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# EASTERN PROGRESS

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## MAROONS DEFEND TOURNNEY CROWN

### Governor To Present Awards

Gov. Lawrence Wetherby has accepted an invitation to present the trophies to the winners in the third annual Ohio Valley Conference basketball tournament following the final game of the meet.

Trophies will be presented to the team winning the tournament, the runner-up and the winner of the consolation game. Gold basketballs will be given the members of the winning squad and the runner-up squad.

Special engraved certificates of merit will be awarded the players named to the all-tournament team.

### The Lookout

O. V. C. Basketball Tournament starts—Armory in Louisville.

February 23:  
7:30 p. m. Recital by Training School—Little Theater.  
O. V. C. Tournament Continues.

February 24:  
O. V. C. Tournament Finals.

March 1:  
7:30 p. m. Dorothy Juett Ray speaking on "American Youth Hostelling"—Little Theater.

March 2:  
8:30 Kappa Pi Dance—Walnut Hall.

March 5:  
7:30 Recital by Peggy Sturdevant—Little Theater.

March 9:  
9:00-1:00 Military Ball—Walnut Hall.

March 12:  
8:00 Concert by George London, Tenor—Hiram Brock Auditorium.

March 14:  
7:30 Recital by the College Band—Hiram Brock Auditorium.

### New Semester Brings Changes

The spring semester opened with a number of changes in the faculty. Several members have returned after leaves of absence, two have been granted leaves of absence, one has resigned, and one new member has been added.

Miss May Hansen, education, and Mr. Virgil Burns, history, have both been granted one semester's leave of absence.

Mr. David Barnes, Industrial Arts, has resigned. His classes are being taught by other members of the department. Assisting are Miss Carroll Campbell, and Mr. Arvin Maggard, both graduate students.

Returning after a year's leave of absence is Mrs. Blanche Seever, voice teacher. Dr. J. F. Dorris, history, has returned after an absence of one semester. Mrs. J. D. Chenault, supervisor of Burnham Hall, has also resumed duties after several months' illness.

New among the faculty is Mrs. Carl Todd, registered Madison county nurse. She is now instructing two classes in Home Nursing.

### ROTC Promotes Five Cadets Here

The following promotions among the members of the Eastern ROTC Cadet Corps were announced today by the Military Science department:

George Hembree, Richmond, to Master Sergeant and Cadet Corps Sergeant-Major.

William R. Strong, Hazard, to Master Sergeant and First Battalion Sergeant-Major.

Coleman B. Witt, Richmond, to Master Sergeant and Second Battalion Sergeant-Major.

Roger D. Geyer, Vallonia, Indiana, to First Sergeant of Battery "A."

All are members of the first year advanced ROTC course at Eastern.

### Five Easternites To Med School

Five Eastern students have been accepted for admission by the University of Louisville School of Medicine, according to information received by Dr. Meredith Cox. President O'Donnell announced the five are John Blackburn from Pikeville; Harold Moberly, Jr., from Richmond; Alvin Shelton from Hazard; Roy McEndre from Covington, and Oscar Thompson from Pikeville.

### Ball Tickets On Sale

Tickets for the coming Military Ball may be purchased from any member of the Cadet Corps. The price of admission to this big is \$3.00 per couple.



QUEEN OF BASKETBALL—Miss Elizabeth "Sis" Park of Richmond (center) is shown sitting on her throne after being crowned Eastern's Queen of Basketball by the Varsity E Club. The ceremonies were held during the halftime intermission of the Eastern-Evansville game here last week. Pictured in the Queen's court are, left to right: Steve Pulawski, Mattie Gardner, Dick Wilson, Jennie Chatten, Ross Herron, crownbearer Dwight Gatwood, the Queen, Lou Daniels, crownbearer Vicki Owens, Betty Wright, Nick Semak, Marilyn Ward, Brian Gibbs and the 1950 Queen, Betty Jo Clark.

### Registrar Lists 1,275 Students

By KAY WILSON

Mr. Melvin E. Mattax, registrar, has announced that the number of students attending Eastern this semester is 1,275 as compared to 1,432 of last semester. This difference of approximately 11%, Mr. Mattax stated, is a smaller decrease than most colleges and universities have witnessed in this spring term of 1951. The fact that 125 of the 157 in decrease were male students leaves us little doubt that our Uncle Sam has had a tremendous influence on Eastern's spring enrollment.

### "E" Debaters Outpoint UK

The Eastern debaters participated in a debate tournament with the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville last Saturday, February 17, at Louisville, and defeated one of the nation's outstanding teams—the University of Kentucky.

The first debate of the morning put Eastern's affirmative team, composed of Martin J. Cunningham Jr. and Joseph Rich, against the University of Kentucky negative team. The decision resulted in a tie. Although the decision was most unusual in that a deadlock is a rarity in debate circles, the result was interpreted by Keith Brooks, Eastern coach, as a victory in view of the fact that his inexperienced debaters had checked the University of Kentucky second negative speaker, who last year was voted one of the top eight debaters in the nation.

The affirmative's second debate of the morning teamed William Greynolds with Martin J. Cunningham Jr. in an encounter with the negative team of the University of Louisville. Although the Louisville debaters conceded defeat immediately following the debate, the judges felt otherwise and gave the decision to Louisville by a one point margin. The judges stated that this debate had been the best they had witnessed during the tournament.

First debate of the morning for the Eastern negative team, composed of Victor Venotuzzi and Keith Wiggins, was against Louisville. This debate was lost by Eastern in the rebuttal speeches. However, the commendable feat occurred in their second debate when, due to their rebuttal speeches, they defeated a strong University of Kentucky affirmative team—the same team that had defeated the University of Louisville negative in the first debate.

The Eastern debaters are now pointing toward the Indiana University Invitational Tournament at Bloomington, Ind., March 2, 3 and 4. The debaters, at this tournament, will encounter schools from the Big Ten universities as well as other of the larger colleges in that section of the country.

