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By Sigmund Snakepit

Some Notes Nobody Will Read

Someday we're going to surprise you by putting out a real, honest-to-goodness newspaper. On that day no one will be more surprised than the staff. The miracle issue will probably sneak up on us; first thing we know the week will have passed and all the copy will be in on time—no, not just all of it, but copy in big heaps so there won't be that old bogey of running short to scare us. All the engravings will return in time. There will be the right amount of ads. In short, the rag will look like a newspaper.

Oh, there's going to be some changes made all right. This will be a newspaper full of news and not verse. Not that we have anything against verse but there is a better place for it. And there aren't going to be any more repulsive cute little announcements of dances to be given by the United Spooks of Burnam; there will be no more nauseating sketches of campus characters (in the worst sense of the word). Oh, yes, now we come to the question of by-lines. If by accident a good worker is omitted from the mast-head, he certainly deserves a by-line. But we're tired of these egotistical spooks that have to have a by-line on everything, even if it's only a paragraph on the freshman pool

Letter to the Editor

To The Editor:

Liberty of thought is a priceless American heritage. But it is no longer news that this heritage has been trampled upon at the University of Washington where three professors were fired for holding unorthodox political beliefs.

An immediate consequence of this action was the spontaneous formation of the Students Organization for Academic Rights (SOAR), which is a non-partisan organization of students with a broad representation of political and social opinions, governed by 25 outstanding student leaders. SOAR is united in the aim of preserving freedom of thought and expression on the University of Washington campus and in support of the policies of the American Association of University Professors. We do not attempt to answer current questions concerning Communism and Democracy nor to pass judgement on any ideology, but rather maintain that every man should be judged individually by his peers on the basis of his acts and that therefore a professor's qualifications to teach should be finally judged by his colleagues on the basis of his actual performance in the classroom as attested to by his students and by colleagues in his field.

In order to express publicly our strong belief in these basic ideals of American Democracy, SOAR immediately held a student rally at the University Unitarian Church at which three university professors and a Unitarian minister spoke in defense of our apparently fast disappearing freedom of academic thought on the University of Washington campus. The same week an open letter to the AAUP was circulated for student signatures. We have since held several other rallies and are now planning on bringing nationally recognized educators, writers and scientists to the University.

We are writing you as fellow students for two reasons: first, because you should realize that academic freedom may at any time be abrogated on your campus; and second, to enlist your aid in the battle that SOAR is spear-heading at the University of Washington. Our funds come from voluntary student contributions and are consequently limited. To those of you who are deeply concerned over these issues and would like to help further the cause that SOAR is pledged to uphold, contributions may be made payable to the Students Organization for Academic Rights and mailed to 2710 Westlake Ave. No., Apt. No. 1, Seattle 9, Washington. Even more important, write to Dr. Ralph Elmstead, Secretary, American Association of University Professors, 1101 Connecticut Ave. N. W., Washington 6, D. C. expressing your dissatisfaction with the recent action taken at the University of Washington. For further information about SOAR and its work, contact Miss Afton Woolley, Correspondence Chairman at the above address. Very truly yours, Robert W. Craig, Chairman, SOAR

Educators Confer At Eastern

A regional conference of approximately 50 superintendents, high school principals, and other educators from eastern and central Kentucky counties was held on the campus of Eastern Kentucky State College, yesterday. The meeting was sponsored jointly by the State Department of Education and Eastern Kentucky State College. The theme of the conference was based on problems of teacher education especially as related to teacher shortage and emergency certificates.

The morning program was held in the Little Theater of the Student Union building with the director of public relations, D. J. Carty, presiding. The following program was given:

"The Teacher Situation in Kentucky," Miss Louise Combs, director of certification, Department of Education, Frankfort, Kentucky; "What the Teachers Colleges Can Do to Me in Providing Teachers," Mrs. Mayme West Scott, superintendent of Estill county schools; "Attacking the Problem of Teacher Education," Dr. W. J. Moore, dean, Eastern Kentucky State College.

Miss Combs praised the record Eastern Kentucky State College has made and is making toward the in-service training of teachers in the state by conducting seven summer workshops and 16 extension centers during the past year. She stated that of the 4509 emergency teachers in the schools in Kentucky, 2,000 went to school last summer and an additional 1,000 were enrolled for correspondence work.

Miss Combs presented the results of a study which she has made on the number and training of emergency teachers by counties in the state. She pointed out the need for more qualified elementary teachers in the state and the importance of recruiting young men and women to train for elementary teaching.

Mrs. Scott urged the establishment of model rural one- and two-teacher schools in several of the county districts where student teachers could be assigned for their work in practice teaching. She pointed out that such an arrangement would lead to a better understanding of the rural child's problems in growth and development and would better enable the student teacher to gain firsthand experience in the techniques involved in dealing with the parents, the pupils, and the community.

