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## Johnson Feted By Exchange Club At Burnam Hall Banquet With **Donovan and Kennamer Speakers**

Four Hundred Guests Assemble For Formal Farewell To Regent

#### GENTLE RIDICULE

Keen Johnson, governor of Kentucky and regent of Eastern, was honored with a banquet given by the Richmond Exchange Club in the Burnam Hall cafeteria Wednesday night, Dec. 6. Other guests of honor were Mrs. Keen Johnson, Miss Judith Johnson, the governor's twelve-year-old daughtre, critic and advisor; Senator and Mrs. O. F. Hume and Representative and Mrs. H. O. Porter. The invocation was given by the Rev. Frank N. Tinder, and music during the banquet was furnished by the Madison and Model High Schools' orchestra.

The toastmaster, Dr. L. G. Kennamer, was introduced by Mr. R. Leon-Elder, president of the Exchange Club. In his opening address, Dr. Kennamer said that the prodigal son in the Bible was feted on his return home, but that

feted on his return home, but that Richmond was sending her son away with a banquet. "Of course, we'll hope for better results this time," he said laughingly.

The keynote of the program was a spirit of gentle ridicule, and rarely have after dinner speeches been so concise, entertaining, and to the point. Dr. H. L. Donovan's address on "Johnson as Donovan's address on "Johnson as a Public Official" brought forth many interesting facts, but the most interesting was that our president missed his calling when he became a school teacher and a farmer. The amusing way in which he enumerated the various cities in Kentucky in which Governor Johnson had lived convinced his audience that the world had lost a great train announcer.

In a more serious mood, Dr. Donovan told of the governor's rapid rise in the political world he never held any other office except that of lieutenant governor. Dr. Donovan also emphasized the point that we now have the best governor in 150 years of Kentucky

history.

Mr. W. F. O'Donnell, superintendent of City School, the next speaker lauded Mr. Johnson as a leges of the association will send their representatives to our campus at this time.

Highlights of the Bowling Green citizen and a friend, and devoted his speech mainly to the Governor's thoroughness in everything he undertakes and his desire never

and word, and sincerity in appreciation of the loyalty of his many friends. His speech was completely unassuming, totally devoid of conceit. He regards his election to the gubernatorial seat as an evidence of the trust and confidence placed in him by his friends rather than his own just due. Governor Johnson made plain the fact that he was not leaving his cherished home and friends in Richmond permanently. He will be back in four years; not to renew old ties, for those ties will not Christmas Party have been broken—but to pick up where he is leaving off. It is his wish that in these years he will grow with the responsibility of being governor, not just "swell

## Senior Class Has Donovan Speaker At Last Meeting

Plans For Sweetheart Ball To Be Given By Sr. Girls In February

#### RECEPTION

On Monday, December 4, the senior class held their latest meeting. The most outstanding feature of the whole meeting was a speech by Dr. Donovan.

Plans were made for the Sweet-heart Ball which is to be given by the senior girls sometime in February. This is to be a leap-year dance where the girls escort the boys to and from the dance. It was announced that the dance is to be formal. Ann Stiglitz was made chairman of the dance. Further plans are to be made for the dance after Christmas.

Two more announcements were made to the seniors. Sometime after Christmas the senior girls are having a reception for the senior boys and the faculty. Frances Little, chairman, announced that arrangements are being made for is to take place is Senior Day which is to be in the spring. The committee has been appointed and are hard at work to plan a full

program for the seniors.

Reports were made by the varimmittees. The seniors have made it a point to have the committees report every meeting.

## **Progress Ranks** Second-Best In KIPA-Contest

College Newspaper Receives Three Certificates and Key

#### SPRING MEET

The Eastern Progress received the certificate of award as secondbest college newspaper in Kentucky, ranking a close second to the Kentucky Kernel of the University of Kentucky, at the fall convention of the Kentucky Intercollegiate Press Association held at Western Kentucky State Teachers College in Bowling Green, a few weeks ago.

The cup award for the best newspaper was presented to the editor from the Lexington university at the luncheon on Saturday, Nov. 18, at which Mr. Lawrence Hager of Owensboro, former president of the Kentucky Press Association, was the guest speaker. Second place went to Eastern and third place was awarded to the College News, publication of Murray State Teachers College. Miss Ruth Catlett and Miss Mary Agnes Finneran attended as delegates of this institution.

In addition to receiving the title and award as second-best newspaper, Miss Finneran of Eastern, received a gold K. I. P. A. press key as award for top honors in the feature-writing section, and a certificate of award for placing third in sports-writing. The Eastern Progress also received a certificate of award for third place in the male time description. in the make-up division.

The spring convention of the K. I. P. A. is scheduled at Eastern on April 12 and 13 of the second semester. Approximately ten colleges of the association will send

convention as enjoyed by the rep-resentatives of this institution were the dinner at the Cave Hotel and a tour of Mammoth Cave on to be a half-way citizen, but a Friday evening, and the informal good governor and a loyal friend. breakfast and luncheon which con-Governor Johnson's speech was a masterpiece of simplicity and sincerity—simplicity in thought association, presided at the business meeting on Saturday morn-ing, at which time the judges of the contests at Eastern were selected by the college representatives. Highest voting went to the dean of the journalism department at Northwestern, with an alternative choice of the department of journalism at the University of Missouri or the staff of the New York Times.

## Kyma Club Gives For Whole College

A Christmas party for the entire student body and faculty is being sponsored this year by the Kyma Club. The party which will be held in both the Recreation Room of Burnam Hall and the small gym of the Health Building is scheduled for December 15, at 7:30. Games, dancing, and a general good time will gaily pass away the hours. No admission will be charged but refreshments will be served. So come one, come all, eat, drink, and be merry, for Christmas is coming.

#### STOP!

Have you forgotten any-

No, this isn't a sign copied from a hotel door. We are just merely wondering if you are still thinking of those gifts you intended taking mother and dad, brother and sister, or per-haps a few of those cherished

You know there are just a few more shopping days for you in Richmond. And just think of the many fine gift selections our advertisers are offering-things you probably won't be able to get home, for it may be too late when you get there. Surely you wouldn't want to disappoint those you think so much of.

Whatever you may have in mind at this Yuletide season, you may find it advertised in our columns; whether it be gifts, eards, food for the Christmas dinner, or even the most economical means of getting

Let's not forget ... Go down-town today ... Visit those who help us to bring your paper to you, and when you do, remem-ber-"You Saw It in the Prog-

## "Messiah" Soloists Tonight



BLANCHE SAMS



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## "Hanging Of The Greens" Given In Burnam Sunday

Y's Sponsor Annual Christmas Program For Four o'Clock

## PROGRAM

The Y. W. C. A. and Y. M. C. A.

Christmas vesper program, Hanging of the Greens," will be given the library staff and student as-Sunday, December 17, at Burnam Hall at four o'clock.

The custom of Hanging of the Greens in Burnam Hall began in 1930, and although the idea did not originate at Eastern, our program is unique within itself. It is based upon the world-old custom that gave us the motive for such songs as "Deck the Halls with Boughs of Holly." Eastern uses the characteristic greens of Kentucky, the mountain laurel, in place of holly.

A number of the graduates of Eastern have taken this unique service into the high schools where they are teaching, adapting it in each case to their own particular situations.

The program for this year is as follows:

Candle procession and Hanging of the Greens—"Y" members and Men's Glee Club. Christmas carol, "Low in a

Manger." The Scriptional Christmas Story

Katherine Evans. Invocation-Vera Maybury.

"Follow the Gleam"-Chorus. Main Address-James Stanfield. Medley of Christmas carols— Lucille Powers, Ruth Walker, Doris Kennamer, Marie Hughes, and Mary Jo Leeds.

"Joy to the World." The public is cordially invited Chapel Period Benediction-Jack Spratt.

#### Madrigal Club Admits Nine New Members For Year; No Freshmen

The Madrigal Club, the Girls' Glee Club of Eastern, has long been one of the most outstanding ones on Eastern's campus. For this year the officers are as follows:

Dot Payne-President. Helen Klein-Vice President. Betty Sturm-Secretary. Dottie Brock-Treasurer.

This year nine new members were added to the club. They are Vera Maybury, Margie Harrison, Virginia Meyers, Phyllis Robertson, Beulah Bowles, Jayne Jones, Anna Loogden, Katherine Stewart, Mary Ann Rodgers.
As there were only a few places

to be filled, and many upper-classmen wanted to get into the club, no freshmen were taken into the Madrigal Club. Because so many freshman girls desired to join this club, a Freshman Club has been organized. It meets every Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons.

## Library Staff Annual Yule Party Sunday

Guests To Represent Books Or Characters At Christmas Fest

#### EXCHANGE GIFTS

sistants will have a party. Invi-tations with the spirit of Christmas in them have already been

A part of a letter from Miss Floyd to the student assistants "Concerning the library party which has come to be more or less of a tradition-it has been our custom to have Christmas gifts (one for each person only) by drawing names from 'Alice in Wonderland' and wrap up any gift you desire, for the person whose name you have drawn.'"

This is the idea of the party. The gift cannot cost more than ten cents. Since the regular library staff is included in this, Miss Floyd urged students not to give any presents to them. Instead, she urged all extra pennies be spared to be put in the fund for under-privileged children's

Last year everyone either came in costume representing book titles or book characters or acted out parts. "Others had clever little denies," Miss Floyd said, "to keep us guessing as to what book or person they were representing. Those who attended last year have decreed that those attending the party this year shall follow this same plan!

## Rearranged For Second Semester

Clubs To Hold Their Meetings On Certain Of Wednesdays

#### CORPS DAY

During the second semester, regular chapel programs will be held every Monday and Friday at the third period. Class meetings will be scheduled once a month on Wednesdays at the third period, and freshmen students will confer with their faculty advisers, one Wednesday a month at the third

Committees and various clubs will meet at the Third period of the remaining Wednesdays, so that student activities can be car-

In the spring, the R. O. T. C. will have "Corp Day" on Wednesday mornings.

## Combined Choruses Will Present Handel's "Messiah" In Auditorium This Evening At Eight o'Clock

## **Christmas Party** Scheduled For Needy Children

Y's To Sponsor 30th Annual "Free Party" For Child Benefit

#### DECEMBER 19

Eastern's thirtieth annual Christmas party sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A. will be given December 19, from three to five p. m. in the "Y" room of Burnam Hall.

This tradition began in 1910, when a group of Y. W. C. A. girls gave a Christmas party for several children on a nearby farm. Last year one hundred and five children were entertained and this year at least that many and maybe more will be invited.

Because finances and space will not allow a general invitation, only the children in greatest need are invited. These children are selected by Mr. John A. Kunkel, attendance officer for Richmond schools. When they are invited Berg. by pairs of "Y" workers, they receive cards which entitle them to come to the party.

On Tuesday, December 19, a bus will bring to Burnam Hall the less fortunate children, dressed in less fortunate children, dressed in anything from snow suits to sun suits. Here they will be entertained with movies, in technicolor, shown by Dr. Rumbold. They will be fed milk, given every year by Mr. Carter, head of the New Stateland Farm, and cookies baked and donated by the Home Economics Club. They will then be seated around a Christmas tree and Santa Claus will enter. Each little girl will receive a doll. little girl will receive a doll, dressed by the Y. W. C. A. mem-

guests.

This party, though sponsored by the "Y's", is in reality given by the students and faculty members and the service clubs of Richmond who so generously support it.

The "Y" invites any interested in seeing the party to come to Burnam Hall the nineteenth between three and five p. m.

