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## Eastern To Give Graduate Work Again After Period Of Four Years Beginning Summer Term Of 1941

Privilege Granted To Four Colleges By Vote, Sept. 7

### COMMITTEE NAMED

Beginning next summer Eastern will again offer work beyond the Baccalaureate degree. This action is the result of a vote taken on September 7 by the Council on Public Higher Education, thereby granting the four teachers colleges—Murray, Morehead, Western and Eastern—the privilege of offering graduate work, beginning with the summer school of 1941.

Until 1936 work of this kind had been a part of the teachers college program and it has now been deemed desirable to resume the project for a number of different reasons. One of these is that approximately 13,000 of the 17,000 teachers in Kentucky now hold the Baccalaureate degree, and the teachers colleges are, therefore, of no further use to these graduates. It has been indicated that inservice education, that is, continual supplementary training for those teachers at work in their chosen profession, is as important as pre-service education, which is education that is only preparatory to a teaching career and does not play any part in keeping the teacher posted on new developments in the educational field. The teacher training institutions were completely eliminated from giving inservice education unless permitted to grant the masters degree.

John W. Brooker, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, has appointed a committee including the deans of the four teachers colleges and the University of Kentucky and Dr. R. E. Jagers, director of Teacher Training, to work out the program. This group will meet this month and report to the Council on Public Higher Education at an early date.

No attempts will be made to compete with the work at the University of Kentucky, inasmuch as the plan here and at the sister institutions will deal with the field of education exclusively, while the program at the university will continue to be varied. The teachers colleges have no desire to become universities, but it is expected that this policy will permit hundreds of present active school teachers to obtain the master degree who never would have taken it.

## Homecoming Dance Set This Year For October 5

The Homecoming dance this year will be held the evening of October 5. It will be the first dance of the year, and as such will be looked forward to with great anticipation.

This will be the first Homecoming dance that has ever been held in the new Student Union building. A large number of alumni are expected back at Eastern to attend the football game with Northern Illinois State Teachers and the Homecoming dance, in spite of the fact that Homecoming has been set for such an early date this year.

A committee is working on the arrangements for the dance and although an orchestra has not yet been selected, there is no doubt that it will be a good one. The dance is sponsored by the Social Committee of the college, headed by Mrs. Emma Y. Case, and is always one of the high spots in the social year.

## Progress Presents Freshmen Alumni Issue Of Paper

It has become the custom of the Progress to publish a special paper for Homecoming, but there will be no issue of the Progress the weekend of October 5. The very early date set for Homecoming this year, its near coincidence with freshmen week, and the importance of the Central Kentucky Education Association which meets on the campus of Eastern on October 1, have made the publication of a Homecoming issue impossible.

In order to be of the greatest benefit to the freshmen and the greatest timely interest to the other students, it was decided that this paper should be published as soon as possible. It was for this reason that so many students returned to the campus one week early to assist in the publication of the first issue.

We trust that the Alumni will not feel that this is an intentional oversight. We are including as much of the Alumni news and information about Homecoming as was obtainable at the time of publication. The benefit that this issue will be to the Alumni in informing them about Homecoming should more than make up for the lack of a paper on Homecoming Day.

## Four New Members Added to Faculty For College Year

Business Staff And R. O. T. C. Have Additions

### LIBRARY ASSISTANT

The Eastern faculty has been increased by four new members in addition to the new appointments to the college business staff, the library staff, and the R. O. T. C. staff.

Harold Francis Hager, new assistant professor of English and speech, received his B. S. and his master's degree from the University of Wisconsin. He received his Ph.D. degree from that institution this summer. Jack Allen, assistant professor of history, was graduated from Eastern in the class of 1936 and took his M. A. and Ph.D. from Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee.

Miss Evelyn Slater, who was appointed a professor of home economics, was at one time a member of the faculty at Eastern. She has been teaching at Murray State Teachers College and the University of Montana since then. She is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and has her master's degree from Columbia University.

T. Harold Glover, appointed assistant professor of science, is a graduate of Greenville College, Illinois, and has his master's degree from the University of Michigan. He received his Ph.D. from Peabody College, Nashville.

Miss Katherine Evans, who was appointed supervisor of the rural demonstration school, was graduated from Eastern last spring and did graduate work at Peabody this summer.