Dr. W. J. Moore quoted from a study made by the Commission on Teacher Education and Professional Standards of the National Education Association which pointed out that the elementary school enrollment is expected to increase approximately 7,000,000 in the next 10 years and that as a result of this increase, approximately 100,000 new elementary teachers must be turned out each year for the next 10 years. He further pointed out that last year our colleges graduated only 12,000 new elementary teachers.

Cites Ideal Program

He stated that "definitely the problem facing American public educators is the preparation of well-qualified elementary teachers." Dr. Moore pointed out that, although we have had to retreat temporarily during the war emergency, that we should take as our goal for teacher preparation our long-range program which was enacted into law in 1934, fixing a five-year training program as the goal for teacher preparation. He said, "We shall never solve this problem of inadequate teaching staff at the elementary level until we Americans are willing to recognize the seriousness of the situation and to master determination adequate to solve it."

The luncheon and afternoon meeting was held in the Blue Room with President W. F. O'Donnell presiding. The main part of this program consisted of the discussion of problems relating to teacher shortage and certification.

Dr. Hesseltine Lectures On "History For Common Man"

"The history that is taught must be the history of the common man if the man-in-the-street is to be given a richer and fuller knowledge of the American heritage," the students and faculty of Eastern State College were told in an address this morning by Dr. William B. Hesseltine, professor of history at the University of Wisconsin. Taking as his theme, "History for the Common Man," Dr. Hesseltine said that we are faced today with two fundamental problems—the maintenance of the integrity of the region and the preservation of the rights of individual man.

In political and economic life, he said, we are confronted with a conflict of forces which have an inexorable tendency to wipe out the actual differences between the regions, to destroy the individual character and integrity of the community, and to mold all communities into one standardized and easily controlled pattern. The place to begin a new, vital, and personal investigation into American institutions is in the local communities, Dr. Hesseltine declared, stating that a careful study of the governments of the local communities is the key to the understanding of American society and a guide to its continued progress.

Certain studies reveal that the study of history has tended to become sterile and has forgotten some of its original motivations, the speaker said. He added that scholarly history began with the study into the integral relationships between events and that history is not concerned with a mere memorization of facts.

A Title For Browning

By JOHN B. DAVIS

While the last issue of the Progress still retained its smell of undried ink and its gloss of newness which is characteristic of new print, a group of students in the biology laboratory were scrutinizing the pictures of our heroic quintet of the hardwood and our gaunt sleek representatives of the aquatic sport, before starting to draw some pictures of frog eggs. The athletes were all handsome clean-cut specimen who wore smiles of attainment or expressions that commanded respect and admiration.

with some remorse in his tone, "My name appeared in the paper when I was born announcing my arrival into the world, and the next time it is printed it will probably appear in the obituary column." Another of the readers laughingly pointed to a cartoon which portrayed the visage of an emaciated monstrosity and said, "There is my picture." You are wrong, Gordon. Here is your name in print: Gordon Browning.

Gordon is six feet tall, weighs one hundred and forty pounds, and his chest measures forty inches, but this does not describe him. He is not handsome. It is not necessary for him to carry a crooked stick with which to beat away the coeds. He is not the type of boy who would be elected president of his class of Mr. Popularity, although he would make a good one in either case. He dresses for warmth and comfort rather than for style. He would not feel or look at ease on the dance floor. Many of the students who started out with Gordon at Eastern do not know him yet, and the instructors know him more by his written work and seat number than as a personality. He is a hard lad with whom to make an acquaintance because he frequents such gloomy places as a laboratory or the dark corners of the reading room in the library. Most of the remarks about Gordon Browning would be stated in the negative. When one commits rape, larceny, or murder the papers are glad to print his name, but Browning would not pursue such a course.

Since Gordon is usually spoken of in the negative a new title should be created and bestowed upon him. It grieves me deeply to cast one vote for the unanimous election of Gordon Browning as "Mr. Unpopularity" on Eastern's campus.

Those few of us who are acquainted with "Mr. Unpopularity" know that there is a strange activity in the cephalic region of his body that may someday write his name in neon tubing. We think he is a pretty nice chap in spite of the fact that he aint worth a damn.

Burns Kin Dies

Mrs. J. P. Burns, 77, mother of Dr. Virgil E. Burns of the Eastern State College faculty, died at her home at Eddyville Monday at 7 a. m. after a lingering illness. Funeral services were conducted in the Bethany cemetery in Lyon county at 2 p. m. Wednesday.

FASHION NEWS!

Advertisement for GABARDINE Suit Topper. Price 24.98. UNITED DEPT. STORE. A versatile little coat to team with suits and skirts, or to wear by itself. Popular 35 inch length. Spring suit shades.