#### Eastern Elmore Ryle Places Fourth In Berea Peace Contest

At the eleventh annual Peace Oratorical Contest held at Berea on Nov. 29, 1939, Mr. Beektel of Western State Teachers College placed first. Ten colleges were represented at this peace contest which is sponsored yearly by the Kentucky Peace Association.

In the preliminaries held at Eastern, John Saad, Elmore Ryle and Clyde Lewis participated. Elmore Ryle represented Eastern at Berea and placed fourth.

Representing the University of Kentucky at the Oratory Contest in Berea was Mr. Doniphan Burrus, formerly of Eastern and a resident of Richmond.

#### Library Note

The John Wilson Townsend Kentucky Room at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College library will be open to the public each Friday afternoon from one to five-thirty o'clock, beginning Friday, December 8.

The unique Townsend Collection of early state histories, and autographed first edition books by Kentucky authors or about Kentucky, purchased a few years ago by Eastern, is the only one of its kind in consistence in the state there existence in the state, there being only two other similar state collections, one in the University of Wisconsin and the other in the University of Chi-The opinion has been ex-

pressed by J. T. C. Noe, poet laureate of the state, that the purchase may some day be valued at around \$30,000. The proximately 3500 books, in-numerable letters, pictures and pamphlets. This room now open to the public was formerly reserved for the use of those doing graduate work for research

## Eighth Rendition Of Oratorio To Feature Three Hundred Voices

#### SAMS SOPRANO

By ORVILLE BYRNE

For the eighth time Handel's 'Messiah" comes to life at Eastern when the combined choruses of Berea and Eastern interpret the master's great oratorio in the Hiram Brock auditorium on Dec. 14. A previous rendition will be given at Berea on Dec. 13, but due to the fact that the Berea auditorium offers limited accommodations, the chorus will not be complete.

Under the able direction of James E. Van Peursem, of the Eastern Department of Music, a great master Messiahic prophecy will be revived at a season when Christian people are best suited to accept and enjoy it.

The soprano solos will be sung by Miss Blanche Sams, music in-structress at Eastern, with Mr. Sherwood Kains taking the baritone part. Mr. Franklyn Bens will sing the tenor role, and the alto solos will be sung by Miss Miriam

There are ten people participating this year who sang in the first performance in 1932, and for whom this represents the eighth year of singing in the Messian at Eastern. Also, in four cases, there are two generation of the same families participating in the Messian in the Me families participating in the Messiah this year, either in the orchessian this year, either in the orchestra or in the chorus. They are Mr. H. C. Barnes, Mr. Edwin Barnes, Mr. David Barnes; Dr. and Mrs. Saul Hounchell, Mr. Paul Hounchell; Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Clark, Miss Sara Clark, Miss Geraldine Clark; Prof. Samuel Walker aldine Clark; Prof. Samuel Walker, and Miss Ruth Walker.

The pastoral symphony, to be played by the orchestra under Mr. dressed by the Y. W. C. A. members, and each little boy, a toy truck.— Then each child will be given fruit, candy, a pair of socks, and a bar of seap, usually badly needed.

The unfortunate side of the Christmas party is the children without invitations, who must be turned away. It is necessary sometimes for the campus policeman to be stationed at Burnam Hall to send away the uninvited cruests.

Van Peursem, requires a delicacy and understanding of the work to which only accomplished musicians are able to rise. The Messiah's Hallelujah Chorus is one of Handel's most magnificent achievements, and will be sung this year in its proper place, about midway in the oratorio, with the Amen Chorus being used as the finale for the first time here. The dramatic bass solo, "The Trumpet Shall Sound," will also be sung for the first time at Eastern, with Van Peursem, requires a delicacy for the first time at Eastern, with a trumpet and orchestra accompaniment.

Consisting of solo and choral parts, the oratorio offers a vehicle worthy of the greatest talents and efforts of those who set themselves to produce it. At the same time it gives the audience the greatest opportunity for spiritual and cultural uplift that has ever been achieved.

There doesn't seem to be a doubt but that Berea and Eastern have established a tradition in this joint singing of Handel's Messiah for the eighth consecutive year, and the fact that the production has always been well attended speaks for its success.

The libretto of the Messiah is taken verbatum from the Bible and set to a score by Handel that is equally inspired. There is an unusual story connected with the writing of the Messiah score. Handel was ill in mind and body. He was on the verge of retiring from the music field. He felt that he could no longer write with his old zest and fire; that his art had burned itself out. One day he received a letter from London saying that the writer had found a text in the Bible that only a master such as Handel could set to music. "Me?" asked Handel furiously. "My genius has died; my days of writing are over." He threw the pages onto the table without a glance. One night he was restless. As he was wandering around his room, he paused by the table on which he had thrown the despised libretto. Two words caught his eye: "Comfort Ye." Handel remembered learning that passage as a child. "Comfort ye, comfort ye my people, saith your God; speak ye comfort to Jerusalem; and criy unto her, that her warfare is accomplished, that her iniquity is pardoned. The voice of him that crieth in the wilderness, Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our Lord." Handel repeated this verse to himself several times. Then, almost unconsciously, he found himself fit-ting bits of music to the words. He read and reread avidly the once rejected manuscript. For 24 days he worked on the Messial pausing only to cut and sleep for Sept. 14, 1741, the last note was written. The oratorio was first presented at a concert in Dublin, Iseland, on April 13, 1742. Thus the Messiah is doubly a masterpiece—it brought peace and self-confidence to a great man sorely

in need of them.

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#### MERRY CHRISTMASI



THE WORLD OF TODAY must appear as a very queer specimen indeed, to say the least, to that noted philanthropist and globe trotter, Mr. Santa Claus. The benevolent old gentleman who has more friends than Shirley Temple has admirers, This may necessarily be his last trip, for he is now inclined to wonder if there will be any places left for him to visit at this time next year.

Mr. S. Claus is considerably worried about the entire hodge-podge of affairs. He's a very old man now and claims that it's rather late in the day to be so disillusioned about having traded his local fame as a bishop for the job of personally serving the world, when people are no longer bothered by such sundry items as peace and good will toward

Then there's this nuisance about his German extraction. His residence for a long while has been firmly established at the North Pole, whence he operates on an international scale by means of his League of Nations passport. Mr. Claus never bothered to wade through the red tape of taking out citizenship papers in any country and therefore he is still, technically, one of Germany.

Hitler has expressed himself strongly on the subject on the grounds that, "once a German, always a German," and that the North Pole should be taken over by his government or at least that a plebescite be conducted there among the German workmen who help Santa, to determine whether such action is desired.

Mr. Claus is considerably perturbed by such a state of affairs, for it may entail the cancellation of his visa and he'll be unable to fill little black German stockings this year. On the other hand, he will not be allowed to visit any other nations. All of which is aggravated by the fact that several anti-Nazi and pro-Semitic organizations devoted to the preservation of good old American ideals have prohibited his visit here.

In direct opposition to this is Mr. Hitler, who bases his objections on the fact that a true son of the Deutschland must have no thought for anything above and outside Germany. He threatens to prosecute Mr. Claus if he insists on his annual policy this year of filling all stockings without due and serious regard to race, creed, and color!

The snowy-bearded old gentleman finds himself in that uncomfortable position of not being able to practice what he preaches. Not only that, his best intentions and overtures are regarded with deep mistrust, hatred, and suspicion and he meets on all sides with opposition. They shot one of his reindeer only last year in Spain, mistaking Mr. Claus' red outfit for Communism.

Gone are the days when the Yuletide was synonymous, with good-fellowship and festivity, when men laid aside petty hatreds to enjoy the happiness of universal brotherhood and mankind. Once upon a time they used to stop wars on Christmas. It gave people a chance to remember what things could really be like if they tried understanding and friendliness and that they could still return to it at any time they became willing to lay aside their lusts and hates.

With which, we wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and rest confident that our own U. S. A. will never treat dear old Santa in such a manner. Of course not.

## PEACE ON EARTH

We, the young men and women of the United States who are now in our prime or life, ought to rise as a body to denounce as unpractical, fruitless, and demoralizing that common practice that the dictionary has named WAR. That three-letter word is a poor excuse for the rape of civilization that it implies. The glory of war certainly does not lie with the crosses of Flander's fields, the mothers still weeping after Chateau Thierry, the holes in the

Cathedral of Rheims, the poverty and filth of the world-wide depression, or the mangled arms and legs of the disillusioned war veterans. Nor would the glory of another war lie in the chilled hearts of American motherhood, the potential literature, in: ventions, and chivalry lost forever in gassed, hideous, bloody bodies of the spring of American youth. No one ever wins a war. It is only a case of who loses the least, that loss being measured in art and soul never to be replaced. If we might save such peoples as the Czechs or the Finns by entering a war, it seems a plausible thing to do. But is such a saving practical or even possible? I say no. No one has ever conquered all of Europe and no one ever will. Finland and Czechoslovakia will most likely be reinstated at the peace tables, if we are there as a neutral to see that it is done. And besides that, no American army could ever protect a foreign country from invasion for any length of time without materially weakening its position at home. We thought we saved democracy the last time by dishing all the beans to France and England, but it didn't work and it won't work again.

A better scheme than that must be worked out this time. Our own democracy, if it is such, must be made infinitely better than it is now before we can hold our record up to the world and say, "This is heaven on earth." Our record with Spain and Mexico is far from being clear, while our 9,000,000 unemployed and 800,000,000 acres of exploited land, exploited in this wonderful democracy, is no example of a perfect setup. A game of football played for charity for a crippled children's home just doesn't make sense, nor does any suppression of constructive thought under a constitution calling for complete freedom of speech. No, our only hope is to stay home to protect our meager setup, before we boast to others how wonderful it is. To those of us who teach or shall teach let us do everything within our power to support a program of peace for the United States, a sane peace whereby we do not sell arms to one side in a war and then lend the other side money.

England and France, after destroying Germany commercially and politically in 1919, did not plan a lasting peace. Nor shall the side who loses the least in this present war want to affect a treaty securing a lasting peace. We as an important neutral could play the role of peacemaker and effect a system that in the years to come might break down the barriers of nationalism.

Let us cooperate under the peace club being organized on this campus to keep the lives of this set of college students from becoming a pit of disillusionment. War would bring a dictatorship to the United States. We want no dictators. Nor do we want the burning homes and hearts that our entrance into an offensive war would bring. -P. B.

#### NEW YEAR SENTIMENTS



HAPPY NEW YEAR to you all! Time-worn sentiment of well-wishing but one of those expressions related to the which seems to prevail in the hearts of the American during the Yuletide

The time for making and breaking resolutions. We would like for you students to put one at the top of your list. This is for those careless few and not directed at the general student body in any ent. sense of the word. We like you. We do not like to write obituaries for our friends. Holiday nights the streets are crowded, particularly that night which hails the ushering in of the new year. Traffic is dense and while it may not even be your fault, special caution must be observed in regard to drunken or careless driving. Stay out of the streets and celebrate the New Year, if at all possible, within the safety precincts of a home. Thousands of people are killed annually on this one night alone, and numerous others are maimed and crippled for life. That is no way to start a new year. The automobile has been a great mechanical invention for man but it has also loomed to proportions of a major hazard to the existence of man. It constituted one of the highest ratings for causes of mortality in the world during the past ten years.

To illustrate more bluntly what we mean we quote the following from a Tennessee newspaper published as a holiday plea to motorists: "The editorial staff would greatly appreciate it if all citizens planning to take a few quick snorts of firewater before getting into the car to drive to Grandma's or the football game would first stop by the office and leave a few notes on their obituaries. This thoughtfulness will do away with the necessity of our having to chase around hospitals and undertaking establishments Thanksgiving night trying to find out who you were before you tried to turn two curves where there was only one."

