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FROM THE EDITOR'S PEN

The Progress Staff wishes to join with the faculty, the administrative staff and the upperclassmen, in extending a most cordial welcome to the newcomers on our campus.

We sincerely wish to express our deep appreciation to President O'Donnell and the administration upon the recent installation of the lights at Hanger Stadium.

The student body showed much interest in the membership drive of the Community Concert Association which was conducted last week.

The great success of the drive certainly does prove that we reside in a center of real culture.

SCRIBBLES

By C. G.

Under what form of government anywhere else in all the world, or at what time, has the average man had a better chance or been so well off as in the United States of America?

And yet, there are communistic forces in this country who are trying to squeeze their way into our form of government by stirring up hatred between management and labor and by trying to paralyze our industrial and social economy.

It is perfectly normal that men should desire to improve their lot. It is also true that in our country there is inequality in the distribution of income and wealth.

Under our Constitution and form of government men stand equal before the law. This does not mean they shall share in an equal division of the country's wealth, but it means that they shall have all the opportunity in the world to make their wealth.

Our "democracy" is a constitutional form of government with the power in our governing body, elected by the people, to make and enforce the law not in conflict with our Constitution.

It is time for the American people to ferret out any agent of a communistic form of government. These agents are all over the country, in all walks of life, trying hard—in any way, shape, fashion, or form—to undermine our welfare with the ultimate purpose of substituting a communistic form for our constitutional form of government.

A communistic form of government is against everything that America stands for—individual freedom, and protection for one's family, home, property, and self.

Under most other forms of government men live under the power and will of other men. Under ours they live under law, and our laws and government are with the people's consent.

Can't the American people generate enough hatred—enough by which any means can be applied to stop this force that can lead to our ultimate slavery?

HOMECOMING NEXT WEEK

EASTERN AUDITORIUM OCTOBER SCREEN ATTRACTIONS

Show Starts at 7:00 P. M. Box Office Opens at 6:30 P. M.

NEWS WITH EVERY SHOW

October 24 and 25 Western CHEYENNE

A mighty adventure of America's toughest town, rampant with violence and sin. DENNIS MORGAN, JANE WYMAN, JANIS FAIGE and BRUCE BENNETT. Also CHOO CHOO AMIGO, color cartoon.

October 26 (Special Sunday Only) 2:00 p. m. Musical-Drama

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October 28 Drama

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October 31, November 1 Comedy

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Admission Prices: Adults—25c — Children under 12—14c (Including Tax)

Veterans News

The Louisville office of the Veterans Administration states that veterans who re-entered at Eastern and those who entered with their letters of eligibility would receive their subsistence checks by November 1, it was stated today by M. E. Mattox.

Veterans who enrolled without their letters of eligibility will not be placed on the pay roll at the Louisville office until their letters of eligibility have been endorsed to that office.

Veterans who receive statements of overpayment may ask that the overpayment be deducted from their subsistence checks while they are attending this institution.

There has been a great deal of confusion about leave pay for the past summer. The finance officer states that the difference in handling this was due to the processing in the Louisville office.

All veterans who marry after getting their letters of eligibility must notify the Veterans Administration by filling out the appropriate forms in addition to getting a county court clerk record of their marriage to be sent to the Louisville office.

Mr. Rose of the Veterans Administration will be on the campus each Monday. Students desiring to see Mr. Rose will find him in Room 202 in the Student Union Building.

Club Notes

VETERANS CLUB

The Veterans Club, boasting the largest organization on the campus with over 400 active members, recently held its first meeting of the fall quarter.

Bert Baker, on taking over the task of president, had the following to say: "Most students on the campus think this is strictly a social club, but that is wrong."

The club has already made plans for the future by the organization of an intramural sports program and by arranging for a smoker and for dances throughout the winter season.

PERRY COUNTY

The social life of Eastern is rapidly coming to life for the fall quarter. An indication of this was shown at the recent meeting of the Perry County Club at which time officers were elected and committees were appointed.

PULASKI COUNTY

Proving themselves to be one of the more active campus organizations, the Pulaski County Club has moved to give a shot in the arm to Eastern's social life by sponsoring a formal dance in Walnut Hall the night of November 14.

CORBIN CLUB

The Corbin Club, composed of students from Corbin and the tri-county area, recently held its first meeting at which the following officers were elected: Bobby Coleman, president; J. C. Thompson, vice president; Jerry Bryant, secretary; and Rollie Carr, treasurer.

