will most assuredly have a lot more fun with your college life!

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and the paraphrases of Wagner's "Tristan und Isolde's Liebestod" and Verdi's "Rigoletto". These are pieces which give a pianist tendonitis just thinking about playing them, but M. Thibaudet's technique carried him through with what seemed like ease, and we were treated to true virtuosity. The only criticism I can make is that the pieces sounded too rehearsed. One of the hallmarks

of Liszt is the sounded too rehearsed. One of the hallmarks of Liszt is the improvisatory nature of his piano pieces; they should sound spontaneous and quite free. But this is a very picky point. Jean - Yves Thibaudet met the challenge of Liszt's technical demands with a shrug of the shoulder and gave a spectacular, impressive performance.

In summary, those of you who missed the concert Wednesday evening missed one of the finer moments in life. I overheard one young lady telling her friend that Jean - Yves Thibaudet presented one of the best concerts she had ever heard at MTSU. I believe her. So should you.

Quinn and Candy light-up screen

Picture this: Danny, a thirty-eight year old Irish cop played by John Candy, is still living at home with his overbearing, guilt-inducing, "tell-it-like-it-is", bigoted mother, convincingly played by Maureen O'Hara. One day he meets the very introverted Theresa Luna, played by Ally Sheedy, who is a make-up artist at her father's funeral parlor. She makes the corpses up to look like famous movie stars. She and Danny fall in love.

Add Anthony Quinn who plays Nick, the Greek next door neighbor who is in love with "man"; Kevin Dunn as Danny's lawyer brother, who is afraid he will eventually be stuck "Home Alone" with his mother (yes, MacAuley Culken has a bit part in this movie as one of Danny's nephew); and Sal, Danny's sexually unsatisfied partner in law

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and order, played by James Belushi, throw in a couple of corpses on the side and the fun begins.

Most films billed as comedies today aren't funny, so going in I didn't think I would like this movie, but it turned out to be pretty good. The laughter started with the announcements made before the move began and continued throughout. We laughed at the two old men keeping a promise to a dead friend, at Danny explaining to some funeral goers that Theresa had just accepted a date with him. We cheered when Theresa stood up for herself with Danny's mother and again when Danny gives his brother a well-deserved fat lip. Maureen O' Hara was

excellent as the mother in this film as was Anthony Quinn as Nick.

The theater wasn't crowded, there were probably fewer than twenty five people there, but I did get a little chilly in there, so bring a sweater. I would go see this one again. That's not something I say about many movies. It was well worth the two bucks it cost to get in.

Next week Billy Crystal, Daniel Stern, Bruno Kirby and Jack Palance star in City Slickers, a move about three friends fighting off a mid-life crisis by going on a two week cattle drive. It should prove to be hilarious. Directed by Ron Underwood. Screenplay by Lowell Ganz and Babaloo Mandel (Splash, Parenthood) Rated PG-13. Showing Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, September 17,18,19 at 6:30 and 9:00 at Keathley University Center Theater.

Phi Theta Beta invited to national convention

What has twenty-six legs, thirteen heads, and a highly coveted singing voice? The singers of the Epsilon Theta Chapter of Beta Theta Phi from Middle Tennessee State University, of course!

The group of MTSU Betas was the only choral group invited to perform at this year's Beta Theta Phi national convention. The fraternity holds the annual meeting for alumni and delegates from chapters, colonies, and provisional colonies to conduct general fraternity business. Each year, a different chapter's chorus is invited to perform for the approximately 930 members who attend.

"We were chosen as the official chorus for the convention based on alumni recommendations and our performance on a tape we sent in," said Wes Hinton, the chapter's president.

During the convention, they also received the Wichita State Award which is given for a chapter's exceptional performance and participation that year on their respective campuses. The Epsilon Theta Chapter boasts a host of MTSU

campus awards granted to one of the nine fraternal chapters at MTSU. They have won the All-Sing Competition for five consecutive years, have been named the Fraternity of the Year and were recognized for maintaining the highest grades for the spring semester.

The chapter was also honored with the Whitman Choral Cup after winning a singing competition against several other Beta chapters.

Hilton described the award as "the highest and most coveted award that any one chapter can receive for singing."

Members of the talented group are: Wes Hinton of Portland, Bo Fawbush of Greeneville, Jon Crook of Huntsville, Ala., Rich Woodside of Germantown, Md., Brett Alexander of Bound Brook, N.J., Ian Barrett of Brentwood, Bobby Bibb of Clarksville, Danny Stevenson of Murfreesboro, Lee Wilds of Selmer, Jeff Farley of Mt. Juliet, George Mayo of Antioch, Herb Blair of Nashville, and Eric Stringer of Nashville.

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being included in the test, the more likely you are to see scores decline," Cameron said.

That greater inclusion and the SAT's inability to reflect different cultures in its test question content has helped spark the exam's rewrite.

"There's always been some suspicion about the way the test

questions are written," Smith said. "The College Board now has established a review board for minority education that looks at items for bias against women and ethnic groups."

That board has existed for many years and the content of questions has slowly changed to reflect more cultural diversity, Cameron said.

The new test will not only show more changes in content,

but also changes in form.

In its first format change since 1975, the test will abandon its antonym, or opposite word, questions for beefed-up reading sections that will put more emphasis on higher-order reading skills, Cameron said. He calls it critical reading.

In the math section, the primary change will involve the addition of a section where students generate their own

answers to problems rather than picking an answer from the traditional multiple choice format.

While College Board officials are working on the changes, they stand by their claim that the SAT, the primary test used in 22 East and West Coast states for college entrance, is an accurate reflection of a student's academic ability.