Be careful in driving during the holidays!

#### THE CHRISTMAS TREE

There is a co-educational organization on this campus to which you need no introduction. . .. The Y. M. & Y. W. C. A. There is, however, a phase of its work which perhaps you are not so well informed; each year, this group of people have prepared a Christmas tree in Burnam hall to which is invited the children of this community who would otherwise have little of the Christmas joy to which children look forward from one year's end to the other.

Last year over one hundred children, ranging from the ages of five to twelve or thirteen, were brought to Burnam Hall for the party. This year a similar group of otherwise forgotten children will come again.

If you have volunteered to donate a sum to the funds of the organization during the past-week and have as yet overlooked this item we wish to remind you. The money is needed to complete the party arrangements. We stress the fact that the party is not given by the organization itself, but is only under the direction of its members. It is your party, paid by the small donations which you yourself will give. Please do not overlook this voluntary gift during the coming week.

## Library Notes

By ED JARVIS GEORGE GERSHWIN

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While this book is not new it is too important to escape attention. It was edited and designed by Merle Armitage very beautifully. It is, indeed, a tribute to one of our best modern composers. He was with us unfortunately for only a short while, but much was accomplished by him.

Articles in the book are written by such people as Oscar Hammerstein II, Ira Gershwin, Paul Whiteman, Irving Berlin, Jerome Kern, Rudy Vallee, and Eva Ganthier. Those famous people whe were friends along with thirty-five friends along with thirty-five others hav each written tributes which compose the book, Each wrote something about Mr. Gershwin which threw some light on his work, life, and personality.

One of the more interesting articles is written by Henry A. Bot-kin. This article deals with the paintings and drawings of George Gershwin. Mr. Gershwin started painting in 1929 and at the time of his death had a number of excellent paintings. For reproduction in this book, sixteen of his paintings are used. One of the most interesting is a portrait of himself called 'Checkered Sweater.' Another, which is equally interestng, is Jerome Kern.

George Gershwin's musical sources were negroid, he was a Jew, and an American. 'America is not,' says Merle Armitage 'one race but is a country of races. That is what confirms George

Gershwin's Americanism.
"Summer Time," of all songs
Gershwin wrote, is my favorite. It is a song which in time will become one of the best examples of typical American music.

## Progress Post Office

To the Eastern Progress:

On Wednesday, not so long ago, some of us received slips notifying us that we were below average in the courses listed. If we received no such card, or, certain of our subjects were not listed, we were to assume that our rating in those courses was satisfactory. But we were given no indication of how far above or below the dividing line our grades were,

Ordinarily, if a student does not receive an unsatisfactory in a course, he does not try to raise his grade. So, if this rating in that course is dangerously close feeling of good fellowship to the failing mark, he has a very good chance of failing that sub-

We have been told that grades are not important, and, they aren't, basically. But they have a very important use as indicators of progress, or, lack of it. We do not get any grade until the end of the term as the system is at pres- spotted, black-headed bird pup) Doesn't it seem that time their usefulness is ended? -N. M.

We offer no comment to the above except to remark that in many instances our viewpoint has suffered similar tendencies.-Edi-

For the past eleven weeks we have been groping to class at 7:30 in the morning. There is a rumor about about that next term we will return to the old system of fifty-minute periods, with the first class period beginning at 8 o'clock, but nine weeks classes will meet six days instead of five.

Is this true? I hope not.

If we can live thru winter going to class at this time, why can't we enjoy the early spring mornings? It won't be half bad when the weather is warmer.

Many people join our student body for the last nine weeks of the spring semester. For the most part ,these people are day students who drive or come by bus from neighboring towns. If classes meet six days instead of five, these people will have additional travel-

ing expenses.

Most of us are terribly busy now, and Saturdays are our only time for recreation. Can't we have a little time to relax? We'd much a little time to relax? We'd much rather spend that extra ten min-utes in class daily than to spend Have Nothing On an extra class period.

I repeat . . . this is rumored. Can you give an authoritative re--INTERESTED.

Dear Interested: We do not offer authoritative information, but we would like to point out the additional problem which would be involved in that six-day classes would entail Saturday afternoon classes for the faculty, therefore rendering the situation highly improbable. The question will be taken up in the next issue of the Progress.—Editor.

#### Donovan Delegate To Atlantic City Education Meet

Dr. H. L. Donovan, president of lantic City, New Jersey, where he and some friends were sitting around a table (Time—one night, cation Association from the City). ern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

President Donovan remained for the two-day meeting of the association on Friday and Saturday, Nov. 24 and 25, where he delivered an address at the dinner meeting on Friday evening



That Christmas Feeling

## **Keith Relates Experience Of** Airplane Flight To Washington From Cincinnati This Year

By DR. CHARLES A. KEITH

The Hop Cincinnati to Washington, Oct. 3, 1939, 12:10. They are maneuvering for position. Now we are placed for a run against the wind. Here it goes like a huge racing automobile. We're off like a bat out of—oh, yes, I remember that expression—like a bat out of the belry. There is a strong indi-cation of mighty power. Boy, are we climbing! There went the Ohio river like a rippling flash!

I am about as much afraid as if I were meeting a bunch of Freshwould get a kick out of this! body would ever know how beautiful the scenery is from up here, unless he saw it from here. I blame no young man for wanting to be an airman. If I were young again, I doubt if there is anything that could keep me out. My, what scenery! Roads are mere gashes in the earth. Fifteen miles out, and we're still climbing, making for an elevation of 9,000 feet. There is just a little haze on the horizon, but what a day! The sun is gleaming down upon a beautiful landscape and from clear, blue heavens.

I have a strange feeling that a person might be just a little nearer God and His angels up here. What possible fear could one have? Who could watch these views and doubt the omnipotence and omnipresence of a Great God? No little toy gods would do for this. This all must have been fashioned by "The Grand Architect of the Universe."

We are paralleling a highway. Cars on it look like black-winged bugs-little fellows. It looks like this whole territory had been laid out in rectangles. Pine, cedar or spruce forests look like single clusters. Farms look like tennis

courts. Marvelous feeling to me is that we don't seem to be moving at all! Well, I suppose we are jogging along at a mere 170 miles per hour—ground speed possibly 190. Yes, I already know that, if I had plenty of money, long trips would always find me in the air.

I know little of piloting a plane; but these two fellows seem to have perfect control.

Mrs. Keith's ears hurt a little. Here goes my last piece of gum! Miss Chappler, the stewardess, is most attentive and charming. Wonder what Mrs. Keith would do, men in room 25. Gee, Bosco (my if I made eyes at this hostess. I wish I could see the Captain and snan, we land, and thank them. the faintest hint of fear up here. It would be a deadly poison if we did go down-one drop would kill. But I feel safer here than I would feel on one of those crooked roads in a car.

I smell food! This hostess or stewardess is everywhere! Asking people whether they will have dozens of things. Boy, she takes a lot better care of Mrs. Keith than I do. It makes me a little ashamed. She supplied her with a paper, offered her gum, asked her whether she is comfortable. How could the woman be comfortable out with a fellow like me?

Well, we're up here to that 9,000 feet now. I suppose the First Officer has taken over. I wish I could chant a little hymn to the angels without making all the other passengers want to change By getting close to the wincars. dow, I can see this left propeller work. I hope it doesn't join any WPA gang and decide to quit My curiosity makes me feel like I would like to take a stroll on this left wing here; but judgment tells me it just can't be

# Eastern Co-Ed

By NATALIE MURRAY

Who says it's a man's world? Princeton lads have nothing on Eastern lassies as one of the Burnam mob proved when she gained the doubtful honor of being the first feminine Goldfish Gulper.

One swallowed a goldfish. She says that she really didn't intend to do it, but she did and now a lonesome co-ed is mourning the loss of a friend and companion. She still has one goldfish left but woe betide whoever so much as casts a hungry glance at it. She swears she will tell all to the Humane Society.

tables. Suddenly some young ge-nius dared one to swallow a gold-There were two swimming around in a bowl on the table-

now only one). One reached into the bowl and grabbed a fish. She held him in er hand and looked at him. He

squirmed frantically. Finally one of the girls called out, "Oh,' he's dying." So One no doubt to save the fish's life, swallowed him. About the corniest thing that is said about this yarn is, "It sounds fishy to me!"

## **Chapel Programs**

There remaining but three more chapel programs for the remainder of the year of 1939, we list them in short order for your convenience:

Friday, December 15:

Dr. James L. Hymes, Jr., Associate Secretary of the Progressive Education Association of New York, will speak in "The Aims of Progressive Education."

Monday, December 18: will tell the student body of "The Spirit of Christmas.

Wednesday, December 20: Community singing of Christmas carols will be directed by Prof. James E. Van Peurser head of the Department of

## SOCIETY

Mrs. Charles A. Keith gave a party for all the students who remained in the dormitories over

Thanksgiving.
Patty Schweitzer, Edie Guenthher, Art Goldsmith, Berae, O., visited Bilile Clark and Lucille

Mildred Turpin spent the week-end with Eileen Frame in Harlan. Wilma Chaney spent Thanks-giving holidays with Virginia Marz

Jane Hines was the guest of Pauline Nunnery in Prestonsburg for the holidays.

Glenna Clark, Beatrice Atkins, Dayton, visited Miss Melba Clark

in Burnam Hall.

Frances Little and Betty Sturm entertained with a chill supper Wednesday for their freshman advisees. The following attended: Ida Wilson, Jean Zagoren, Bobbie West, Jennie Case, Lois Fields, Rosellia Schlinder, Ethus Gillus, Eva Dean Borin, Barbara Ann Butler, and Verna Niblick.

Minnie Lee Wood spent the Thanksgiving holidays in New Castle, the guest of Miss Sheila

Paul Love spent the Thanksgiv-ing holidays with friends in St.

Agnes Smith spent the weekend with friends in Lexington. Mary Ann Roger, New Market, Ala., spent the Thanksgiving holi-days with Doris Massey, Park

Buddy Fitzpatrick and Porter Mayo attended the Army-Navy football game. Mr. Mayo's brothers is a member of the Navy

squad. Dorothy Payne visited her brother, Mr. Walter Payne, who is in the Medical School, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Ala., dur-

of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Ala., during the holidays.

Miss Mary Frances McKinney,
Robert Dickman, Harold Wicklund, John Suter, George Powers
went to Oswego, Kan., for the
Thanksgiving holidays. They visited Miss Barbara Ann Butler, former student of Eastern.

Betsy Caster spent the holidays

mer student of Eastern.

Betsy Caster spent the holidays with relatives in Covington.

Josephine Pence entertained with a candy pull at Mr. Thomas Bright's in Richmond for the following: Doriselwood Lemon, Ann Long, Ann King, Thelma Mathewson, Mabel Chumley, and Jean

Sweeney.
Christeen Teagarden spent the
Thanksgiving holidays with Thelma Eubanks in Covington.

Miss Pearl Buchanan and Miss Anna Gill attended the Ballet Russe in Cincinnati last weekend, returning last Sunday.

Miss Pearl Buchanan was among those attending the inauguration of the new governor in Frankfort this week, being the guest of Mrs. Cromwell of Frankfort.