Campus Personalities

By KATHERINE SIZEMORE

Now that schedules are straightened out and everything has settled down to normal routine, we again have time to look around and wonder who's who among our fellow students.

So we would like you fellows to meet Ruby Owens from Greensburg. She is 5' 6", has brown hair and blue eyes. Ruby is 21 and a senior.

Ruby prefers brunette men and is wild about Robert (Oh, that Man!) Sterling.

Different than most girls, Ruby has three favorite sports, basketball, swimming and tennis.

You girls are probably wondering who that cute red-haired fellow, who sits next to you in Government class is.

His favorite sport is football and is crazy about dancing.

On the musical side, John likes Tommy Dorsey, and his favorite song is "Detour," which he especially likes to sing in chow line.

Fried chicken and brunettes are his weakness. His pet hates are being on time and getting up in the mornings, which only goes to prove that John is an all-around guy and one that we are glad to have on the campus.

Here's hoping that John's list of friends will always be as long as it is now.

Church Activities

"Come on, get out of that bed— you lazy roommate. Let's have a little will power and go to church."

Yes, we have been "reviving" again as the Rev. E. N. Wilkinson recently conducted a revival at the First Baptist Church.

The church served doughnuts and coffee daily. Mrs. Robert Seever, assistant professor of music at Eastern, was in charge of the music during the 10-day meeting.

An enjoyable time was had by all of the council members who went on Mr. Maurice Canfield's boat ride. It was the first time on a house-boat for most of us.

Plans are now being made to charter a bus for the college students to attend the state B. S. U. convention which is to meet at Murray on the weekend of Oct. 30.

Tomorrow night, Oct. 25, the freshmen will have an opportunity for a dress rehearsal in preparation of the annual observance of Hell Week.

The Westminster Fellowship of the First Presbyterian Church entertained with an outing and picnic supper Sunday, Oct. 12, at East Pinnacle.

A Word From The Y's

The Y's have recently been engaged in a campus-wide membership drive. The prospective members were contacted by a room-to-room canvass and by booths in the S. U. B. and the dormitories.

The Y. M. C. A. will meet once a month this year. The Y. W. C. A. cabinet will meet on the first and third Wednesdays for a dinner meeting.

MAROONED

with ED CARTER

The fickle finger of fate has forced the catastrophe known as Marooned upon the unsuspecting student body.

Now for the funny stuff. Class Elections. (No comment.) The new long skirts have caused the boys to look at their teachers for the first time in years.

Confidential sources say that the Guardsmen Quartette will actually be on the Board of Regents in disguise.

KALEIDOSCOPE: The empty wastecans in the Rec room and the mountain of debris on the floor... Those l-o-n-g cafeteria lines... Chapel announcements—The Little Men's Chowder and Marching Club will meet in the Blue Room...

On Class Elections

By TWENTY FRESHMEN The purpose of this statement of student opinion is to suggest some changes in the manner of electing class officers in the future.

We are often told that one of the most important things to learn in college is how to live in a democracy. In order to learn democracy we have to practice it.

But practicing democracy is not just meeting and voting for people that we never heard of before.

Many of us here at Eastern for the first time think our sponsors were not given enough time for our first meeting, at which officers were to be elected.

Many of us didn't know what we were meeting for until we had been called together.

HOMECOMING NEXT WEEK

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# MOREHEAD IS HOME COMING FOE

## SPORT SHOTS

By PAUL DUNCAN

The new "Class A" lighting system of Hanger Stadium was a welcome sight to Eastern fans and players alike last Saturday night. The brightly lit playing field of green grass contrasted by the bright boundary lines was a sight which proved to many that Eastern now has a lighting system comparable to those in the best college stadiums in the country.

Installed by expert technicians of the Westinghouse Electric Company, the stadium has a total of 136 bulbs. Each bulb is of 1500-watt strength. According to the Westinghouse technicians, Hanger Stadium's lighting system is equal to that of Kentucky University's Stoll Field and many leading stadiums in the nation.

The large bulbs are mounted on steel poles which are manufactured to stand a wind of one hundred miles per hour. The poles on the stadium side of the field are 100 feet high while the poles on the opposite side of the field are 80 feet high.

Strangely enough, the lights were adjusted, not in the evening, but in broad daylight. In an interview with the electrical expert, your reporter learned that a better job of adjusting the lights can be accomplished in the daytime rather than at night.

For this important job the electricians used what might be called "a peepsight method." That is, each light is designated to light a certain area of the field in such a way that no shadows can exist. First of all the playing field was marked off into areas upon which markers were placed. Then "adjusters" atop the poles aims the designated light at the markers just as a gunner aims a gun.

