## Polling extension reversed by election commissioner <br> Donald, I decided the elections

by Janet Hyatt Election Commissioner, Byron President Mike McDonald, has reversed the decision of the election commission to extend polling hours.
The decision to extend polling hours from 9 a.m. -4 p.m. to 9 sion at their meeting last week

The extension, if carried out, could have been a violation of the 1977.

West said he has the authority to reverse the decision of the commission, but could be overruled at the next commission meeting if the commission disagrees.

After talking with Mike Mc-
could be contested on this mat" West said.
Candidates have been voicing oppositions to the extension because of the possibility of it being a violation of the electoral act and a means to contest the elections. I feel the election commission is shirking their responsibility in not providing an important service
to the students," Mark Talley, presidential candidate who pre-
sented a petition to extend the sented a petition to extend the "The commission should have The commission should have tudents and should have taken that into consideration when they originally set the polling time. It is the responsibility of the election commission to look into all aspects
efore making a decision," Talley said. Saying that the regulations are Section 1, Riley in Article 4, election commissiner , former possible change in time a blatant possible change in time a blata
Although he agreed that the idea of having the polls open later, candidate Kent Syler said in his
pinion on changing the times now would be against the electoral ${ }^{\text {act. }}$.
It would be good to get everyone out to vote, but I'd hate controversy such see clouded by controve
Describing the commissions actions as "inefficient" and "'illo [continued on page 2]

## Sidelines <br> Tuesday, March 6, 1979

With over a thousand in attendance

## Sixth president receives a warm welcome <br> Dorothy Harrison, director of

More than a thousand people urned out Sunday evening to reception which took the place of any formal presidential inauguration.
University personnel and their families, students and members of the community filled the Tennessee Room of the JUB as they waited to shake hands with the sixth president of MTSU.
I was very pleased with the turnout," Ingram said yesterday. "It provided me with a fine opportunity to see and talk people from the community." The reception followed a Pres-
dential Concert by the MTSU Symphonic Band in the Dramatic Symphonic Band Arts Auditorium.
the way the reception went,"

## MTSU symphonic band performs for Ingram

by Lisa Human
President Sam Ingram was honored at "The Presidential Concert'", performed by the MTSU Symphonic Band, Sunday afternoon in the Dramatic Arts Auditorium.
The concert, along with a reception that followed, were organized in accordance with the
president's wishes to replace the president's wishes to replace the formal inaugural ceremonies. band played nine songs beginning with "America, the Beautiful" and "Star Spangled Banner." Other songs included "Liebe stod", a song taken from the opera "Tristan und Isolde" and "La Belle Helene Overture", taken from a satirical opera by Jacques Offenbach. "Othello", "Inglesina", "The Wind and the Lion", "Concertino" and the "American Over-

## Briefly

Boundaries for camBoigning for the March 14-15 elections have been set by Byron West, election commissioner.
No campaigning can be done outside the Grill on the second floor of the UC. At the NCB, no campaigning can be done within 50 feet of the polls.

## Barbara Strudler Walston,

 chairperson of the depart ment of psychology at Peabody College, will speak at the March 6 meeting of the Concerned Faculty and Administrative Women's meeting.Beginning at 3:30 p.m. in the faculty lounge of the JUB, Walston will speak on "Survival Strategies for Professional Women.

Dorothy Harrison, director of
public relations said. "Everyone public relations said. "Everyone
seemed to be enjoying themselves and that is what we wanted," she added.
Music for the occasion was provided on the piano by Margaret Wright, retired associate professor of music and Marvin McDaniel, assistant professor in the music department
The greenery on display behind the receiving line was provided by Larry Sizemore at the greenhouse and arranged by Wymer and Laura Wiser.
"We wanted to welcome spring and welcome Dr. Ingram!'' Laura Wiser said of the display, which
included a fountain with runner included a fountain with runner water. Wymer Wiser built the ountain with rocks he picked up y the 95 member band After the concert, a reception was held for President and Mrs Ingram in the Tennessee Room of

Dressing room of track team robbed at meet Approximately $\$ 200$ worth of personal possessions were stolen from the track team's dressing according to John Driver, campus police detective. "The team le
The team leaves its dressing running, as some while they are have to be in and out constantly," Driver explained. "When no one was around, somebody got in and broke into the lockers.'
Dean Hayes, track coach, said that he does not know if policy concerning the unlocked dressing room door will be changed. "We've got to let the runners in and out some way," he said. "We haven't had time yet to figure out hat will be done.
eleasing any clues or suspects releasing any clues or suspects
MTSU student arrested, charged with possession

James Smedley, a sophomore resident of Sims Hall, was arrested and charged Sunday night for simple possession of a green leafy substance believed to be marijuana, according to Capt. Larry Nixon of the campus police. Smedley has been scheduled to appear in General Sessions Court March 26 to stand trial.

