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Our congratulations to you, Dr. Donovan, on the tenth anniversary of your inauguration as president of Eastern. You have played no little part in putting Eastern on the map. What you have done for Eastern in the years that you have served as the school's executive can never be measured in a material way. The Progress and the students of Eastern are proud to be a part of the school of which you are president. It is the sincere wish of the entire student body that we may help you to celebrate many more anniversaries of your inauguration in the years to come.

SUPPORT DANCES

This is the day of self-determination, self-satisfaction, and self-sufficiency. Eastern took an important step toward all three one Saturday night, recently, when Milt Feinstein's orchestra made its advent at a college dance. According to the general consensus, it was one of the best informal dances Eastern has sponsored for some years. Two very significant factors enter into the analysis of its success; namely, a college orchestra furnished the music, and the price of admission was small.

The fact that Eastern gave so few dances last semester has often been wrongly attributed to faculty pressure or to the social committee. It was not the fault of any organization or person on the campus. On the contrary, the social committee never failed to cooperate with any club or organization that wished to sponsor a social activity.

In addition to the general indifference of the student body, there was the added fact that most of the dances were given last year were liabilities. Few campus organizations can afford to brave the risk of giving a dance and coming out in the red. Orchestras are necessary; orchestras cost money. Consequently, even the dances sponsored by clubs or organizations had to charge \$1.00 a couple last year.

Neither of these conditions existed at the dance last Saturday night. A campus orchestra, a consequent reduction of admission—and the dance was a success. We are proud of the fact that Eastern now has a college orchestra. It makes possible for the college to be self-sufficient as far as dances are concerned. This is no new thing. The majority of the colleges and universities have their own orchestras. To cite a near-by example, the University made much of Andy Anderson's orchestra a few years back.

There will be dances during the year that will want a "name orchestra." Such dances are the Homecoming Dance, the Military Ball, and the Junior Prom. This is very fitting and proper. It is the ambition of Eastern's socially minded to make these dances as attractive as possible. They should become a part of every student's social calendar. They should be the dances that call for the newest frock, the loveliest corsage, and the happiest faces. Plans should be laid for the year with these in mind.

The movement that made admission to college dances reduced has been set before the social committee, and it meets with their approval. It is hoped that the admission to the smaller dances may be kept down. The students may be assured that every effort will be made toward that end.

The second all-college dance will be sponsored by the sophomore class after the Morehead game. In accordance with these new attempts to make the social life of Eastern students a success, the admission prices have been reduced and Milt Feinstein and his orchestra will play. You can show your appreciation by being there. Cooperation from you will go far toward making it a real success.

THE FOUR HUNDRED

Four hundred students attended the football game between Central Normal College and Eastern. Approximately six hundred people found diversified interests on that afternoon. The support of the six hundred was sorely needed by the football team. It will be needed in the future. Something has to be done about this lapse in the student moral support to athletics on this campus.

The case of the four hundred that did attend the game is clear. They are that group of splendid people that can always be counted upon to do the splendid thing when called upon. The case of the six hundred is more pathetic. It is pathetic because they are not keeping in tune with the spirit of Eastern. They lack that fire of enthusiasm that makes great learners and great teachers. Attendance at athletic contests is essential to the program of having extra-curricular activities. Athletic contests are a form of extra-curricular activity. It is outside of the routine of life that we gain our

living. It is outside of the curriculum that we gain that well-rounded personality that makes us outstanding. So attendance at football games is a part of being outstanding.

Let us say that two hundred of the six hundred that did not attend the Central Normal game had to be away from the campus on that day. This is being very liberal. Let us say that they had to be home on business. Now where were the other four hundred people that did nothing to prove that that they are splendid people? They ruined the fine support shown by the few that did attend and it is on this group that the main criticism will fall.

We will grant that some of these people went to the picture show. Some of them did not have the necessary price of admission. We would rather not include this group in the unfortunates who never have enough interest in any thing to even remember there is a Weaver Health building. It is a proven fact that there are men and women here on this campus, living in the 20th century, that never know anything that happens other than what goes on in 410 Burnam, Sullivan, or Memorial. They leave their rooms only to attend what they think of as educational classes. They say that they are here to be educated. They say that can not afford to yell at a football game because it is undignified to yell. Then we ask, is it undignified for loyalty to scream to the high heavens when the educational process can be so narrowed down?