The American College Testing Program, another college

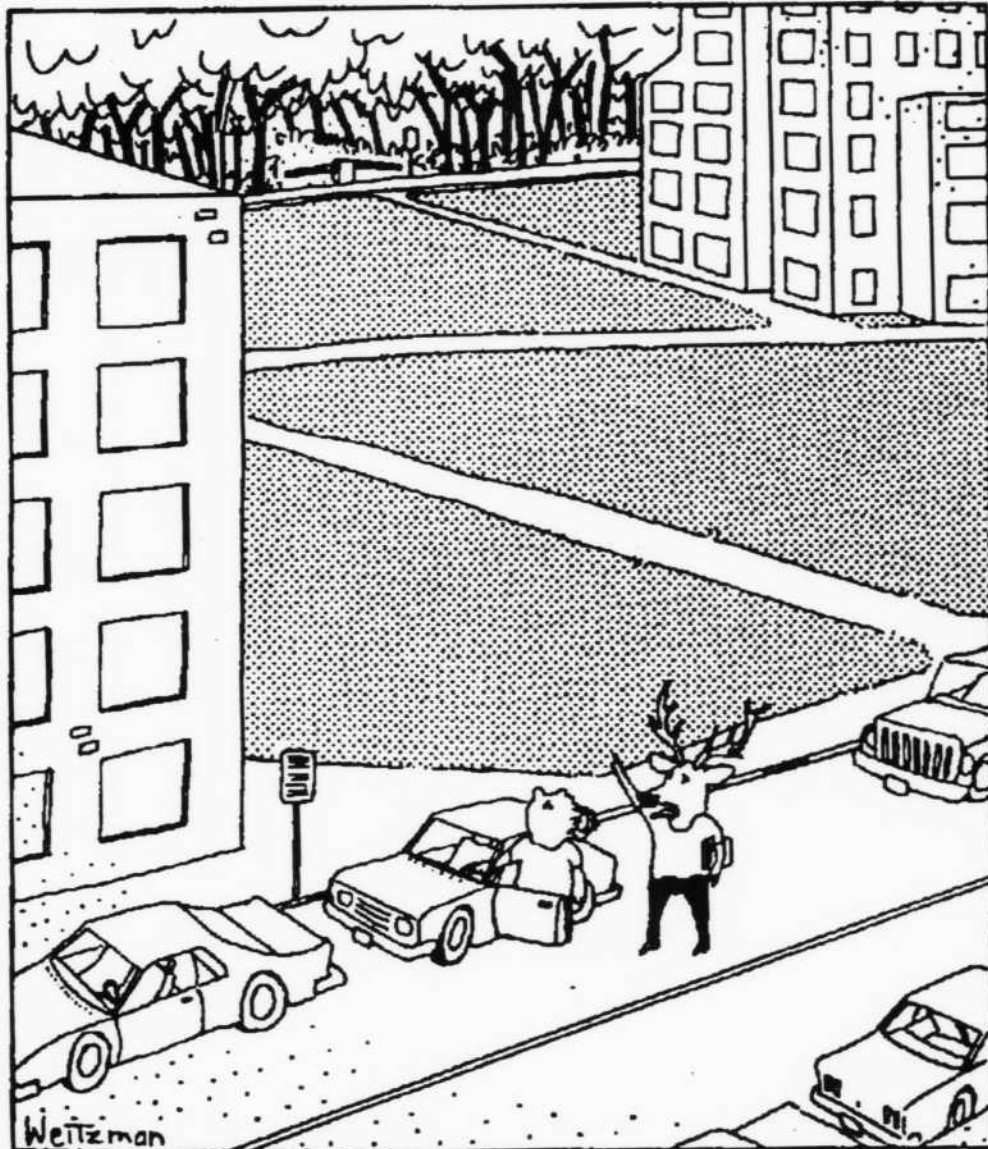
admissions test known as ACT, is used predominately in 28 states. ACT officials will release their 1991 average scores on Sept. 17.

"The bottom line is that the College Board has always said their test scores are extremely accurate, but what we find is that admissions offices look at academic records first," Smith said. "Some kids test well and some panic and blow it."

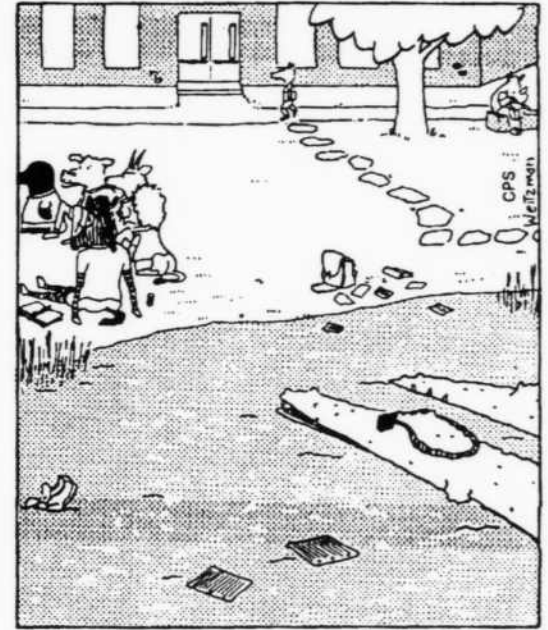
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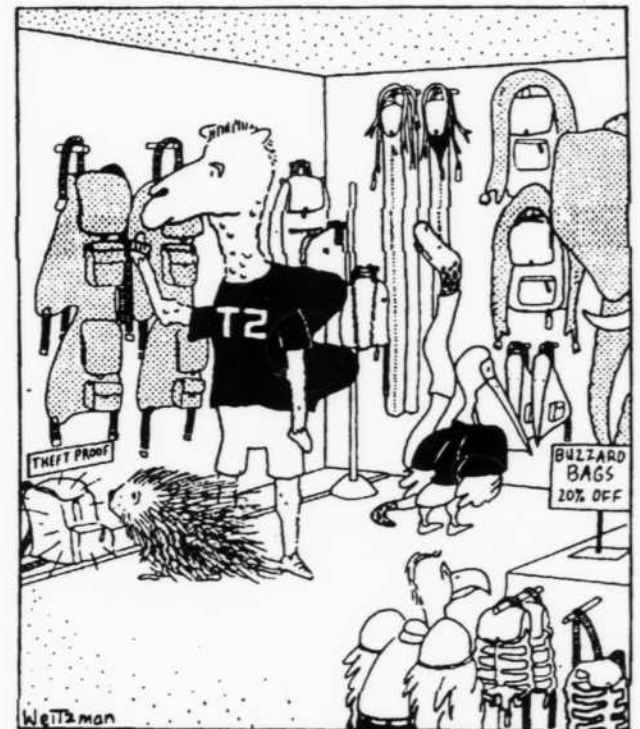
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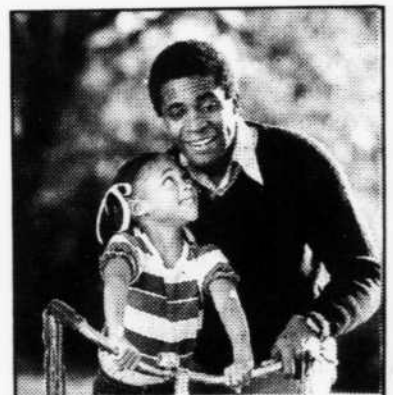
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Sports