### Sigma Tau Pi Meets

The Sigma Tau Pi held its annual Banquet Friday, January 19, 1951, at the Benault Inn. Guests of Honor were, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore and R. R. Richards.

### Eastern Awaits Military Ball

Rachel Johnson Queen; Committees Are Active

By SHIRLEY PETTIT

Eastern's annual Military Ball, the outstanding dance of the year, will be held March 9 in Walnut Hall from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m.

On hand to furnish the music will be Jimmy Featherstone and his orchestra featuring vocalist Peggy Murdoch. The Featherstone orchestra has played many successful engagements, particularly in and around Chicago.

Rachel Johnson, Vanceburg, senior, will reign as Queen of the Military Ball. On duty at her coronation will be an Honor Guard composed of all the ROTC members of the junior class. Joe Rich, Dry Ridge, junior, will be the announcer and Francis Rothwell, Rockport, Ind., senior, will do the honors of crowning the queen. With the queen will be her court of battalion and battery sponsors.

#### Sponsors Listed

These sponsors are: First Battalion, Peggy Hinton; Second Battalion, Teresita Bunsag; Battery A, Pat Powers; Battery B, Janie McCord; Battery C, Martha Smith, and Battery D, Betty Ann Webb Smith.

All of the members of the Cadet Corps are working hard to make the dance a memorable one. Roy Moores heads the decoration committee and John Dorman is in charge of the floor committee.

Tickets are now on sale at \$3.00 and may be purchased by students from members of the ROTC.

### Noted Lecturer Heard At Chapel

On January 17, Cleveland Grant, a lecturer on American birds and big game, gave an entertaining and educational program at the weekly chapel assembly in Hiram Brock Auditorium.

In the past eighteen years, Mr. Grant has delivered more than forty-five hundred bird and animal lectures to over one million, five hundred thousand people.

To get those wonderfully colored pictures that he showed, Mr. Grant and his associates rode the Rockies one thousand miles, galloped down valleys, climbed crests to film mountain goats and rams in their rocky home, and watched the sun reflect like a golden coat on the glaciers at 30 degrees below zero.

The College Assembly Committee is to be commended for securing Mr. Grant.

### Club For Pre-Meds

The Caduceus Club of the college is for pre-medical students. The club is sponsored by Dr. Meredith Cox of the chemistry department.

### Sunday Program Here

The Student Union Music Committee is sponsoring musical programs every Sunday throughout the semester. These programs are being held in Walnut Hall.

### 'Sis' Park Is Basketball Queen

By LAURA ELLIS

Eastern's gymnasium was the scene of the crowning of the 1951 basketball queen last week. This spectacle was a continuation of the annual ceremony.

The five candidates for queen and last year's queen were escorted by football players wearing their "E" sweaters.

Miss Betty Wright of Somerset, was escorted to her place beside the throne by Nick Semak. Miss Mattie Gardner of Elizabethtown followed, escorted by Dick Wilson. Next came Harlan's Miss Marilyn Ward with Brian Gibbs. Ross "Toady" Herron was the escort of Miss Jenny Chatten of Ashland. After these candidates came last year's queen, Miss Betty Jo Clark of Richmond, with Steve Pulawski. Lou Daniels had the privilege of escorting Miss Elizabeth Park, the "Basketball Queen of 1951" to her place of honor.

The throne was placed directly under the goal at the south end of the gymnasium. It was covered with the traditional "E" blanket and was banked by two baskets of flowers donated by the Richmond Greenhouse. The candidates along with their escorts were equally divided on either side of the throne.

Miss Betty Jo Clark, "Basketball Queen of 1950", crowned Miss Park with a crown of white flowers. Steve Pulawski presented to Miss Park the beautiful loving cup symbolic of the honor which she had attained. This cup was presented by The Whittington Jewelry Company of Richmond.

Elizabeth Park, better known to all of us as "Sis", is a native of Eastern's home town of Richmond. She is a junior here at Eastern. "Sis" from what we can gather is pretty much taken. Sorry, fellas, better luck next time. She is a very active member of the Kyma Club and was one of the big factors in making this year's Homecoming a huge success.

"Sis" is a mighty swell gal and we at Eastern all combine forces in saying congratulations to the "Basketball Queen of 1951."

### Cwens Are Active

Cwens, the society for Sophomore women, is becoming quite active on the campus. In addition to the varied evening programs they are presenting in Burnham Hall, the group is also sponsoring a plan of orientation for the new Freshmen this semester. Cwens is under the sponsorship of Mrs. Emma Y. Case, the Dean of Women.

### Language Club Formed

A new foreign language club, Sigma Lambda, has been organized on the campus. Films about many countries will be shown at future meetings. All students of French, Spanish, German and Latin are eligible for membership.

### Northerners Meet

Are you from northern Kentucky? Keep an eye peeled for the date of the next club meeting. It's coming soon and promises to be an important meeting.

### Clash With Marshall In Second Game Friday Night

Heading into what is probably the toughest collegiate conference basketball tournament in the nation, Coach Paul McBrayer's Maroons of Eastern open defense of their 1950 OVC tourney crown by meeting tough Marshall College in the second game of the quarter finals Friday night, Feb. 23, at the Armory in Louisville.

Jinxed with tough luck all season, it's high time for the varsity's luck to change. At least, that is the hope of Eastern's many basketball followers.

### Progress Rated "First Class"

The EASTERN PROGRESS received the rating of first class, which is a rating of excellent, by the All-American Critical Service for 1950. This Critical Service is sponsored by the Associated Collegiate Press. The award was won in a Critical Service contest in which standards are high and competition is keen.

Helen Burke, first semester editor of THE PROGRESS, has resigned. President O'Donnell will name a new editor in the near future. Clyde White will remain as business manager. Mr. Paul Duncan is THE PROGRESS faculty advisor.

### Speech, Drama Meets Held Here

By MARYLN HARRISON

A Speech Clinic for central Kentucky high school speech students was held here on February 9.