These Rip van Winkles must be made to live. They are used to having their lives lived for them. They are given to the fact that they are always told what to do. That is why they are pathetic in our estimation.

One solution to the problem of attendance to football games is to release the price of admittance and to have compulsory attendance to all extra-curricular activities. Another is to raise the price of admission and thus make it exclusive. Still, practically speaking, another is to erase all extra-curriculars.

These solutions are not good because they are not in line with the democratic ideals of this school and with this campus. What, then, is logical?

There is only one way for solution of this problem: That is for the student opinion of the four hundred to completely rout the six hundred into living a fuller life. The "untouchables" must be led to the correct religion. The four hundred can accomplish this by leading the backward ones to the Morehead game tomorrow afternoon. Use the tongue and the pen if you must but get them to the game . . . in the future they will look upon you as benefactors.

A MORE ABUNDANT LIFE

There is a vast difference between coming to school to get an education and coming to school to get a degree. Study your text books diligently and at the end of four years you will be presented with a scrap of paper called a diploma. Does that mean that you are educated? Far from it, for you may have less of true education than when you enrolled. To become educated, you must live a full life, a useful life, and an abundant life.

There are thousands of books in our library. Whether you read only the text books and those books required for a course, or whether you read to broaden your out look on life will determine whether or not you are living an abundant life. Read books for the enjoyment and pleasure you get from them, not to fulfill an assignment.

While you are here at Eastern, join the clubs and campus organizations. You cannot become truly educated by living to yourself. Join an organization that will stimulate thinking and acting as well as true friendship, and you will begin to live abundantly.

More than half of what Eastern has to offer you is not taught, it is acquired by associations that you make. Learn to know and understand your fellow classmates and the faculty and you will find that they have much to offer you that can not be gained by working only for a diploma. Make use of their experiences and you will save yourself much time and trouble. The ones who are older and wiser than you are only too glad to help you for theirs is the abundant life that is so much desired.

One of the finest and most profitable ways to enjoy an abundant life is to take advantage of the many concerts, recitals, plays, and fine arts programs that Eastern offers the student body throughout the year. While you are here, you have the opportunity to hear the finest talent in the country. It is yours. All that you have to do is to take advantage of it. Be sure to attend the different programs sponsored by campus clubs and the college. You will find them well worth your time, and they will certainly aid you more than you can imagine.

Parties, dances, and receptions are held to acquaint the student with an abundant social life. No one is forced to attend these social functions, but a true student knows that these programs are given to develop and enlarge the social attitudes which are so necessary today. A student who attends these functions will gain something that can never be taught in text books. Social ease and grace are acquired through practice, not through theory.

While you are here, take advantage of the full life Eastern has to offer you. Do this not only for what it mean to you, but for what it will mean to others.

GLEANINGS

Tomorrow, followers of Eastern will see a battle that will feature two of Kentucky's leading football elevens, which have created one of the greatest friendly football rivalries ever known in the history of small colleges. As a token of victory one of the teams will possess a "Hawg Rifle" until another such battle is staged. At present Morehead has possession of the token and they insist that it shall not be moved. All Eastern believes that it will become one of our trophies, so let's back the team 100% and bring the old "Hawg Rifle" back to Eastern.

Ted Shawn's Men Dancers Will Give Unique Program

Physical Education Club To Sponsor Dance Ensemble

DECEMBER 15

Ted Shawn, America's foremost dancer, who recently achieved a brilliant success in His Majesty's Theater in London, will be brought to the Eastern campus for the third time by the members of the local Physical Education Club.

The dance group will appear in Hiram Brock auditorium on Thursday evening, December 15. Shawn will be supported by his company of eight men dancers, which comprise the only male dancing group in the world.

Shawn has been on tour with this company for the past five seasons, playing in the principal cities of the United States, Canada and Cuba in addition to the success in England.