MTSU women set pace with cross country win

DIANNE DEOLIVEIRA
Assistant Sports Editor

MTSU's women's cross country team set their season right on pace by winning the University of the South Invitational last Friday.

Out of nine teams, the Lady Raiders scored 44 points over University of Alabama at Birmingham-59, UT-Chattanooga-63, Vanderbilt University-74, Emory-117, Tennessee Tech-174, Tennessee State-17, David Lipscomb-198, and University of the South-206.

Last year, the women placed second overall with 43 points to Emory's 39 points.

Coach Dean Hayes was pleased with the team's solid performances. Dianne DeOliveira and Kiya Thomas finished second (19:03) and third (19:06) with their fastest times, while Karen Barnes and Lea White followed closely behind for seventh and twelfth places. Leigh Weathers and Sharon Smith rounded up the team by finishing 28th and 41st.

Although Hayes was happy with the victory, his main concern is the Ohio Valley Conference championship.

"It's nice to win a meet like this, but our main concern is to try to win the OVC by keeping the top five runners healthy," said Hayes.

"Eastern Kentucky will be very good. It should be a solid race between both teams," Hayes continued. "The only difference is that they have eight runners and we have five. They have replacements and we don't."

In the men's competition, MTSU only finished eighth out of eleven teams, but have improved since last year and should continue to get better with experience.

Freshman Jeff Lingwall had an excellent race as he finished ninth in 27:39 over the five mile course.

Lingwall was able to hang with the lead pack for three miles before dropping off.

"After three miles my legs got heavy and I faded back. I just tried to maintain position," Lingwall said. "It was the first meet, and I didn't know what to expect, so we'll see what happens in the future."

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MTSU Lady Raider head coach back in hospital

TONY J. ARNOLD
Sports Editor

MTSU Lady Raider basketball coach, Lewis Bivens, has been re-admitted into the hospital again.

Early last week, Bivens was checked into Nashville's St. Thomas hospital and it was feared that he had meningitis. However, that was not the case as it was determined he was suffering from severe arthritis which is a problem he has been battling in recent years.

Bivens also blew out his knee during his rehabilitation recently which required reconstructive surgery.

MTSU's mentor has been constantly working on his physical strength since a blood clot resulted in his paralysis from the waist down earlier this summer.

He had regained minimal movement and feelings in his legs but was still limited to a wheelchair.

Despite the problems, Bivens has vowed that he'll be on the court when the basketball season rolls around in November. During his four year tenure at MTSU, he has amassed two OVC titles and expects his squad to be in contention for a third this upcoming year.

A Proven 'Winner' MTSU's Donnelly fits the role

James (Boots) Donnelly has become a name synonymous with winning football. He has developed a winning program everywhere he has served as head coach.

The 1991 season marks his 13th as head coach at Middle Tennessee State University, where he was an outstanding player himself in the mid-1960's. When the '65 graduate returned to his alma mater in December, 1978, he took over the reigns of a once-proud football tradition that had fallen on hard times. The Blue Raiders had not had a winning season since 1972.

Donnelly warned Blue Raider alumni and supporters that the job would not be done overnight, but it would be done. He has proven right on both accounts.

In his first season, 1979, MTSU posted only a 1-9 record, but the Blue Raiders did cap off the season with a win over arch-rival Tennessee Tech.

In 1980, Donnelly's team inched up to 2-8 with wins over Akron and Tennessee Tech before turning the corner with a winning season - 6-5 - in 1981.

The highlight of the first winning campaign was the upset of Murray State, the nation's top-ranked Division I-AA team at the time.

In 1982, the Blue Raiders continued their climb toward the mark of excellence that has always marked Donnelly's teams by putting together a sparkling 8-3 record and tying for third in the

Ohio Valley Conference.

The following year, 1983, the Blue Raiders went 8-2 and tied for second place in the OVC. Then in 1984, the Raiders came close to hitting the jackpot.

Despite being nosed out of the OVC title because of a pair of up-set losses, MTSU won an at-large bid to the NCAA Division I-AA national playoffs with a regular-season record of 9-2.