#### Santa Claus Scheduled To Make Appearance At Sullivan Party

All girls in Sullivan Hall are being especially good this week because on December 18 at nine o'clock a party will be given for the whole hall by the House Coun-cil and the office girls. Guests will be Dr. and Mrs. Herman Lee Donovan, Mrs. Emma Y. Case, Miss Germania Wingo and Miss Edna White, and Santa Claus.

Gifts will be exchanged under a huge Christmas tree by Santa Claus, and that is the reason for being especially good. Christmas carols will be sung, and games and refreshments will be in abudance. The order of the evening will be fun and galety, and a good time is insured to all those who come.



Your professor has received many demands in the recent past that he caution some of you "hefusiveness. Upperclassmen girls are tremendously delighted and enormously flattered when they are cut by one of you at a dance are cut by one of you at a dance. But . . . now this is for you, don't answer all their questions with "yes, mam" and "no, mam" !!! Your professor has seen one upperclassman girl, after a concentrated dose of a "yes, mammer," call feebly for her cane crutch whence she hobbled lamely over to the wall and sprouted a long white beard as befitting her age and

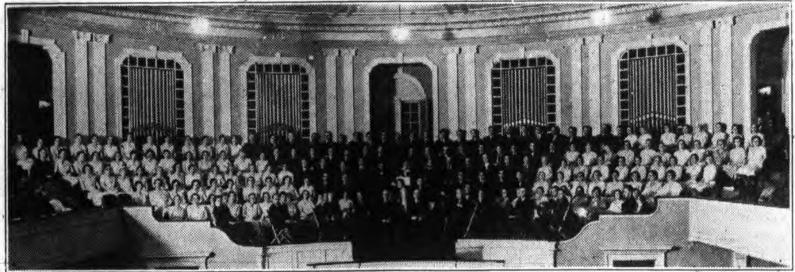
It isn't the "wild oats" that some of these freshmen girls are sowing that worries us, it's the grain that they're mixing with

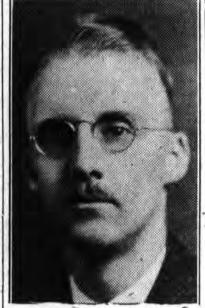
"I got a D" is now the common complaint, due to the time of year and the weather we've been having. Most commonly found among the lower levels, seldom being con-tracted at the ages of three or four years. Typed as one of the infancy maladies, being restricted more commonly to the ages of one and two years.

Treatment: Simpe home cure, sometimes a complication set in by "momylism." Prescription as fol-(1) throw one roommate out of the nearest window; (2) submerge slowly but firmly two or three perennial visitors in the nearest tub of water, (3) invest hard-earned saving in a pint-size handbook in which to take notes instead of sending notes while in

Result: Practically guaranteed to effect a cure.

## Eastern and Berea Unite In Presentation of Handel





JAMES VAN PEURSEM

Miss Vivian Weber will never have to resort to the story about "the fish I almost caught." She can devote the rest of her life to "\$600 that got away."

Your professor personally advocates that the cafeteria set aside one or two of the raw variety of the species "pisces" on all Fridays hereafter for the freshman friend's delectation. Much discussion as to her relative standing in the classification of "gourmet" or "gourmand."

Tenors—Richard Allen, David Antony, David Barnes, Joe Blunchi, William Buerger, Delmer Chappell, Roy B. Clark, E. J. Cospication of "gourmet" or "gourmand."

Lou Gentry, Betty Griffitt, Helen Hall, Edna M. Harrison, Margie Harrison, Willana Hendren, Maude

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For the benefit of a friend who has newly developed a hobby of phoning perfectly strang people when life gets boring, and telling strange women that he majors in strange women that he majors in House, Jean "neckonomics" and so forth, I relate the following story of tongue and pen concerning a Mr. Otis Chips of Chicago, who rose like the sun, twelve times in one night. All on account of a novel he has never read and a movie he has never seen.

Twelve times the following telephone conversation ensued upon his answering the phone:

"Hello, is this Mr. Chips?"

"Goodbye, Mr. Chips." phony practical jokers!

#### Sullivan Hall Floor Unit Forms New Club Of "Double Dozen"

and Jean Zagoren was elected secretary-treasurer. The club is plan- lind Young. ning to have a dinner meeting the

Sams, Mary E. Bell, Elsie Cason, Barbara Shoemaker, Nell Evans, Catherine Underwood, Marth Bulin, Lila Mae Gross, Marie Gross,

## Direction Of "Messiah" Is In Capable Hands Of Van Peursem; Powers Replaces Sams In Berea

Over three hundred voices have ney, Anna Meade Graham, Juanita music department.

Miss Lucille Powers of the Berea faculty of music will replace Miss

SOPRANOS - Berl Anderson,

Harrison, Willana Hendren, Maude Holder, Gertrude Hood, Anna

Mrs. Saul Hounchell, Mary Ruth Jean Hurst, Josephine Hurst, Madge Jones, Betty Ken-ney, Margaret Ann Kirk, Helen Klein, Marilon Lea, Ruth Gordon

Betty Leach, Felonise Leake, Reba Lee, Juanita Lewis, Frances Little, Mildred Lynn, Katherine McCarthy, Mrs. J. A. McClintock, Mary E. Manning, Vera Maybury, Vivian Morgan, Jean Miller, Sally Newell, Modena Newton, Louanna Noe, Sara P. Noland, Mildred Osborne, Dorothy Payne, Della Pointer. Lella Pointer. Dorothy Pratt:
Nelson Lamkin, Paul Love, Dave ter, Lella Pointer, Dorothy Pratt; Evelyn Preston, Christine Proctor, Ellen Pugh, Mildred Raisor, Mills, Dave Minesinger, Clara Rose Riggs, Mary Anne Rodgers, Julianne Ruschell, Shirley Salisbury, Mary Samuels, Vel-ma Samuels, Anne Saunders, Ro-Seevers, James Smith, James The third floor of the annex of Etta Simmons, Pauline Snyder, Sullivan Hall has formed a club Margaret Strong, Betty Sturm, called the "Double Dozen." Anna Jean Sweeney, Lucille Taylor, Lu-Meade Graham, as floor represen-tative, is president of the group Catherine Underwood, Virginia Wigglesworth, Rose Wiley, Rosa-

ALTOS-Anna Elizabeth Allen, Party For College second Monday of each month and Fay Asbury, Frances Bassham, is going to have a Christmas party Susan Blesack, Hazel Black, Beulah Bowles, Wanda Brinkley, Helen The members of the club are Cain, Martha Cammack, Martha Jane Spears, Anna Meade Graham, Anne Campbell, Virginia M. Carl-Bowen, Mildred Virgin, son, Mary Helen Caywood, Billie Mary Wagner, Grace Center, Nora Clark, Melba Clark, Mrs. Roy B. Clark, Helen Colvin, Lela Frances

Dorothy Dunaway, Sara Betty

been assembled for the presenta- Grizzell, Mrs. Arch Hamilton, tion of Handel's "Messiah" to-night. Directing the entire per-formance will be Prof. James E. Hubble, Marie Hughes, Mrs. Wood-Van Peursem, head of Eastern's row Hinkle, Margaret Jenkins, Ernestine Jones, Jayne Jones;

Jane Kelley, Elsie Kilpatrick, Alice Kinzer, Anna Langdon, Mary Blanche Sams of Eastern in the soprano role when the Oratorio is presented at Berea on Wednesday night.

Ance Kinzer, Anna Langdon, Mary Jo Leeds, Betty Lewis, Evaleen Lewis, Lamah Liddell, Sarah Long, Katie McNutt, Evelyn Marshall, Nora Mason, Shirley Mason, Doris The following is the list of East- Massey, Anna J. May, Betty Lou ern students and Richmond people Mayer, Jane Mills, Alma Minch, who are appearing in the "Mes-Virginia Myers, Mildred Neely; Virginia Myers, Mildred Neely;

Louise Parsons, Marion Perkins, Emma Peffer, Jean Porter, Ann Mrs. H. C. Barnes, Martha Berlin, Louise Preston, Phyllis Robertson, Eleanor Best, Eva Dean Boian, Frances Samuels, Anna A. Schneib, Lucille Borders, Rilla Bowles, Lee Anna Lea Schoulties, Gladys Boy, Sara Brooks, Lucille Bury, Shewmaker, Agnes Smith, Kath-Orville Byrne, Norma Caldwell, leen Snow, Katherine Stewart, Dorothy Carroll, Kathleen Clark, Virginia Costanza, Margie Crites, Elizabeth Culton, Margaret L. Culton, Mary F. Cuzick, Kathryn Davids.

Chris Kilgus, Arthur Klein, Billy McClurg, James Prater, Fred Roberts, Clyde Rouse, Bob Severs, Dudley Sparks, Jack Spratt, Win-ston Strunk, James E. Walters, Rodney Whitaker, Alan Yelton, Harold Yinger.

BASSES-Robert Baggs, Edwin Barnes, Thomas Bonny, Paul Brandes, Billy Bright, Donovan F. Cooper, Ray Dawn, Oscar Estes, H. D. Fitzpatrick, Roy Floyd, Edward Gabbard, Raymond Goodlett, Donald Harrison, Harold Hierony-mus, Walter Holton, Paul A. Hounchell, Herbert R. Hunter; Eu-

Lumsden, Porter Mayo, Buell James Seevers, James Smith, James sellia Schindler, Charlotte Scheni- Squires, Hubbard Stone, Virgil der, Barbara Shewmaker, Ann Taylor, John D. Tollner, Samuel Walker, James Walker, Guy Warming, Guy Whitehead, Harold Wicklund, Frank Wilcox, Bob Wolf.

## YWCA Plans Pajama Women On Tuesday

A delightful Christmas pajama party is being planned for the girls of both Burnam and Sullivan halls. The party will be given on Tuesday, the nineteenth, under the au-Cornett, Bernice Creech, Shirley spices of both the Y. W. C. A. Crites, Beulah Correll, Mary and the Women's Residence Hall Dawn, Esther Dillman, Aline Do- Organization will be in charge of clever games to be played.

The party will last from 9:30-? Ellis, Margaret Estridge, Martha and each girl who comes is re-Eubanks, Nell Evans, Mary Floyd, quested to bring five or ten cent Mary M. Gadberry, Mildred Gort- present as ticket for admittance.



LUCILLE POWERS

## Gone But Not So Forgotten Is The \$600 Weber Lost

Vivian Weber's Name Drawn In Lexington But Fails Register

#### NEAR HEIRESS

Miss Vivian Weber, sophomore from Fort Thomas, was just born under an unlucky star. Fate was simply against her when her name was drawn in the Lexington theater draw-box last month, to the tune of a lucky win of six hundred dollars! And then later we hear is may have been seven hundred and fifty dollars, which is one hundred and fifty dollars worse. It is the ruling of the contest that identification for registration must be established within thirty min-utes after the ticket is announced.

So . . . where was Vivian when the lights went out? No Vivian could be found. Anxious friends searched high and low to break the gentle news that she had fallen heir to a junior fortune, and then it was that the heiress picked her it was that the heiress picked her time to turn up mysteriously missing. An affable bus driver rode like Paul Revere using mechanical means, to convey the news to Richmond. Drug stores were checked, closets ransacked and friends' rooms inspected, but no Vivian. Time flew by on winged hours or winged half-hour, to be more exact, and the deadline of registration became a thing of the registration became a thing of the

Bye and bye, but not so sweet, Miss Weber returned to a once happy domicile to learn the terrible news. Miss Weber wishes to state that her sense of humor has suffered a mortal blow!