The Professor

- American Association of University Professors Bulletin (ACP)—Professor Harold Larrabee writes for college professors: If he's brand new at teaching, he lacks experience. If he's been teaching all his life, he's in a rut. If he dresses decently, he's trying to be a fashion plate. If he thinks about something besides clothes, he's a bum. If he seldom admits a mistake, he's arrogant. If he ever admits a mistake he ought to go back to bricklaying. If he plants an occasional joke in lectures, he's a comedian. If he never condescends to an academic nifty, he's duty dull. If he goes to chapel with regularity, he's a hypocrite. If he shies at sermons he's a heathen. If he writes books, he's neglecting his teaching. If he never publishes, he's never had a thought worth printing. If he hands out plenty of high grades, he has no standards. If he hands out plenty low grades, he's a butcher. If he uses notes, he unoriginal. If he gets along without notes, he's an ad-libber. If he sticks to his specialty, he's got a one-track mind. If he tours the encyclopedia, he's a show-off. If he can't identify Fritzie Zivic and Jack Kramer, he isn't human. If he listens to sports broadcasts, he's illiterate. If he gets paid for outside work he's greedy. If he does work for nothing, he's a sucker. If he stands up while teaching, he's oratorical. If he sits down while teaching, his feet hurt. If he young, he needs more seasoning. If he's old, he's seen better days. If he gives a lot of quizzes, he's a slave-driver. If he seldom gives a test, he's too lazy to read papers. If he gets his name in the newspapers, he publicity mad. If he never appears in the public prints, he's so much deadwood. If he takes an active part in faculty business, he's a politician. If he never serves on a committee, he's a work dodger. If he's on good terms with the president he's a sychophant. If he doesn't wear out the stairway from the Ad building, he's disloyal.

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**SOCIETY**

**BLAKE-KITTRILL**

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Blake of Richmond announce the engagement of their daughter Nancy Elizabeth to Harold Leslie Kittrell, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Leslie Kittrell of Columbus, Ohio.

**GURLEY-FORTNEY**

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED**  
Miss Betty Ruth Gurley's engagement to Mr. T. Guy Forney, Jr. has been announced by her mother, Mrs. Mary Gurley of Harlan, Kentucky. Betty is a junior at Eastern.

Mr. Fortney, the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Guy Fortney also of Harlan, attended Eastern and is in his second year at Medical School at the University of Louisville.

Plans for a summer wedding are being made.

**SWANSON-HAMILTON**

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Swanson of Rockledge, Fla., announce the marriage of their daughter, Doratha, to Russell Stouffer Hamilton, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Chenault of Richmond.

They were married February 7th by the Rev. F. G. Gilbert, minister of the Methodist Church in Folkston, Ga.

Mrs. Hamilton was graduated with the class of 1946 from the Titusville High School and is now a student at Eastern Kentucky State College.

Mr. Hamilton is a graduate of Madison High School and attended Eastern Kentucky State College. He is a veteran of four years of Naval Service and is now in business in Richmond.

Mrs. Hamilton is now with her parents in Rockledge for a short visit.

**Campus Personalities**

By E. J. Shannon

October 7, 1930 was a day destined to go down in history. Yep, that's the day when Barbara Insho, that gal with wads of personality, was born. Insho hails from Paris where she was a cheerleader at Paris High School.

This green-eyed, brown-haired freshman is crazy! about athletics and is a member of the W. A. A. Her favorite sport is swimming, although, we hear she's truly a dead shot on the basketball floor. Her favorite food is fried chicken.

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**JERRE L. NOLAND, Ph.D.**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Turley Noland and grandson of Mrs. Jerre B. Noland, Barnes Mill road, has recently accepted a temporary appointment as post doctorate fellow in biochemistry at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis.

Dr. Noland received his Ph.D. degree in biochemistry-zoology in January, 1949, after two years of graduate study at Wisconsin including research on dietary requirements of insects. He is the first person at Wisconsin to receive the Ph.D. degree with a joint major in biochemistry and zoology.

A former student at Eastern (1938-1941), Dr. Noland had previously received his B.S. and M.S. degrees at Purdue University before accepting a commission in the Naval Reserve in 1944. He served two years in the Pacific and after returning, entered the University of Wisconsin. He has done intensive study of certain biological problems in relation to insects, with long range view of learning to control them by chemical means.

Dr. Noland plans to continue research on fundamental biochemical problems relating to insects and other invertebrate animals.

and her favorite song is "All My Love Belongs To You" by Bucee Moose Jackson.

Her favorite expression is "I'd like to have a hamburger," even after those four weeks of solitary confinement.

Barbara has one main ambition in life—Not to become the first woman president or to make a million dollars. Nope, she wants to be on House Council !!

