Dawahares / KHSAA Hall of Fame Nomination Form

KHSAA Form GE30 Rev. 4/03

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Nomination Class 2014 Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame Charles H.T. "Big Game" Hunter

Clem S. Haskins 3060 Roberts Road Campbellsville, KY 42718

Nov. 12, 2013

Kentucky High School Hall Of Fame Recommendation for Charlie Hunter

Dear Kentucky High School Hall of Fame Selection Committee,

I am writing this letter to recommend Charlie Hunter, who played basketball at Ralph Bunche High School in Glasgow Kentucky, as a nominee for induction into the Kentucky High School Hall of Fame.

Charlie was one of the great players to play high school basketball in the state. He could run, jump and shoot as well as any player in the state including myself. Because Charlie played at an all black school during that period he did not receive the notoriety that he deserved. His accolades mentioned elsewhere in this package will justify his ability and make him a prime candidate to be considered as a nominee into the Hall Of Fame.

Charlie's induction would go a long way to rectify the oversight of players of Charlie's ability that played at an all black school with talent that equaled or surpassed that of many players already enshrined in the Hall of Fame.

Thank you in advance for your consideration of Charlie Hunter as someone most deserving, to be enshrined into the Kentucky High School Hall of Fame.

Sincerely,

Clem Haskins, Member

Kentucky High School Hall of Fame

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WOODFORD L. GARDNER, JR

ONE FOREST HILLS GLASGOW, KENTUCKY 42141

November 5, 2013

Dear Selection Committee:

Please accept this as my unqualified recommendation for selection by you of Charlie Hunter as a member of your Hall of Fame.

Charlie Hunter played for and graduated from Ralph Bunche High School. He was recognized as an all district, all region, and second team Kentucky all state player. His 1961 Ralph Bunche team competed in the Kentucky High School State Tournament. Individually, he was twice the leading scorer in his region and was a member of the Ky/Ind All Star Team and the East/West All Star Team.

I competed against Charlie Hunter all during his high school career. These games alternated between the Ralph Bunche gym and our gym. Twice our teams met in the district tournament. Charlie Hunter was a gifted and dedicated player.

Charlie Hunter also had a distinguished college basketball career. He and another Ralph Bunche High School graduate, Jerry Wells, played at Oklahoma City University. After his college playing days were completed, he was draft by the Boston Celtics.

When the name "Big Game" Hunter is mentioned in our area, everyone, to this day, knows you are talking about Charlie Hunter of Ralph Bunche High School. He will certainly made a fine addition to your Hall of Fame.

Very truly vours

Woodførd L. Gardner, Jr.

From:

larry.conley@comcast.net

Sent:

Sunday, November 17, 2013 3:36 PM

To:

Ream, Jerry

Subject:

Re: Charlie Hunter -Letter of Recommendation

Attachments:

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I would like to recommend Charlie Hunter for entrance into the KHSAA Hall of Fame. His play at Bunche High School in Glasgow during his high school was exemplary. All State in 1962, a member of the Kentucky team in the Ky./Ind. all star game and a selection for the East/West All-Star game in Ky. in 1962. I strongly endorse Charlie for induction into this elite group of Kentucky high school players.

Respectfully,

Respectfully, Larry Conley

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing this letter of recommendation on behalf of an athlete who, in my opinion, would be a worthy addition to the Hall of Fame. Charlie Hunter is an outstanding citizen and a member of an era of players that long has been overlooked.

Charlie was a remarkable basketball player at Ralph Bunche High School in the early sixties. Graduating in 1962, he was a standout in the 5th region and statewide. This period of time produced many great high school players, Charlie took a back seat to no one. He led the Bunche Bluehawks to the State Tournament in1961. Charlie was named 2nd team All-State in 1962 and received enough votes to be on the first team, but according to an article in the Sunday Courier Journal," **there wasn't room for him on the first team**".

Charlie was a member of both the Ky/Ind All-Stars (started) and the East/West All-Stars , when both were still the pinnacle of High School Hoops in Kentucky. He was one of the first African Americans offered a Scholarship to attend the University of Louisville but chose to play for Abe Lemon at Oklahoma City University. After an outstanding collegiate career Charlie was drafted by the Boston Celtics.

Thank You in advance for your consideration of a most deserving person.

Wayne Chapman 859-361-6510 doons2000@yahoo.com November 26, 2013

SUBJECT: CHARLES HUNTER

In earlier years there were often criteria set for some people and a different set for others concerning the same situation.

It appears this might have been the situation Charles Hunter fell victim to in the early 1960's. Charles was an outstanding athlete and student at Ralph Bunche High School and continued to accomplish greatness at Oklahoma City University.

Charles might not have received the recognition and awards that he deserved because of the situation that existed at that time.