New appointments to the business staff of the college are Miss Ruth Flannery, stenographer in the Registrar's office; Miss Anna Meade Graham, business office; and Miss Virginia Stith, dean's office.

Miss Ida Greenleaf, new assistant librarian, is a graduate of the University of Kentucky and has her degree in Library Science from Peabody.

The R.O.T.C. staff has two new members. They are First Lieutenant William Clifford Reeves and First Lieutenant Earl Thomas Noble.

## Y Organizations Provide Program For New Freshmen

Longest Program Of Orientation In Campus History

### AMATEUR HOUR

The freshmen of Eastern State Teachers College have had, during the past week, the longest session of orientation ever attempted at this institution. Reports from faculty members, upperclassmen and the freshmen themselves suggest that it has also been the most successful orientation. Much of the credit goes to the Y. W. C. A. and the Y. M. C. A. and their presidents, Mildred Gortney and Elmore Kyle.

The campus organizations of the Y in their joint efforts were responsible for three programs, a progressive party, an amateur show, and an afternoon tea. Besides sponsoring these affairs their members took an active part in every social program of Freshman Week. Each freshman girl was assigned a "big sister," an upperclass member of the Y. W. C. A. These girls visited with and counseled the freshmen during their first week. The "big sisters" will be around and willing to help for the rest of the semester.

On Tuesday evening, September 17, a progressive party was given in the new Student Union building. These groups progressed at half-hour intervals to a stage show in the Little Theater, organized games in the Recreation room and refreshments in the Blue Room.

The amateur show on Thursday evening disclosed very exceptional talent in the freshman class. Jim Squires master of ceremonies, awarded the prizes of three, two and one dollars to Jack Loper, tenor from Covington; Sadie Jones, Frankfort, who gave a reading, and Ann Scott Maher, soprano from Maysville, respectively.

Miss Mary Frances McKinney, sponsor of the Y. W. C. A., was hostess to a delightful tea at her home on Sunday afternoon.

## Band Sponsor



Miss Theda Dunavent, junior from Harlan, has been chosen band sponsor for the coming year. She was chosen from several contestants by the members of the college band.

## L. T. C. To Hold Tryouts For Cast Of Wilder Play

Club Membership To Be Determined At The Same Time

### HAGER TO DIRECT

The Little Theater Club will sponsor tryouts all this week for the play, *Our Town*, which they plan to give in the near future.

*Our Town*, a play by the writer, Thornton Wilder, has enjoyed a success as a stage play and as a movie. The selection was made by the director of the club and the office.

Tryouts will be held in the Hiram Brock auditorium on Thursday and Friday afternoons from 4 to 6 o'clock and on Thursday and Friday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock. The final tryouts will be held on Saturday morning from 10 to 12 o'clock.

At these same hours the tryouts for membership in the Little Theater Club will be held. The cast of the play will be chosen from upperclassmen, but the freshmen will be eligible for membership in the club. They will be cast in one-act plays later.

The Little Theater Club is under the direction of Dr. Lawrence Hager of the English department.

## First Pep Meeting To Be Held Tonight In Amphitheater

Freshmen To Share Homecoming Week

### MUST WEAR CAPS

Kyma, pep club on Eastern's campus, has announced that the first pep meeting of the year will be held tonight at 6:30 o'clock in the amphitheater. It is necessary that all freshmen attend and take the seats at front center. All students are urged to be there in order to build up plenty of pep in anticipation of the first home game of the year with Arkansas A. & M. tomorrow at Hanger Stadium.

Plans are being made for freshmen participation during Homecoming Week. At present very little is ready for print but the report will be given soon. It has been decided that:

1. All freshmen must have and wear freshmen caps.
2. Freshmen caps will be worn until the Morehead game. Should Morehead luck out and beat Eastern, all caps will be worn until Thanksgiving.
3. All freshmen must attend all home games and must sit in the center section in front of the press box.

## Eastern Receives Improvements During Summer

Science Building Secures Complete Redecoration

### NEW DORM ADDITION

Eastern has been a very busy place this summer, what with all the conferences that have been meeting here and all the campus improvements that have been in progress.

Improvements on the campus include the renovation of Roark building, the addition to Burnam Hall, and the improvements in the Weaver Health building.

Roark building, the headquarters of Eastern's science department, has been thoroughly renovated by the college maintenance staff and the Industrial Arts department. Mr. Ault and his staff did the redecoration, which included sanding and refinishing the floors, cleaning and repairing the furniture, and completely refinishing the interior of the building. The building has also been entirely rewired and new lighting fixtures installed.