The Blue Raiders went all the way to the national semi-final game before being eliminated by Louisiana Tech, after earlier play-off wins against OVC champ Eastern Kentucky and fourth-seeded Indiana State. All told, MTSU had 11 wins against 3 losses, the most victories ever for a Blue Raider team.

Donnelly was named Kodak Coach of the Year for NCAA Region 3 by vote of members of the American Football Coaches Association (AFCA).

Things got even better in 1985. The Blue Raiders were a perfect 11-0, won their first OVC title since 1965 and were ranked No. 1 in the national I-AA poll over the final five weeks of the season. Even though they were knocked from the play-offs by eventual national champion Georgia Southern (a team MTSU had beaten soundly during the regular season), honors came to the Raiders in bunches.

Donnelly was named OVC Coach of the Year for the third time in his career as well as being voted the Region 3 Coach of the

See **BOOTS**, page 15

Braves in Tomahawk Heaven! Hot 'lanta making believers out of fans

When Tony J. "Love Chunks" Arnold asked me to write an editorial about the Braves I was estatic.

American's team is my team and I'm knock-down happy about their surprise success.

I'll be honest, this is my first season as a baseball fan. I've always liked football and could occasionally sit through a basketball game, but I thought baseball was boring.

Then my life changed. I married a wonderful woman who could quote chapter and verse from the baseball book of statistics.

Our humble abode contained only on Zenith window to the world, otherwise known as a TV. I was forewarned that when baseball season came about my wife got the remote control.

First I was angry, the I was reasonable and finally I was realistic, we were going to watch baseball.

Days before the season began "Love Chunks" asked me to predict some of the league winners.

"Why?" I responded. "I don't know anything about baseball."

"You might as well try and pick some teams to watch," he rebutted. "It might make watching them play easier."

"What the hell?" I said.

So I picked Nolan Ryan, Detroit because that was Tom Selleck's favorite team on Magnum P.I. and Montreal because I had a bolt loose in my neck.

When it came to the National League West I had run out of stupid reasons to pick teams. I knew everyone thought the Braves were going to finish last, so I guess I picked them to get a laugh.

Picking Atlanta turned out to be a slow torture at the beginning of the season. Turner Broadcasting System televises almost every game. My new wife wanted to watch them all.

"You picked them to win," she said. "We

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might as well watch them play."

Gradually, after a couple of weeks, I began to enjoy the game. I have no reason, no great revelation, I just started to enjoy the games and become familiar with the players.

I went out and bought a Braves hat to wear during the games. Now, I can't wait to get the Sports page to read the statistics. Every now and then I catch myself doing the tomahawk in my Lazy Boy.

Now it's four weeks until the end of the season, the Braves are in the pennant race and I'm their biggest fan.

Everyone's been debating about when the Braves will blow up.

"It can't last," said "Love Chunks." "Their going to fall apart, they always do."

Well let me tell you they are going to make it.

They've got too much talent to lose. Terry Pendleton's contending for the National League batting title. Otis Nixon is leading all of major league baseball in stolen bases. Tom Glavine is everyone's choice for the Cy Young award. Dave Justice is having a career year and he has been out half the season.

Let us not forget the support staff. Relief pitchers are plentiful and talented. Rafael Belliard has got to be the outstanding defensive short stop of the year. Finally, Bobby Cox is the best manager in baseball.

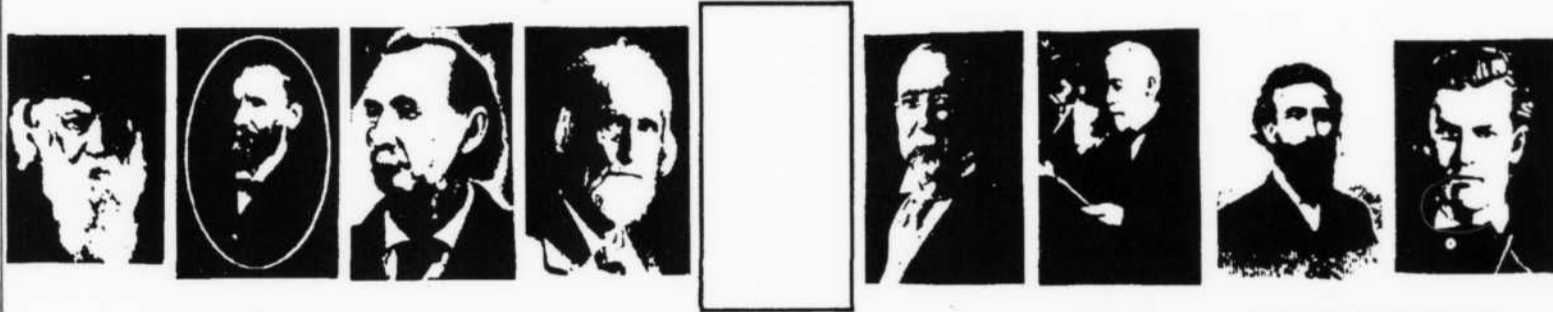
With this kind of line-up Cleveland could win, well maybe not.

Take it from a new fan; World Series here we come. I'm already warming up the Zenith.