I only ask that the KHSAA and the Kentucky High School Basketball Hall of Fame review Charles's accomplishments as compared to the criteria used for those already inducted into the Hall of Fame.

I believe it will be found that Charles deserves this honor.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

J. Norm Weaver Allen County High School Basketball Class of 1964 Western Kentucky University Basketball Class of 1968 December 13, 2013

To the KHSAA Hall of Fame Selection Committee:

Like many other people, there is always a person who we believe belongs in the KHSAA Hall of Fame, but has not been selected. Charles Hunter, who graduated from Ralph Bunch High School, an all black school, in 1962, is one of these deserving people! In today's world, Charles would have been sought by virtually every major university in the nation.

In 1962 there were no black varsity basketball players in the S.EC., O.V.C., A.C.C., S.W.C., etc. Charles went to Oklahoma City University because his teammate, Jerry Wells, also received a basketball scholarship there. He got very little recognition because he was at an all black school and newspapers owners were white....they were basically selling newspapers to white families.

Let's remember that Charles Hunter could not have gone into many restaurants to eat, nor could he have stayed in most motels/hotels in the South. Clem Haskins and Greg Smith faced comparable prejudices in 1963-67 while traveling with Western Kentucky University's basketball team.

Even though Charles was on the first five for the Kentucky All-Star Team, his only offer was from the University of Louisville. If memory serves me correctly, Charles would have been the first black player at UL. With his being from a small town, the transition would have been quite difficult.

Charles was a superb high school player, leading the region in scoring in 1961 and 1962. This was at a time when Allen County High School was dominating the region - winning 95 consecutive games against schools within the region.

After an outstanding collegiate career, Charles was drafted by the Boston Celtics. Remember, there were only 8 NBA teams in 1962.

It is my hope that you will strongly consider Charles Hunter for induction into the KHSAA Hall of fame. He is HIGHLY deserving.

Sincerely submitted by,

Jim Richards

Former Glasgow High School Basketball Head Coach Former Western Kentucky University Basketball Head Coach

Ream, Jerry

From:

robert523@twc.com

Sent:

Sunday, December 29, 2013 7:11 PM

To:

Ream, Jerry

Subject:

Charlie Hunter Letter of Recommendation

It is with great pleasure that I recommend Charles Hunter for induction into Kentucky High School Basketball Hall of Fame.

Mr. Hunter led his high school, Ralph Bunche, in Glasgow to the Boys High School State Tournament in 1961 and was the leading scorer in the 5th Region in both 1961 & 1962. He was named 2nd Team All-State in 1962. He was named to the KY-Ind All-Star Team and also the Coaches' East vs West All-Star Team after graduation from high school.

He accepted a scholarship to play his college basketball with Abe Lemons at Oklahoma City University and had a great career there.

Upon graduation he was drafted by the Boston Celtics in the National Basketball Association.

Charlie was not only a fine basketball player but is a great person and it is with much pleasure that I write this letter in his behalf for consideration along with many others that I have spoken with for induction into the Kentucky High School Basketball IHall of Fame.

Sincerely, Robert B. Rascoe robert423@twc.com

Mr. Johnnie F. Herron 108 Clay Street New Brockton, Alabama 36351

December 6, 2013

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter is written in reference to Mr. Charles Hunter, a former student and basketball player of mine at Ralph Bunch High School in Glasgow, Kentucky.

My first year of teaching and coaching basketball in 1957 I noticed that we did not have a feeder program for building and sustaining our high school basketball program. Ralph Bunch being a small school and not many young boys, I instituted a 'Semi-Little League' Program for our school. This is where I came to know Charles. He was a young energetic fellow who could motivate his team mates to play hard and do it with a passion to win. I coached him from Little League through his high school years. By the time he reached his junior and senior years, he had become a full-fledged leader for his team. He motivated and encouraged team mates to many victories on and off the court. Charles' leadership made the team highly competitive during the regular season and especially during tournament time.

During the early 60's Charles led the team through the District, Region and on to the State Tournaments. He was named on the first team of both the Districts and Regional Tournaments. In 1962 Charles was named on the second team for the Kentucky All State Team. He was also named on the East West All Star Team. Charles was easy to coach!

The local and surrounding coaches as well as many colleges were highly impressed by Charles' performance on the basketball court. Charles was mindful of his social and moral behavior at school, church, and the community. He still maintains those respectable habits as an adult.

Charles graduated in the early 60's at a time when integration was in its infant stage. There were not many opportunities for African American students to get college scholarships. Many college coaches desired to recruit Charles but were reluctant to do so during that critical time. Coach Lemon of Oklahoma was determined to recruit Charles. After coming to Bunche to scout his play, he gave Charles a scholarship to Oklahoma University. He was the first African American drafted from the Glasgow area; this courageous act opened the door for other African American to enter. The legacy he left at Bunch was, "If Charles can do it, I can too". This was a motivating force for the young players to follow and thus made the young players easier to coach.