Dr. La Fuse and Dr. Rumbold have received new offices, along with Dr. Glover, a newcomer, in the biology department. The old offices were converted into storerooms. A new laboratory was equipped for the advanced students in chemistry. The students in Manual Arts classes, under the direction of Mr. Whalen, constructed the furniture for the laboratories.

The addition to Burnam Hall, which included rooms for 100 girls, is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready for complete occupancy this week. It is almost unbelievable that rooms of such comfort and beauty could be produced from the old cafeteria and kitchen of Burnam Hall.

Improvements in the Health department included the sanding and refinishing of the gym floor.

## Catlett and Keene Welcome Students in Chapel Program

In the first chapel program of the year Wednesday morning, the students were welcomed back to school by a representative from the student body and a representative from the faculty.

Miss Ruth Catlett, senior from Lawrenceburg, Kentucky, represented the students and Mr. W. L. Keene, assistant professor of English, greeted the students as the faculty representative. Both speakers stressed the fact that this year's work was more important to the individual student than ever before, in the view of world conditions and the possible bearing of such conditions on the future of all the students.

Dr. H. L. Donovan, president, introduced the new members of the faculty to the assembly, and presented Dr. P. M. Grise and Dr. John R. Kinzer, members of the faculty, who have received their doctor's degree during the past summer.

## Arkansas A. & M. First Home Game On Tough Maroon Schedule To Be Played Here Tomorrow

## R.O.T.C. Graduates Are Commissioned Upon Graduation

Nine Graduates Enter Army In Active Service

### ONE AT STEARNS

The following graduates of R. O. T. C. at Eastern were commissioned as second lieutenants of Field Artillery on May 31, 1940. Their whereabouts are as follows:

Richard Lee Brown, attending the Air School as a flying cadet.

Frank Donovan Cooper, on active duty with Battery C, 68th Field Artillery. At present attending the battery officers course at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Edward Patrick Downing, on active duty for one year with the 21st Field Artillery, at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Will go to Fort Custer, Mich., later.

William Elicana Adams, on active duty for one year with the 19th Field Artillery, at Fort Knox, Kentucky. Will later go to Fort Custer, Michigan.

James Thomas Hennessey, was with Boy Scout Camp in southern Kentucky all summer. Whereabouts at present time, Asst. Scout Executive for Bluegrass Area, at Stearns, Ky.

Raymond Joseph Huck, was on active duty with Headquarters Battery, 138th Field Artillery at the Second Army Maneuvers at Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. Present whereabouts unknown.

Albert Lee McCarthy, was on active duty with Battery C, 138th Field Artillery same time and place as Huck.

John Owen Suter, is on active duty with the 21st Field Artillery for one year at Fort Knox, Kentucky, to be in Fort Custer, Mich., later.

Elbert Coleman Whitaker, expects to enter Medical College this fall.

Frank Hurst Wilcox, same duty and places as Suter.

Virgil William Taylor, on active duty with Battery B, 138th Field Artillery, same time and place as McCarthy.

## Home Management House Site Change From School Farm

College Purchases Former Link House For Permanent Use

### ON SECOND STREET

A new home management house has been added to the equipment for the Home Economics department. The building, located at the edge of the campus on Second street, was purchased from Major Link early this summer.

Eastern's maintenance staff is redecorating and remodeling the place and will, in the near future, have it ready for Home Ec students. The decorations (wallpaper, color schemes, etc.) were selected by Miss Dix's interior decoration class this summer. The kitchen is to be completely modernized with built-in cupboards and the most modern electrical conveniences. The Manual Arts department, under the direction of Mr. Whalin, is constructing the cupboards and some of the furniture.

Each nine weeks, six girls who are majoring in Home Economics move into the house and manage it as they would an ordinary home. The girls plan their own meals, laundry, market, clean house and entertain guests. Since the girls must do their own marketing in person, the new home management house is much more conveniently located than was the old, which was on the school farm. Miss Dix, head of the Home Economics department, lives in the house and serves as Resident Supervisor.

## Eastern Student Honored in 1940 Poetic Anthology

Miss Clare A. Sisson, former Eastern student, has recently been honored by having one of her poems published in the poetic anthology, *Poetic Voices of America*. Miss Sisson is a resident of Warsaw, Ky.