The day was devoted to debate, discussion, interpretative reading, poetry reading, public speaking and the one-act play. The purpose of this speech clinic was to give information in the fields of speech which the high schools will use for the spring festival. The speech clinic was under the direction of Mr. Keith Brooks, instructor of speech; Miss Pearl Buchanan, associate professor of English, and Dr. Roy B. Clark, head of the English Department.

#### Drama Festival

On Friday, February 16, Eastern was host to a number of schools which took part in the Regional Drama Festival. The schools attending the festival were: Clark County, Lafayette, Henry Clay, Danville, Riverside, Shelbyville, Garth, Lancaster and University High.

Every school that received a superior rating will be eligible to enter the state drama festival on March 13 at the University of Kentucky. The judges of the drama were the following: Miss Pearl Buchanan, associate professor of English, Keith Brooks, instructor of speech, and Miss Frances McPherson, of the Music Department.

Dr. Clifford Blyton, University of Kentucky, spoke on "The Importance of a Strong Speech Program in Every High School."

### Senior Class Picks Dr. Giles For Milestone

By BOB HUDDLESTON

"The Milestone this year will be dedicated to Dr. Fred P. Giles," Eleanor McConnell, editor of the Milestone, announced today. Dr. Giles is head of the Arts Department and sponsor of the senior class.

"Dr. Giles was chosen because the class wanted him," stated Clint Helton, president of the senior class.

Dr. Giles was born in McKinney, Texas, near Ft. Worth. His first hobby was composing. He graduated from Southern Methodist University with a Bachelor of Music degree. He had many of his compositions played and sung in state musical programs in Texas. From S. M. U. he went to North Texas State where he received his A. B. degree. For a while he studied piano and composition toward his Masters at the American Conservatory of Music in Chicago. He received his Masters in Art from George Peabody College at Nashville and later took his Ph. D. (Art and Philosophy) from Peabody.

World War I carried him to France where he spent 76 days on the front without relief. After the close of the war he stayed in Europe some eight months viewing many of the treasures of art.

Dr. Giles—"just a Texas longhorn who liked the grazing in the Bluegrass"—came to Eastern in September, 1939 as head of the Art department. He has come to be recognized as one of the outstanding teachers in his field. Only this month he was selected as one of some forty or fifty outstanding teachers from various parts of the country to participate in pre-convention work conferences for the National Art Education Association meeting in New York City, March 26 and 27.

#### Season History

Briefly, here is Eastern's basketball history in the 1950-51 season. Pre-season dopesters had them picked to be merely a "rebuilding team" for six veterans were lost from last year's squad which won the OVC tournament. Showing plenty of fight and a new item—reserve strength—the Maroons downed VPI 57-50 and Indiana Central 80-46 before tangling with powerful Brigham Young here early in December.

To the complete surprise of many, this young Eastern team fought highly touted BYU down to the wire before bowing 63-58. An ankle injury to 6-4 Elmer Tolson was costly in the closing minutes of this game. All-American Mel Hutchins paced the Mormons who are currently headed for post-season tourneys in New York city.

#### Big Steal

After adding an easy 78-51 win over Geneva, the McBrayermen invaded Raleigh, N. C., to battle the great North Carolina Wolfpack. Many "experts" of the South exclaimed, "That young Eastern team doesn't have a chance!" In



COACH PAUL McBRAYER

a sense they were right for NO State took a 65-64 overtime decision in what might be called "the biggest steal in the history of basketball." (A Southern Conference coach scouting this game went on record as saying "Eastern was robbed.")

But the Maroons didn't howl. They packed their bags, licked their wounds and headed home in an airplane. A few hours after arriving on the campus they whipped the University of Dayton 72-66. This same Dayton team is currently rated one of the best in the nation and is headed for either the NCAA or NIT tourney.

The season rolled on and Kentuckians were now aware that McBrayer had come up with another fine team—playing one of the toughest schedules in the country. Toledo edged Eastern 63-62 after the Maroons had knocked the University of North Carolina from the ranks of the undefeated 85-62.

Eastern's next two victims were Miami University of Ohio 70-60 and highly touted Beloit 73-64. Beloit, another team headed for the NIT, has been beaten this year only by Eastern, Murray and Marshall.

#### Injury Jinx

The "injury jinx" was already with the Maroons for Tolson had (Continued on Page 4)

#### Club For English Majors

The Canterbury Club, an organization of the English department, is open to students who are majoring or minoring in English. Its purposes are to cultivate fellowship and to develop a professional spirit among its members.

#### Eastern Grad Promoted

Lieutenant Leroy Hundemer Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hundemer, who are presently residing at 401 Third Street, Dayton, Kentucky, received his promotion from 2nd Lieutenant to 1st Lieutenant. He is currently serving with Headquarters Battery of the 5th Field Artillery Battalion as Motor Officer in Germany.

#### Home Ec Club Makes Plans

The Home Ec Club is planning a picnic for early May. A hayride is also planned.

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## Draft College Students?

The question of whether college men should or should not be deferred from military service has drawn a number of varied replies from the nation's educational leaders.

There are some, like the members of Gen. Lewis B. Hershey's advisory committees, who feel deferment should be granted to superior students. But the Association of American Universities recently issued a report urging enactment of a law to draft all men for two years of military service upon their reaching the age of 18. It was felt that the critical situation warranted such a measure.

But there were others who proposed less drastic steps. The New York State Association of Colleges and Universities declared that while basic military training for American youth was needed, their call to training should await their finishing of high school or college. The Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, president of Notre Dame University, put it this way: "The experiences of World Wars have proved the need not only in time of war, but in the vital post-war period, of men trained in colleges and universities."

Meanwhile, college officials are considering the possibility of re-establishing the old wartime acceleration program, whereby a student can graduate in three years instead of the usual four. Officials frankly admit they don't like it too much; they feel it puts too much pressure on students and faculty alike.