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## **Future Teachers Of America At Eastern**



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Teachers of America organization rait. Minerva: Virginia Stith, Ekhas been established at Eastern ron: Dorothy Dunaway, Glencoe; mond: Clarke Gray, Newport: with 32 charter members. Affiliated with the National Education Association, it is a professional organization for students who plan to become teachers. Chapters have been founded in the leading teacher education institutions throughout the country.

Charter members of the group, shown above, are, first row: Dorothy Dunaway, Glencoe; mond: Clarke Gray, Newport: Maybury, Newport; Laura Kath-Lelen Caywood, Covington; James Squires, Whitesburg: Ann Stiglitz, tridge, Stanford; Josephine Park, Richmond; Mary Agnes Finneran, Covington; Mary Kate Deatherage, Richmond; Jamestown, N. Y.; Shirley Crites, Newport: Frances Jaggers, Frankfort; Evelyn Conrad, Burlington. Second row: Dorland Coates, fac-

## Student Union **Scheduled For** February '40

New Organization To Have First Of Dances In Center

#### DEDICATION

President H. L. Donovan announced that the Student Union Building is expected to be opened about February, 1940. The first social event will be a reception given by the president.

The Future Teachers of America, the last club to be organized at Eastern, will sponsor the first dance that is given at the Student Union Building.

Union Building.

Dedication of the Student Union Building will be held on Founders Day, March 21, 1940, as thirty-four years ago on March 21, Gov. C. J. W. Beckham signed a bill creating Eastern State Teachers College. The Men's Dormitory and the Arts Building will also be dedicated at this time. An elaborate ceremony is being planned for this dedication.

## Dayton Hi School Wins Class A Award In Drama Tourney

Ky. Female Orphans Take Class B Prize In Two Day Finals

#### L. T. C. HEAD

were Dayton High School in Class A and the Kentucky Female Or-phan School, Midway, in Class B.

Awards for the best actor and best actress in each group went to Roy Gilligan and Miss Avis Slaughter, both of Dayton, Class A, and Lewis Williams and Miss Ethel Craft, both of Breathitt County High, Jackson. Winning plays and coaches were "The Valiant" coached by Miss Lelia Willis Poage, Dayton, and "A Prayer for Our Sons," coached by Mary Louise Chase. Mary Louise Chase.

Competing with Dayton in Class A finals was Newport High School and in Class B finals were Cyn-thiana and Breathitt County High which won in the preliminaries on Monday and Tuesday. Fifteen schools entered plays in Group A and twelve in Group B. Divisions into the two groups were made according to enrollment.

ham, Lafayette High of Lexing-ton, Fort Thomas, Frankfort, Alexandria, Beattyville, Richmond, Berea Academy, University High of Lexington, and Buckhorn; and in Class B: Lancaster, Whitley City, Waco, McKee, Hyden, Sulphur Augusta, Garrett of Flayd County, Carlisle, Annville Institute, Phelps of Pike County, and Paintaville, in addition to these Paintsville, in addition to those reaching the finals.

Judges in the tournament were members of the dramatic teaching staffs of central Kentucky colleges and members of the faculty at Eastern. Miss Pearl Buchanan, director of the tournament, was assisted by members of the Little Theater Club in the work of hand-

ling the contest.

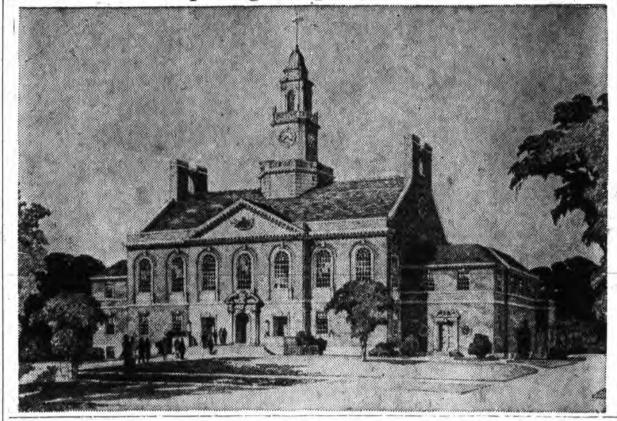
Dramatic clubs from Central
High and Waco of Madison county,
Paint Lick, Springfield, McCreary County High and other schools were on the campus during the tourney to witness the plays. Two hundred members of the play casts took part in the tournament. The twelfth dramatic contest will be held at Eastern next fall.

The all-tournament cast chosen by the judges were Dan Marshall, Lewis Sawin, Burnett Hobgood, Dixie Wilcoxen, Betsey Blevins, Mary Dunn, Emmett Keyser, Barnett DeJarnett, Rosalie Parks, Billy Gabbert, Mary Ruth Wilburn, Harold Shoemaker, LaNora Wal-ters, Geneva Stone, Loreen Sewell, Ethel Craft, Elizabeth Beadle, Vir-Ethel Craft, Elizabeth Beadle, Virgie Lee Baker, Bobbie Muncy, Ruth Begley, Clayton Morgan, Hershell Rose, Martha Abney, Mildred Soard, Helen Rigg, Billy Crouch, Vivian Trimble, Musser Cobb, Edwin Tussey Evelyn Carroll, Curtis Wathen, Rena Johnson Kathleen Mieras, Herman Kirk, Geraldine Mitchell, Lucille Tanner, Theodore Caddell, Theresa Baker Theodore Caddell, Theresa Baker, Kenna King, Doyle Bell, F. C. Tiller, Jane Pardo, Leah Hartman, Hartman Webster, David Hennessey, Betty Haley, Edward Toleman, Peggy Flannary, Eugene Brewer, Estill Caudill, Artie Beverly, Paul Devoto, Jack Utz, Esther Lee Sauer, William Sutherland, Jill Gates, Harry Sutt, Dorothy Smith, Thomas Brawner, Elizabeth Moore, Roy Gillian, Avis abeth Moore, Roy Gilligan, Avis Slaughter, Pauline Parker, Holly Sheffield, Mike Duff, Mollie Hol-brook, Carol Thomas and William

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## Student Union Opening Postponed



## Eastern Stay-At-Homes Dispense **Sympathy And Free Gloatings** Over Success Of Holiday Here

By PAUL BRANDES

So you went home for Thanksgiving and thought you were smart. And then perhaps you came back some wee hour of Monday morning exhausted or sick with a cold. Or perhaps you didn't even get back for Monday and had to take your double cuts. If that's true, maybe you'll learn there's something more open Winners in the finals of the two-day high school dramatic tournament at Eastern last month those of us who stayed here had such a good time that we hated to see the rest of the school come back, and that's not kidding, Awards for the best actor and either. Plenty went on here free

ning with a party in the recreation mallows aplenty for all. Believe it or not, no one wanted to go you're just being self-conscious, home when 10 o'clock rolled around. And then, Miss McIlvaine those poor, unrecognizable forms entertained her cafeteria force and the desk people of the three halls to a free Thanksgiving dinner that was a sight for sore eyes. The fellows had a waffle breakfast Friday morning in the lobby of the hall on Mrs. Keith's best dinner Monday morning.

ware. Mr. Keith joined the free party and it was unanimously de cided that about ten teams were going to win the Rose Bowl. By the by, Pug Darling and Walter Hill tied for first place in the number of waffles eaten. Then the dormitory girls entertained the fellows with another party Saturday evening, Ollie Gabriel looking quite pretty holding about three decks of cards when playing "I Doubt It." Then, there were ro-mances started too, such as—well, perps I hadn't oughter say. But

you can use your eyes.

One of the best parts of the whole thing was the fun of all of us eating together in the cafeteria, Vernon Wilson telling us all about the found of the Kentucky mounty. the feuds of the Kentucky mountaineers he was reading about in his lonely suite, and Miss Gibson returning to be joyfully received by all the new students and faithfully served by Lucille Bury.

Yes, you felt sorry for us bewe couldn't or didn't go But, truthfully speaking, you're just being self-conscious.

## Schools presenting plays in the tournament in Class A were: Bentournament in Class A were: Be **Second Of Fine Arts Concerts** On January Ninth, 1940



ropolitan Opera Association and of concert and radio, who will appear in Hiram Brock Auditorum on January 9, presented by Madi-son County Coop. Concert Asso-ciation, was born in New York City. He attended Manual Training High School and then the College of the City of New York, where he studied engineering.

The depression interposed finan-cial difficulties, and John Carter could not go on with his training for this profession. For a while he worked on his uncle's farm in Rockland county, but all the time in the back of his mind was the conviction that he could sing. Returning to New York, Carter

began to study voice.

His first important opportunity was when he entered the Metropolitan Opera Auditions of the Air. He was chosen for first honors from 707 aspirants and given that coveted prize of all

John Carter, tenor of the Met- singers, a contract with the Metropolitan, with his debut the following winter.

As a result, radio and the movies sought him, and out of the offers made him he accepted the stellar role on the Sunday evening hour which Nelson Eddy was leaving temporarily. Carter was an overnight success on the radio, so much so that when Eddy returned Carter was offered concert engagements in several large cities, including Chicago.

In Chicago he sang at Grant
Park before an audience of 130
000, attaining such popular favor
that he was re-engaged for a second appearance on the following
night—the first time in the history of Grant Park concerts that a so-loist had been held over for im-

## **Crowd Gathers For** Northern Ky. Club **Holiday Reunion**

New Officers Elected; Gray Is President For 1939 Club

#### CHRISTMAS PARTY

The members of the Northern Kentucky Club of Eastern held a very successful reunion during the very successful reunion during the Thanksgiving holidays. Approximately fifty people gathered in the Rathskeller of the Gibson hotel on Friday evening, December 1, for the informal holiday get-together. Several alumni and former students of Eastern attended the event, among whom were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Stafford, Miss Helen Schorle, Mir. Bill Bennett, Mr. Irvine Sandeford, Mr. Bob Ruby, and several of their guests. and several of their guests.

The Northern Kentucky Club

has recently been organized, prior to the Thanksgiving holidays. They are planning several events in the near future including the Christmas holiday gatherings and the campus parties. The Moonlight Boat Ride in the spring is an anual event well known to Eastern.

Direction of the club for this year is in the hands of Clarke Gray, president. Other results of the election held at the first meeting last month were: Mary Agnes Finneran, vice president; Frances Little, secretary-treasurer; Vera Marz, social chairman.

## Memoirs Of The Banquet Through Waitress' Eyes

By NATALIE MURRAY The time is Wednesday, Decem-

ber 6, near 6:30 p. m. Girls in white smocks and boys in white jackets and aprons are dashing madly around trying to make last-minute preparations. They tear around, drop things, and run into each other in that last made scramble before the zero hour. By six-thirty all is ready.

As soon as the guests are seated the rush begins again. One of the waitresses goes to serve the town's eminent personage (of course we all know her) with coffee and drenches her. . . TSK . . . TSK . . .

The meal goes merrily on.

Everything goes smoothly. The program is moving as planned and the banquet is proceeding so even-ly as to be unusual. Then a waitress drops a dirty fork down the back of a guest's dress.

Later one optimist has the cour-

age to ask for another serving of ham. The meal goes on. . . No When the waitress comes around to collect the dishes before serving the dessert, he asks what had become of the ham. She looked at him. "You didn't ask me for another piece of ham," she says. A gentleman can't call a lady a liar, can he?

#### Elementary Council Holds Christmas Banquet At Glyndon

The Elementary Council held its annual Christmas Banquet on Friday evening, December 8, at the Glyndon Hotel.

This dinner took the place of the regular monthly meeting and was attended by 35 members and guests in formal dress. Among those present were Mrs. Julian Tyng, one of the sponsors of the organization, and Misses Margaret Lingenfelser, Virginia Story, Eliza-beth Wilson, Germania Wingo, Ellen Pugh, and Annie Alvis.