I definitely recommend Charles Hunter to be considered as a candidate to be named to the Sports Hall of Fame. His statue in the community and during the years when he played ball from Little League to College has changed the lives of so many. His career even blazed a trail for young men and women to play ball and receive an education. I believe this is the time for Charles to be considered for this honor.

Respectfully Yours,

Johnnie F. Herron, Former Teacher and Coach

Ralph Bunch High School

Glasgow, Kentucky

FOREWORD

Respectively submitted for inclusion in the player category for the Class of 2014 Dawahares/KHSAA Hall of Fame is Charles H.T. "Big Game" Hunter.

Hunter certainly had the credentials of an outstanding high school player; however, like so many rural African American players of the late '50's and early '60's whose teams were relegated to playing in all-black conferences, Hunter's accomplishments did not receive the recognition that others attained in schools that had already integrated.

In Hunter's junior year of 1961, the Glasgow Ralph Bunche Bluehawks were Region 5 champions, and Hunter led the region in scoring. Nineteen sixty-two was certainly a breakout year for Hunter insofar as publicity was concerned. As noted in the attached article, he was the Region 5 scoring leader again and was named to the all-state second team. A layman such as I can only assume that the first team all-state was somehow limited to ten players. As explained in the included article (#7), 'according to the reports in the Sunday Courier Journal, he landed enough votes to make the first string, but there wasn't room for him on the first unit.' Hunter went on to make a nice contribution as a starter on the 1962 Kentucky All Stars and also played in the East-West game.

For purposes of this nomination, Hunter's story ends here. Hunter had scholarship offers from numerous major universities including the University of Louisville where he was the very first African American offered a scholarship by coach Peck Hickman. Hunter opted instead for coach Abe Lemons offer to attend Oklahoma City University and brought along Ralph Bunche teammate Jerry Wells. After a very successful four years at Oklahoma City, Hunter was drafted by the NBA Celtics.

Thank you for your time,

Jerry I Ream

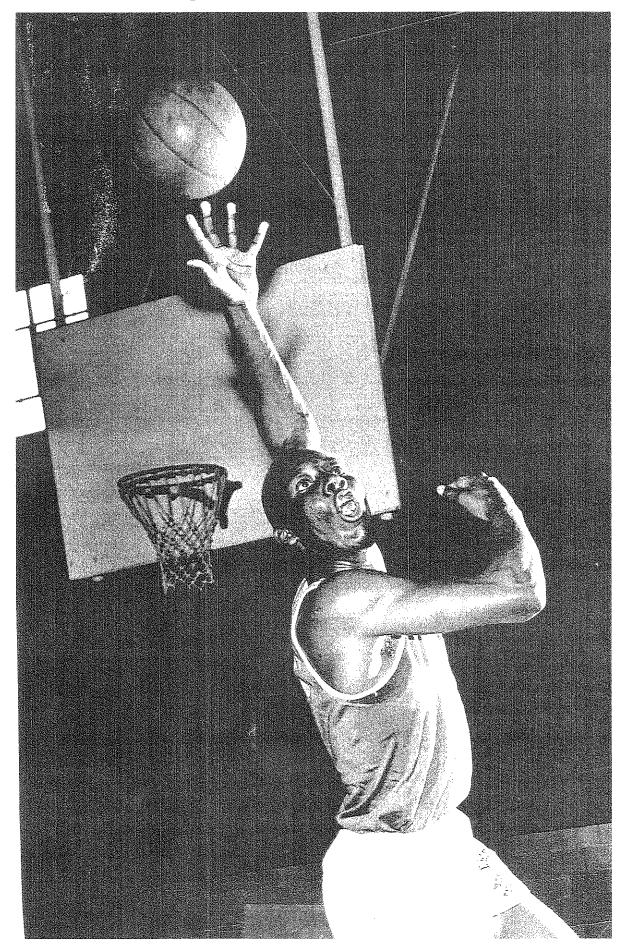
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#2 - Charles H.T. Hunter



#3 - Hunter Hits 42

Hunter Hits 42 As Bunche Rolls Past Lincoln

Charlie Hunter strenghtened his hold on the Regional scoring lead by blistering 42

points in leading his Bluehawks to an 83-75 victory over Franklin-Lincoln's Pirates here last night.

Hunner was everywhere and doing everything as he paced the Hawks to their 17th win of the season.

The game opened more like a circus than a basketball game as both teams started with a wild running offense that had Bunche Coach Frank Terrell out of his seat continously.