On January 19, representatives of the American Council for Education met to discuss these emergency problems, along with the problem of expected drop in enrollment. Some of the college heads predicted that the drop next year may exceed 50 per cent, in contrast to the 15 per cent drop earlier predicted. Such a big dip would cause many of our smaller colleges to cease operation because of financial decreases.—From the Associated Collegiate Press.

## Drive Carefully—Save Lives

By CLYDE WHITE

Have you ever really wondered what causes the many accidents which occur each minute on our streets and highways? After you have read the following facts and figures I doubt if any of you will have to wonder about any future accidents which you may hear of or witness.

Out of 100 motorists who were psychologically studied after their arrest for a traffic violation, the board of examining physicians and psychologists found that one driver was insane and one was an active epileptic. Three were handicapped physically, six had serious hearing defects and eighteen had serious vision defects. In addition, the psychologists found the following facts about the drivers: anti-social in three instances; immature in 14; overly excitable in 26; unreliable in 42; little sense of responsibility in 45; alcoholic in 46; overly suggestive in 48, and emotionally unstable and impulsive in 57.

Here are a few traffic accident facts that should interest all pedestrians as well as all drivers. While traffic accidents last year killed 9,500 people in cities, 22,000 were killed in rural areas. Last year 8,900 pedestrians were killed in automobile accidents—5,650 of them in urban areas and 3,250 in rural areas. Collisions between motor vehicles killed 10,300 people last year. Five hundred deaths were caused last year by motor vehicle collisions with bicycles. Excessive speed contributed to 18 per cent of urban highway fatalities last year and 29 per cent of rural fatalities. A driver or pedestrian was reported to have been drinking in one of four fatal traffic accidents last year. Five per cent of the vehicles in fatal accidents last year were reported to have one or more defects. Seventy-two per cent of last year's traffic fatalities occurred in rural areas and in cities under 2,500 population. Drivers can duce accidents 90 per cent by increasing travel time 10 per cent. Nine out of 10 motor vehicle accidents could be prevented by universal observance of safe driving and walking rules.

Remember, driving is a full-time job, and accidents are preventable. Why ask for an accident? If you drive, don't drink. If you drink, don't drive. Don't try to beat the light—amber means danger, too. We leave you with this closing thought: Death is so permanent!

## Foreign Study Made Easier

It has been announced by the Institute of University Studies Abroad that arrangements have been completed with five famous European universities to ease summer school registration for American students.

In the past, Americans interested in combining summer travel and study abroad had either to write to the universities for information or trust to their luck and apply for admission on arrival. As most universities limit enrollment in their summer schools, students coming from the United States were likely to be refused admission because quotas had been filled. By advance registration, the Institute of University Studies Abroad guarantees that much past confusion can now be avoided.

In 1951 there are to be Summer Schools at the Sorbonne (Paris) Madrid, Fribourg, Oxford, and at the University College, Dublin. Oxford is holding a series of residential lectures under the general title of "Arts in England in the Seventeenth Century". The University of Fribourg in Switzerland is answering a dilemma of our times and calls its course, "Divided World", offering a series of courses in history, philosophy, sociology, political science and economics, while its Pedagogical Department is inaugurating a course on "Unity in Education".

University College, Dublin, is coming into the field of summer schools with a course which probably may be the most interesting to Americans: "Great Britain and Ireland from 1800." The University of Madrid is expanding its course on the culture of Spain to include the Arabic and Jewish era of its history. While students who go to Fribourg will have the opportunity to perfect their knowledge of both French and German, and Madrid has a good Spanish course, the Sorbonne has a more specialized series for Americans who want to improve their knowledge of French and take a survey of French literature.

The Institute is making every effort to see that Americans will be able to get to the courses and that they will not be stranded for lack of proper transportation. It has approached the regular transatlantic carriers asking them to make space available to students who have registered with the Institute.

Together with a well-known travel agency, the Institute has

prepared a series of tours in connection with the summer schools in Europe, thus helping the students get a background knowledge of Europe and its current problems. This integration of both factual and academic knowledge is essential to a proper understanding of the problems which best our times.

Anyone wishing more information on studying abroad please contact: The Institute of University Studies Abroad, 1346 Connecticut Avenue, N. W., Washington 6, D. C.

### Eastern Ads

LOST: Ronson cigarette lighter and case with owners name on the inside. Lost at the Western-Eastern ball game on Feb. 6. Reward \$2. Return to Burnam Hall. Belongs to Ellis Parrent.

FOUND: Green fountain pen. Owner call at office of S. U. B.

LOST: One pair of glasses with flesh colored rims. Case has Dr. H. Feathers, Corbin, Ky., printed on it. If found please return to John Cobb, Room 424, Sullivan Hall.

LOST: Brown leather gloves in Roark Building. Please return to office of S. U. B.

LOST: Black gloves at Eastern-Western game Feb. 6. Please return to information desk in lobby of the Ad. Building.

NOTICE: Anyone wishing to buy a print of any of the club pictures that were taken for the Milestone will be able to do so at the McGaughey's Studio on S. Third street in downtown Richmond. All prints are \$1.00 each.

NOTICE: Many good positions available on THE PROGRESS staff for interested students.

LOST: Ladies travel case, ivory-red, alligator trim, vicinity of the college. Lost during November. If found please return to: Miss Joan Willenbrink, 11 E. Lakeside Park, Covington, Kentucky. Reward.

### BACK LIGHT

A pullman conductor was going through the train one night when he found a red lantern hanging on one of the lower berths. He summoned the porter and said, "Why is that red lantern hanging on Lower Six, George?" "Just look at rule No. 23," said George. "It says you should always hang up a red lantern when the rear end of a sleeper is exposed."

## Eastern's "Kentucky Room" Has Rare Collection

The Kentucky Room is one room of the Library at Eastern that possibly some students are not acquainted with. It contains over 3,900 books and thousands of letters, pictures, and pamphlets which have been written by Kentucky authors or are about Kentucky. It is situated on the right side of the mezzanine floor in the Library, and is used mainly by graduate students working on a problem relating to Kentucky.