Smedley was arrested for simple possession, but the substance has been sent to the crime lab to be tested," Nixon said. Sims Hall contacted the university police at approximately 9:30 p.m., according to Nixon.


Dr. and Mrs. Ingram welcome Chancellor Roy Nicks of the State Board of Regents.


Cynthia Walker performs a flute solo.


The Ingrams greet a long line of well-wishers.


MTSU's Symphonic Band, under the direction of Joseph Smith.

Election-

## Committee meetings scheduled

continued from page 1
gical," Talley said he thought the commission sh
West said yesterday that no minutes of the commission meetings are kept and no written record of their decisions is avail able. Since the meetings are open to the public and because the meet ings are covered by the press West said no minutes were taken. Paul Cantrell, ASB adviser, said that although it is not written in the constitution or the electoral
act, it "is just reasonable that act, it is just reasonable that
minutes should be taken at any meeting.
by Karen Zimmermann The State Board of Regents will meet in regular session at 9:30 Room of the JUB
Among the new business to be iscussed is the proposed consolidation of Tennessee State University and George Peabody College or Teachers.
Also at the
Also at the meeting, the board will consider a report from the
TSU/UTN Merger TSU/UTN Merger Implementarecommendations on the contain

Regents to meet in regular session
izational structure and policies
izational structure and parious functional areas of the merged institution.
Five committee meetings are Five committee meetings are
scheduled in the Tennessee Room scheduled in the Tennessee
on Friday (see schedule).
on Friday (see schedule).
Among the issues to be discussed are:
The consideration of two The consideration of two
degree programs, a bachelor of degree programs, a bachelor of
science in special education and a science in special education and a
B.S. in social work by the CommitB.S. in social work by the Commit-
tee on Academic Policies and Pre on Academic Policies and
gram would remain the same gram would remain the same Kendall Blanchard, but the title may change "to more adequately describe the program we have.") Consideration of a proposed policy on outside employment which establishes provisions for outside employment for faculty and staff members, by the Committee on Personnel.
Both the full board meeting Saturday and the committee meetings Friday are open to the public.

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Committee on Personnel 1:15 p.m.
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## Camp David discussed by Middle East expert

## It is possible for a small group of MTSU students to take over

 Saudi Arabia.At least that was one idea that Ken Stein, world authority on Middle East problems, and the Camp David Summit discussed with several MTSU and area high school teachers Saturday at the second an
luncheon.
Stein
Stein made the point about the vulnerability of Saudi Arabia
when asked about the use of oil as a political weapon. He explained that if the U.S. threatened to pull its military support, Saudi Arabia its military support, Saudi Arabia to the countries lack of military , effectiveness.
On the subject of oil, Stein
pointed out that "if the U.S. put as much effort into the liquidation of coal as we put into the effort of making an atom bomb in World War II, the fuel problem could be solved in five years.
Speaking on the Camp David Summit, Stein said that "man: things."
Stein pointed out that Egyptian President Anwar Sadat's main interest was getting the Sinai back
inkage at Catat did not speak of hat the latter came as a surprise to Menachem Begin, Israeli Prime Minister.
Going into some of the problems of the Middle East Stein named some of Sadat's weaknesses as the hostile reception he has received concerning his behavior at the Camp David meetings and the fact that he has violated the Arab conception of not seeing he Jews as a constitutional nation.
However, Stein went on to say that very few people could have predicted what happened to Sadat
or the fall of the Shah of Iran. On the subject of foreign policy tesing influe in the East. "The United States' tion in the Middle East has weakened since six months ago and I am not optimistic about any present negotiations,' Stein added.
Stein concluded his luncheon lecture by warning, "If there was war of words and interpretations about the (Camp David) treaty then there will be a similar war on its implications.
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MTSU's drill team marching during Mardi Gras festivities.
First place goes to drill team in Mardi Gras competition
MTSU's drill team participated Dan Murphy of the ROTC departin Mardi Gras drill competitions in ment. The deciding factor seemed New Orleans Feb. 23-26 and won to be the squad throws with a four-foot first place trophy. The drill team, consisting of 16 members with Pershing Rifles, competed in both the Krewe Selena and the Krewe of Poseidon parades.
The Poseidon parade offered only one trophy, which the MTSU eam won
Nine drill teams participated in
the parade.
-The judges were as ecstatic bayonets which no other team attempted, he said.
The drill team has performed in the parades two other times but this is the first time they have won the trophy, according to Murphy.
The biggest parade was the Poseidon parade, warade was the Poseidon parade, with an esticourse was 13 miles $1 / 2$ hours to complete.
The White Berets accompanied over the drill team's perfor- the team to New Orleans and mance," according to Captain marched in both parades.