This is the second Eastern student who has been honored in this manner during the last two years. Two poems of Miss Carmel Leon Jett's appeared in the anthology, *Important American Poets*, last year. Miss Jett was a graduate of Eastern in the class of 1938.

## Eastern To Send 16 Lettermen To Gridiron

### SECOND GAME

By GUY HATFIELD

Eastern plays its first home game with Arkansas A. & M. on Saturday afternoon. The Aggies bring with them a record of color and dazzling plays. They pass almost every time they get their hands on the pigskin. The boys from Monticello, Ark., are coached by Stewart Robinson and captained by Stanley Cheshier.

The Arkansas team, one of the many from that section of the nation which believes that the best offense is the best defense, features a dazzling passing attack, which is worked from six different formations and comes from twenty-five different plays. They spread out over the field and do almost everything but what you would expect. Bob Maskell, who hails from Monticello, is a standout on the Aggies defense. He smashes through with lightning-like speed to smear many of the opponents' pet plays.

Along with Maskell, Carlton Spears, Boyd Arnold, Sam Bateman, Jim Robinson and Wilfred Whalen are well known for their outstanding play.

Advance information makes known the fact that Arkansas will resort to all types of tricks which include a nine-man offensive line. They often design their own plays in the huddle. The quarterback plays any place he wants to and calls any play he likes from any formation. They kick from a spread across the field and they'll try any play in competition which a player works out.

Eastern will send on the field probably the best team it has ever produced. The squad is composed of sixteen letter winners and nine sophomores.

Quoting from Coach Rankin, "This years team shows more enthusiasm and spirit than we have ever had. The team is lighter than last year, but it is the best blocking team I have ever coached."

The starting lineup will be: Scheuster and Gordon at ends; Tussey and Fred Darling at tackles; Yinger at center; Combs at quarterback; Smith and Thurman at halfbacks, and Bill Cross at fullback. The officials for this game are Gale Mohney, referee, Kentucky; William Hickey, umpire, Kentucky, and Blue Foster, head linesman, Illinois.

## Progress Editors Name Dickerson Business Manager

Mr. Dick Dickerson, junior from Prestonsburg, Kentucky, has been named business manager of the Eastern Progress, school publication, by the co-editors, Ruth Catlett and Jim Squires.

Mr. Dickerson is a commerce major, and he has taken an active part in campus activities. He is a member of Sigma Tau Pi, honorary commerce fraternity, and held a place on the Student Relationship Council in 1938. He was president of the Big Sandy Club last year, and is a member of the Y. M. C. A. cabinet.

The new business manager takes the place of Mr. Bud Petty, the business manager of last year, who resigned to work in the sports department.

## Regular Staff Edits First Issue Of 1940 Progress

This first issue of the paper was prepared entirely by the members of the Progress staff who returned to school one week early. Several of the members of the staff of last year were lost by graduation, and others of the reportorial staff did not return to school in time to contribute to this issue.

The staff that edited this issue was composed of Ruth Catlett and Jim Squires, co-editors; Paul Brandes, managing editor; Natalie Murray, new editor; Guy Hatfield, sports editor; Susan Biesack, feature editor; Marguerite Rivard, society editor, and a reportorial staff of Nora Mason, Jean Zagore, Billy Farris, and Ora Tussey. Mr. Dick Dickerson of Prestonsburg has been named business manager of the Progress this year.

The next issue of the Progress will be the issue in which the new students will be given tryouts. Anyone who is interested in newspaper work of any kind is cordially invited to attend the meeting of the Progress staff next Monday afternoon, Sept. 30, at 4 o'clock. The meeting will be held in the Progress offices in the Student Union Building. Previous experience on a newspaper is not necessary.

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Four years hence you Freshmen who are starting in Eastern this fall will look back upon this first month with many memories.

No Freshman will forget the whirl and swirl of so many activities in such rapid fire fashion during the first week.

By this time all Freshmen should have grown accustomed to the swing of college life.

The Progress staff, speaking for the faculty, all the administration, and all other students extends to all Freshmen a most hearty welcome.

And in the words of a well known song—"If you're ever in a jam, here we am."

THIS IS OUR PART

We who are young are keenly aware of the headline news today. No longer is it necessary to make pleas for the nation's youth to keep in touch with the march of time.