This collection is named the John Wilson Townsend Collection in honor of John Wilson Townsend of Lexington, Kentucky, who sold his private collection of 1,700 volumes to the college to start this project in 1930. He had collected these books in doing research when he wrote his two volumes *Kentucky in American Letters*.

In order that his collection would become more valuable as time went on, Mr. Townsend tried to secure a first edition copy of each book in good condition and have the author write him a letter to put in the front. As the result, the Kentucky Room now contains many books which are invaluable and could not be replaced if destroyed. Since 1930, over 2,000 more books have been added to the collection through purchases, loans and gifts.

The library has developed an effective policy in regard to this room. First editions just off the press are purchased at regular prices and are autographed by the author if it is possible to arrange it. Files are kept of rare old books that pertain to Kentucky, but which the library cannot afford to buy. One file contains information on manuscripts and other materials which would supplement the collection and aid the student in his research. Another file contains publications and clippings which are related to Kentucky and to Eastern. Scrapbooks, both those kept by famous authors

and those kept by the library, are also found in the room.

Among other interesting things in the Townsend Collection are the compass used to survey Madison County in 1795, a complete set of the reproduced sheet music of Stephen Collins Foster, and a file of letters from famous Kentuckians. Among the outstanding sets of books are a complete set of the works of Madison Cawein, and an almost complete set of the Kentucky Geological Survey volumes. In cases in the room one can find original manuscripts of Irvine S. Cobb, Elizabeth Mattox Roberts, and others, and very old history books of Kentucky.

Another interesting and valuable thing is the collection of county histories. The library staff is attempting to obtain a complete collection of history books from all Kentucky counties. These books, along with other publications related to the counties are kept in one case. Miss Floyd and the library staff encourage students to look at home for old books or pamphlets describing county history, fairs, or any special event that can be added to this special collection. Books and material donated or loaned to this room have a special plate inserted showing the date, name and address of the donor.

## Faculty Members Prefer Greenway

Dr. J. D. Coates, Professor of Secondary Education and Principal of Model High School, and Mrs. Coates moved into their new home in the Greenway subdivision during the Thanksgiving holidays.

Many of the residents of the new subdivision are faculty members.

Mr. Virgil E. Burns, Associate Professor of History and Government, has completed his new home adjoining Dr. Coates, and he and Mrs. Burns occupied it during the Christmas holidays.

Dr. and Mrs. Roy B. Clark also moved into their new home just before Christmas. Dr. Clark is the Head of the English Department.

Mr. Horace W. Raper, Assistant History Professor, and Mrs. Raper, and their two sons moved

into their new home in October.

Miss Edith Ford, Assistant Professor of commerce, has a home under construction which she hopes to occupy in the near future.

Mr. Kerney Adams, Professor of History, and Mrs. Adams have recently enlarged their home in Greenway.

Other staff members living in Greenway are: Mrs. Helen Perry, Assistant to the Director of Personnel, Dr. D. T. Ferrell, Professor of Education, Miss Eunice Wingo, Assistant to the Dean of Women, Miss Germania Wingo, of the Education department, Dr. L. G. Kennamer, Professor of Geography and Geology, Col. William Paschall, Professor of Military Science, Mr. Ralph W. Whalin, Assistant Professor of Industrial Arts, Mr. McConnell, Bookkeeper, and Mr. A. B. Carter, Professor of Agriculture.

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## ALUMNI NEWS

### Graduate Is Guest Speaker

Miss Alice E. Kennelly, dean of girls, Holmes High School, and author of Bluegrass, a volume of verse published in 1949, was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Ft. Thomas Woman's Club January 4.

Miss Kennelly a graduate of Holmes High School, and Eastern Kentucky State College, class of 1942, received her Master's Degree from Cornell University. She also studied at the University of Cincinnati, University of Colorado and Harvard, and served as graduate assistant at Harvard and worked on her Ph. D. Degree.

"The Church by the Side of the Road," "Until Next Summer," and "Whim" are some of Miss Kennelly's poems that have been set to music. She is also the author of the theme poem on television's "Chapel of Dreams" program and has had numerous other poems published in magazines.

### Meyer Gets Degree

Harvey K. Meyer, a graduate and former member of the Industrial Arts Department, received his Ph. D. Degree at the University of Florida, Gainesville recently.

Mr. Meyer took his A. B. Degree at Berea College, Berea, Kentucky, his M. A. from Eastern in 1942, and taught at Eastern until he entered the Navy, 1943-46.

Since his release from service, he has been teaching at the University of Florida, where he has been Associate Professor of Industrial Education. His address is Box 2555, University Station, Gainesville, Florida.

### Petty Gets Promotion

William C. Petty, Jr., has been appointed Associate Manager of the Huntington Agency of the Home Life Insurance Company, New York. Mr. Petty has been

with the Company since 1946, serving as Assistant Manager, and later as an Agency Field Assistant.

Mr. Petty is married to the former Miss Eileen Frame of Harlan, Kentucky, also a graduate of the class of 1942. After Mr. Petty's graduation in 1942, he served four years in the U. S. Army, attaining the rank of major.

Mr. and Mrs. Petty have two children, Win Ellen, age four, and Phillip, age two. Their address is 2313 Woodland Avenue, Ashland, Kentucky.

### Fred Lewis Coaching

Mr. Fred Lewis, class of 1947, is coaching in a high school at Levittown, New York, and is doing graduate work at New York University. Fred expects to get his masters degree this summer. Mrs. Lewis (Eileen), class of 1946, is busy with housekeeping and caring for their daughter, Joanne, now a year old. The Lewis address is 99 Loring Road, Levittown, New York.

### Medical Memo

Sanford L. Weiler, class of 1948, expects to receive his M. D. degree in June from the University of Louisville School of Medicine. Dr. and Mrs. Weiler and their children, Sanford, Jr., age three years, and Jayne Fulton, age one year, are addressed at 124 North Randolph, Clarksville, Indiana.