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## Winters Brothers Band

 highlights March eventsby Lisa Human A variety of events have been for March, beginning with the second Special Events showcase of the year, featuring the Winters Brothers Band.
Still relatively new to MTSU, the showcase brings up and coming talent to campus at a low cost to students. The concerts are held in an informal atmosphere with informal seating.
The Winters Brothers Band consists of Dennis and Donnie Winters, "Spig"' Davis, Bob Tuccillo and Gene Watson. Having Marty Robbins and Charlie from Marty Robbins and Charlie Daniels, the band has opened shows
for the Marshall Tucker Band Lynyrd Skynyrd, Willie Band, Bob Seger and Robert Palmer They will perform at 7 p.m. March 7 in the Tennessee Room. Next on the calendar is the college premier of Close Encoun-
Kool Club hosts
The fifth annual Kool Club Battle of the Halftimers show will be held March 10 at 7 p.m. in the Alumi Gym.
The Battle of the Halftimers show has traditionally played a large part in recruitment because students and parents it brings MTSU. Each group of halftimers will
Quiz bowl planned for March 28 The annual college quiz bowl, his team wishes to particinate.
sponsored by residence hall pro- and including the names and sponsored by residence hall pro- and including the names and gramming, is scheduled to take place March 28.
"Any campus organization is eligible to enter," David Goad, director of men's residence hall programming said. However, day that teams may enter,"
The teams must consist of four members including a captain who should send a letter stating that
ters of the Third Kind March 12 and 13. Matinees will start at $3: 30$ p.m. in the UC theatre and evening shows will be at 6 and 8 p.m. Admission for the matinee is 50 cen
cents.
In conjunction with the movie, Dr. J. Allen Hynek, technical adviser for "Close Encounters of the Third Kind" will give a presentation at 8 p.m. March 27 in the LRC multi media room.
Hynek has researched and written about UFOs for the past 30 years and was an astronomical consultant to the U.S. Air Force for 20 of those years.
On March 15 Clive Davis, known as a giant in the music industry, will present a lecture at
8 p.m. in the LRC Multi Media 8 p.m. in the LRC Multi Media
room.
Davis formed and became president of Arista records, now one of the country's leading record companies.
Halftimers show
perform for trophies for first, second and third place. Each team will then send two individuals to represent them in a dance contest for a cash prize, which goes to the ponsor.
There will be a party immeditely following the show at the Alumni Gym. Admission for the show and the party is $\$ 1.50$ at the addresses of the members of his team to David Goad, Box 4993. Residence halls may sponsor ever, enter only one team." Gons may "I would like to stress that the eams should consist of members from every academic field possible because the questions will be very versatile," Goad added.


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## Newsroom Comment

Decision to extend polling echoes earlier carelessness

Last week's Electiont Hvatt change the polling of the ASB elerst inns. is inivet one of several decisions the commission has made with little or no thought of the consequences. The decision was a violation of the electoral act and could cause all of the elections to be invalid. The electoral act states that polling times must be publicized in the official campus newspaper 21 days before the election.
The commission was either unaware of this or did not take it into consideration when they decided last week, just 14 days before the election, to extend the ime from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.
The decision to set the polling time for 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Was made with
2,600 sttudents thought. The fact that over
anrolled in evening classes should 2,600 students are enrolled in evening classes should have been taken into
was initially being set.
To further confuse things, the election time has now been set back to the original time of $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. to 4 p.m.
Another decision made with little consideration as to the possible outcome was the allowance of four banner size signs per candidate. With 20 offices open each will probably attract more than one candidate), there is a possibility that unlimited size banner posters could flood the campus.
The commission sighted lack of manpower as the reason for only two polling places. Since one member of the commission (a six member body) must be present at all times at each polling place, it is obvious that the amount of places must be limited. However in limiting the voters to only two polling

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commuters, will not vote because of inconvenience. It is interesting to note that the first vote of the
commission allowed for only one polling place on the ome second floor of the UC. After one candidate who happened to be present at the meeting voiced his objections, the second polling place was established. Another interesting piece of trivia is that the first vote of the commission set the elections in February. Until an observer, not commission member, pointed out that the ASB constitution requires the election be set in March, the commission seemed quite pleased
with the February date.

Some candidates have reported that there is "mass confusion" as far as campaigning procedures
go. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the go. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that the
commission has not written a list of rules to hand out to candidates. As a matter of fact, they don't even keep a written record of their meetings, so candidates can't go back and read the regulations. It would appear that the commission is not very familiar with the ASB constitution or the electoral act. Both of these documents should be taken into consideration when the commission makes a decision.
It is not easy to run an election following the guidelines set forth in the electoral act, but as long as it is recognized by the ASB, it should be read, studied and strictly followed by the election commission.
The credibility of the ASB is low enough. The on again off again decisions confuse the students even more. Although the election commission is only Called on twice a year, it has important duties. Unfortunately, this year


You would have to visit a good department store to find a collection of coffee mugs as diverse as this one. It is found in the
newly remodeled faculty lounge of the English Department in Peck Hall.