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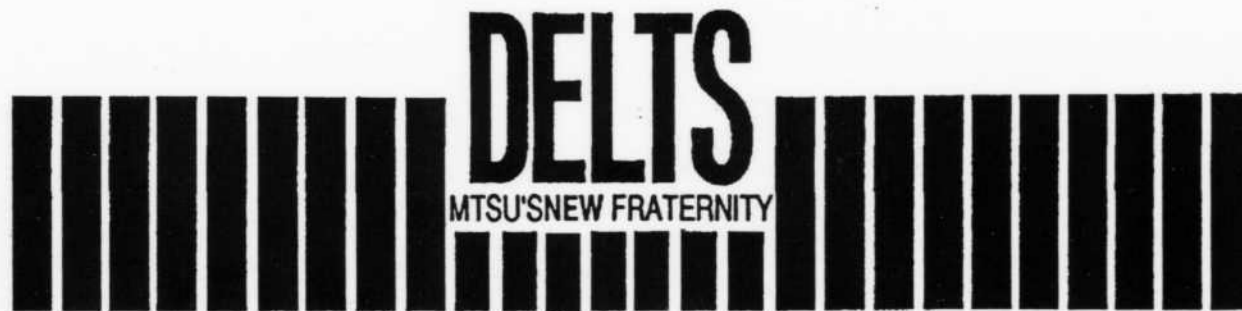
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Track
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Hayes says the Raiders are a lot better than last year, and they are unexperienced as well.

Jason Welch, MT's number two runner, finished 39th in 29:24, seven seconds faster than he ran last year. Freshman Mike Burkett ran 32:44 to finish third for the team.

"Mike ran a good race," said Hayes, "It was the first cross country race of his life, and he's learning what to do."

Marty Plott and Chris Layne also contributed to the team's overall finish in their effort to gain background for track.

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Boots continued from page 13 the Year again. His freshman quarterback, Marvin Collier, was voted the league's Offensive Player of the Year and senior safety Don Griffin (now the starting cornerback for the San Francisco 49ers) was dubbed the OVC Defensive Player of the Year.

In 1986, the Raiders shook off a rash of early-season injuries to overcome a four-game losing streak and bounce back to finish out the year with a 6-5 mark, the sixth consecutive winning season for MTSU. At that same time, MTSU tied for third place in the OVC standings behind co-champions Murray State and Eastern Kentucky in one of the leagues most balanced races ever.

Four of five teams that held wins over the Raiders (Murray State, Eastern Kentucky, Tennessee State and Georgia Southern) were chosen for the 16-team field in the NCAA Division I-AA playoffs.

The Blue Raiders of '87 duplicated both the 6-5 record and the third-place finish of the '86 team.

In 1988, a superb defense,

led by OVC Player of the Year Don Thomas, paced the Blue Raiders to a 7-4 record and a near-miss for another play-off berth.

The '89 Blue Raiders bounced back from a grueling non-conference schedule that left them at 3-3 when mid-season rolled around. However, with a perfect 6-0 OVC mark, the Raider amassed another OVC title and Donnelly earned Coach of the Year honors.

MTSU defeated Appalachian State in the NCAA Playoffs, before losing to eventual national champion Georgia Southern rounding out the year at 9-4.

The 1990 Raider team finished 11-2, copped a share of the OVC championship (along with Eastern Kentucky) and was knocked out of the NCAA Division I-AA playoffs in the quarter-final round by Boise State.

The Raiders finished the season as the No. 1 team in the official NCAA I-AA poll, but their chances for a national title were severely crippled when they not only lost one, but two quarterbacks to injuries over the

final three weeks of the season.

Donnelly's record at MTSU stands at 85-51-0 (.628) for 12 seasons. His career record, spanning 13 years, is 100-58-0 (.633).

In addition to his winning of sharing OVC Coach of the Year honors four times and garnering similar honors for NCAA Region 3 twice, Donnelly was the 1989 recipient of the "Contributors to Football Award" from the Middle Tennessee Chapter of the National Football Foundation and Hall of Fame.

Prior to his return to MTSU, Donnelly was head coach at Austin Peay State University in 1977 and 1978, leading the Governors to their first-ever OVC title in '77 and being named the league's Coach of the Year. His two year record at Austin Peay was 14-7.

Before moving to APSU, Donnelly served as an assistant coach at Vanderbilt for one season, where he first began to gain a solid reputation as an outstanding recruiter.

His coaching career began at Nashvilles' Father Ryan High School, where he had been a top-flight, all-around athlete. He was

an assistant coach there for eight years before becoming head coach in 1974, leading Ryan to a 21-1 record over two seasons, including a perfect 13-0 mark and the Tennessee Class AAA title in '74.

Donnelly had been the Nashville Interscholastic League's Player of the Year in 1960, before enrolling at MTSU, where he played as a defensive back for three seasons. He passes up his final year of eligibility

with the Blue Raiders in 1965 to complete his degree. He added his Master's degree from MTSU in 1966.

Nearly all of Donnelly's leisure time is devoted to Blue Raider football, but he is a highly popular figure at a number of charity golf tournaments in the late spring and early summer.

Boots is also in considerable demand as a clinic speaker.

He and his wife, Carole, have three daughters, Bunny, Helen

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East Division		W	L	Pct.	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Toronto	81	62	.566	—	7-3	Won 2	42-32	39-30	
Boston	76	66	.535	4½	8-2	Lost 1	38-31	38-35	
Detroit	75	67	.528	5½	4-6	Won 2	44-26	31-41	
Milwaukee	66	74	.471	13½	3-7	Lost 2	37-34	29-40	
New York	61	80	.433	19	2-8	Won 1	34-37	27-43	
Baltimore	59	83	.415	21½	5-5	Lost 1	29-45	30-38	
Cleveland	47	94	.333	33	4-6	Won 1	23-46	24-48	

West Division		W	L	Pct.	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Minnesota	86	57	.601	—	6-4	Lost 1	45-26	41-31	
Chicago	78	66	.542	8½	6-4	Lost 1	40-29	38-37	
Texas	75	66	.532	10	5-5	Won 1	40-29	35-37	
Oakland	75	68	.524	11	4-6	Lost 2	41-30	34-38	
Kansas City	72	68	.514	12½	5-5	Won 2	35-37	37-31	
California	71	71	.500	14½	6-4	Won 1	36-38	35-33	
Seattle	70	70	.500	14½	3-7	Lost 1	39-29	31-41	