Finally the Hawks heeded their coach's commands and settled down to beating Lincoln, as William Humer, Floyd Bridges and big Charlis sneaked under for layups three after time.

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Bridges finished with 14 points and William Humer added 10.

Bunche held a 25-10 advantage at the end of the first period and were ahead by 4227 as calfrime. The score at the end of the third period was 60-50.

Franklin-Lincoln was led by it's big scorer, Roy Holder, who scored 21 points. Thomas had 18 and Barbee had 16.

Bunche hosts Temple Hill Saturday night.

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#4 - Hunter Bombs 55

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Park City Is 71-53 Homecoming Winner

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ords, He had set the scoring record earlier this season, Austin - Tracy's freshman and sophomore studded lineup was just not capable of holding down the red bot Bluehawk

shooters.

Bunche led all the way, in addition to Hunter's 55 point. barrage, Jerry Wells canned 24 points, Damy Overstreet added 12

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It was a 45-17 ballgame at halftime and Hunter already had amassed 29 points at that

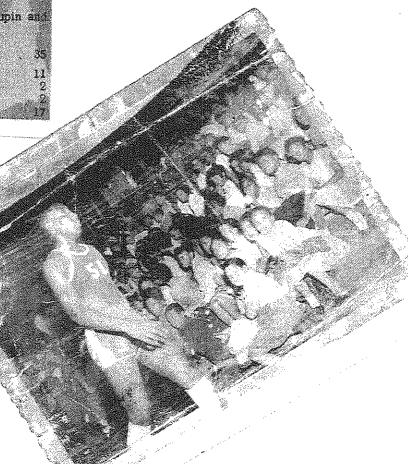
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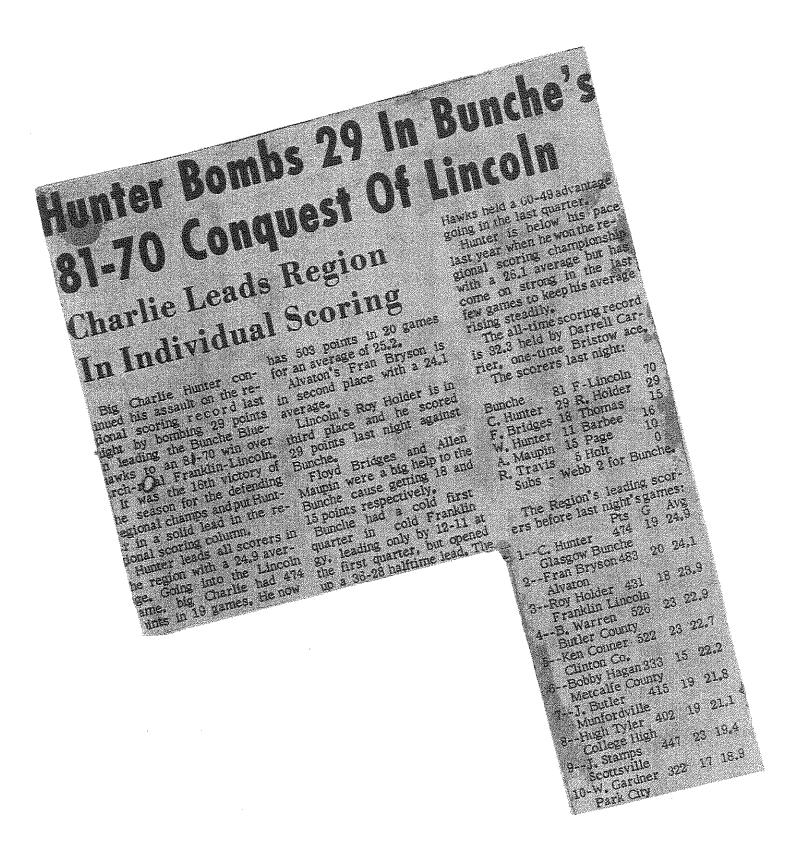
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#5 - Charlie Leads Region In Scoring



#6 - 1962 - 19th District All Tournament Team

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#7 - Hunter Named All-State

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Silliman Heads All-State Basketball Team Selections

LOUISVILLE, Ky. AP-Mike Silliman, the 6-foot-5, 223-pound pivotman who led Louisville St. Xavier to the Ken-tucky high school baskerball championship, is honorary captain of the all-state team selected by coaches.