Miss Shirley Crites, president of the council, presided throughout the banquet and presented Miss Mary Elizabeth Bell, who read "The Night Before Christmas." Later games were played, after which the entire group sang Christmas carols.

Red candles and evergreens decorated the tables and attached to the place cards were Christmas corsages made of pine cones and evergreens, tied with red ribbons.

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## Eastern To Open **Basketball Year Against Michigan**

First Game Scheduled Here Saturday Night December Sixteenth

#### NINE VETERANS

Eastern will open its basketball season here this week, December 16, with Central Michigan Teachers. The team will engage in six-teen contests this season. Central Michigan is the only new opponent to be added to the regular list of K. I. A. "C" opponents.

Nine veterans returned for cage duty this year. They are: Virgil McWhorter, Eastern's brightest star last year, Carl Yeager and Red Hennessey, seniors, and Robert Abney, Charles "Peck" Perry, James Gott, Wyatt "Spider" Thurman, Vernon "Lefty" Shetler and Ora Tussey, huniors. Ora Tussey, juniors.

Reporting from last year's strong freshman team are Gene "Fox" DeMoisey, Homer Osborne, Raymond "Red" Stewart, Charles Russell, Charles Sorrell, Fred Darling, and Cliff Tinnell. Sophomores who did not play last season be-cause of entrance for the second semester at the college who are to appear on the floor this year are Charles "Chuck" Scheuster and Bert Smith who are strong candidates for the varsity string

Coach Rankin is optimistic about having one of the strongest Maroon teams ever developed at East-

ern.
The schedule for the 1939-40 basketball season follows: Dec. 12-Central Michigan, here

Jan. 5-Louisville, here. Jan. 6—Wesleyan, there. Jan. 10—Morehead, here.

Jan. 15—Berea, there. Jan. 16—Morehead, there. Jan. 27—Western, there. Jan. 29-Wesleyan, here. Jan. 31-Transylvania, there.

Feb. 2-Western, here. Feb. 3-Centre, there. Feb. 5-Berea, here.

Feb. 8—Union, there. Feb. 10—Transylvania, here. Feb. 14—Centre, here. Feb. 17—Union, here.

## **Net Opponents On** Saturday Are On Par With U. of Ky.

By BOB STINSON

Well, here we are with another basketball season just around the basketball season just around the corner. It promises to be another year for upsets, big and small; for a new crop of stars to scintulate in the athletic heavens; and for another "Well Done, Fellows," when it's over.

Our Maroons open their schedule Dec. 16 in a tough engagement with the teachers from Central Michigan. It will be the first meeting between these two schools for profs on the hardwood You will probably remember our defeat at their hands on the grid-iron this fall. The boys will be thinking of this Saturday night, so watch out for the fireworks.

In the estimation of our coach, Rome Rankin, this game will be the toughest the Maroons will ex-perience all season. And he has every reason to believe so, for this Central Michigan team is a very formidable aggregation. Proof of their ability can be seen in the caliber of their opponents. They play such teams as Michigan State, always a contender for the Big Ten title; the University of Detroit Stars; and Loyola U. of

On paper they are on a par with the Southeastern Conference champs, the University of Kentucky. Kentucky usually breaks even with Michigan State and last year the former needed an overtime period to defeat the Central

Michican cagesters.

In preparation for this tilt, Coach Rankin has had his charges scrimmaging regularly for the past two weeks. Captain Virgil Mc-Whorter, the Hazel Green flash, has been looking exceptionally well in practice, and can be counted on for another great performance. on for another great performance.
Two sophomores have also been

playing heads-up ball and are very likely to see plenty of service. They are Chuck Scheuster, All-KIAC end in football, and Fox DeMoisey, high-scoring star of last year's freshman team.

The starting line-up will be drawn from the following: Capt. Virgil McWhorter, Ora Tussey, Bob Abney, Fox DeMoisey, Chuck Scheuster, Peck Perry and Spider

Thurman.

For a season opener this game gives every indication of being a thriller-diller, and our boys will be in there pecking away at the ol' hoop for their first victory of the 39-40 campaign.

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By WOODY HALL

The boys in the abbreviated suits are now taking over the sport light with their daring deeds on the hardwood. From all indi-cations this year, the team will be one of the best ever assembled under the Maroon and White rallies by Coach Rankin. Good luck and go get 'em, boys!

Now that the season is about to open, let's show the boys that we are for them too. So come out to the game, students, next Saturday and "ez hollder."

Question of the week: By cracky, what three football heroes were shaking the gridiron dust off their toes, doing a square dance rumba the other night?

What's News: Mr. Hembree was introduced to a celebrity the other day, a Miss Marion Miley, the golfing gal. . . Don't the Darling Boys get along just too-too?
... Get this, girls. George Ordick and his "True Romances" (magazines) ("How True," George). . . Some freshman girl asked me who Some freshman girl asked me who the big handsome Apollo from Portsmouth was. . . Why, Mr. Tussey! . . . What an inseparable pair are Yeep and Rex. . . We now hear that "Peck" Perry, the blonde whiz, is taking singing lessons. (She's a good singer, Peck) . . . Will McWhorter repeat as high scorer in the state this year? (We hope so) . . Thurman on the grid-iron. Thurman on the hardwood. iron, Thurman on the hardwood, but to us he's just plain "Spider."

New Edition World Wide Reports:

Cafego, Kinnick, Kimbrough, Harmon-izing on the All-America team when the Bowl is called out yonder, who'll be there.

What a football game it would be between the Sing-Sing shut-ins, and the University of Chicago (almost) shut-outs.

The big European athletes won't be ready for the Olympic games this year. They are too busy tossing the old cannon-ball around.

The Secretary of War wasn't surprised at the Army-Navy game. He thought they were maneuvering and the fog was only a smoke

One of the best basketball games of the current season will be at New Orleans between the University of Kentucky and Ohio

The big shots of the Baseball World are now meeting in Cincin-nati. Their object is to gobble up ball player worth gnashing

I wasn't talking to Tony Galento but he says that "Joe Louis, the Negro Champ, is a mighty white guy in the ring, or he would have beat out the Beer Barrel Polka on my stomach when we fought re-

Here's a good one I heard be-fore the Army-Navy game: Two Army men were talking of the chance of their team against the Navy this year. One said "What do you think of the Navy this year?" The other replied, "Confidentially, it sinks!"

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## Maroons Squelch **Indiana and Scores** 28-7 Victory

Hoosiers Score First To Close Grid Season Of Successful Eastern

## THURMAN STAR

Bringing to a close a successful season with a 28-7 victory at the expense of the Indiana State Teachers College at Terre Haute, Indiana, the Eastern Maroons of 1939 returned to hang up their moleskins until next fall.

According to Coach Rankin, the boys played their best ball of the season. "Their blocking was better than at any time this year."

Sparking the Eastern attack was Wyatt "Spider" Thurman, who at times alternated with Bert Smith, outstanding sophomore. The climax of the game when Smith tossed a 32 yard pass to Charles "Chuck" Scheuster for a

It was the Hoosiers who first drew blood when Eastern fumbled deep in the Maroon territory but Thurman soon knotted the count. Early in the second quarter, Smith and Thurman alternated carrying the ball and making the score do tricks. Smith then passed to Schauster for the next marker. In the third quarter, the Maroons-made their fourth and final tally when Thurman finally reached pay dirt after an eighty-yard drive. All four of Morgan's kicks for extra points were good.

Indiana gained 174 yards from scrimmage, Eastern moved 301; Indian lost 75 yards from scrimmage, Eastern lost 50; Indiana made 6 first downs, Eastern 12; Indiana tried 22 passes, completing 12, while the Eastern lads attempted only 4, completing 3.

## Quarterback Thurman is Unanimous **Choice For Outstanding Football** Player in KIAC Eleven Judging

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS' ALL-K. I. A. C. FOOTBALL TEAM FIRST TEAM SECOND TEAM Lou Zimlich, Louisville. .Ralph Pittman, Western Sam Panepinto, Western Lacey Downey, Murray... ... Charles Hampton, Louisville ...Dick Fain, Transylvania "Paul Adams, Morehead James Brakefield, Centre "Barney Searcy, Centre "Ralph Love, Murray Elwood Sanders, Western Stanley Radjunas, Morehead... RG. Pete Gudauskas, Murray...... Charles Scheuster, Eastern. RE Wyatt Thurman, Eastern... Paul McCandless, Georgetown
Beverly Varney, Morehead
Bert Smith, Eastern Benny Vaznelis, Morehead. James Oliver, Western..... Joseph Smith, Centre...... .Waddell Murphy, Western

skas, Morehead.

Centers — Johnson, Murray;

Backs-Zoretic, Western; Pigman, Georgetown; Peace, Union;

Hale, Centre, and Cartmill, Union.

Ferrar, Murray; Rudy, George-town; Thompson, Centre; Brown,

Transylvania; Lee, Murray; Lustic, Morehead, and Dulaney, West-

New Basketball

1939 Team Slated

PLAYER OUTLINE

As Best Ever To Be

Coached By Rankin

After a personal foul, the of-fended team may waive the free throw and elect to put the ball in

such outstanding players as Virgil McWhorter, senior from Hazel Green, high-scoring forward of

Robert Abney, junior from Be-

rea ,a shifty forward. Charles "Peck" Perry, junior

from Dayton, a fast guard who

made quite a name for himself in

his first year of varsity play last

Wyatt Thurman, junior from Benham, a good defensive guard,

Gene Demoisey, "Fox," sopho-

man team of last year, now

Ora Tussey, junior from Ports-

Homer Osborne, sophomore from Walton, forward on frosh squad last year, of whom things are ex-

Cliff Tinnell, sophomore from Covington. A fast guard from frosh squad.

Gray's Knob, shifty center, coming

up for his first varsity team.

Charles Russell, sophomore from

Raymond Stewart, sophomore

from Minerva, rangy forward who was one of the frosh high scorers

last season. Charles "Chuck" Scheuster,

good ball-handling center up for

the first time on Eastern hard-

Bert Smith, sophomore from Millfield, O., a good guard. Out-standing in basketball as well as

Vernon Shetler, "Lefty," junior from Navarre, O., southpaw cen-

ter who surprised everyone last

James Gott, junior from Berea, who plays a lovely forward posi-

Walter Hill, senior from Pine-

ville, a fast charging guard and champion traveling feet.

**Mobilization Of** 

National Guard Is

Reminder of Times

66 Richmond Men Are

Assembled For Drill

During Past Month

At four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, November 29, approxi-

mately one hundred thirty-two

men started a drilling routine that lasted through Thanksgiving Day, Sunday, and ended on Tuesday,

December 5. Most of the activity took place in Hanger Stadium at

Eastern Kentucky State Teachers

College. In a recent order from

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ARMY ORDER

mouth, big center excelling in free

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For Eastern

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Wyatt "Spider" Thurman, quar-terback for Eastern Teachers Col-derson, Georgetown, and Rushinlege, was the outstanding football player this year in the Kentucky Intercollegeiate Athletic Confer-

nce. This is based on the fact that he virtually was unanimous choice for the 1939 all-K. I. A. C. eleven, chosen for the Associated Press by coaches, directors of

Athletics and sports writers.

He was far ahead of the next five high-ranking players from the standpoint of votes.