National League standings

East Division		W	L	Pct.	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Pittsburgh	85	57	.599	—	5-5	Won 2	41-27	44-30	
St. Louis	74	67	.525	10½	3-7	Won 1	44-29	30-38	
Chicago	70	72	.493	15	4-6	Won 1	42-32	28-40	
New York	69	73	.486	16	4-6	Lost 1	34-36	35-37	
Philadelphia	66	76	.465	19	2-8	Lost 4	39-33	27-43	
Montreal	62	79	.440	22½	8-2	Lost 1	34-35	28-44	

West Division		W	L	Pct.	GB	L10	Streak	Home	Away
Atlanta	81	61	.570	—	8-2	Won 1	44-30	37-31	
Los Angeles	81	62	.566	½	7-3	Lost 1	44-24	37-38	
San Diego	73	70	.510	8½	8-2	Won 2	34-35	39-35	
Cincinnati	69	73	.486	12	4-6	Lost 1	37-37	32-36	
San Francisco	64	78	.451	17	2-8	Lost 3	35-35	29-43	
Houston	58	84	.408	23	4-6	Won 1	34-38	24-46	



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Eastern KY.	1-0	1-1	0
Austin Peay	0-0	1-1	0
Morehead	0-0	0-2	0
Murray St.	0-0	0-2	0
Tennessee Tech	0-0	0-2	0
Southeast Missouri	0-1	0-3	0
Tennessee State	0-2	0-3	0

Saturday's results

South. Illinois 21 Austin Peay 17
Eastern Ky. 49 SE Missouri 7
Marshall 70 Morehead 11
W. Kentucky 17 Murray St. 0
Jackson St. 41 TSU 19
Ohio U. 35 Tenn. Tech 14

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Kentucky St at Austin Peay
MTSU at Eastern Ky.
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E. Illinois at Murray St.
SE Missouri at Illinois St.
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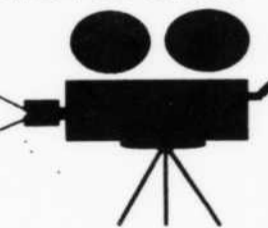
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Placekicker Garth Petrilli was named the Rookie of the Week.

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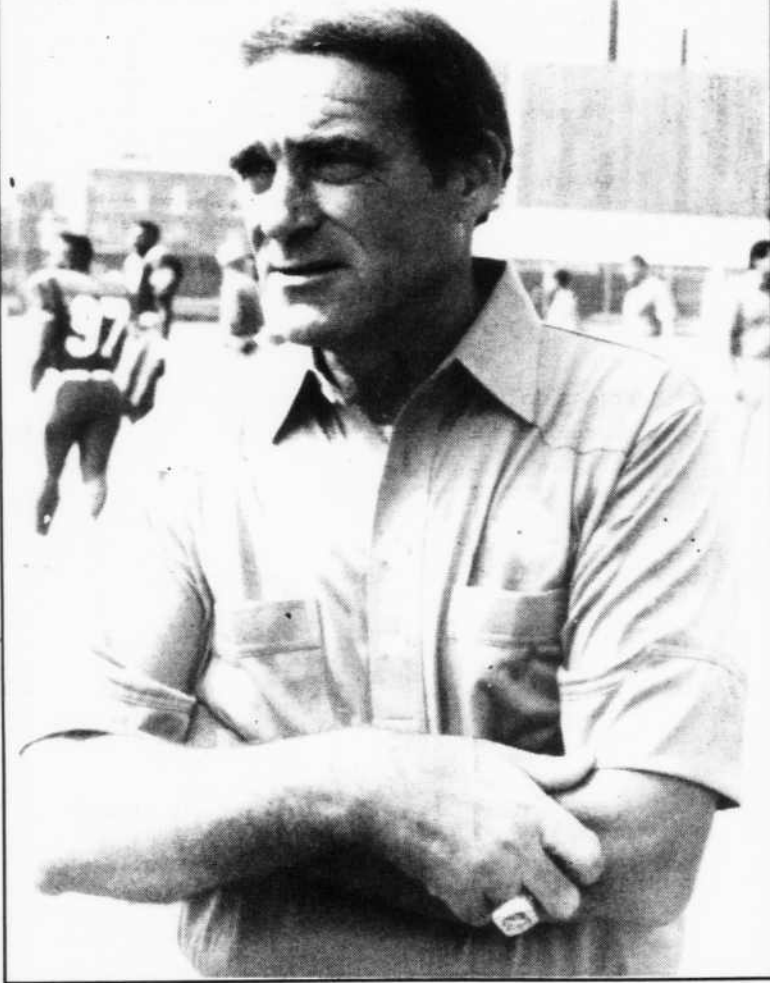


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Boots' Honors

- 1960 Nashville Interscholastic League Player of the Year
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- 1977 OVC Coach of the Year (Austin Peay)
- 1983 OVC Co-Coach of the Year (MTSU)
- 1984 NCAA Region 3 Coach of the Year (MTSU)
- 1985 OVC Coach of the Year (MTSU)
NCAA Region 3 Coach of the Year
- 1989 OVC Coach of the Year (MTSU)
National Football Foundation "Contribution to
Football" Award



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LIVING LEGEND: MTSU head football coach Boots Donnelly will be long remembered as one of MTSU's best head football coaches ever.