### Expects to Get Masters

Mrs. Golda Wilson Thornsbury, class of 1942, expects to get her M. A. from Ohio State in March with a major in personnel management. Mrs. Thornsbury taught and served as a school principal after leaving Eastern until 1944 when she entered military service, where she served until 1946.

Mrs. Thornsbury did mental hygiene and therapy work in various Army hospitals. Her address is 183 West Sixth Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

### Anna Meade Graham Teaching

Anna Meade Graham, a member of the 1939 graduating class, is teaching at Sharonville, Kentucky. She may be addressed at Route No. 1, Sharonville, Kentucky.

### Shryocks In Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shryock moved to Cross City, Florida at the beginning of this second semester. Mr. Shryock finished his work for a B. S. Degree in January. He was an industrial arts and physical education major. Mr. Shryock has accepted a position as Industrial Arts instructor and assistant coach. Mrs. Shryock, the former Nancy Reichsparr, graduated in June, 1950, and has been assistant to the Alumni Secretary since that time. She is doing substituting at Cross City, Dixie High School, and writes that she is kept very busy at this new task. Mr. and Mrs. Shryock may be addressed at Dixie County High School, Cross City, Florida.

### Greens In The Philippines

Miss Jovita R. Varias, a member of the 1949 graduating class receiving her M. A. Degree, writes from Manila, P. I., that on December 16, 1950 she directed the first "Hanging of the Greens" at the University of Manila. Miss Varias was introduced to this Christmas program while on Eastern's campus, her American Alma Mater. A number of pictures featuring various parts of the program were sent by Miss Varias.

### New Assistant

Mrs. Robert E. Jones, the former Betty Ann Blair of Harlan, and a graduate of the class of 1950, is the new assistant to the Alumni Secretary, Miss Mary F. McKinney. Mrs. Jones succeeds Mrs. Cecil Shryock. Mr. and Mrs. Jones until recently have been living in Angola, Indiana, since their marriage September 2, 1950. Mr. Jones is a student at Eastern.

### Webb-Oak Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Webb announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Betty Webb, to Mr. J. C. Oak, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Oak.

Both are former graduates of Carrollton High School, and Mr. Oak is a recent graduate, 1950, of Eastern.

The wedding will take place in the early spring.

### We Hear From Manila

Miss Remedios M. Francisco, a graduate of the 1950 class receiving her M. A. Degree, has written from her home in Manila. "I have just arrived after taking a summer session at the Teachers College, Columbia University and a two months sojourn in Europe. I went to Paris, London, Geneva, Rome, Madrid, Lourdes, Marseilles. At this last place I took a boat passing through Port Said, Suez Canal, Djibouti, Ceylon, Singapore, Saigon, and Manila.

I found my stay in Europe and my trip back home very interesting as many of the things and places that I had read about came into reality as I saw them in museums or in their actual locale. How is the "Y"? Please extend to fellow members my regards."

### Johnstons In Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Johnston have recently bought and moved into their new home at 1813 North Tulsa, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Mrs. Johnston was the former "Betsy" Smith, class of 1944, of Shelbyville, Kentucky.

### Grant-Bassham Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. King Grant, Insull, announce the engagement of their daughter, Duple Louise, to Mr. Carl Bassham, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bassham of Verda.

The wedding is being planned for March 4 in the Insull Baptist Church. Both Louise and Carl are Eastern graduates.

### Graduate Is Teacher

Miss Lois K. Justice, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. K. H. Justice, Ashland, recently accepted a position as instructor in home economics at Ashland High School after a year and a half at Bellevue, Kentucky, where she taught. Miss Justice is a member of Eastern's 1949 graduating class.

### TV WRESTLING

Rosie entertained so many male visitors in the parlor and things were so quiet while they were in attendance that Rosie's Papa finally grew suspicious. One night he told his wife, "I've got a wonderful invention that will help us check up on Rosie. It's a television periscope. Just turn it on when Rosie is in the parlor with her fella tonight. If he holds her hand, there'll be a green light. If he kisses her, there'll be a purple light."

The contraption was set in place, the male visitor arrived, and Papa settled back for a nap. His wife awakened him by shaking him violently. "Come quick, Papa," she cried, "and see the pretty rainbow."



ARCHIE WARE

## Eastern's Ware Receives Award

By Clyde White

Archie Ware, Shelbyville, knocked out Caywood Smallwood of Lexington in 1:50 of the first round to win the welterweight crown of the Golden Gloves tournament at Lexington, February 6.

Ware was also awarded a tournament sportsmanship trophy. Ware's opponent executed a bull-like start, doing some mighty swinging and punching, but Ware, got his number and landed a blow that sent Smallwood to the canvas to stay.

Ware won state honors last year but was defeated in the national Golden Gloves battle.

## "Other Colleges"

PROFESSOR: "If I have talked too long, it's because I haven't my watch with me, and there's no clock in this hall."

STUDENT: "There's a calendar behind you."  
—THE NEWPORTER, Newport High School

Father Horrigan, dean of Bellarmine College, Louisville, says that Bellarmine is not going to close its doors because of the effect of the national situation upon the college. Father Horrigan said recently, after widespread rumors that the college would close, "I should like to say, however, with all possible clarity and emphasis that there is no question in the minds of the administrators of Bellarmine College that it will carry on its work without interruption during these trying times."  
—THE CONCORD, Bellarmine, College.

The Student Council last week tackled the Boarding Hall situation. The main problems considered by the Council were better suppers, shorter lines at noon-time, and improved working conditions. The Council also gave its support to the continuance of granting scholarships for Displaced Persons to the college next year. —THE WALLPAPER, Berea College.

What has become of the basketball officials that could keep a game under control? With the speed-up of the play has come the laxity of enforcing the rules, it seems. All over the country there have been flare-ups about officiating. Only last Saturday night there was a near riot of players and spectators at a Southern Conference game in Virginia. A lot of rough stuff is being overlooked and it is hurting the game. Why not better enforcement of the rules? —THE APPALACHIAN, Appalachian State College

### NUT HOUSE

A guard from the lunatic asylum rushed up to a farmer on the road and said, "I am looking for an escaped lunatic. Did he pass this way?"