Last year the Benham, Ky., boy

was a second team choice. Western, which tied Murray for Rules Outlined the mythical conference title, but had the best record of any of the nine league members for all games played, won three places on the first team, more than any other

player.
Murray, Eastern and Morehead each was awarded berths with the two other positions going to Louisville and Centre. Every school but Union is represented

on the second team.

The difficulty in picking the year's star players, as expressed by several of the nominators, was the fact that no team except Transylvania played more than five league opponents. Some met only two, Transy encountered

But at that, only the two wing-men, Joe Smith, a back, and El-wood Sanders, center, had trouble in winning their posts.

There was no question about the tackles. They went to Sam Panepinto of Western and Pete Gudauskag of Murray, the only first team repeaters. They are as fine a pair of linemen as Kentucky has had in years.

#### RADJUNAS IS NAMED

crack guard, also was a popular choice as were Red Oliver of Western and Benny Vaznelis of Morehand helfbacks. Morehead, halfbacks.

Radjunas was moved up from the 1938 second team.

His running mate, Lacy Downey of Murray won his position by a good margin. Sanders of Western squeezed out

Morehead's fine sophomore pivot, Paul Adams, in the closest race of them all.

Although he hanked third among the state's scorers and was far ahead of any other end, Chuck Schuster of Eastern was not far brilliant on the hardwood as well ahead of the pack and Lou Zim- as on the gridiron. lich of Louisville just nosed out Ralph Pittman of Western and Ralph Love of Murray. All are ward, outstanding on the fresh-

rated as good pass-receivers. There was some argument among the voters as to whether Smith was a better back than his team-mate, Roger Thompson, but Coach Quinn Decker said Smith had been a mainstay for the Col-onels the past two seasons and gave him high praise.

Smith barely got by Western's feared Waddell Murphy, More-head's Jug Varney and Eastern's nead's Jug varney and Eastern's scoring leader Bert Smith. The latter three, with Georgetown's Paul McCandless nipped Thompson in another blanket finish.

There was no question in the

minds of the coaches and writers about the merits of Red Oliver of the Western and Benny Vaznelis, Morehead's sophomore Charles "Chuck" Scheuster, whizz, who with Thurman and sophomore from Chicago, Ill. A Joe Smith, round out the backfield. All four were steady, had speed and were capable of other backfield duties besides carrying the ball.

As far as Thurman was concerned, he was named on every first team but one, and at quarterback on all of these except two on which he was placed at half-

Scoring ability apparently didn't count so strongly as Tom Zoretic of Western, who replaced Varney as the offensive ace, got only honorable mention. Varney won his spot last year mainly on his pointmaking prowess.

Varney was out much of this season with injuries, but gave a good account of himself when

he did play.

James Bramlage of Transylvania, end on the first team last year, was another notable casualty. Bill Herrick and Bill Hale, Centre linemen on last year's second team, also failed to make the

grade this year.

One striking feature of this year's composite outfit is that two are from New Britain, Conn.— Vaznelis and Radjunas-while two are from Illinois, one each from Indiana and Pennsylvania, leaving five Kentucky boys on the team, one more than last year. Five of the first team lads are sophomores or juniors and several

on the second team have another year of competition, giving an idea of the possible line-up for next year's Ali-Star team.

#### MORABLE MENTION

Ends—Farmer, Union; Yeages Eastern; Downing, Western; Mays, Centre, and Robertson, Morehead. Tackles—Morris, Murray; Rose,
Morehead; Wilson, Transylvania,
and Van Meter, Western.
Guards—Fred Schloemer, Louisville; Morgan, Eastern; Walters,
Guil Companies G and H of the
National Guard were commanded
to have seven days of intensive
drill before the end of the year.

## They were also required to in-crease drills from once a week to twice. These orders were given without explanation.

Company G is made up of a maximum of sixty-six men from Richmond and Eastern Teachers College. Company H has a maximum of sixty-six men from Madimum of sixty-six men from Madison county. These companies belong to the 113th regiment, a medical regiment. Such a regiment consists of three types of company, collecting, ambulance and hospital. The latter includes and hospital. Companies G and H. The 113th regiment is a part of the 38th division, the Cyclone Division, as represented by the emblem at the op of the left coat sleeve of the National Guard uniform. The men spent nights in their own homes but were required to eat three meals a day in the stadium. The purchase of all the food was made by Captain Hembree of the Eastern faculty.

The commanding officers of the companies are residents of Richmand and Madison county. Offi-cers of Company G are: Captains Rutledge, Hembree, Sandlin and Pope; Lieutenants Rutledge and Blanton. Commanding officers of Company H are: Captains Billington, Todd and Brock; Lieutenants Allman and Robbins. There are about thirty-five students of Eastern enlisted in Company G. Many of them have responsible positions, several being sergeants and corporals. All student mem-bers of the National Guard were excused from classes on Monday and Tuesday, December 4 and 5, for drill and police duty.

#### Twenty Matches Are Scheduled For ROTC 1940 Pistol Team

After several weeks of tryouts on the Eastern pistol range, sev-Basketball season will be officially opened here at Eastern on December 16. This year's will be eral good prospects have been se-lected for the 1939-40 Pistol Team one of the best teams ever coached of the R. O. T. C. unit at Eastern. About twenty matches have al-ready been scheduled for the new by Rankin. Since last season there have been a few rule changes which the students and spectators year, with colleges all over the United States, where units similar to the one at Eastern are sta-1. Unless space prohibits the court, end lines must be four feet behind the plane of the backboard. tioned. Captain Eugene M. Link, 2. After a free throw for a technical foul, relay is resumed by a throw in from out of bounds at mid-court by the free throwers toned. Captain Edgele M. Link, been made, but it is expected that, with the material at hand, East-this year's team with Cadet Richer, with the material at hand, East-this year's team with Cadet Richer, will have a stronger team mid-court by the free throwers

## Smith Second In Ky. Three Points Short Of 1st Place

Scheuster Third, Thurman Fifth. Cross Runnerup

#### WESTERN FIRST

Bert Smith, Eastern's stellar quarterback, fell only three points hort of being the leading scorer in the state of Kentucky, and Chuck Scheuster finished in a strong third place.

The two Maroon sophomores made a strong bid for the top spot as the Maroons closed their season with an overwhelming 28-7 victory over, the Indiana State Teachers at Terre Haute, Indiana, a few weeks ago.

Wyatt "Spider" Thurman finished the season with a total of thirty-one points for the runnerup in fifth place. Another Maroon managing to squeeze into the "also managing to squeeze into the "a ran" list was Bill Cross, also a sophomore, playing the position of fullback.

Smith has been the leading Ma-roon scorer most of the season, only at times giving way to Scheu-

Individual scorers ranks as fol-

iow;		
Player Team Td.	Pat.	Tp.
Zoretic, Western6	9	45
B. Smith, Eastern7	1	43
Scheuster, Eastern5	8	38
Peace, Union5	2	32
Thurman, Eastern5	1	31
Lustic, Morehead5	0	30
McCandless, G'town5	0	30
Pigman, Georgetown5	0	30
Zoeller, Kentucky5	5	29
Jones, Kentucky4	4	28
Mullins, Kentucky4	1	25
Cross, Eastern4	0	24
Rudy, Georgetown4	0	24
Varney, Morehead4	0	24
Nanney, Murray4	0	24

Cadet Manager. Final selections of team members have not as yet been made, but it is expected that,

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## Installation Of WHRO Officers **Now Completed**

Catlett and Stith Administer Oaths To House Council

#### CANDLELIGHT

The formal installation of offi-cers for the Women's Resident

The oaths of office for administration as presidents of the Burnam and Sullivan Hall units, respectively, were administered by Mrs. Emma Y. Case, adviser, to Miss Ruth Catlett, Lawrenceburg, and Miss Virginia Stith, Ekron. Under the direction of Miss Jean Caines chairman of the initiation rolling plains of trinkets, what Caines, chairman of the initiation rolling plains of trinkets, what committee, the oaths of office for nots, "no-nots," and such for them. members of the house council were administered by these new prsidnts to the chosen candidates. All lowed the installation ceremony.

their duties at this time were vice president and freshman adviser, Betty Sturm, Bellevue; secretary, Vivian Weber, Fort Thomas; treasurer, Mildred Gortney, Harrodsburg; and floor representatives, Sue Toolein. rodsburg; and floor representa-tives, Sue Toadvine, Sally Hobbs, Dorothy Payne, Dorothy Hutchin-son, Mary Catherine May, and Mary Moss. Miss Ann Stiglitz, social chairman was also installed as a member of the house council,

Sullivan Hall members receiving the oath of office were: Doro-Jane Tayor, Roberta Riggs, Margaret Jenkins, and Anna Meade Graham. Jean Zagoren, Newport, social chairman for Sullivan Hall, received her oath of office at this

Guests of the hall attending the ceremony were Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Donovan, Dr. and Mrs. Charles A. Keith, Dr. J. D. Farris, Miss Eunice Wingo, Mrs. Harry Blanton, Miss Edith McIlvaine, and Miss Maude Gibson.

Amid a background of glowing tapers and yellow and, white crysanthemums, accompanied by a string ensemble of Miss Mary Jo Leeds, Marie Hughes, Doris Kennamer and Ruth Walker, the cere-mony took place following the in-vocation by Miss Evelyn Conrad. As a part of the program, Miss Betty Sturm presented "The Rosary" as a solo. The ceremonies were concluded with a candlelight recessional to the strains of the "Alma Mater."

## Dr. Farris Attends **Medical Meeting** At Memphis, Tenn.

Neighboring Colleges U.K. BereaRepresented Farris Makes Address

## NEXT MEETING

Dr. J. D. Farris, college physician at Eastern, recently returned from Memphis, Tennessee, where he attended the one-week meeting of the Mississippi Valley Student Health Association in conjunction with the Southern Medical Association. Eastern is one of the six colleges of the South belonging to the national organization, the American Student Health Associa-

tion.

Dr. Farris spoke at the general session of the meeting. Dr. John Chambers, college physician at the University of Kentucky, was also one of the speakers. Dr. J. W. Armstrong, president of the Mississippi Valley Association, and Dr. Ruby Helen Paine represented Berea College at the meeting.

Dr. Paine, of the Berea College medical staff, was elected secretary-treasurer of the association

tary-treasurer of the association for the next year; Dr. R. M. Powell, University of Tennessee, president; and Dr. G. M. Mitchell, Mississippi State College, vice president. Louisville was selected as the place of meeting for next

A luncheon was given the group at Memphis by the Southern Medical Association, at which Dr. Walter E. Vest, Huntington, W. Va., president of the Southern group,

## Yule Program Being Planned By Training School On Dec. 20

On Wednesday, December 20, at one o'clock in the afternoon, the Elementary Grades of the Cam-

Among the musical numbers which are planned are "Here We Come a-Caroling," "We Three Kings of the Orient Are," "The First Noel," and the "Yule Log Procession."

## Gifts For The Gal Of The Hour **Are One Long Headache Compared** To Listing Income Tax Reports

which has blossomed forth in the newspapers since December 1—DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING EARLY. But I ask you how can a college boy do his Christmas hopping early?

The formal installation of officers for the Women's Resident Hall Organizations of Eastern took "place in the lobby of Burnam Hall on Monday evening, November 27, before an assembly of the entire membership of the organization and their guests.

Shopping early?