Donnelly's Career Data

Year	Position	W-L-T
1966-73	Assistant Coach, Father Ryan High School	
1974	Head Coach, Father Ryan High School	13-0-0
1975	Head Coach, Father Ryan High School	8-1-0
1976	Assistant Coach, Vanderbilt	
1977	Head Coach, Austin Peay (OVC Champion)	8-3-0
1978	Head Coach, Austin Peay	6-4-0
1979	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	1-9-0
1980	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	2-8-0
1981	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	6-5-0
1982	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	8-3-0
1983	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	8-2-0
1984	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	11-3-0*
1985	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee (OVC Champion)	11-1-0*
1986	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	6-5-0
1987	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	6-5-0
1988	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee	7-4-0
1989	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee (OVC Champion)	9-4-0*
1990	Head Coach, Middle Tennessee (OVC Co-Champion)	11-2-0*

14 Seasons - Career Record as Head Coach - 100-58-0

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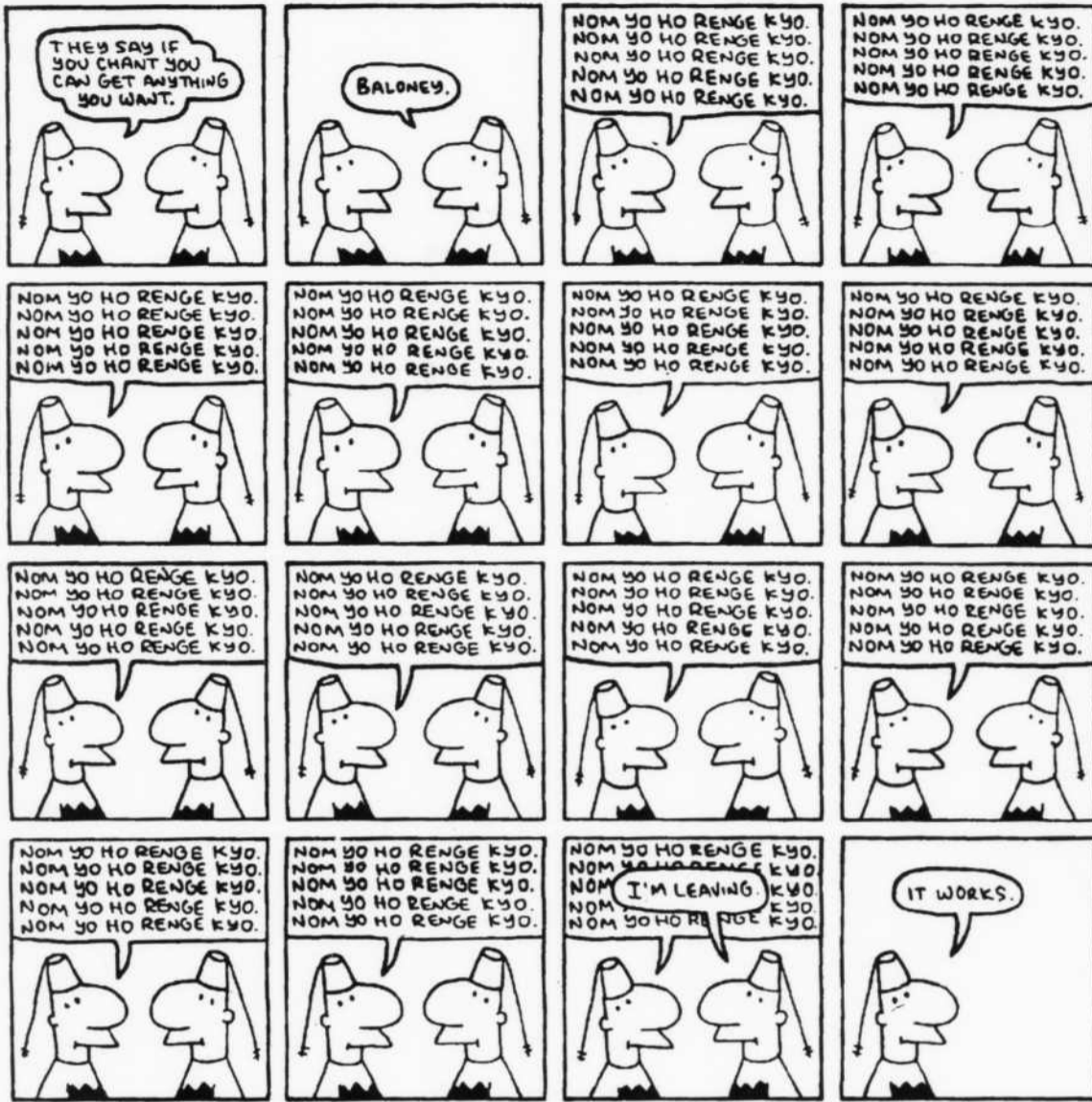