An assistant stands on the markers on the field and checks the aim with field glasses. By this method, each light is focused at an area and no area is left in shadows.

The "Football News," a collegiate sports weekly publication, states that the crowd of 24,000 persons in attendance at the Kentucky-Georgia game two weeks ago was the largest crowd ever to see a football game in Kentucky.

Our own Maroons should, no doubt, establish new attendance records at Hanger Stadium if the weather is fair for the remaining battles with Morehead and Western.

When the Maroons play at Valparaiso University tomorrow they will play against a 220-pound "Eskimo" from Alaska.

Yes, they will be battling Bill Haas, six-foot tackle from Anchorage, Alaska.

Ted Raymond suddenly became a football expert last week in the eyes of the gridiron "parlay card" customers. It is reported that Ted picked seven teams on a parlay card on a 50-to-1 shot. When all seven teams came out on top, Raymond became the winner of a mere one hundred and fifty dollar prize.

No wonder the "investors" are seeking his advice on this week's games!

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## Fans Fly To Game

A group of four Eastern football fans traveled by aircraft from Port Richmond to Murray on Friday, Oct. 10, to attend the Eastern-Murray game.

Those who made the trip are President W. F. O'Donnell, Dr. W. J. Moore, dean of the college, Paul Jett and Ernest Woods. The trip was made in approximately two hours and fifteen minutes under the direction of Mr. Woods who was at the controls.

## EASTERN BOWS TO MURRAY

### 'Breds Trail 13-0 At Halftime

Murray State Teachers College spoiled Eastern's hopes for a win in their K-IAC opener at Murray by handing the Maroons a 21-13 setback. The game was a night battle on October 10.

The Maroons commanded a 13-0 lead at halftime. However, the Thoroughbreds came back strong in the third and fourth periods to gain their second conference win. One week earlier the 'Breds topped Morehead 18-6.

Eastern took a 6-0 lead early in the first quarter when Jack Bahlman took a 20-yard pass from Billy George to tally the first touchdown. In the second quarter the Maroons scored again after recovering a Murray fumble. Big Joe Hollingsworth carried the ball to the Murray 20-yard line. On the next play, Hammerin' Harry Sweesy tore thru the 'Breds' line for 20 yards and a Maroon score. Emmett's kick was good, giving Eastern a 13 to 0 lead.

### Murray Moves Up

Murray went ahead in the third period, 14-13, by scoring twice. Halfback Jim Humphrey took Eastern's kick on his own 20 and returned the ball to the midfield stripe. On two successive long runs Murray scored and Bob Sanders kicked the extra point.

Then, Tom Walker, Murray's all-KIAC back last year, received big Joe Hollingsworth's kick on Murray's 25-yard line and went on a 75-yard rampage to score and Sanders again kicked the extra point from placement.

Murray's final tally came late in the last quarter when Halfback Neal Hobart went over for a touchdown from the seven-yard line and Sanders kicked the placement for the final count of 21 to 13.

## EASTERN BAND IS POPULAR

### Wins Crowd Appeal At Halftime Shows

The Maroon band of Eastern, composed of 45 student musicians, has made a hit with the football crowds at Hanger Stadium this season.

Under the direction of Mr. Harold Rigby, of the music department, the band has met with the approval of the fans in their halftime exhibitions at the Marshall game and the Emory & Henry tilt last week.

The "Maroon musicmakers" are led by Drum Major Fred Kelly of Bellevue. His baton twirling assistants are Iva Lee Crum of Canton, North Carolina, and Margaret Ray Hamilton of Waco.

The members of the band and its sponsors are to be congratulated for their fine exhibitions. Keep up the good work.

## MAROONS TOP EMORY BY 34-0

### At Valparaiso, Ind., Tomorrow Evening

Eastern's Maroon gridders initiated the new lights of Hanger Stadium with a "blazing" 34 to 0 win over Emory and Henry College last Saturday night.

Despite the loss of two regulars from the lineup, Al Clark and Paul Moore, the Maroons took command of the game at the opening kickoff and completely outplayed the visitors from Virginia in running, passing and kicking.

Tomorrow night the lads of Samuels and Presnell travel to Indiana to take on the highly-touted Crusader "giants" of Valparaiso University. Then on next Saturday night, the Maroons are at home in the all-important homecoming "Old Hawg Rifle" game with Morehead State Teachers College.