The dancers will present "O Libertad," an American saga in four acts, when they appear here. The program, potentially a dance drama, vividly outlines episodes in American history from the time of Spanish conquerors in Mexico to the present.

Rhythms of more primitive days, dances of religious fanaticism, sport themes, modern subjects done with biting humor and satire, and the great abstract composition, "Kinetic Molpai" are to be presented in this performance.

Soloist, Pianist, And Intreporetor On Co-op Concerts

The Madison County Cooperative Concert Association closed its fall campaign for members October 15. On this season's list of celebrities are Miss Carolyn Urbaneck, lyric soprano; Mr. Ezra Rachlin, pianist; and Miss Dorothy Crawford, dramatic intreporetor.

Mr. Coleman Oldham, secretary of the association, stated that there was a material increase in the student membership of Eastern and Madison High School. He also added that seventy-five per cent of Eastern's football stars enrolled as members of the concert series.

For this season the following have been elected officers: Lieut. Gov. Keen Johnson, president; Dr. Robert Sory, vice president; Mr. James E. Van Perusem, vice president; Mr. Harold Rigby, vice president and chairman of the Berea membership; Mr. Allen Douglas, treasurer; Mr. Coleman Oldham, secretary; and Mr. A. B. Willis, chairman of the membership committee.



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New Intra Mural Program Planned By Y. M. C. A.
Student Support Needed For Success Of Athletic Program

HEMBREE ADVISOR
This year, for the first time, the Y. M. C. A. in organizing has included in its cabinet an athletic committee. Under the guidance of Mr. Sam Beckley, Co-Chairman Jim Stayton and Harold Wicklund, along with Allan Yelton, have planned a program of athletics which will continue as long as the enthusiasm remains at the height reached during the past few weeks in regard to touch-football. At present three games have been played and each has brought forth its share of excitement and fun. Immediately after football season, a tournament in ping-pong and handball will be started. Should the men on the campus express, through participation in these sports a desire for intramurals, in the future, Mr. McDonough, director of athletics, will pledge his support in the form of equipment and backing of his department. He has already appointed Mr. Hembree as advisor to all activities that shall be arranged for this semester. With the cooperation of all men students, the Y. M. C. A. can establish on Eastern's campus a unique place for intramural activities in the future.

Caduceus Club Elects New Officers; Blair To Be President
The Caduceus Club of Eastern held an election of officers at their last meeting. The officers for this year are Robert Blair, president; Audrey Parsons, vice president; William Jones, secretary; Robert Lyons, chairman of program committee, and Dr. Farris is faculty adviser. A special meeting of the Caduceus Club was held October 20, for the initiation of its new members. It was decided that no new members may be admitted after October 27.

Milestone To Conduct Snapshot Contest For Next Years Annual
The editor of the Milestone today announced that the yearbook will conduct a contest in order to obtain interesting and unique snapshots. All students are eligible to enter the contest and the person who presents the prize winning shot will receive special recognition in the yearbook. All entries should be placed in an envelope, together with the name of the persons pictured and the person who took the shot, and given to Oscar Estes or Hiram Brock. Individual pictures for the book should be taken as soon as possible at the McGaughey Studio, Richmond.

Ex-Student Burned Fatally In Wreck
James L. Sheets, 23, former Eastern student from Shelbyville, was burned fatally early Sunday when an automobile in which he was riding left the highway near Muncie, Indiana, struck a tree and overturned. Two companions were thrown from the vehicle but Sheets was pinned beneath the wreckage which was destroyed by fire. Sheets, a science major, first entered Eastern in 1933 and did not return to school after the end of the second semester in 1936. At the time of his death he was employed by General Motors at Anderson, Indiana. Since leaving Eastern he had returned often to visit friends in Richmond.

Party Tonight At Christian Church
As an observance of Hallowe'en there will be a party at the Christian church tonight from 7:30 to 9:30, sponsored by the Young People. Although this is a costume party it is not necessary to come dressed in garb suitable to the occasion. Featured among the various forms of entertainment will be a fortune teller and there is to be an admission price of 10c to cover the cost of refreshments. All members or all those interested in the Christian church are urged to attend the various services each Sunday especially the Young People's Meetings at 6:00 p. m.