Because of the bearing which it has on their immediate future, youth is avidly interested in the progress of the Burke-Wadsworth conscription bill.

While the debate over the bill raged on congressional floors, it was certainly our right to oppose the principle of the conscription act as 'tyrannical,' 'dictatorial,' and 'unnecessary.'

The Rebel Yell

By SPEED FINNERAN

FIRST IMPRESSIONS

School daze! School daze! Registration, fees, schedule cards, fees, Freshmen, fees, handbooks, fees and last, but not least, fees.

Upperclassmen, in general, attired in scowls and snooty expressions remarking: "Did we act like that?"

the hardest when you are sliding down.

BITS AND BITES

The senior practice-teacher who has already announced his intention of keeping all the blonde high school girls in his class after school at least twice a week.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

(Private news releases from Special Agent X19 Hickman indicate that): "Since the new contingent has moved in on our campus they have, as usual, made many impressions on our intellectually elevated upperclassmen."

is passed. But in this day of tottering nations and shaky institutions, bitter opposition to an act that so clearly is the choice of those who act for us in Washington seems slightly out of tune.

Universal service does not necessarily mean that it is an instrument of dictatorship. It can serve democracy and freedom just as readily.

There will be a lot of talk about universal service being the end of personal freedom. Many have already said that this is the first step to a dictatorship.

Let us have faith in the acts of our government. Let us furnish support if we can, careful consideration if we cannot furnish support.

It is a small thing that we can do. We have our work as college students to occupy our minds and our hands this year.

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TO OUR ALUMNI

When we enter any institution, we walk into a heritage. The length of time an institution stands is important only in the quantity of tradition that is collected.

It is too often the lamentable fact that succeeding generations forget the debt of gratitude they owe the preceding one.

So we welcome you to the campus, our Alumni. You will always have a very special place in the school calendar, and your welcome will always be assured on Eastern's campus.

little bundles of pulchritude, and we even have the word of one well known athlete whose initials are P. G. Darling, that avoiding said Loreles is harder on one than a scrimmage session.

UNQUOTABLE QUOTES

Remarkable remark of the week (overheard at the Faculty Freshman Reception): "You surely couldn't be a teacher, you're too pretty!"

WEATHER FORECASTS

Fair and warmer: Thanksgiving Holidays. Hot and continued heat: Social Committee decisions regarding school dances.

EXPERT WATCH REPAIRING

Next Door Post Office
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Freshman Class Best Class Yet Says Reporter

By PAUL BRANDES

Orchids to this year's freshman class. That's the general opinion among both the faculty and the upperclassmen. Perhaps it's the weather or maybe Yhudie did it, but anyway, it's the whole truth.

Announcements: Fox DeMoisey is recovering rapidly at Louisville and hopes to return in February.

Progress To Give Roommate I. Q. Test In Next Issue

By NATALIE MURRAY

Is your roommate housebroken or only slightly bent? All too often a question like will bring forth an emphatic "No!"

You avidly fill out quizzes in magazines and firmly believe in the personal examinations, have probably searched in vain for a roommate eligibility quiz.

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**Society**  
Mr. and Mrs. William Oliver Hendren announce the marriage of their daughter, Willanna, to Mr. Benjamin Harrison Tuttle, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harris Tuttle, Sr., of Winchester, Kentucky. The wedding took place at three o'clock on Saturday afternoon, August 3, at Kirksville.  
Miss Dorothy Dorris, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Dorris of Richmond, will be married to Lieutenant Frank Hurst Wilcox, Jr., of Newport, Kentucky, on Saturday afternoon, September 28, at five o'clock.  
A pretty home wedding was that of Miss Geraldine Allen, Prestonsburg, and Mr. James Davis Tolbert, Paris, which was

solemnized at 2 o'clock p. m., Saturday, September 14, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Allen, in Prestonsburg. The bride is a graduate of Eastern in the class of 1938 and has since been teaching in the Prestonsburg High School.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Angel of Williamsburg announce the marriage of their daughter, Gertrude, to Mr. Arthur Dale of Williamsburg. The wedding took place on July 20.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Amos Fields announce the marriage of their daughter, Lois Annette, to Mr. James Lewis McCauley. The wedding took place on Wednesday, September 18, at Cynthiana.  
Miss Helen Schorle of Newport, Kentucky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schorle, was married to Mr. Irvin Walter Sandford, Jr., on Saturday, September 14. The bride was graduated from Eastern in the class of 1939.  
Miss Ethel Blanton, who has been spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Harry Blanton, has returned to Margaret Hall, Versailles, Kentucky, where she will begin her junior year.  
Complete line of Carol King dresses, sizes 9 to 17 in velveteens, light wools and crepes. The Louise Shop.  
Printress Coats at The Louise Shop.