One of the best liked men on campus is Hugh Alfred Shryrock, better known as "The Walrus." Hugh was born November 7, 1924 in Lawrenceburg where he starred in basketball during his high school days.

Hugh was in the Navy for three years before coming to Eastern where he's captivating all the gals with that smoo-o-th dancin'!

A strict teetotaler, Hugh wants everyone to know how he feels on the subject,—and they do!! His favorite food is steak, his favorite song is "Deep Purple," and his most frequent saying is "I'm broke"—Don't know why 'cause he's planning on being a banker after graduation. He likes the hours—9 to 3.

Dry your tears, girls, 'cause this column made a mistake. Al Shea didn't go in the Navy after all. Reckon we can go on livin' now.

**Tribute To Mrazovich**

(The following poem was sent in by an unknown writer. Progress Sports is happy to print this fine tribute to a fine ball player, Chuck Mrazovich.)

Two decades and one half ago, into this world there came, a brown-eyed, dark haired boy, he was

Chuck Mrazovich by name. Day by day and year by year, grow manly, strong and tall, until he, from head to toe, measured six-foot five in all. A lanky lad, a desire to play, will in his twenty-second year, When Rankin, on a blessed day, found and brought him here. With him came a talent great, with him those warming grins. He also brought much needed strength

and two very helpful friends. Many the hours he worked away, to learn the skillful art. But much of the credit still belongs, to a coach who well helped do his part.

We now can say, and we find it is true, so goes Chuck, goes Eastern too.

And if Chuck is hot then the team is right, Eastern will have clinched a victory that night. Our team must work together, for it is as a might man and Chuck the backbone of him must be there to make him stand. But Eastern is a team, and not a Chuck alone, he is but the framework around which the team has grown. Chuck's birthday anniversary was celebrated in an ugly way, for he and all his team mates tasted bitter defeat that day. I think that day should be forgotten and for Mrazovich's sake

treat him to all the Mrazaberrie ice cream he can eat, and a great big birthday cake

**International Art Competition Offers Cash Prizes**

Art instructors in American colleges, universities and high schools—and college art students—have been invited to enter paintings in a new art competition which will offer \$30,000 in cash prizes for the best paintings of Christmas themes submitted by American and French artists.

More than 4,700 French artists already have entered the French section of the competition, and an even greater number of American artists are expected to vie in the American section, according to Vladimir Visson, director. The project, largest one of its kind in art history, is sponsored by Hall Brothers, Inc., greeting-card publishing firm, and is known as the 1949 Hallmark Art Award.

The grand international prize will be \$3,500, with a number of prizes in each of the two national divisions, running up to a \$2,000 top in each, said Visson. He is director of exhibitions for Wildenstein Galleries of New York and Paris, which is co-operating in the program.

A prospectus of rules and entry blanks may be obtained by writing to: Director, Hallmark Art Award, Wildenstein and Company, 19 East 64th Street, New York 21, New York.

The objective of the Hallmark award, Visson said, is to encourage today's painters and bring recognition to the best in contemporary art by building a truly mass audience for meritorious works.

Mass circulation of the outstanding new works of today's American and French artists will be achieved through the reproduction, on Hallmark Christmas cards, of selected paintings entered in the competition by artists of both countries. In addition to prizes for winning paintings in both countries, royalties will be paid on those paintings selected for Christmas-card use, Visson said.

Paintings received in the French section will be judged this June in Paris by a committee of France's outstanding art authorities. The French judges include Rene Huyghe, director of paintings and drawings of the Louvre Museum; Jean Cassou, director of the French Museum of Modern Art; Philippe Huisman, former director general of Fine Arts in France; and Raymond Cogniat, inspector-in-chief of Fine Arts in France.

The winning French paintings will be shown at the Wildenstein galleries in Paris in June, then will be shipped to America for international judgment December at the Wildening and a public showing early stein galleries in New York. A committee of outstanding American art authorities will judge the American section's paintings.

Early in 1950 nationwide showings of the award-winning paintings will get under way in major American cities.

**Greater Opportunities In Rural Education**

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 4—Greater opportunities for teachers and prospective teachers in the field of rural education are predicted in the years ahead as the result of a two-year study recently completed by the National Commission on School District Reorganization.

Findings and conclusions of the study have been released in a 286-page report, entitled "Your School District, in which the commission urges reorganization of school districts throughout the nation and sets up a program of action for achieving improved districts.

The one-room school house, operated by thousands of districts today at a high per-pupil cost, will gradually disappear when the commission's plans for reorganization are put into effect. In their place, educators predict, will be some of the finest schools in the nation.