The farmer puffed thoughtfully on his corn cob pipe and asked, "What does he look like?"

"He's very short," said the guard, "and he is very thin and he weighs 350 pounds."

The farmer looked at him in amazement. "How can a man be short and thin and still weigh 350 pounds?" he asked.

"Don't act so surprised," said the guard angrily. "I told you he was crazy."

## Orchids and Thorns

An orchid for our Coach McBrayer  
Another for the team,  
Ten orchids for the OVC  
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An orchid for the game they won,  
A thorn when we got squeezed,  
Another thorn for games we lost,  
And for blind referees.

Now an orchid for "Jumping Joe",  
Whose jumping did assist  
Eastern for these past four years,  
His presence will be missed.

Carl Eagle deserves an orchid, too,  
For his four years, he's played  
An efficient, shifty, little guard  
And given Eastern's team some aid.

Hurrah for Bales and Bingham!  
And a toast for Tolson, too!  
When Eastern needed strength this year  
These sophomores came through.

A thorn for appendicitis,  
That butchered up our plan,  
An orchid for 'ole Alex  
Who replaced our pivot man.

An orchid for Old faithful  
Upon whom we can depend,  
For when Baechtold's in there hitting,  
We are on the winning end.

An orchid for O. C. Halyard,  
And before we're completely through,  
Here's one for the last but not least (in size)—  
The Voice of Eastern, too.

—by Mousie

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### Maroons Defend Tourney Crown

(Continued from Page 1) missed most of the December games. The big forward was sidelined with the injury received in the Brigham Young game.

Morehead fell 55-49 on the Maroon court before Eastern headed on that tough jaunt to Evansville and Murray. The Aces edged them 67-63 but Murray was not so "fortunate. Undefeated in 12 starts, Murray fell 60-59 on its home court tasting defeat for the first time this season.

The Maroons were rolling now. John Carroll was whipped 90-71 at Cleveland. Back home, the Maroon and White dumped Tennessee Tech 67-46 and Marshall 87-61.

Here, disaster struck again. Heading into the stretch drive and a possible post-season tourney, Eastern lost Roger Geyer, a regular guard, for the rest of the season on a freak accident in practice. Sidelined with a badly bruised shoulder, Geyer was through.

This promising sophomore has been sorely missed. Geyer was just blossoming into a fine guard. He runs the Maroon offense perfectly. He shoots well. He is a fine passer and takes orders well. His replacements since that time have not had all these qualities.

Geyer's absence was felt in the next game—Dayton 76, Eastern 60. Murray fell again 60-51, for the second time. In a hotly contested and highly disputed game, Morehead upset the Maroons 84-74 at Morehead.

Next came the first big game with Western. Lady luck frowned on the Maroons again. The morn-

### Tourney Schedule

The tournament opens with a single game at 8 o'clock Thursday night at the Army between Murray and Tennessee Tech. Murray has beaten Tech twice—74-53 and 68-56.

The two remaining first-round games will be offered Friday night with Evansville playing Morehead at 8 o'clock and Marshall opposing Eastern at 9:15. Evansville beat Morehead 91-57 at Evansville Saturday night in the only meeting of the teams. Eastern has whipped Marshall twice—87-61 and 79-75.

Eastern and Evansville are expected to advance to the upper bracket semi-final scheduled for 12:30 Saturday afternoon. They have broken even, Evansville winning 67-63 at home and losing 71-62.

In the lower bracket semi-final, at 2:15 Saturday afternoon, Western probably will play Murray. They've split, Western winning 65-56 at Western and losing 77-70 at Murray.

Western is the choice to reach the final scheduled for 9:45 Saturday night opposite either Evansville or Eastern. Western has divided with both clubs, winning at home from Evansville 75-63 and at home from Eastern 84-80, but losing at Evansville 77-56 and at Eastern 84-70.

Officials for the tournament are Webb Porter, Frenchy DeMoisey, Ox Hartley and Bob Forsythe.

ing before the game, Jim Bingham, regular center, underwent an emergency appendectomy.

#### Trounce Western

Despite the loss of Bingham, these fighting Maroons whipped the Hilltoppers 84-70. Next to fall were Marshall 79-75 and Evansville 71-62. Eastern was winning but the loss of those two regulars was evident.

Yes it was very plain at Western in the season finale when the Hilltoppers took an 84-80 thriller to give the regular season championship to Murray—a team Eastern had beaten twice.

That's the history of the season. Just a little sprinkling of luck would have placed the Maroons in a post-season tourney. No other team in the state has been plagued this season with such ill-fortune.

Season record 16 wins and 7 losses.

#### TEST OF TEXT

PROFESSOR (clearing his throat during an examination): "Will some generous student who isn't copying from his text-book be kind enough to let me have the use of it for a few moments?"

### "Eastern Best"

(The following article is reprinted from a column by Marvin Gay in the Louisville Times. Mr. Gay interviewed Toledo's basketball coach, Jerry Bush.)

#### Plug For Paul

Coach Bush came up with another eye opener when asked to name the best team Toledo had played. His answer:

"Eastern Kentucky. We beat them, but just did as we played a top game. Eastern not only was the best team, it was the best coached. Paul McBrayer does a great job." The score was Toledo 63, Eastern 62.

Bush believes some coaches put too much stress on offense and virtually ignore defense. "They make a mistake," I think. "A good defense takes care of you when you have those bad nights, and they're bound to come."

The above statements of Bush were made before his team's 9-point loss last night to Louisville. Asked after the game if the statement on Eastern stood, he said: "It sure does." Looking ahead, he added: "I think we'll do better in that return game at Toledo."