**A Luv Storie**  
By EDGAR KIPLING DICKENS  
Once upon a time there were many beautiful bright eyed Freshie girls, handsome white teethed Freshie boys, intelligent (???) lookin' upperclassmen and calm conservative (???) upperclasswomen. These all abounded one fall in 1940 on the campus at Eastern.  
Now on this campus there were many beautiful spots where romance couldn't help abounding. So one day beautiful, bright eyes looked real pretty-like at intelligent lookin'—and as all good stories go, intelligent lookin' fell. Poor handsome, white teethed stood back, bewildered, waiting until the thrill of intelligent wore off. Far back someplace very calmly sat calm conservative.  
But one winter day in November intelligent lookin' espied calm conservative, dropped beautiful bright eyes who decided she would be much happier with handsome white teethed. And like all good stories end, they all lived happily ever after.

**The Sporting Thing**  
By GUY HATFIELD  
On October 5, Eastern will welcome on its campus graduates of Eastern, former students of Eastern, visitors, and the Northern Illinois State Teachers College football team. The Huskies, coached by George G. Evans, are making their first visit on Eastern's campus. Two years ago the boys from DeKalb, Ill., won the Little Nineteen Championship. During the season they won five, lost two, and tied one.  
Advance information on this team does not state their present strength, but their record of 1939 gives the impression they are an outstanding team.  
Let's all turn out to give the "Cardinal and Black" team from Illinois a rousing welcome and cheer the "Big Red" on to another victory.

Welcome, Freshmen  
We welcome you to Eastern, its beauty, its advantages, and into its spirit. The past four years are probably looked back on with pleasure and with a feeling of loyalty to your high school. You are now at Eastern. Bring that loyalty with you. Stick with the team, support it, watch it play, and be proud of YOUR MA-ROONS.  
Don't go home on weekends to see your high school team play, but come on over to the stadium and back up the boys. You'll see a far better brand of football, a fine group of players, and the best coach in Dixie.  
The Arkansas Aggies will bring something new to our stadium. A genuine razzle-dazzle team from the south. Their type of play is nothing less than a three-bell movie.  
If you don't have anything on your mind Saturday afternoon during the Aggie-Maroon game take a nice long glance at the Bert Smith-Spider Thurman combination.  
I would like to suggest a creed for all sportsmen:  
**MY CREED**  
Dear God, help me to win  
But, if in Thy Infinite Wisdom  
Thou wilt me not to win,  
Then, Lord, make me a good loser.

**Eastern The Seat  
Of Many Events  
During Summer**  
This summer, Eastern not only carried on its regular hot weather term and entertained two workshops but also was the scene of not less than six special events of wide significance. To begin with, D. Albert Edward Wiggam, noted author and lecturer, gave five lectures on the interpretation of the human sciences. Miss Cora Lee, in charge of the reading clinic on the campus, was in charge of the third annual Conference on Reading Problems for Kentucky teachers. The second annual Rural Education Conference with Dr. D. T. Ferrell as its leader, used "What Public Schools Can Do to Improve the Quality of Rural Life" as its theme. Harry Elmer Barnes, author of thirty to forty volumes and affiliated with the Scripps-Howard newspaper chain, gave his series of lectures on current affairs which are always stimulating and thought provoking.  
Besides all this, educational tours, under the guidance of Dr. L. G. Kennamer, were taken to Mammoth Cave, Cumberland Falls, southeastern Kentucky and the Bluegrass. Mr. Lee Kirkpatrick of Paris, Kentucky, and Mr. Cotton Noe, poet laureate of Kentucky, were among the distinguished visitors to our campus during the summer.  
So, all in all, it can be considered both a profitable and interesting summer.

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### Maroons Defeat Illinois State By Score, 20-0

#### Thurman Leads Scoring Attack On Redbirds

#### CONFERENCE CHAMP

The Eastern Kentucky Maroons opened their season September 21 in one of the first inter-sectional games of the season at Bloomington, Illinois, against the Illinois State Normal Red Birds, Illinois Intercollegiate Athletic Conference champs of last year.