Consolidation of school districts will be guided by certain standards set up by the commission. Administrative units are satisfactory, according to the commission's recommendations, when they are large enough to provide schools in which: (1) the enrollment in the kindergarten and grades one to six is not fewer than 175 pupils with at least seven full-time teachers, a more desirable minimum being 300 or more pupils with 12 or more teachers; (2) the enrollment in junior and senior high school grades is not fewer than 300 pupils, with a minimum of 12 full-time teachers; (3) elementary pupils are required to travel not more than 45 minutes and high school pupils not more than one hour each way between home and school; and (4) each elementary school serves a neighborhood or small community center and each high school serves a larger community, with every community having a school.

Through consolidation, local school administrative units will be able to provide: The services of educational and business administration; supervision of attendance, instruction and transportation; school library service, and community library service if the community has not public library; adult education leadership; physical and health examinations of children; specialists for the identification of a typical children; the services of school psychologists and nurse-teachers; and a research staff.

Sponsored by the Rural Education Project of the University

of Chicago and the Department of Rural Education of the National Education Association, the long-range goal sought by the National Commission is the development of an educational program that will stimulate and guide each individual in developing his abilities to their fullest extent for useful satisfying living. This can be accomplished the commissions believe only when schools are well enough equipped and well enough staffed to offer a rounded educational program to every boy and girl in the nation.

**Herndon Addresses Local Exchange Club**

Dr. Thomas Herndon, faculty member at Eastern State College, was the guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Richmond Exchange Club dinner meeting held in the Glyndon Hotel Monday evening.

Dr. Herndon spoke about his six weeks spent in England last summer as a member of the United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organization. This group of world wide citizenry was selected from the member nations of the United Nations organization for the purpose of international understanding.

"European members of the United Nations fear the attitude of Russia," stated Dr. Herndon. He also stated that in his opinion the English people are "the most patient and orderly people he met."

**Eastern Will Not Enter Any Tourney**

Basketball Coach Paul McBrayer of Eastern Kentucky State College yesterday said a post-season tournament in which the Maroons were interested had been cancelled.

He added that as a result, Eastern's playing season apparently ended with the Ohio Valley Conference Tournament at Louisville last week, in which Eastern was the consolation winner.

The post-season tourney which McBrayer said had been cancelled was an invitational at Detroit. Eastern had received feelers from the tourney managers earlier.

McBrayer's announcement most likely means the team is not interested in a possible bid from the National Intercollegiate Tourney at Kansas City.

**Swimming Team Tops Berea 47-28**

After dropping their first meet to a superior Louisville squad, 51-24, the Maroon tankmen swam back into win column by drowning its rival, Berea College, by a score of 47-28.

An enthusiastic crowd watched the natators of Eastern, take only two first places out of nine to lose to a more experienced group of Cardinal swimmers Tuesday evening, February 17, at the Weaver pool. High point man for Eastern was Johnny B. Noland, who won the 50 and 100 yard freestyle events.

On the following Monday, Charles "Turkey" Hughes took five of the Eastern performers, along with his 9-year old son Allen, to Louisville to swim in the Kentucky Closed A. A. U. Championships. The Maroonment won medals in every event they entered. The relay team, composed of John Kellar, Russell Scalf, Jack Kerley, and John B. Noland took first in the 160 yard freestyle relay. Noland and Charles Dickerson supported the performance by taking third places in the 100 yard freestyle and 100 yard backstroke, respectively. Allen Hughes stroked his way to a second place in the 40 yard freestyle for boys 10 years of age and under, thus completing a successful evening.

Two days later, Wednesday, February 23, the Maroon mermen journeyed to Berea to swim against the charges of Coach Norman D. Fenn. Enjoying their most successful evening since the reorganization of Eastern competitive swimming, the Easterners outstroked the Mountaineers 47-28, taking 6 out of 9 first places. Johnny B. Noland was again high point man, sparking his team with wins in the 50 yard and 100 yard freestyle events and the 400 yard freestyle relay for a total of 17 points. Charles Dickerson followed with 13.

- SUMMARIES**
1. 300 yard Medley Relay—won by Berea, Time: 3:41.
  2. 220 yard Freestyle—1st, Dickerson (E); 2nd, (B); 3rd, Kerley, (E), Time: 2:52.
  3. 50 yard Freestyle—1st, Noland (E); 2nd, Scalf (E); 3rd, (B), Time: 27.0.
  4. Diving—1st, (B); 2nd, Elliott (E); 3rd, Robbins (E), Winning points: 61.3.
  5. 100 yard Freestyle—1st, Noland (E); 2nd, (B); 3rd, Kerley (E), Time: 1:02.
  6. 150 yard Backstroke—1st, (B); 2nd, Dickerson (E), 3rd, (B), Time: 1:58.
  7. 200 yard Breaststroke—1st, Massey (E); 2nd, Amburn (E); 3rd (B); Time: 6:49.
  8. 440 yard Freestyle—1st, Dickerson (E); 2nd, Elliott (E); 3rd (E), Time: 6:49.
  9. 400 yard Freestyle Relay—won by Eastern (Kellar, Scalf, Kerley, Noland), Time: 4:30.
- Eastern will meet Berea in a return match at Weaver Health Building Pool on Monday evening, March 14.