The 10-man team, picked for The Courier-Journal, wa announced in Sunday,

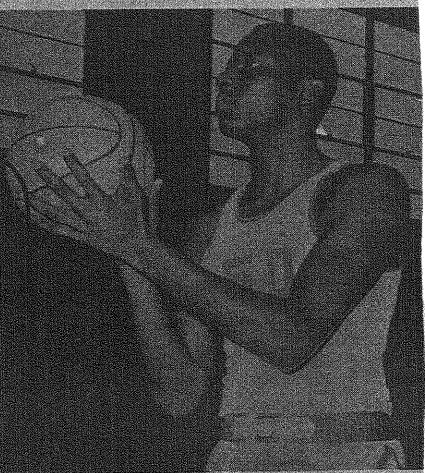
Bunche's sensational Charite Hunter added another honor to his already fantastic record by being named to the second All-State unit and according to the reports in the Sunday Courier Journal, he landed enough votes to make the first string but there wasn't room for him on the first unit.

Hunter also was landed on the All-Southern Kentucky team announced in the Sunday issue of the Park City Daily News, in this same announcement, Alvaton's Steve Hays was named "Player of the Year.

realinder team, in order:

Mickey Gibson, Hazard; Earl Stevens, Breathin County: Clem Haskins, Taylor County: Mike Redd, Louisville Seneca: Wayne Calvert, Allen County: Bill Chumbler. Lowes: David Cosby, Louisville Seneca; and Pres Judy. Lexington Henry Clay.

Gibson and Calvert, both



CHARLIE HUNTER

seniors, also are repeaters, ington Henry Clay; and Paul from last year. Juniors on Smith, Owsley County. from last year. Juniors on this year's team are Haskins. Redd and Chumbler.

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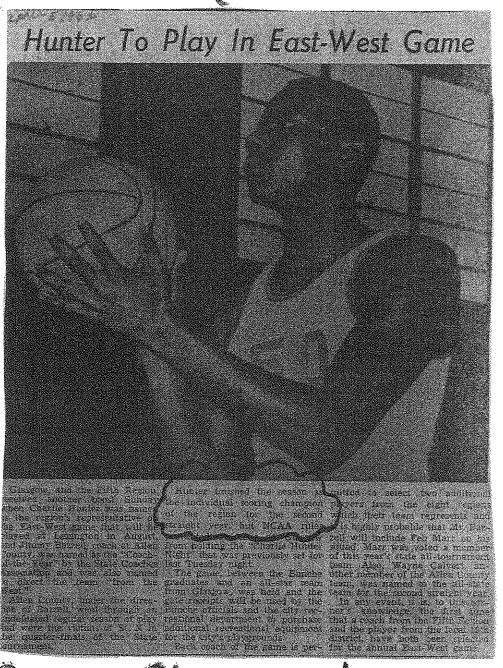
Jim Rose, Wheelwright; Tommy Castle, Virgie; Charles Hunter, Glasgow Butche: Paul Long, Louisville Waggener: Jerry Schell, Dixie Heights: Sam Smith, Hazard: Dwight Smith, Princeton Dot-son: Kellar Works, Harrison County: Frank Harscher, Lex-

The third team:

Austin Dumas, Lexington Dumbar; Mike Fessler, Covington Catholic; Feb Marr, Allen County; Jim Kupper, St. Xavier: Lewis Couch, Carr Creek: Floyd McCoy, Inez; Gary Hape, Henderson County; Charles Taylor, Owensboro Western: Larry Moody, Georgetown; Garner Petrie. Louisville Atherton.

#8 - Hunter To Play In East - West Game

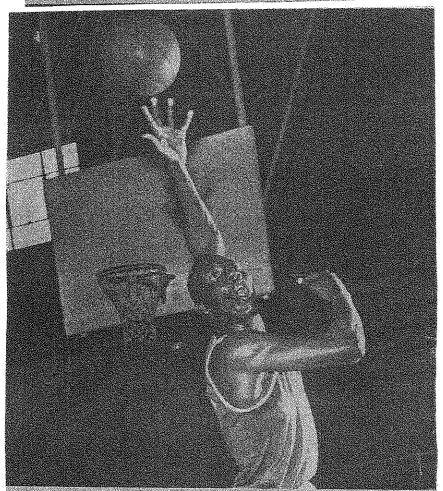
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#9 - Hunter Expected To Carry Offensive Punch

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Offesive Punch For Stars



Charles funter of Glasgow Bunche will be expected to carry a large share of the offensive punch for the Kentucky High School Allsrars in their forthcoming basketball game with the Indiana school boys. The first game of the two-game series is scheduled for June 16, at Freedom Hall, Louisville. The second game at Butler field House in indianapoins on June 23. The Kentucky game is sponsored by the Lions Clubs of Kentucky with proceeds going to the Lions' Eye Eank.