## To the Editor:

Two out of three cheers for the coverage on the baby bottle controversy and the Nestles boy cott. It's encouraging that people are beginning to see the threads that connect Murfreesboro to Nigeria, Indonesia and the world lorporations like Nestles don like bad publicity and will probably back off their aggressive promotion of baby goods to those who can taffo
positive step.
However, the essence of the controversy wasn't even hinted at. How can any organization like Nestles, that exists to make a maximum profit for its owners, serve the real interests of human beings?
When the dictators of maximum profit happen to coincide with the well-being of the people, things work out nicely. But the maximum profit motive so often leads to things like price fixing, influence pedding, built-in obsolescence, environmental neglect, saturation advertising, etc., that the whole economic drive train cries out for
an overhaul. Trying to stay one step ahead of unsafe nuclear power plants, unsafe nuclear power plants,
molotov Pintos and 10,000 dubious food additives is an exercise in frustration.
The Nestles debacle (there may be millions of brain damaged children involved) is just one more breakdown in an economic system

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## Letters to the Editor


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of control. It's time to park the
of control. It's time to park the clunker and shop for something more dependable
David Kennedy
Rt. 5 Box 10A Murfreesboro
To the editor:
On Friday, Feb. 16, 10,000 dominoes fell and a full page of Sidelines with excellent pictures and copy brought the news to the students at MTSU.
Newsroom Comment
the decade of boredom
That same day 20,000 people died of starvation in the world, most of them

## new about it.

Let us herald in the beginning of a great adventure and the end of boredom. Let's get together to bring about the end of hunger lenge since we the greatest chalmoon.
The students of the 60 s challenged themselves and won-the end of discrimination and the end of the war in Vietnam. The odd were tremendous, the public re istence overwelming. Against all ppositions their moral integrity vercame all obstacles to achiev their results.
It also took
It also took a lot of determination and intention and invention succeeded in that. Now a new succeeded in that. Now a new challenge looms ahead of us. Let's
not get bored. Let's use our love and energy to wipe hunger off the face of the earth. Carol Irvine
Box 104
To the editor:
In spite of the hazardous conditions which existed on campus las month as a result of the snow and ice, fewer student accidents wer eported than in previous months I would like to believe that we actually had fewer accidents but each day I hear, through the grapevine, of more people have had some type of accident on campus in the Safety Office. I realize that none of us can do much about the snow and frozen rain we have had but not all accidents have resulted directly from the weather conditions. No matter what the cause of an accident it should be reported. Most employee accidents are reported, especially ones that result in an injury that requires medical treatment. The accident report is the first step in submitting a claim for payment of medical expenses. Although students are not covered under the same compensalo important that students accidents
be reported. Only through these reports and subsequent investigations can we identify and correct the conditions which are likely to contribute to accidents and injuries.
If you have an accident on campus please report it to the Safety Office.
Archie Sullivan

## Director of Box 330

## Box 330

To the Editor:
The ASB election commission has shirred its responsibilities of providing a valuable service to the
students of MTSU ested observer who knows about the inefficiency and ineptness of the commission, this is easy to understand. A new example of their ineptness was made evident Wednesday when a $3: 00$ meeting of the commission did not have a quorum until 4:15.
The commission vetoed a duly signed and valid petition that would have estavished a polling booth at Kirksey Old Main Building. It should be noted that the located in this building, the School

## The <br> Low Down

by Ken dobe
of Education and the School of Business. In addition, KOM houses the geography/earth science department and the math computer science department. These schools and deparments alone repres the toplal student 50 percent o
rollment.
One reason given for the veto was the fact that there are only five members currently on the commission, and that it would cause a hardship on these members since one of them must be present at each poll at all times during polling hours. The comonly then has therefore estabecause only two polling locations
I would like to suggest, if the duties of these positions are so demanding, that the number of posity students who are willing to put in the required number of put in the requis should be placed on the hours should be placed on the tion would provide for a more responsible commission. Mark D. Talley