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# Maroons Finish Third In OVC Tourney

## WESTERN WINS OVC CROWN

Eastern's Maroons copped third place in the sizzling Ohio Valley Conference tourney at Louisville last week by whipping Morehead 64-44 in the consolation tilt. Western's Hilltoppers won the championship Saturday night by defeating Louisville 74-68.

Earlier Saturday afternoon, Western eliminated the Maroons 70-54 in a semi-final clash before a packed Armory house.

**Trounce Thoroughbreds**  
In their opening battle of the tournament, Eastern played near perfect ball in trouncing Murray 73-41. This conquest marked the third time this season that the charges of Coach Paul McBrayer had beaten the rival Breds from across the state.

The Maroons got off to a fast start and ran up an amazing 42-16 lead on Murray before the intermission horn sounded. With the Maroon reserves finishing out the contest, Eastern chalked up its 16th victory by a 73-41 count. Ed Shemelya paced the scorers with 13 markers and Bobby Coleman tallied 12.

**Lose Semi-final**  
In the payoff tilt against Western on Saturday afternoon, the Maroon guns weren't hitting. While Western was playing one of its great games of the season, Eastern was off stride—and that was the difference. By comparison, Eastern shot a low 25% while the Hilltoppers hit for nearly 40%. Despite that factor, the McBrayer crew fought every inch of the way and didn't stop until the final horn sounded.

Paul Hicks paced the Maroons in that fray with 16 points while Mrazovich trailed with 14.

**Whip Morehead**  
In the consolation game, the Maroon and White met Morehead for the third time this season. In whipping the Eagle crew of Ellis Johnson 64-44, the Maroons chalked up their 9 consecutive triumph over their neighboring rivals.

Morehead held a lead throughout most of the first half. However, Eastern moved into a 31-19 half-time lead and was never headed after that.

"Jumpin' Joe Harper" had a field day against the Eagles in chalking up 20 points on 5 baskets and 10 free throws. Harper hit 10 of 11 charity tosses. Carl Eagle was close behind Harper with 15 markers.

This victory gave the Maroons a final season record of 17 wins and only 4 losses, not bad in any league.

## FROSH FIVE WINS FINALE

**By JEROME YOUNG**  
The Freshmen shellacked the Midway Independents by the lopsided score of 95-18 in their home finale. The Frosh were leading 41-6 at halftime.

Elmer Tolson, forward, dumped in 32 points to be high scorer for the night. He garnered 22 points in the first half. Afton Kordenbrock, who played about ten minutes, tossed in 15 points to gather second place honors. Bill Bargo was next in line with 13 points.

The Maroons jumped into a 18-0 lead with only ten minutes having elapsed in the game. Midway then broke the ice to toss in a free-throw. All of the Maroon substitutes played and everyone scored.

Elmer Tolson has a total of 107 points in five games for a 21.2 points per game average.

The Freshmen won four out of five games the past season.