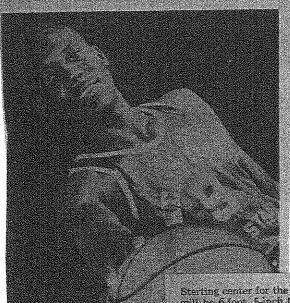
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It'll be Kentucky against Indiana when the high school basketball all-stars clash at The Fairgrounds tomorrow

#10 - Hunter/1962 All-Star Rosters

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Kentucky Catches All-Star Spirit



Sterling center for the Kentucky All-Stars tonight will be 6-foot, 5-inch Charles Hunter of Glasgow conche. He got the starting job when Kentucky's No. I player, Mike Silliman, was declared out of

Hunter, Castle On Star Squad

By CLARFACE ROYALIA

Charles Hunter, a 6-5 forward from Glasgow Bunche, 2nd Tommy Castle, a 6-1 guard from Glasgow Bunche, 2nd Tommy Castle, a 6-1 guard from Virgie, were named yesterday in complete the Kentucky High School All-States to the second as week later at 25 rebounds.

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#11 - 1962 West All-Star Team

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Phillips, Bazzell To Coach Stars

Lew Phillips of Dixle Heights and Jimmy Bazzell of Allen County have been selected to coach the East and West squads, respectively, for the Kentucky High School Coaches Association's all-star basketball game at Lexington in Angust.

Eight players also were named to each squad by the coaches association, Phillips and Bazzell will each be permitted to choose two more players, and the association also will add two to each team.

Named to the East squad were Jerry Schell, Dixie Heights; Keilar Works, Harrison County; Pres Judy, Lexington Henry Clay, Jesse Flynn, Somerset; Les Gambrel, Lone Jork; Mickey Gibson, Hazard, Jim Rose, Wheelwright, and Latty Conley, Ashland.

The West members chosen were Larry Cartee, Reidland; Wayne Barnett, Earlington, Gary Hape, Henderson County; Royer Putty, Hughes-Kirk; Charles Hunter, Glasgow Buncke, Bouby Perkins, Bloomfield; Mike Silliman, St. Xavier, and George Walson, Henry County.

#12 - Indiana Stars/Hunter Gets 12 Points

Indiana Stars Stop Kentucky Rally To Take 88-82 Victory

Hunter Gets 12 Points. 13 Rebounds In Outing

tucky's All-Stars didn't fare too well in their first game against Indiana, but they looked forward today to revenge in

the second game.

Indiana led by as much as 20 points ar one time in the first of the high school bas-ketball stars' two-game series Saturday night at Freedom Hall. But the Kentuckians, led by Larry Conley of Ashland, started biting into that margin and trimmed it to two points.

But it still wasn't enough as Indiana went on to an 88-

82 victory.

Kentucky was without the services of its "Mr. Basketball; 6-foot-5 Mike Silliman of Louisville Saint Xavier, He margin with 13:57 to play, was out with an injured knee After Kentucky caught fire was out with an injured knees and is expected to miss the second game at Indianapolis Saturday night.

But Conley shouldered tie load and scored 27 points to lead both teams and played a nearly perfect floor game,

"I thought Conley was head and shoulders above everyone else," said a delighted ob-server, Coach Adolph Rupp of the University of Kentucky. "Larry is very deceiving."

Conley is headed for UK.

as are Kentucky All-Stars Mickey Gibson of Hazard and Tommy Castle of Virgie, plus Tom Kron of Tell City and the Indiana stars.

How will the Kentuckians. who resume practice tonight,

do at Indianapolis?

"We can win if we'll stick to our patterns," said Coach Woody Crum. "We proved that by the way we played the last

Big Jim Goose Ligon, 8foot-7-pivot man from Kokomo, spearheaded the Indiana team to meet the Kenucky rally. He scored 17 of his 24 points in the second half.

Indiana led 52-41 at halftime aud Folledno a 81.47

Charles Hunter of Glasgow] Bunche dunked a field goal to make it 80-78, Indiana, But then the Hoosiers' took control again to win.

difference," said Indiana

coach Angus Nicoson.

Gibson followed Conley in Kentucky scoring, with 15 points.

From the floor, Indiana hit 31 of 78 field goal attempts for 39.7 per cent and Kentucky hit 33 of 83 for 39.8. The Hoosiers out-rebounded Kentucky 61-50, with Ligon snaring 16.

The victory gave Indiana a 21-7 lead in the series, sponsored by the Lions Club and played for benefit of the blind.