You know, when we grow up and put away our toys and dolls and games, it's easy to put the Jacksons right up there on the shelf with your childhood days. After all, songs like "ABC" and "I Want You ack" were fun when we were kids, but we
Wait a minute, weren't those Jackson boys about our ages then? So it stand to reason that as we grew up, they grew up. As our musical tastes matured, the Jacksons' music matured.
Now the Jacksons have come out with a fabulous new album, "Destiny". All songs on the album, except one, were written and produced by the Jacksons.
"Blame it on the Boogie" is a good, solid, fun to listen and dance to song. For disco, there is their new single "Shake Your Body (Down to the Ground)", "Things I Do For You" and "All Night Dancing". The slow songs are not only mellow, but they say something also. Listen to
the words on "Destiny" and "Bless His Soul". They definitely have a the words on "Destiny" and "Bless His Soul". They definitely have a message to tell. And for love songs, try "Push Me Away"
This album has something for everybody. If you like good soul music, check out the Jacksons' "Destiny"
What can you say about an album with "Bustin' Loose" on it? Every song on the album could be terrible and the album would still be worth buying.
Luckily for Chuck Brown and the Soul-Searchers this isn't the case with their new album "Bustin' Loose". There's a great rendition of Jerry Butler's old hit "Never Gonna Give You Up", For original songs there s "If It Ain't Funky" and "Could It Be Love". But
have guessed, the star of the abum is "Bustin Loses
"Bustin' Loose" recently hit number one on the Billboard soul chart and it looks like its going to be there awhile.

## Focus

## Greg Armstrong: Point Guard


by Scott Adams
When Greg Armstrong, a 6-3 guard from Columbia, Tn., transferred MTSU after two years at the University of Florida, it was probably one of the best things to happen to Blue Raider basketball in some time. Blue Raider head coach Jimmy Earle, who has several books in print, has a segment in one book which defines the point guard position, which Armstrong played during his two years as a Raider. Although the book was written several years before Armstrong even thought about coming to MTSU, the description fits him to a tee
'The poin of the 1-3-1 ffense alignment (one of the Raiders main offenses),

He must be an excellent ball handler and passer because he will bare the brunt of the pressure defenses.
"He will be constantly pressured and harassed all over the court by teams attempting to distract him from his game plan and his point guard responsibilites.
The point guard must be able to perform the following offensive maneuvers to relieve pressure: the behind-the-back dribble; between the legs dribble; and the crossover stop-and-go dribble.
The point guard must possess or attain what we call the 'basketball intellect. By this we mean the abiily to read team defense, the ability to spot and exploit individual defensive weaknesses, the ability to coordinate both the team offense and the team defense. He must also possess general basketball instinct and savvy.
Armstrong will probably be most remembered for his sparkling passes which usually found a teammate all alone under the basket for an easy layup. He led the team in assists last season with 80 and topped that "When Itrand

Wplish in my two year here," At a "The I win the wanted to accomplio Armstrong wouldn't say whether he thought he had become the best point guard in the conference, but according to Farle" there is no doubt."
Earle has said on many occasions that there was no doubt in his mind that Armstrong was the best guard in the league and that he wouldn't trade him for anybody in the league.

When I first started playing here I really had a hard time changing run and I played," Armstrong said. "At Florida we played a lot more game. Sometimes when I look back, I feel bad that I didn't have the opportunity to score more. That's what gets you the attention, and that's what you need to get into the pros or one of the leagues overseas.'
When asked if he wished that he had chosen a school that played a more wide open game, Armstrong quickly said "no way.

If I had the same decision to make tomorrow I would do it exactly the same. I've learned a lot from Coach Earle and the oher coaches and I wouldn't trade that for anything," Armstrong said.
knows, but you can bet your last behind the back pass that have at it will have ".I'm not relly at libety toall.
erty to say what I'll be doing next year right now, he said. "Hopefully I'll be able to get on with a team in the that I want to play basketball.
Where ever Greg Armstrong winds up in the future, hopefully he'll leave MTSU knowing that he will always be welcome in Murphy Center.

PHOTOS by Bill Cook


Photographer's Comment
After spending four games under the hoop, I became bored with waiting for players to jump in the air and taking pictures of armpits. Photography instructor Jim Norton suggested shooting play in the front court. This started me thinking about the role of the point guard. He is the quarterback. He sets up the offense and starts the plays. However, his isn't a glory role like that of a quarterback because he doesn' I pont the rest of
This coll the rest of the season keying on Greg. work. It is a tribute at the end of his college career to a man who Coach Earle calls the best point guard in the OVC.

Thanks, Greg!


## Communications day held for regional high schoolers

More than 150 high school students from throughout the mid-state attended the second Middle Tennessee High School Communications Workshop sponsored by Sigma Delta Chi, the Society of Professional Journalists and the depar

The event, held last Friday, was The event, held last Friday, was
termed "a total success," by co-chairperson Faye Hale. Over twice as many persons participated than was originally anticipated, she added.
Following registration and a welcome from department chairman Edward Kimbrell, the students and their advisers viewed a videotape about the department.