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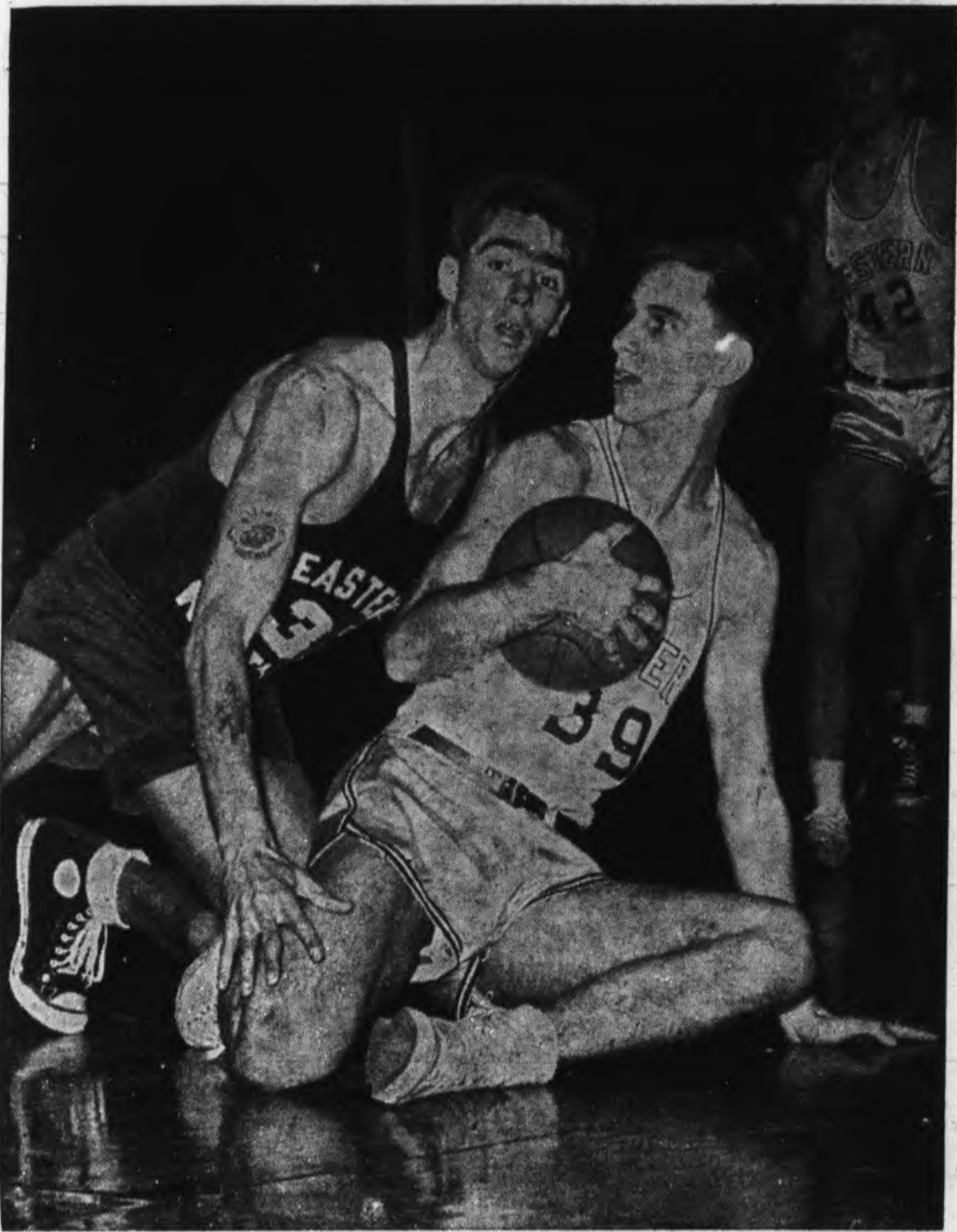
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NO IT'S MINE—Western's Jack Turner clutches the ball while Chuck Mrazovich stares at the referee standing nearby. The Hilltoppers won the hot OVC semi-final from the Maroons 70-54. At right is Western's Johnny Oldham. (Photo courtesy Courier-Journal)

## BELLEVUE COPS TOURNERY

**By JEROME YOUNG**  
Bellevue outlasted the Practice Teachers 28-19 to win the intramural League Basketball Tournament. The Practice Teachers, dark-horses of the tournament, were behind 21-19 with only three minutes of the game remaining. When the regulars started to foul out of the game, Bellevue used the fast break to go on to victory.

Mark Lohr, the mainstay of the Practice Teachers quintet, scoring a total of 66 points in the tournament, was by far the most valuable player of the tournament. He scored the winning field goal against Pavy's Meat Market to help his team win 34-33, and did the same against the Eastern Rods 25-23. Lohr's control of the backboards was amazing.

The Practice Teachers defeated the Ramblers 32-19 in first round play, and surprised Pulaski County, last year's winner, 36-24.

Bellevue, before reaching the finals, pounced on the Campus Trotters 44-29, and trounced the Bell Hops 41-24. They upset the Five Aces 29-22 in the semi-final play. Shay's excellent rebounding and Plantholt's skill at the free-throw line was instrumental in this surprise.

Shelby County defeated the Breathitt Blue Devils 24-15, and then upset a taller, more experienced Harlan County five 41-35. The Shelby County boys were small, but they made up for this lack in speed and determination. They were beaten by the Eastern Rods, giant killers, 42-31.

The best sportsmanship was displayed by Don Franklin, big center for the Sleepers. His sportsman-like way was superb both in season play and in the tournament.