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Ligon	9	6-9	2 24
Miles	4	- 3-4	- 2 - 11
Kron	1	0-0	2 2
Schellhase	1	2-2	1 4 1 0
Krone	0	0-2	1 0
Ellis	2 2	0-1	2 4
Fleetwood		2-2	2 6
Wilson	0	4-4	9 4
O'Neal Willett	1 0	2.2	0 4
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Gibson	11 7	1-9	
Hunter	- 5	2-2	5 12
Cosby	- 3	0-0	8 6
Calvert	9	6-9	5 12
Long	8	1-2	-27
Castle	0	1.2	0 1
Cassidy	0	0.0	2 0
Petrie	1	0-0	2 2
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#13 - Hunter Is Bulwark In All-Star & **Hunter Rebound Standout**



LOOKING TO MIKE : . . Mike Silliman, whose injured knee makes him a doubtful starter against Indiana's All-Stars bere Saturday night draws attention of boys who are expected to carry the load for Kennucky. In front (from

left) are Ashland's Larry Conley, Hazard's Mickey Gibson, Glasgow Bunche's Charley Hunter and St. Xavier's Silliman. In back (from left) are Seneca's David Coshy, Allen County's Wayne Calvert and Waggener's Paul Long

Hunter Is Bulwark In All-Star Match

Charlie Hunter, the backetball all-stater from Ralph Bunche, will begin his "post" graduate work Saturday night when he teams with an aggregation of other outstanding boys from around the state and participate in the first of two 1962 Kentucky—Indiana All—Staf games.

The first game will be played at Freedom Hall in Louisville and will be followed a week later at the Butler Field House in Indian-

Guy Strong, former baskerball coach at Male High in Louisville, was originally named the Ali-Star Coach with Jimmy Bazzell, Allen County, his assistant. However, when Sirong resigned his high school position to accept the continue job at Virginia Tech, he was ruled ineligible to continue in the high school level. in the high school level.

Officials in charge of the all-star series, announced that Woo lie Cum, Bowling Green High Coach, was Strong's replacement and im-mediately Bazzell withdrew as the assistant, saying that he believed that two coaches from the same resion would be determint to the

Hunter has already left for Lou-isville where Crum is p tting the stars through daily practices in preparation for the Saturday night action. Many fans from Glaseow are expected to be at the Fairgrounds to root for the Bluegrass team.

Conley Shines In First

Kentucky All-Star Meet

Glasgow's Hunter Rebound Standout

LOUISWILLE APPEAR tucky High School Basketball All Stars are due to move into Freedom Hall for practice to-

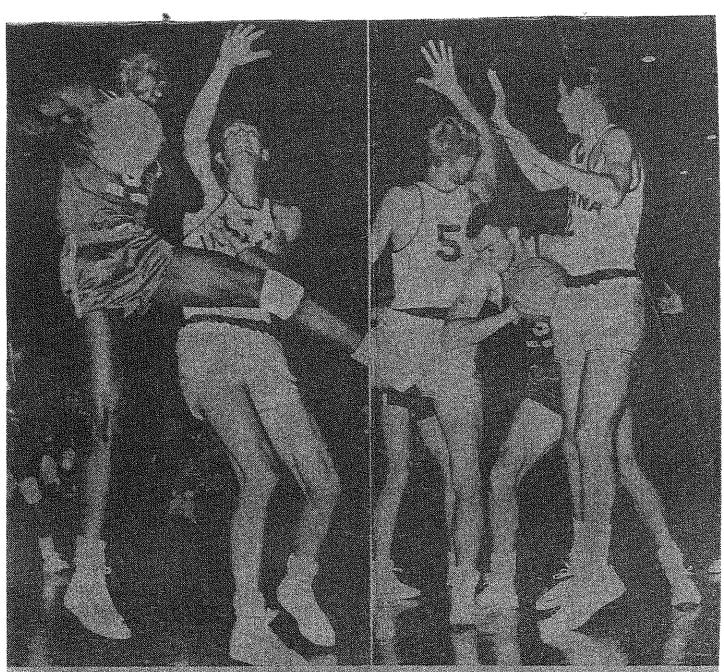
Larry Conley of Ashland sparked the session at Masome Homegym Monday night, hitting eight of 12 field-goal attempts and grabbing seven rebounds, Hazard's Mickey Gibson and Glasgow Bunche's Charles Hunter tied him on

Local prep players provided theopposition.

The team will play the in-diana All Stars in a benefit game for the blind in Freedom Hall Saturday night, and stage a second match at Indianapolis June 23.

Meanwhile, it was reported that Mike Silliman of Louisville St. Xavier, the 6-foot-5 star of the stellar team, may return from West Point in time for tonight's practice. He has been taking entrance examinations and was not expected back until Wednesday.

#14 - Hunter Battles Kron



ALL-STARS BATTLE — Action was hot and heavy at Butler Fieldhouse last night as all-star teams from Indiana and Kentucky clashed in The Star's annual game for the blind. On the left Kentucky's Charles Hunter leaps high to take a rebound away from the

Hoosiers' Tom Kron, Foiled in an attempt to drive through two Indiana cagers (right) is Kentucky's Mick Gibson, Blocking his path are Kron (5) and Garv Grieger (2). (Star Photos by Ed Lacey Jr. and P Daugherty)

#15 - KY's Charles Hunter vs Ind's Jim Ligon



#16 - Charlie Hunter Night

Charlie Hunter Night' Benefit Fine Cager

Merchants Sponsoring Game For College-Bound Hunter

The baskerball season is over and most coung high school boys who participated in the sport, can rest now and forger their worries.