Biology club's Stunt Night will feature organizations Stunt byisa Human Stunt Night will be held at mer the 44th time at $7 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. March 6, in the DA auditorium, featuring skits from various recognized groups on campus. Sponsored by the biology club,
Stunt Night will include "Wo Stunt Night will include "Who's in the Strawberry Patch with Sally" by the wrestling cheerleaders, "Square Root and the Hall, "H-Hall People" by H-Hall "Tall, "H-Hall People" by H-Hall, Delta Pi, "Tuesday Night Live' Delta Pi, Tuesday Night Live
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Why is it that the tallest people always seem to get the lowest mailboxes and vice-versa? MTSU student Stanley McKinney is Applicants visit MTSU campus; director to be chosen next week be chosen by the beginning of next week, according to Robert LaLance, vice president of student affairs.
A screened list of five finalists was presented to LaLance by the tee at the beginning of last week tee at the beginning of last week have been visiting campus for personal interviews.
While on campus, the appli cants tour several dorms, including Smith and Rutledge Hall, the oldest and the worst, LaLance said.
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## Calendar

## TUESDAY

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Flying Raiders Club: 6:30 p.m., Room 2v Aerospare
Building Meeting: ASB Senate; 4:20 p.m., UC Conference
Room Meeting: ASB House; 4:30 p.m., UC Room 322 Stunt Night Ticket Sale: Biology Club; 8:30 a.m.-3:30 Movie: High Anxiety; 3:30 Movie: High Anxiety; 3:30,
6 and 8 p.m., UC Theatre Stunt Night: Biology Club; 7 p.m., DA Auditorium Senior Recital: Brenda Den 8 p.m., JUB Tennessee GED Test: 8 a.m.-3:30 p.m. UC 314 WEDNESDAY Flea Market: Sigma Delta Chi; 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., UC Basement
Waste Water Plant Operator's School: Tennessee Department of Public Health; 8 a.m.-4 p.m., UC
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affic Court: 3-5 p.m., UC 313 and 315
Meeting: ASB Election Commission; 3 p.m., ASB Office
Oncert: Winters Brothers; 8 p.m., JUB Tennessee

Varsity Cheerleaders


THURSDAY Waste Water Plant Operator's School: Tennessee
Department of Public Health; 8 a.m. -4 p.m., UC 318 and 322
Luncheon: Faculty/Press; noon, JUB Tennessee Room

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ovie: The Greatest; 3:30, 6 and 8 p.m., UC Theatre Camp; UC 328


I Bet You Didn't Know Brought To You By John Schneider Here's a tough one...In the history of sports, only one man has been both a major league baseball manager AND the head coach of a National Football League team...Can you guess who Bezdek, who managed the Bezdek, who managed the Pittsburgh Pirates in base-
ball in 1917, 1918 and 1919, and was the head football coach of Cleveland of the National Football League in 1937 and 1938.

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obscure golfer, Dr. Joseph Boydston of Bakersfield, Calif., who in 1962 scored the amazing total of THREE holes-in-one during ONE 9 -hole round!...That seems . hard to believe, but it's true. I bet you didn't know...
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## COLLEGE LIFE

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Eastern Kentucky's Kenny Elliott [10] and James Tillman [5] were hoisted onto the rim during the wild victory celebration following their controversial win over Western.

- Defeat Trevecca, 2-1


## Baseball team wins home opener

by Henry Fennell Assistant Sports Editor Pitchers David Booker and hitter Stratton combined for a four defeated Trev s baseball team Booker threw six near perfect innings, allowing Trevecca only two hits. Stratton used a big
sweeping curve ball to limit Trevecca to two Trevecca's Randy Burkett was just as effective on the MTSU hitters. Burkett gave up four scattered hits in six innings. Burkett didn't allow a single earned run, but was credited for

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The Raiders scored both of their runs on a two out error by Trevecca in the bottom of the fifth inning. First baseman Doug Hicks received a two out base on balls. Burkett then hit third baseman Randy Goff with a pitch, putting runners at first and second. Center fielder Tommy Blankenship followed with a weak fly ball to right center field. Trevecca's right and center fielders collided going after the ball, allowing both Hicks and Goff to score. as Stratton allowed runs stood up one run in the last three innings MTSU managed only six hits for the entire ballgame. The Raiders the entire ballgame. The Raide With the win, MTSU their season record to 1 -