### TOURNAMENT SCORES

- Pavy's Meat Market 42, Franklin Furnace 34.
- \*Practice Teachers 32, Ramblers 19.
- \*Practice Teachers 36, Pulaski Co. 24.
- \*Eastern Rods 26, Sleepers 19.
- Shelby Co. 24, Breathitt B. D. 15.
- \*Shelby Co. 41, Harlan Co. 35.
- Five Aces 29, Hillbillies 24.
- Loafers 42, Independents 20.
- Loafers 42, Foul Balls 18.
- Bellevue 44, Campus Trotters 29.
- Peewee's 28, Shmoos 21.
- Bell Hops 36, Pewee's 18.
- \*Practice Teachers 34, Pavy's Meat Market 33.
- Eastern Rods 42, Shelby Co. 31.
- Five Aces 31, Loafers 28.
- Bellevue 41, Bell Hops 24.
- \*Practice Teachers 25, Eastern Rods 23. (Semi Finals).
- \*Bellevue 29, Five Aces 22. (Semi-Finals).
- Bellevue 28, Practice Teachers 19. (Finals).
- \*—Denotes Upsets in tournament.

## POOL TEAM TIES O. S. U.

Eastern State College was recorded as tying with Ohio State University in the February 23 pocket billiard tournament which was sanctioned by the National Association of Colleges and the Billiard Congress of America.

Eastern was logged as making 674 points out of 750. Leroy Kinman, Eastern student, was high point man for the event with 149 points out of a possible 150.

Forty-three teams participated in the tournament and were divided into five groups. All games were played on home tables, and the results reported by telephone. Summary: High Scorers Eastern State 674 Kinman-149 Ohio State Univ. 674 Edemon-139 Univ. of Ky. 564 Mayre-121 Va. Poly. Inst. 529 Sayre-121 Univ. of Ga. 500 Fox-116 Univ. of Fla. 498 Taylor-128 Univ. of Dayton 440 Wright-121 Cincinnati U. 413 McClung-118

## WAA SPORTS TOPPER

**By DODO WALKER**  
Progress Sports Reporter  
Proving the adage that good things come in small packages is versatile little Jane Wilhoite, this month's Sports Topper.

Jane, better known as "Speedy," hails from nearby Frankfort, Ky., and is a sophomore. She is majoring in Physical Ed and Biology and plans to teach in a college after she graduates. She is president of Owens, National Honorary Society for sophomore women. Jane is also vice president of W. A. A.

She is an outstanding hockey player, a fine swimmer and does well at tumbling. Jane also shines at basketball, tennis and softball.

Next summer she plans to work as a playground supervisor. Jane's success in athletics is due to that same quality that will make her a success in life—her determination to work and play hard!

**Maroonettes Box 42-41**  
Eastern's Maroonettes, girls basketball team, lost a 42-41 battle to Kentucky University Kittens on Feb. 18. The Maroonettes staged a terrific rally in the second half after trailing 26-16 at the intermission. However, a technical foul awarded to the Kittens in the closing seconds gave the U. K. girls the ball game.

This weekend the Maroonettes travel to Louisville to battle U. of L. and Nazareth. Additional games are planned with Centre and Berea.

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## SPORT SHOTS

By PAUL DUNCAN, Sports Editor

The first Ohio Valley Conference basketball tournament was truly one of the most outstanding cage meets in the world. It was a success from all angles. It was a financial success as well as a tourney packed with action and thrills. There was no cut and dried champion in this great meet.

Favored Louisville was beaten but not before the Cardinals fought their hearts out to the great pleasure of the 8,000 frenzied fans.

Until convinced otherwise, we believe this conference tourney is the toughest in the nation, and the world.

Almost every professional basketball power was represented at the O. V. C. tourney. The "play for pay" scouts seemed mighty interested in several of the outstanding players.

Chief of these was Western's great Johnny Oldham.

The New York Knickerbocker scout told your reporter that he would be around next year checking on three of Eastern's regulars, Chuck Mrazovich, Paul Hicks and Ed Shemelya.

Hats off to the intramural champions—Bellevue. The lads from northern Kentucky came out on top in one of the most thrilling intramural events ever staged at Eastern.

Our ace sports reporter, Jerome Young, selected an "all-tourney team" at our request. Here is Mr. Young's tourney squad:

### First Team

Right forward, Joe Hollingsworth... played with Harlan County and scored 20 points in a single game.

Left forward, Carl Plantholt... played with champion Bellevue team and scored 36 points in 4 battles.

Center, Mark Lohr... the most outstanding player of the tournament. In pacing the Practice Teachers he scored 66 points in 5 games in addition to tossing in a pair of winning baskets.

Right guard, Bruce Hamilton of the Five Aces. A fine one hand shot.

Left guard, Steve Hebec... good on pot shots, he was one of the strongholds of the Pavy's Meat Market team.

### Second Team

Forwards: Faust and Turner.

Center: Shea of Bellevue.

Guards: Beaty and Cinnamon.



**BASKETBALL QUEEN**—Reba Coy of Richmond was selected Eastern's "Queen of Basketball" in a popularity contest recently staged by the Maroon Varsity E Club. Joe Hollingsworth, ace Maroon griddler and E Club president of Lynch, Ky., is shown presenting the crown.

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