Wildcat Coach

Adolph Rupp is undisputedly the nation's winningest basketball coach. He has recorded an amazing 720 victories in 870 games for a winning percentage of .828 during his 35 years at Kentucky.

Other outstanding feats and honors accumulated to this man who brought the modern game of exciting basketball to the Southland are:

. . . More NCAA Tournament teams than anyone else (14), more NCAA victories (23) and more NCAA championships (4).
. . A nominal World championship, as co-coach of the USA 1948 Olympic

. . . A total of 21 Southeastern Conference titles in the league's 32 seasons. . Four tournament championships at the Sugar Bowl, seven in the UKIT and a National Invitational tournament title.

. . . Development of more All-Americans (22) than any other tutor. . . . Recognition by both basketball Halls of Fame, the Helms Athletic Foundation and the Naismith Memorial Hall.

. . Appointment to the NCAA Basketball Rules Committee.

1966 Prospectus

Kentucky faces the 1965-66 campaign with the probability of a slight improvement in the situation that saddles the Wildcats with their lowest SEC finish (fifth) and overall record in Coach Adolph Rupp's 35 years last season.

Height and bench strength—the two big bugaboos that plagued the 1965 Kentuckians—are not solved completely but the talented freshman crop is being counted on to help rectify both problems. Providing some relief in the matter are three promising newcomers-6-1 Bob Tallent, 6-2 Jim LeMaster and 6-5 Thad Jaracz.

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More than added strength in the point-making department, the 'Cats need help on the boards. The scoring phase, not bad off last season as they netted points at an 84.4 clip, should pick up if they get the ball to play with. Among the returnees are a pair of hot-shots who gained All-Southeastern recognition as sophs—leading scorer Louie Dampier (17.0) and No. 2 scorer-rebounder and most valuable player Pat Riley. Other key figures will be 6-5½ forward-guard Tommy Kron and 6-3¼ forward-center Larry Conley.

KENTUCKY 1965-66 ROSTER

No.	Name & Pos.	Age	Ht.	Wt.	Class L	trs.	Hometown	Course
10	Louie Dampier, G	20	6-0	167	Junr.	1	Indianapolis, Ind.	Education
12	Jim LeMaster, G	18	6-2	188	Soph.	0	Paris, Ky.	Education
22	Gene Stewart, F	20	6-2	187	Junr.	0	Brookville, Ind.	Commerce
24	Bob Tallent, G	19	6-1	179	Soph.	0	Langley, Ky.	Engineering
25	Tommy Porter, F	19	6-3	188	Soph.	0	Gracey, Ky.	Liberal Arts
30	Tommy Kron, G-F	21	6-5	202	Senr.	2	Owensboro, Ky.	Commerce
32	Steve Clevenger, G	19	6-0	185	Soph.	0	Anderson, Ind.	Education
40	Larry Conley, F	21	6-3	172	Senr.	2	Ashland, Ky.	Liberal Arts
42	Pat Riley, F	20	6-3	205	Junr.	1	Schenectady, N.Y.	Education
44	Brad Bounds, C	20	6-5	207	Junr.	0	Bluffton, Ind.	Education
45	Cliff Berger, C	18	6-8	225	Soph.	0	Centralia, III.	Liberal Arts
50	Gary Gamble, F	18	6-4	185	Soph.	0	Earlington, Ky.	Commerce
54	Larry Lentz, C	21	6-8	217	Senr.	0	Lakeview, Ohio	Liberal Arts
55	Thad Jaracz, F	18	6-5	230	Soph.	0	Lexington, Ky.	Liberal Arts

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