## EKU 'takes' championship <br> by Scott Adams

Eastern Kentucky's Dave Tierney hit two free throws with no time remaining on the clock, to give the Colonels a 78-77 win over Western Kentucky in the finals of he OVC tournament.
The contest, marking the first time this season that EKU had beaten Western will surely go dorsial versial games in
. With
With 35 seconds left in the
game and Western leading $77-76$, Eastern worked the ball to sophEastern worked truce Jones who
omore guard Bruce took a shot from about ten feet. The shot missed and WKU's Greg Jackson and EKU's Dave Tierney came down holding the rebound together.
A jump ball was called and Jackson, who towered over the 6-3 Tierney, tipped the ball out of bounds with 15 seconds left. The Colonels brought the ball in bounds and Kenny Elliott took the shot. He missed also, and pandemonium broke loose under the check finally got a shot to drop but check inally got a shot drop but officials ruled
already elapsed
Both officials had called a foul Both officials had called a fou
on Western's Rick Wray for hacking Tierney's arm on an attempted tip in.
"With everybody banging around underneath, I don't see how the reierees could call just one foul," said Western's Mike Reese after the game.
Now the big question was to decide if time was out when the foul was committed.
After about a ten minute discussion between officials Burrell Crowell, Ralph Stout, the timekeeper Roger war Vand Tierney was awarded the foul Tierne
shots.

## shots.

Tierney, a reserve who had shot only 27 foul shots all sead
swished both shots to give Eastern the win and the conference's utomatic NCAA bid. Western's players, who had een ordered to the dressing room by head coach Gene Keady, came back on the floor to protest, but to no avail.
Keady was understandably the and was very and was very out
situation.

## 'Toppers pr

by Henry Fennell
It was a case of the big one that got away case of the big one that Ohio Valley Cong one was the ball championship and it cot away from Western Kentucky University.
Western Kentucky was leading Eastern Kentucky, 77-76, when regulation time expired in the OVC's championship game Saturday night in Richmond Ky. In an ordinary game, Western would have been given the win at that point. But, Saturday's game was not an ordinary game. Western was not awarded the win and Eastern Kentucky will now represent the OVC in the upcoming The extraordinary
The extraordinary event occurred at least three full seconds Wester time had expired, when for fouling Eastern' was called ney during a scramble under the basket. After some discussion Tierney sank two free throws and the win was awarded to Eastern Western officials filed an official protest of the decision and in response to that protest the athletic directors of both schools involved, the two officials from Saturday night's game and OVC yesterdayer Bob Vannata met matter.

We were definitely robbed, Keady said. "This is the damned est thing that I have ever seen in my whole life."
After Tierney sank the foul shots, both officials headed for their dressing room with Vanatta. Western athletic directo ohnny Oldham filed an official We'll prove our point with film [continued on page 8 ]
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The group viewed four films of Saturday's game and listened to action. With the benefit of all this electronic hindsight, it was determined that the game had in fact ended over three seconds before the foul was called.
So why isn't Western the OVC basketball champion. Rule two, section twelve, from the NCAA rulebook states: "When a timer and official disagree, a goal shall count or a foul shall be penalized unless the referee has knowledge ern's regular time keeper, Roger Williams, told officials he did not know when the clock had run out in relation to the foul, so the foul 'penalized."
In addition to rule two, section twelve, rule 48 states that the NCAA does not recognize and will not allow protests. The protest was then an exercise in futility by "We Kelly didn't
"We really didn't expect to have the decision reversed, said
Western's athletic director Western s athletic director Johnny Oldham. "We re
disappointed," he added.
The whole matter cbuld have been avoided if Eastern's time keeper had known whether the foul occurred before or after the clock ran down or if either official had been able to hear the buzzer [continued on page 8]


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The team of David Robinson, Lorenzo Cooper, J.T. Musgrove and Ed Stegal . . The time was a a time of $3: 10.5$. The time was a
full four and one half seconds faster than the time the team furned in at the recent Ohio Valley Conference Indoor Championships.
The team's performance came at the Last Chance track meet held Saturday at Murphy Center. The mile relay team was the only Raider entry to qualify, however high jumper Sam Crump tied the school indoor high jumping record. Crump, a senior, jumped 6-10 at Saturday's meet and just missed qualifying for the NCA

## Colone

by Scott Adams
Sports Editor
very tournament team's season ends on a loss except the head coach Jimmy Earle Raider head coach Jimmy Earle said after the first round of the conference tournament. "Our loss just came a little earlier than other teams., Earle seemed to be bordering on exhaustion after the Raiders $90-81$ loss to the eventual tourney champions, but the big-hearted MTSU coach still managed a smile for all of the well wishers who made the long trek to Richmond. "I've had a great experience at MTSU and I just hope that the next ten will be as good," Earle said. "But for right now, all I want to do is rest.'
at the outset, jumping to a quick 8-0 lead and visibly shaking the conference champions. Eastern settled down after a time out and
finally took the lead finally took the lead, 11-10, on five straight points by James Tillman with 15:36 to play in the half. times during the next 15 minutes of play, but MTSU mate of play, but MTSU managed a two
point lead, $42-40$ at the intermission.
The Blue Raiders kept the lead through the opening minutes of the second half, until Bruce Jones, who hurt MTSU all night long with his outside shooting, hit a bomb from 25 feet to tie the score at 48 with $16: 04$ to play. With MTSU up by one, 54-53, Eastern put together a seven point spurt in only 36 seconds, capped off by a Tillman stuff and foul shot