### U. of L. Given Another Chance

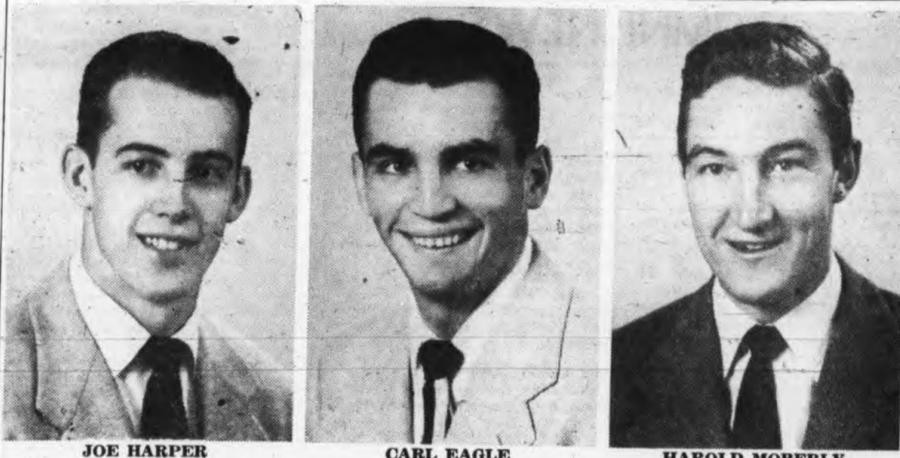
The Ohio Valley Conference has voted to appoint a three-man committee to seek a conference with University of Louisville officials about suspended Louisville's possible readmission to the loop.

After UL quit the conference in protest over an ineligibility ruling on a football player during the 1949 season, the conference suspended Louisville and prohibited conference members from scheduling the Cardinals in any sport.

A motion, seconded but not voted on, was made to lift Louisville's suspension and permit OVC teams to play the Cardinals in basketball. It was withdrawn in favor of the motion to confer with UL officials.

Named to the committee are Turkey Hughes, athletic director of Eastern; Don Ping, athletic director of Evansville, and Roy Stewart, athletic director of Murray.

They were directed to contact Louisville school and athletic authorities and report back to a conference to be held in Louisville Friday morning.



JOE HARPER

CARL EAGLE

HAROLD MOBERLY

CLOSE CAREERS—These three Maroon basketballers, appearing with the varsity in the OVC tournament, will close their collegiate careers this week. Joe Harper and Carl Eagle are finishing their fourth season. Harold Moberly, playing his third season, plans to enter med school next fall at the University of Louisville.

### SPORTS EXTRA

Those New York basketball scandals are a disgrace to college basketball. Perhaps a good way to punish those City College of New York cagers is to let them enter the Ohio Valley Conference tournament . . . In three games required to win the championship—they would take a "real" beating . . . But then those big shots might be lost on a basketball court other than the Garden . . . This column still maintains that the best tournament in the history of basketball could be held in the Coliseum in Lexington—if a certain brown suited coach would allow it. Or is he too powerful for the taxpayers who built the fine structure???

Jim Bingham may see limited action in the tourney. The big sophomore can't wait to get back into action. In fact, he begged Coach Paul McBrayer to let him play at Western last Saturday night. The "big Irishman" declined for he is more interested in Bingham's health and future . . . Ironically enough, regulars Bingham and Roger Geyer sat side-by-side on the bench at Western in civilian clothes. Geyer, through for the year, has been out since January 23. Bingham underwent an emergency appendectomy on February 5. He will not be used without an official approval from his attending physician.

Maroon grizzer Charles Edge has left the campus bound for the Navy . . . The intramural basketball league is a red-hot one this year. Their annual tournament promises to be a good one . . . Betcha' a milk shake that the University of Louisville isn't interested in re-joining the Ohio Valley Conference. The Cards would like to play two or three OVC teams annually—but that is all. Eastern, interested in playing the best competition available, wants to book them in basketball and football. Two conference teams refused to consent to Eastern's booking U. of L. at a meeting last Sunday. Wonder just how long they plan to keep the Cards on their restricted list. Eastern initiated the move to put Louisville back on a non-restricted status.

Baseball season is just around the corner and Maroons fans are looking forward to another fine team. Baseball Coach C. T. Hughes will be working on the coming schedule at an OVC meeting Friday in Louisville. Coach Hughes urges pitchers and catchers to contact him. Initial workouts are scheduled for March 1.

Want to compare some scores—The University of Kentucky defeated DePaul by only 60-57 . . . Beloit College, a victim of Eastern this year, walloped DePaul 94-60. Eastern whipped Beloit 73-64.

### Three Teams Lead Intramural Play

By JEROME YOUNG

The Termites, defending champion of the Intramural Basketball League, are tied for first place with three victories against no defeats with the Bellevue Rockets and Flying Eight quintets. Rogers' Rangers trail closely behind with two wins and no losses, after postponing a game with the Clayjacks. Twelve teams make up the league.

The Bellevue Rockets raced over the Libeteers 55-21 and the Clayjacks 46-20, and then squeezed by the Campus Dragons 27-24.

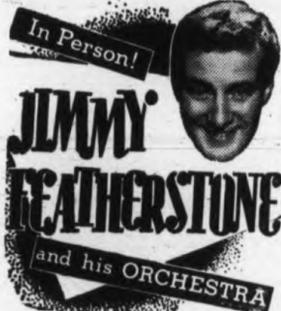
The Termites had not trouble downing I Tappa Keg 58-13, Shooting Stars 48-34, and Godby's Tomcats 48-12.

The Flying Eight quintet was pressed to defeat the Clayjacks 59-55, Campus Dragons 41-33, and the Dead End Kids 31-28.

Rogers' Rangers outshot the Shooting Stars 32-15 and eked out a 32-25 win over the Libeteers.

#### League Standings

Team	W	L
Bellevue Rockets	3	0
Termites	3	0
Flying Eight	3	0
Rogers' Rangers	2	0
Dead End Kids	2	1
Libeteers	1	2
Godby's Tomcats	1	2
Campus Dragons	1	2
Cougars	1	2
Clayjacks	0	2
I Tappa Keg	0	3
Shooting Stars	0	3



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