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CAMPUS FAVORITES

The three highest titles of honor annually bestowed upon students by campus votes are Miss Eastern, Miss Popularity and Mr. Popularity.

Miss Eastern was the title given to Miss Billie Sue Click, a junior English major from Martin, Kentucky, in a campus election this week. Chosen for her beauty and poise, Billie Sue will represent Eastern at the annual Kentucky Mountain Laurel Festival held in Barbourville the last weekend in May.

Miss Betty Jean McLocklin, a senior elementary education major from Richmond, Kentucky, was chosen Miss Popularity, an honor second only to Miss Eastern, on the qualities of personality, popularity and leadership. Both are representatives of the ideal co-ed.

Bob Zweigart, a senior social science major from Maysville, Kentucky, was elected Mr. Popularity, the highest campus honor for men. Mr. Popularity is selected for outstanding personality, popularity and leadership.

The other candidates for Miss Eastern were Joyce Blevins, senior, and Doris Edwards, junior. Dolores Samson, senior, and Shirley Tyre, junior, were the candidates for Miss Popularity. The other candidates for Mr. Popularity were Ken Stephens, senior; Don Boyer, senior; and John Peace, junior.

This election is sponsored annually by the Milestone Staff. The nominations were made by the student body on February 13 and 14. From the nominations, the three persons receiving the most votes for each honor were the candidates in the final election held last Monday and Tuesday.

The committee which tallied the final results was composed of Treva Butler, Milestone representative, and Miss Elizabeth Kessler and Kermit Patterson, faculty representatives.

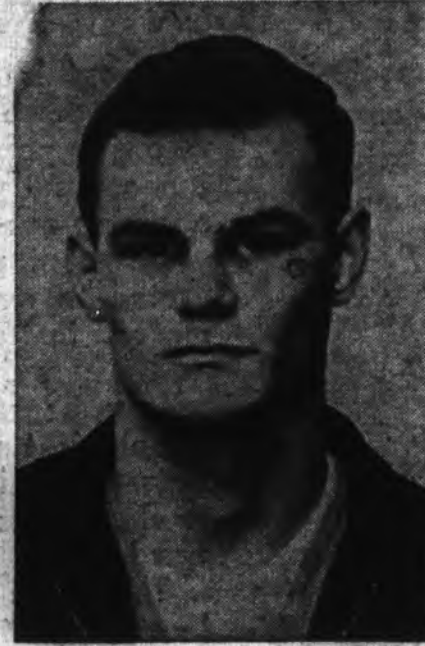
Miss Eastern, Miss Popularity and Mr. Popularity will be honored at the Milestone banquet held in the spring.

Billie ...



Miss Eastern

Bob ...



Mr. Popularity

Betty ...



Miss Popularity

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"Lucky Man" Reigns At Dance; Leap Week Climaxed Tonight

Tonight at 9:00 o'clock gals and guys will begin swinging and swaying to the music of Jim Hurt and his boys at the Leap Year dance. This semiformal dance will be held in the lobby of Burnam Hall and is a vice-versa dance with the fellows being the guests of the girls.

At the dance the "Lucky Man of the Year" will be crowned under a silver horseshoe used to carry out the theme of Leap Year being the Lucky Year for the girls.

Refreshments will be served at the dance and cokes will be sold.

cludes graduates of West Point and Annapolis. It has one Rhodes scholar to its credit and has sent one member to the United States Senate, as a page, not a member—yet.

Special Request

Any girls who are not attending the dance and enter the Hall after the hour of 9:00 o'clock are requested to sign in at the side doors of the dormitory.

Shirley Pettit, senior, is chairman of the dance committee, and Collegiate Pentacle, senior women's honorary, is sponsoring the affair.

Assemblies Feature Visiting Dignitaries

On February 29, Dr. Sidney N. Fisher from the department of history at Ohio State University of Columbus, Ohio, will speak in assembly on "American Foreign Policy in the Middle East."

Dr. No-Young Park, Chinese author and lecturer, will speak March 14. The noted Chinese, who is acclaimed as an oriental Mark Twain, has his M.A. and Ph. D. from Harvard University.