For some of them, the pro-olems and swirrles are hist beginning. Facing these pro-filems are the best boys, the case in twenty, the cream of

the crop. One of these is Charlie Butter, Glasgov Butche center-forward-quard, 6-5, 146 oxunds, and probably the best individual basketball player ever to play for a Glasgow

This city has produced some fine address and some great basketball players but the experts who are supposed to know say that note can match "big Charlie."
"Big Charlie." (the name was pursed on lumby some ran

or sportswriter and has stuck or shortswriter and has stuck with him) does everything and does it well. Not only can be knowned the backboards including dunking the ball with ease, he can hit consistently on incredibly long jump shots, he is a natural, he is great, he could be a future "All American", are some of the bings said about lim.

things said show birn.

The problems which Charlie and the few like him face, is mat everybody waits them, Crillege scouts and coarbes, waving all kinds of contracts and offers and singing the praises of their schools, are flocking to birn, offering him tryouts, plane tickets, and anything eless that might make him want to try their school.

nin want to try their school. Hunter has had offers from and at least two acress shore

Along the from line, really making the big pinch, are Ckla-homa Chy, Bradley, Evans-ville, Union, Campbellsville, Kentucky State, Arkansas State, Bellarmine, Arizona and a couple of others.

Hunter, however, has narrowed his choice down to two schools. Oklahoma City and Bradley, and it looks like Oktaboma City will be his

The Oklahorna college is a the Oktaboria contege is a big school and a good one. They have offered finner a liberal contract. If he signs it and once he gets there, his warries will be over. His scholarship provides about the maximum that a school can offer a high school boy. Bradley, also a fine school, has offered him about the same

contract and he could still pick that school.

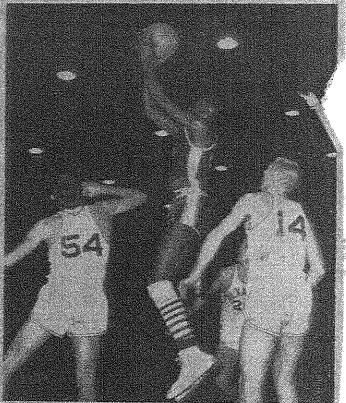
Oklahoma City has furnish-ed Hunter with a ticket on a Et airliner to come out and visit the school. He will go look it over next month,

Hunter, however, faces some problems that many other college artileles won't be confronted with, Coming from a large family with low income, Hunter has by necessity, done without many things which other boys take for

franted. One of these things is clothing, Having to share their limited income with the other members of the family, Hant-er is without the clothes and other necessities needed when

he goes to school.

Even if he worked full time he caused get the things ha



BIG CHARLIE IN ACTION

will need going away to school. incidentally, he is available for work and will gladly consider any work, after school or during the summer months.

A group of Glasgow business men who are solidly behind hig Charite and are determined to see himmakegood, are undertelding a project to get him the things he will need to go to college.

They are sponsoring "Tarbe Hunter Night" next lucsday night at Sunche

Stunter will team win Allen Maupin and four others who we've on the State Tournament Team at Bunche last year, Jerry Wells, Danny Over-street, Gene Subjett and Jerry Francis, and will oppose the Commry Squire independ-ent League All-Stars in a game of baskethall.

The gate receipts from this game, 50¢ for adults and 25¢ for students and children, will go impo a fund to bey cictues for Huner,e

eral other items.

Several other firms, as yer

not contacted, are expected to have gifts for Hunter.

It was noted that hunter cannot accept a cash gift because of his amateur standing. After checking with the State Athletic Commissioner, it was determined, however, that anyone wishing to donate cash, could do so by either making it a gift certificate or by donating the cash to the fund which will be used

to buy the clothing.
The game will begin at 8 p.m. Some of the Country Squire Stars include Bill Baxter, Morris Harlow, Jimmy Ferrell, John Elmore, Gary Oaks, and several others who are expected to join the team for this game,

Advance rickets will be sold later, the place to be announced in the Dally Times later

College Offers and Letters of Intent

University of Louisville

Oklahoma City University

University of Cincinnati

Bradley University

University of Kansas

Vanderbilt University

Arkansas A & M

Austin Peay University

Murray State University

Charles decided on Oklahoma City University, coached by Abe Lemmons. Although E.A. Diddle coach of Western Kentucky University told Abe that he had gotten the BEST player from the state of Kentucky, WKU never even gave Charles an offer. It was definitely their loss.