### Eastern Leads Early

Against Emory and Henry last week the maroon and white took an early lead in the opening minutes of the game. Starting its offensive from the 38 after the opening kickoff, Eastern moved to the Emory & Henry seven. After a five-yard penalty, Halfback Jack Ley went 12 yards for the first



JACK LEY

score of the game. Quarterback Bill Emmett kicked the extra point to make it 7-0.

Later in the same quarter, Joe Hollingsworth crashed over for the second TD from the four-yard line. With Emmett again kicking the placement, Eastern was ahead 14-0.

At the start of the third period Eastern began a drive from the Emory & Henry 48-yard marker. On the 24-yard line, Billy George rifled a beautiful pass to Jack Bahlman for the third Eastern touchdown. Emmett converted to run the count to 21-0.

### Morrison Scores

Midway in the last quarter, Eastern scored again when Halfback Dick Morrison pulled the most unusual play of the game. Speedy Morrison dashed by Maroon Quarterback Russ Russo and took the ball from Russo's hands near the line of scrimmage just as it appeared to many that Russo would fumble. And, before Emory could call Henry or Henry could call Emory, Morrison had sped 38 yards for a score. Emmett's conversion added the 28th point to climax the 56-yard march.

Eastern's final TD came on a lateral from Pete Nonnemacher who tossed to Jack Cottengin and the latter dashed 61 yards for the score shortly before the game ended.

### Statistics Of The Game

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First downs .....	14	6
Passes attempted .....	3	5
Passes completed .....	1	5
Punt average .....	44	43
Kickoffs .....	6	1
Kickoff average .....	54	40
Fumbles .....	1	1
Fumbles recovered .....	1	1

## CAGE TEAM PRACTICES

### Grueling Schedule Ahead For Netters

Coach Paul McBrayer's varsity basketball squad is in its second week of practice sessions in preparation for the long court season ahead.

The Maroons cagers are slated

## EASTERN AT VALPARAISO

### Morehead Here For Homecoming Nite Tilt,

Eastern will be seeking their third win of the season when they travel to Valparaiso, Indiana, tomorrow night to take on a big Valparaiso University eleven. One week later, on November 1, the Maroons will entertain Morehead State Teachers College at Hanger Stadium in a Saturday night battle before the homecoming crowd.

Valparaiso will, no doubt, be a heavy favorite over the maroon and white. However, the giant Valparaiso line, averaging 198-pounds per man, will have a real tussle on their hands with the charging Eastern linemen.

Backfield Coach Glen Presnell's "small but mighty" backs will also be in there giving the bigger Hoosier backs a battle for the victory.

### Valparaiso Wins 55-0

Just one week ago, Coach Emory Bauer's Valparaiso Crusaders walked the one-time top-notch Great Lakes Navy team by a 55 to 0 count. The Hoosier attack featured strong passing and running offensives in addition to an outstanding threat of end runs.

Last year Eastern stopped the Indiana gridders 12 to 7 at Hanger Stadium. This year the Maroons have a tough ball game on their hands in tackling the "giants" of Valparaiso.

Another battle for the "old hawg rifle" will be fought at Hanger Stadium on Saturday night, November 1. Before the homecoming crowd, Eastern will be out to avenge the 12 to 6 defeat handed them by Morehead last year.

## EASTERN GIRLS TIE KENTUCKY

### Girls' Hockey Teams In Exciting Contest

Eastern's newly formed girls hockey team outplayed the highly touted Kentucky University girls hockey squad in their first inter-collegiate game but were forced to settle for a 1 to 1 tie. The game was played last Monday afternoon on the Maroon lasses' own field near the Health Building.

Coach Jane Lander's inexperienced squad dominated the play throughout the game and led up to the closing seconds of the game when U-K scored their tying goal.

Both teams battled to a scoreless tie in the first half before a small but excited crowd. Late in this canto the visitors from Lexington scored a goal which was ruled illegal for it was scored after the half ended. The noise of the spectators had drowned out the official's whistle as both teams battled on.

It was little Jane Wilhoite who scored first and gave Eastern a 1-0 lead. Jane scored on a pass from Betsy Tandy.

In the fourth quarter, it was Jane Wilhoite again scoring for the Lander coached girls. However, an offside penalty against Eastern erased the tally. The Maroon clad girls of Eastern threatened to score during the remainder of the game but were unable to register.

Five seconds before the final whistle sounded the Wildcats scored the tying tally. Final score, 1-1.

The Eastern hockey-ettes made a fine showing in their first game and completely outplayed a bigger and more experienced foe.

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