Variety Show Coming Monday; Dancers, Vocalists Featured

Eastern's Drum and Sandal Club will present a show entitled "Hits and Misses" on Monday evening, February 27, 1956, at 7:30 in Hiram Brock Auditorium. The admission will be thirty-five cents. Some of the featured numbers include:

"High Society", a pantomime and dance by Jonnie Sue Zocchi and Jack Rodgers.

"Margie", a dance routine by Drum and Sandal members and Jerry Boyd, Jack Rodgers, Ronnie Silvers, Paul Thomas, Don Boyer, Mr. McHone, Mr. Bindel and Mr. Gatwood.

"Poor People of Paris", a chorus line by men faculty members: Mr. Swinford, Mr. Gatwood, Mr. Bindel, Mr. Whitt, Mr. McHone, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Venetozzi, Mr. Wilson, Mr. Myers and Mr. Ritter.

WESTERN STYLE ...

Tucson Arizona Boys Choir Appear In Concert Series

... BY PEGGY HINKLE

From the land of cactus and coyotes, canyons and cowboys, comes a unique attraction of the American concert stage. It is the Tucson Arizona Boys Chorus, which will sing here on Wednesday, February 29, at 8:00 p.m., at Hiram Brock Auditorium as part of the community concert series.

In choir vestments of cowboy jeans the boys will present a program of classics, carols, folk songs, Mexican novelties and westerns.

The chorus was founded in 1939 by Edvarado Caso, its present director, who has taught music in private schools of both the United States and England.

From its first concert at Christmas of 1939 with a choir of eight boys (with two girls to bolster the tonal output), the chorus has grown in both prestige and number. The chorus has burgeoned into an aggregation of over 100 boys ranging in age from 8 to 16. The touring chorus, chosen from the best voices among the older boys, numbers 28 to 30 members.

For its most recent home concert the chorus made two appearances in the University of Arizona auditorium to accommodate more than 8,000 persons who wanted to hear the boys sing.

During the summers the boys attended a session at the "76"

Cattle Ranch in southern Arizona. There besides intensive musical training and rehearsal for the next season's concerts, the boys participate in a full routine of ranch life—rounding up cattle, roping and branding. They have become accomplished horsemen and at last year's Tucson Rodeo, they won grand prize for the best organized riding group.

Director Caso insists that his primary aim is to build character, using music as an instrument rather than a goal. He seems to be succeeding, for although the chorus is just entering its 16th season, its graduates are making their mark in the world. Four members have become members of the student body at Tucson High School. Its alumni now in-

"Queen Virginia" To Lead Grand March; 18th Annual Military Ball Is March 9

The eighteenth annual Military Ball, sponsored by the Knights of Artillery, will be held from 9:00 - 1:00 Friday night, March 9, in Walnut Hall. Jim Hurt's ten-piece orchestra will provide the music and tickets may be purchased for \$3.25 from any member of the R.O.T.C.

Chaperones for the formal event are Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. O. Hatch, Captain and Mrs. P. E. Myers and Captain and Mrs. E. H. Morgan.

Fifty-eight guests have been invited by the corps.

Royal Court

Virginia Baldwin, corps sponsor, will be escorted in the coronation by Cadet Colonel and Corps Commanding Officer Donald Coffman. Her court and their escorts will be Janice Campbell, 1st Battalion sponsor, escorted by Cadet Lt. Col. Robert Zweigart; 2nd Battalion sponsor, Barbara Ball, escorted by Lt. Col. James Irwin; Company "A" sponsor, Doris Everman, escorted by Captain Jack Adams; Johnnie Sue Zocchi, Company "B" sponsor, escorted by Captain Ben Hord; Carlene Willoughby; Company "C" sponsor, escorted by Captain William Baldwin; Company "D" sponsor, Betty Hurst, escorted by Captain

Robert Snively; Company "E" sponsor, Penny Scott, escorted by Captain Donald Feltner; Janice McClure, Company "F" sponsor, escorted by Captain Ronald Pelle-

grinon; and Charlene Akers, Pershing Rifles sponsor, escorted by Cadet Major David Florence, commanding officer of Pershing Rifles Company R-1.