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Dog Eats Dog At Weiner Roast Orgy; Rex Elopes With Sausages, Much To Consternation Of Pep Club Members

By SPEED FINNERAN
The newly organized pep club has already gone to the dogs! That, in brief, is the situation. At the third regular meeting of the organization, the weiner roast which was held at Camp Locust, on Friday evening, October 21, "Rex", the athletic department mascot, secretly made away with the huge package of weiners which was to furnish the food for the entire crowd of twenty members and chaperone, Sam Beckley. "Dog eats dog"—that's news! Not only did he make away with the package but with the weiners also! All, I hasten to excuse, except six and one-half weiners, which were angrily snatched up and rescued by the hungry and despairing would-be-eaters. Deep, dark and suspicious plans were laid for snaring "Rex" and roasting him alive for a hot dog, but for hygienic reasons the plot was discarded. (That stadium element!) As a result, the almost-depleted treasury was promptly ravaged for the necessary purchase of more dogs, this time lovingly protected and chaperoned by the entire assemblage, the sausages being carefully checked and accounted for at the beginning and end of the short trip to the college farm. (Such procedure being deemed as necessary, due to the fact that Billy Adams was carrying them!) Amid the happy munching of

potato chips, an election of officers took place. By dint of vocal strength the political avalanche of Frank Wilcox, president; Ann Stiglitz, vice-president; Nita Creeger, secretary; and James Stayton, Treasurer, slid into office. An invitation to act as club sponsor will be extended to Mr. T. E. McDonough, inspirational background for the new idea. It is the purpose of the club to further the feeling of "oneness" and school spirit that should exist among a student body such as Eastern's. Pep rallies before the games and various informal social functions will be sponsored as a part of its activities during the coming year. The club, although limited in number at the present time, hopes to extend its membership to a broad scope in the time to come. Come on and back the boys and girls! They're trying to do right by the old Nell (or Alma M., they're both girls anyway and it's just a figure of speech.) They form a compact cheering unit but yell with 'em . . . or at 'em, just yell! Get in there behind that team and let 'em go. If you simply must be that strong silent type, then don't ridicule and look with scorn upon them, poor babes that they are. The club is as yet, in its infancy, but it's a precious child and keep in mind what a large dog Hector grey to be from a little pup!

Beckley, Morgan To Head Northern Kentucky Club
To Hold Hike Tonight; All Members Urged To Participate

BIG ATTENDANCE
Mr. Sam Beckley, assistant director of extension for Eastern, was elected as the sponsor of the Northern Kentucky Club at its first meeting Monday, October 24.

Mr. Beckley will take the place of Miss Lucille Derrick, former sponsor, who is at present on leave of absence. Dale Morgan was elected as president of the group for the coming year and Clyde Lewis will act as vice president. Miss Frances Little was chosen as secretary-treasurer and Bob Dickman was elected as chairman of the program committee. More than sixty members from Campbell, Kenton, and Boone counties attended this initial meeting. In the future, the club will meet on the first and third Monday of each month at 6:15 in the administration building. Every student who is from one of the above mentioned counties is eligible and invited to become a member. The first event on the club's social calendar will be a weiner roast. This event will take place this weekend on the college farm. The details as to the time will be posted on bulletin boards. All members who desire to attend are urged to notify one of the club's officers as soon as possible.

Junior Class Prexy Appoints Members Of Social Committee
Williams Adams, president of the Junior Class, announced that he has appointed Dorothy Helen Dorris and Clyde Rouse to serve on the Social Committee for this year. He also appointed T. J. Anderson as class-reporter. The next meeting of the class will be Monday, November 7, at which time an interesting program will be presented.

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Upper Cumberland Holds Picnic
The Upper-Cumberland Club held their annual hike Saturday, October 15. Over thirty members attended this gala affair which was held at Lake Reba. Dr. F. A. Engle is sponsor of the club.

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