It was anything but football weather, the thermometer hovering around 100-110 during the afternoon. Condition, together with that "getting the job done" spirit of Coach Rankin, played an important part in the 20-0 victory for the Maroons.

Eastern kicked off to Normal and the ball was downed on the Illinois 35-yard stripe. After failing to gain on three straight running plays, the Red Birds punted to Bert Smith who returned it to midfield. Thurman gained a first down on the first offensive play of the game for the Maroons. Bert Smith on an end sweep made 8 yards, but was injured and had to be removed from the game. The next play, one of the most spectacular of the game, was a beautiful pass from Thurman to Scheuster, who took it on the 10-yard line and went over to score. Scheuster's placement was wide.

The heat was beginning to tell on both teams but the Maroons continued their hard running and blocking and late in the first quarter another pass from Thurman to Scheuster netted a touchdown and this time Scheuster kicked the extra point.

About the middle of the second quarter, Ordich, fullback, went over to score on two successive plays around left end. Joe Bill Siphers kicked the extra point and Eastern led 20 to 0.

In the second half both teams seemed to show the effect of the

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heat and no scoring was done. Bill Cross, Maroon back, suffered an injured rib in the third quarter and in fourth quarter Ted Benedict, sophomore fullback, was removed from the game with an injured forearm.

The Illinois team started an offensive drive of about 50 yards but the game ended before any scoring could be done.

"Spider" Thurman was the outstanding player of either team and Benedict, Ordich and Siphers of the Maroon backfield showed up well. Of the Maroon linemen, Darling, Perry, Scheuster and Gordon looked good.

Schreiber and Covill stood out in the Red Birds' backfield while Hammonds and Gaffney played well in the line.

#### P. E. Flashes

By ORA TUSSEY

Some may be interested in knowing what our athletes do during the summer months. Most of them have jobs except those who attend summer school.

George Ordich, fullback, worked for the Crucible Steel Co. of Midland, Pa.

Ber Rasnick, end, Inland Steel Co. at Wheelwright, Ky.

Harold Yinger, center, County Engineering Dept., Jackson, O.

Charles Schuster, end, lifeguard on Lake Michigan, Chicago, Ill.

This is just a few but it gives a brief idea of the types of jobs the boys perform during their vacation period. Travis Combs and Wyatt "Spider" Thurman spent part of the summer in school and the rest working for the Educational Conference held on the campus.

A great feature of this year's football squad is the spirit and enthusiasm shown on the practice field. Coach Rankin believes in "getting the job done" which is a great asset in the success of his athletic teams. While on the subject of Coach Rankin we could mention that he has acquired a set of "uppers" during the past summer and it really improves the "Million dollar Smile."

Eastern football fans will see and hear a lot about "Chuck" Schuster, All K. I. A. C. end, this coming football season. "Chuck" was 3rd high scorer in the state last year and did not miss a single pass all season.

The Eastern Maroons started a beard-growing epidemic during early football practice but after the first week decided to shave. Maybe the entrance of the "cute" freshmen had something to do with it.

Football at Eastern would not be complete without Rex, the mascot. At each practice he can be found on the practice field and in between times at the stadium with the boys.

Highlights: "Public Opinion," a radio program broadcast from the streets of Bloomington, Ill., each week day at 11:30 a. m., had as guests of honor: "Whizzer White, Kenneth Perry, Al Dressman, and Harold Yinger. The destiny of a nation hung in balance for a quarter of an hour as these athletes gave their opinions of: "Conscription" and the "Third Term."

Coach Rankin was guest of honor at a radio broadcast at 6:40 p. m. Friday, the day before the game. Also on the program was Coach Hancock of the I. S. U. team. You can bet no offensive secrets were revealed during the broadcast.

When the Maroons came upon the field before the game, one person remarked, "Look, the moonshiners from Kentucky actually have shoes on." And after the game the same person stated, "I suppose you fellows had to wear shoes to keep the score down."

The Bloomington daily paper stated: "The spirit and sportsmanship of the Eastern Maroons, together with the Morale and Character of the entire party, has

earned them a home in Bloomington, Ill."

This year Eastern has one of its best groups of freshmen athletes and I hope to have their complete personnel by the next edition.

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