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Middle ten minutes and put together a seven point spurt of their own to cut the lead to two points, 81with $1: 30$ to play in the game. stall and the Raiders were forced ta foul to try and get the ball Eastern was all but perfect in the castern was all but perfect in the the eight opportunities they got from the line to seal the victory. "I was really happy with our free throw shooting tonight," Eastern coach Ed Byhre said. 'We've really been working on it in practice lately, and I guess it's beginning to pay off.
MTSU got a great effort from all of the players and hit on 32 of 58 shots from the field for 55.2 percent. They were 17 of 19 from the line and tied the taller Eastern eam in rebounding at 31 .
Greg Joyner led the Raiders in his final game for MTSU, hitting on 10 of 20 shots from the field, in 10 rebounds for 26 points. Chris Harris followed with 20 points and 11 rebounds. Leroy Coleman added 16 points. Tillman led Eastern with 30 points, followed by Kenny Elliott woints, followed by Kenny Elliott Jones with 12 apiece.
Eastern shot 50.8 percent from the field, hitting 33 of 65 shots and were 24 of 27 from the line for a sizzling 88.9 percent.

## Toppers

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signaling the game's end
None of the persons involved call. As a result, Eastern begins NCAA tournament play this Friday night against the University of Tennessee and Western will be a $t$ home in Bowling Green thinking about the "big one" that got away


Raider point guard Greg Armstrong [15], anxiously awaits a teammate to break open as Eastern's Bruce Jones watches

## Eastern

## [continued from page 7]

or something. There's just no doubt in my mind that the decision will have to that the versed," Oldham said. he game marred the almost storybook championship fight which saw the score tied 14 times during the first half.
Eastern took a 43-41 lead into the dressing room at the half, but scoring leader James Tillman had been held to four points on a superb defensive job by WKU's
Tierna
Tierney gave Eastern their biggest lead of the night during the baskets to put them up $57-51$ with 14:46 to play.

Western fought back to tie the score again at 61 with 9:39 to go, but didn't get the lead again until play to put them up, 71 -70 The 'Toppers seemingly took command with 51 seconds and the score, 77-74, in their favor. EKU reserve Donnie Moore hit a quick jumper and Reese made a turnover on the following inbounds play to give Eastern the ball and make way for Tierney's heroics.
"I don't know who fouled me, all I know is that I about got my head taken off on that last play," line, I knew I just I went to the line, I knew I just had to make
them."


MTSU's netters win first match MTSU's Lady Raider tennis
team opened the 1979 season with team opened the 1979 season with
an easy $7-2$ victory over Western an easy $7-2$ victory over Western
Michigan here Sunday. MTSU Michigan here Sunday. Mos took five of six single matches and two of
"Everybody played pretty well for an opening match," according to head coach Sandy Neal. Neal also indicated it was hard to get a meaningful impression of the team's progress because of Sunday's weather conditions. Dropping temperatures made it necessary to cut the match short and the teams played only one set in the doubles competition instead of the usual two out of three.
Sunday's results: Elina Durchman (MT) def. Carol Tschudy, 3-6, 6-0, 6-1. Tarja Ojala (NT) def. Kathy Fosmoe, 6-0, 6-4. Diana Myers (MT) def. Suzanne Ghindia, 6-4, 5-7, 6-3. Nancy Broadhurst (MT) def. Julie Smith, 6-3, 6-1. Kaye Wrather (MT) def. Moon (WM) def. Karen Miller, Moon (WM) def. Karen Miller,
$6-1,6-3$. 6-1, 6-3.
DOUBLES: Durchman-Ojala (MT) def. Fosmoe-King, 8-5. Davis-Smith (WM) def. MyersNorrita Dennis, 1-8. MillerWrather (MT) def. GhindiaTschudy, 8-4.

Jackson led Western with 24 points and 12 rebounds. He hit on 11 of 16 shots from the field and was two of two from the line. Jackson with 18 and 10 points respectively.
The Hilltoppers shot 54.3 percent from the field hitting 32 of 59 shots and were 13 of 16 from the line for 81.3 percent.
Eastern was led by Jones with 26 and Elliott with 22 points. Vic Merchant was the only other double figure scorer with 10.
Merchant led the team in reMerchant led the team in rebounding with 13 . The Colonels hit 34 of 76 shots from the field for 44.7 percent and were 10 of
from the line for 71.4 percent.

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