Preparing a Christmas shopping list is as bad as fixing out income tax reports. No, it's worse, for there are gals on the shopping list for whom gifts have to be bought. Buying a boy a present is a simple matter. All one says is eeny, means the office for administration.

ent straggling group of men trudg-ent straggling group of men trudg-ing along beside it. Vainly they are searching for the gift that will lowed the installation ceremony. on Christmas morning. "Woe is

When gals' clothes are being shopped for, there are the sizes which have to be remembered. You shop for a lady's hat and tell the old maid clerk the gal friend's head isn't as large as yours and you wear a 71/4 hat. Dryly the clerk says she supposes your gal friend will wear about a 19%. You

hand is about "that much" smaller than yours. The clerk mumbles that that's a big help and of course you smile pleasantly but then you realize she was just being sarcastic. The blood in you boils but remembering your Emily Post and your high blood pressure you gently but swiftly leave this counter and trek on to some other unexplored part.

Hour piles upon hour. Your eyes become bloodshot; your voice

## Regent Of Eastern Alverson Observes 66th Birthday

9 Attend Dinner Party With Gov. Johnson As Guest Gives Address

## FORMER EDITOR

Jesse M. Alverson of Lexington member of the board of regents of Eastern, celebrated his 66th birthday anniversary with a dinner party at his home on Tates Creek road last month.

Nine guests present for the gathering included Governor Keen Johnson, also a member of the board of regents at Eastern, who related in a brief talk several de-tails of his first day in the gover-nor's office since the recent election. The governor said he tried to slip into his office unobserved in order to accomplish some work awaiting him but found a large number of visitors there instead and spent the day in conferences.

Mr. Alverson is the former publisher of the Harlan Enterprise and several other Kentucks ews-papers including the Georgetown News and the Anderson News.

## Formal Tea Given For College Women **Honoring Council**

200 Guests Are Served At Table Decorated In Thanksgiving Motif

## DONOVAN GUEST

A joint formal tea for the women of the college was given on Tuesday afternoon, November 28, by the advisers of the Women's Resident Hall Organizations, hon-oring the general house councils in the Recreation Room of Burnam Hall. Approximately two hundred guests enjoyed the hospitalities of the afternoon during the hours from three to six.

In the receiving line with the hostesses, Mrs. Emma Y. Case, dean of women, Mrs. Harry Blanthe newty installed cozacil presi-dents, Miss Ruth Catlett and Miss Virginia Stith.

Elementary Grades of the Cammack Training School will present ton and miss Eumice Winge, were their annual Christmas program in the Hiram Brock Auditorium.

The students of the first and second grades will be in costumes of dolls and toys.

The remaining grades will each dramatize several Yuletide songs.

Among the musical numbers which wingo. Miss Laurs Catherine At a table continuing the theme of a Thanksgiving motif of candles and havest fruits, Mrs. H. L. Donovan, Mrs. Hart Perry, Miss Eunice Wingo, Miss Laura Catherine Evans, Miss Dorothy Dunaway and Miss Mary Agnes Finneran alternately assisted the hostesses in pouring tea for the guests.

Ruth Hygema.

Social Committee: Jean Zagoren, chairman; Nancy Gentry, Barbara Shewmaker, Mary F. Gratzer, Louise Garland.

Music Committee: Dot Dunaway, chairman; Mary E. Hedges, Sara Brooks, Emma Peffer, Lucille Bury.

By JIM SQUIRES
Alas! only ten more days until
Christmas. It is a sad occasion,
for I didn't heed the warning

quivers; your throat is parched;
and then through a mist you see
that oasis in the desert—the cosmetic and perfume counter. After metic and perfume counter. After gazing at so many pale and hag-gard looking clerks the idea comes gard looking clerks the idea comes to you that every woman uses and needs cosmetics. Another enlightening thing is the fact that there are no trick sizes with which to be tortured. A new lease on life is taken for here on this small counter is a gift for every gal on your list. Jane can have an oblong bottle of perfume, Mary can have a stunning compact. Betty have a stunning compact, Betty can have some of that "stuff" to make her handkerchiefs smell good, and all the rest can have delicate-flavored bath salts. victory is yours. You came a long way; you saw until you were tired of looking; but you conquered in

New Year's resolution No. 1 for men college students shall be: Re-solved, 1940 Christmas shopping shall be done early in order that tired feet, weary eyes, a trembling voice, and dried throat shall have time to rest before Christmas holi-

## **Donovan Dedicates** Alexandria School On December 2nd

Saterlee, Principal Gives Welcome Speech; Donovan Former Staff

#### MUSIC PROGRAM

The principal address at the dedication of the new Campbell County high school in Alexandria, on December 2, was delivered by Dr. Herman Lee Donovan, presi-dent of Eastern.

The exercises began at 2 o'clock after an hour's inspection of the after an hour's inspection of the new building. The program opened with the singing of the famous Kentucky song, "My Old Kentucky Home," by the junior high school glee club, under the direction of Wilbur Howard, music supervisor. Rev. W. S. Harsell, pastor of the Alexandria Methodist Church, asked the invocation. F. I. Church, asked the invocation. F. I. Saterlee, principal of the school, made an address of welcome fol-lowed by a violin solo by Mr.

A brief history of Campbell county was presented by County School Superintendent J. W. Reiley followed by an extension of greet-ings from the architect of the construction, Mr. E. C. Landberg and from Congressman Brent Spence and Judge Odis Bertels-

## Chairman And Committees Approved

Sullivan Hall Council With Stith As Prexy

#### ZAGOREN SOCIAL

The chairmen and their commit-tees have been selected for the di-vision Sullivan Hall of the Women Residence Hall Organization. Following are the chairmen and their committees as announced by Virginia Stith, president:

Recreation Committee: Jean Caines, chairman; Catherine Sal-lee, Mary Nell Hanlon, Mildred

Program Committee: Mary Heleen Caywood, chairman; Thelma Eubanks, Clara Rose Riggs, Jean Lucas, Jane Kelley.
Publicity Committee: Juanita Grizzell, chairman; Shirley Kimball, Ruth Greear, Betty Griffith,

Vivian Morgan. Freshman Advisory Committee:

Dorothy Pratt, chairman and vicepresident; Felonise Leake, Mary Elizabeth Bell, Mrs. Liddell, Charlotte Haynes.
Activities Committee: Dorothy
Pratt, chairman; Adele Rice, Trudy Garriott, Mary Wagner, Mary

Oney.
Sofety Committee: Mary B.
Cassady, chairman; Gladys Shewmaker, Hazel Black, Pauline Hereford, Callie Gritton;
Health Committee: Marilan Lea, chairman; Mary K. Black, Kathryn David, Alberta Cameron, Rhoda Whitehouse.

Art Committee: Thelms Riley.

Art Committee: Thelma Riley, chairman; Betty Griffith, Pauline Hereford, Evelyn Preston, Darleen

Library Committee: Mary E. Clarke, chairman; Ola Bullock, Jean Roberts, Novella Chism, Ruth Hygema. Social Committee: Jean Zago-

## As Governor Johnson Greeted Throng



his public service as lieutenant governor and governor, Keen Johnson is shown in the above photo doffing his hat as he and his prodecessor, Senator A. B. Chandler, standing at Johnson's left were given an ovation by the huge crowd that gathered at Frankfort Tuesday for Governor Johnson's inauguration for a regular term.

## That Time-Worn Problem Of What To Buy For The Man Of The Hour And His Cohorts Still Is?

By MIRIAM HARVARD

Christmas again, and with all its pleasant expectations comes the question of gifts, gifts, for the men. The most universal question of women at Christmas time is, "What shall I give 'him'? Although unanswerable the struggling female is faced with this interrogation every year. The gifts for men are drab and uninterest-Since the scope for plunder is limited women usually select the same gift year after year.

As an example let us tell of the experience of Julie, a typical American girl. Julie has four difficult tasks before her in the selection of presents for her father, her two brothers, and last but foremost her present flame.

First she makes out a list of logical gifts for men. The list consists of: ties, socks, gloves, shirts, cigarettes, cigarette lighters, Following music by the glee club, Dr. Donovan delivered his address. Dr. Donovan spent several weeks in teaching in this center years ago. Rev. H. H. Bierbaum, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Church, asked the benediction.

books, scarfs, wallet, and pipes. Finally Julie feels that she has the mental and physical stamina needed for the ordeal of shopping. Beginning at the top of the list she goes to the tie counter where three salesmen pounce upon their prey. Before she becomes accusbooks, scarfs, wallet, and pipes. prey. Before she becomes accustomd to her surroundings they exhibit ties, green, orange, red, blue, striped, plaid, and flowered. The more she looks the more grotesque they seem. She is in a greater maze than before; but finally she escapes.

She finds her way to the sock counter and looks at them dubiously, deciding to buy the divine purple pair of socks for her olderbrother. A brisk saleswoman asks the size. Size! She had never thought of the size. Oh, well, one more thing that could be checked off her list.

#### CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR MEN

The gloves are slick looking but the question of size again enters picture. To buy a shirt for Dad one also needed to know the size and shirts come in unreasonable sizes like 14½ or 15. Cigarettes are too grosaic for Christmas gifts; cigarette lighters never seem to work, so these are out.

Books seem to be the solution to the problem but upon examining them she finds such a varied selection that she can't make a choice. From the Book Department she drifts to the scarf counter. They are lovely but she can't quite imagine those four husky men wearing them. Still—... When she looks at the dull wal-When she looks at the dull wal-lets she turns away in disgust and bitter disappointment. The pipes are the last thing on her list. The salesman immediately goes into scientific explanations as to why this pipe is a much better buy than the other. Her personal opin-ion is that they all look alike, and so she turns away. so she turns away.

By this time Julie is dead with

#### Social Science Elects Ruper 40 President

The Social Science Club elected the following officers at their first meeting last month:

President, Raymond Ruper; vice president, Marguerite Rivard, sec-retary, Jean Porter; treasurer, Charles Stamper.

The next meeting was held in the men's Rrecreation Hall. At this time a program committee to arrange programs for the year and to present a chapel program was selected that consists of Evelyn Zakem, chairman, Ella Hill and Claude Harris.

## Regent Johnson Inaugurated Gov. Last Tuesday

Band Members March For Inauguration In Frankfort

200 CADETS

Richmond's Keen Johnson setled down to the task as chief executive of Kentucky after taking the oath of office as governor for a four-year term on the Capitol steps at Frankfort shortly after noon Tuesday, when he pledged himself to keep down the people's tax burden and to give "a constorctive, progressive administration of state affairs."

Johnson spoke of the "deep homility" he felt as he stood on the platform in front of the state capitol before thousands of his fellow Kentuckians.

Promising to be a "saving, thrifty and frugal governor," the 43-year-old Richmond publisher brought applause as he added: "I will not make you a spectacular governor, but I will try harnder than did any of my predecessors to make you a good, honest gover-

Shortly before, Johnson, who spoke solemnly throughout most of his inaugural address, smiled as the throng laughed at some of his remarks, particularly one that he "suspected" the quadrennial inauguration assemblage sometimes gathered "not to see that the new governor was inaugurated, but that the old one had left office."

It was a gay mass of humanity that surged upon Frankfort by trains, automobiles and trucks and road or trudged across the new Kentucky river memorial bridge and up wide Capital avenue to the capitol. It included many negro Democrats. Here and there a banner proclaimed: "We want Roosevelt in 1940."

Morning, and the decision is made. We find her at the tie counter. She closes her eyes and grabs four ties. She has each wrapped in a gift package. Her the inauguration of Keen Johnson. Several other bands were invited to march also but Eastern's band was the first one in the parade. They left in chartered buses at 7 a. m. Tuesday and returned late that afternoon. There were seventy in the band and approximately two hundred R. O. T. C. boys went also.

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over it and then decide what to

wrapped in a gift package. Her

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