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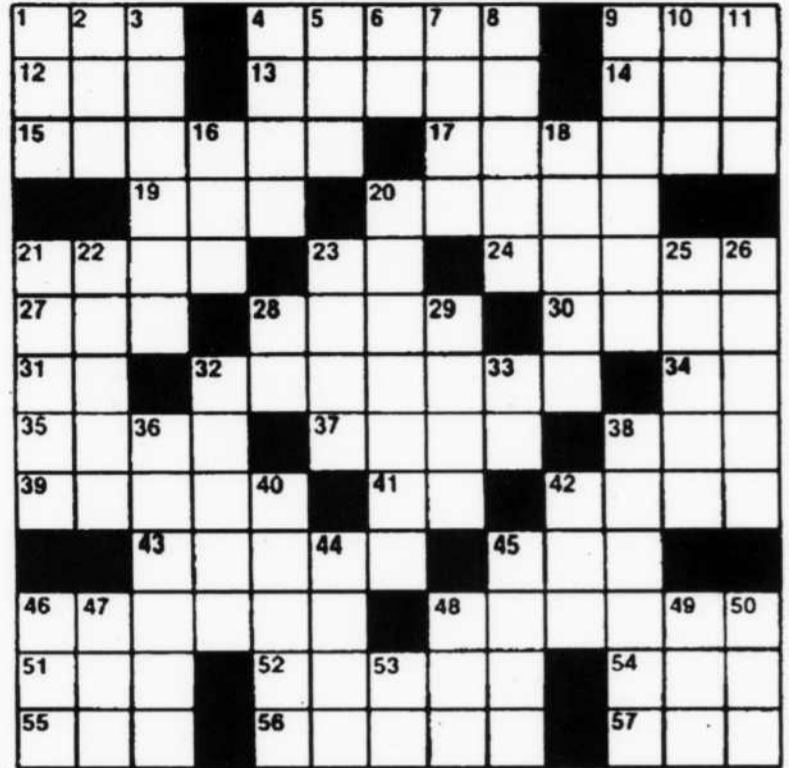
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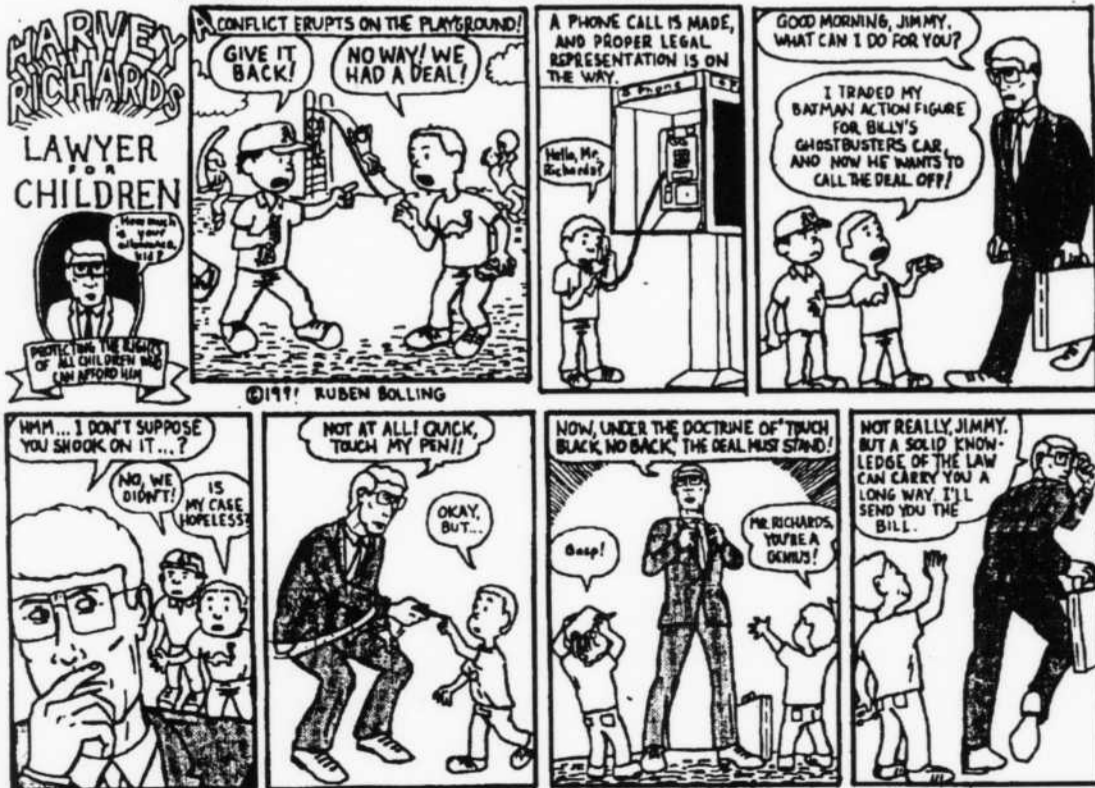
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9. Equal
12. Small child
13. A lady
14. Route (abbr.)
15. Dull
17. Flower parts
19. Unexploded bomb
20. Pile fabric
21. Dissolving solution (chem.)
23. Prosecutor (abbr.)
24. Give in
27. Gross (abbr.)
29. Substitutes (slang)
30. Great Lake
31. Old English (abbr.)
32. Standardized units
34. Exist
35. Rajah's wife
37. Dash
38. Edge of cloth
39. Out of proper order
41. Near
42. Friends
43. Measurement instrument
45. Elongated fish
46. Semitic people
48. Exert control
51. Night bird
52. Rechart

54. Male offspring
55. Very small
56. Wash away
57. Female saint (abbr.)

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1. Impersonal pronoun (pl.)
2. Negative word
3. Artist's workshop
4. Among
5. Cushion
6. Paid notice (informal)
7. Sleeveless garment
8. Used for grinding
9. Petition to God
10. Atlantic (abbr.)
11. Reticuloendothelial system (abbr.)
16. Easy (slang)
18. One who attempts
20. Flat
21. Greek marketplace
22. Choicest part
23. City person (informal)
25. Written defamation
26. Judges
28. Thus
29. Narrow strip of wood
32. Cheap person
33. Article
36. Agile
38. Pester
40. Equals one cubic meter
42. Cooking container
44. Wide-mouthed jug
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14. Tutoring
15. Miscellaneous
20. HELP NEEDED
21. Help Wanted
22. Employment Agencies
23. Child Care
24. Jobs Wanted

30. RENTALS

31. Apartments
32. Houses
33. Duplexes
34. Mobile Homes
35. Rooms

36. Rooms with Board
37. Condominiums
38. Wanted to Rent

40. MERCHANDISE FOR SALE

41. Vehicles
42. Furniture
43. Cameras/Video
44. Computers/ Business Equip.
45. Radios/TV
46. Musical/Stereo
48. Yard Sales
49. Wanted to Buy

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