THE MILITARY BALL COURT AND QUEEN for the annual Military Ball is composed of Janice Campbell, Virginia Baldwin, Barbara Ball, Charlene Akers, Doris Everman, Betty Hurst, Carlene Willoughby, and Janice McClure. Absent when the picture was taken were Penny Scott and Johnnie Sue Zocchi. This social event will be held in Walnut Hall of the Student Union Building on March 9 from 9:00 until 1:00. —Photo Club

Seevers, Hopp, Join Seniors For Banquet At Campbell House

The senior class banquet will be held tomorrow night, February 25, at the Campbell House, Lexington, Kentucky, and will begin at 6:30.

Guest speakers for this event will include Dr. W. B. Hopp, of Indiana State Teachers College, Terre Haute, Indiana, and Mrs. Blanche Seevers a member of the Eastern music faculty.

All seniors will be allowed one guest for the occasion. After the dinner and program there will be free dancing provided for those attending.

The senior committee in charge of the banquet is composed of Hitzl Mueller, Phyllis Counts, Ron Herrard, Charles Williams, Betty Stamper and Billy Roy Murray.

COURTESY ON CAMPUS

Courtesy is one thing that most of us had drilled into us in the grades and in high school. That is how it should have been. But have the examples and rules that were taught us by our parents and teachers been put to practical use? We college students are usually somewhat insulted if a topic dealing with courtesy is applied to us. We consider ourselves old enough to know how to act. That is partially true. We are old enough, and we know how, but applying what we know is a different matter.

It isn't courtesy on special occasions that we are concerned with now, although that is important. We might label this particular type as "every-day courtesy," or better still, **CAMPUS COURTESY.**

An example may be given of a boy and girl who run into each other on the steps in front of the grille. The boy's only

comment is a gruff, "Why don't you watch where you're going?" Carelessly throwing papers and paper cups all over the campus is another example of not applying our knowledge of what is right.

Different persons for whom courtesy should be watched especially are roommates, instructors, the house mother, and others living or working in the dormitory or residences. Life with these people is thrown, more or less, into a pattern, and every-day courtesy tends to slacken as the pattern becomes more fixed.

This topic may not be of the greatest importance to the well-being of our college, but it is one that needs to be taken out and aired once in a while. College life could be made more pleasant, and we would be better prepared for our future lives if every-day campus courtesy were put to use and practiced here and now.

Ballad On Campus

(to be sung to the tune, Day Crockett)

Met him one night at Speck's meat hall
He had bonnie blue eyes and was oh so tall
I danced with him and my heart did fall—
If he doesn't like me I'll jump off a wall!
Cupid, or dear Cupid, come and rescue me!

We danced to the left—we danced to the right
But for me, no one else was in sight.
My head was in clouds and my heart was light
He's a dream come true, and we danced all night.
Cupid, oh sweet Cupid, make him fall for me.

He said "You look nice" I was oh so glad
I sipped my coke—the fourth I'd had
If he glanced away, my heart was mad—
It was paradise on earth; parting was sad—
Cupid, please dear Cupid, can't you calm this storm? (in me)

A week has passed, not one word have I heard
I've sung my song to the trees and the birds,
Will I see him again? So sad those words!
Will I see him again? So sad those words!
Cupid, devilish Cupid, where, where can he be?

... Loretta Mayes

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Campus Parking

Is there really any need for driving from the dormitory to the Administration Building for a class? Must we drive from the Ad Building to the Student Union for lunch?

More than over-crowded classrooms, right now Eastern is suffering from over-crowded streets and parking lots. It is getting so we can't see the campus for the cars. There isn't a great deal more room that can be devoted to parking unless we decide in favor of a concrete campus. So what's to be done?

Berea College has no parking problem. They forbid students to have cars. We think that a little extreme. U. of K. charges a regular student car registration fee and for parking on the campus. Offenders are fined.

Some schools prohibit Freshmen and Sophomores having cars on campus. Another consideration.

We don't say that these are good plans or that they would work here, but at least they form a start in thinking about one of the biggest problems on campus.

What's to be done? The situation is bad now. It gets worse!

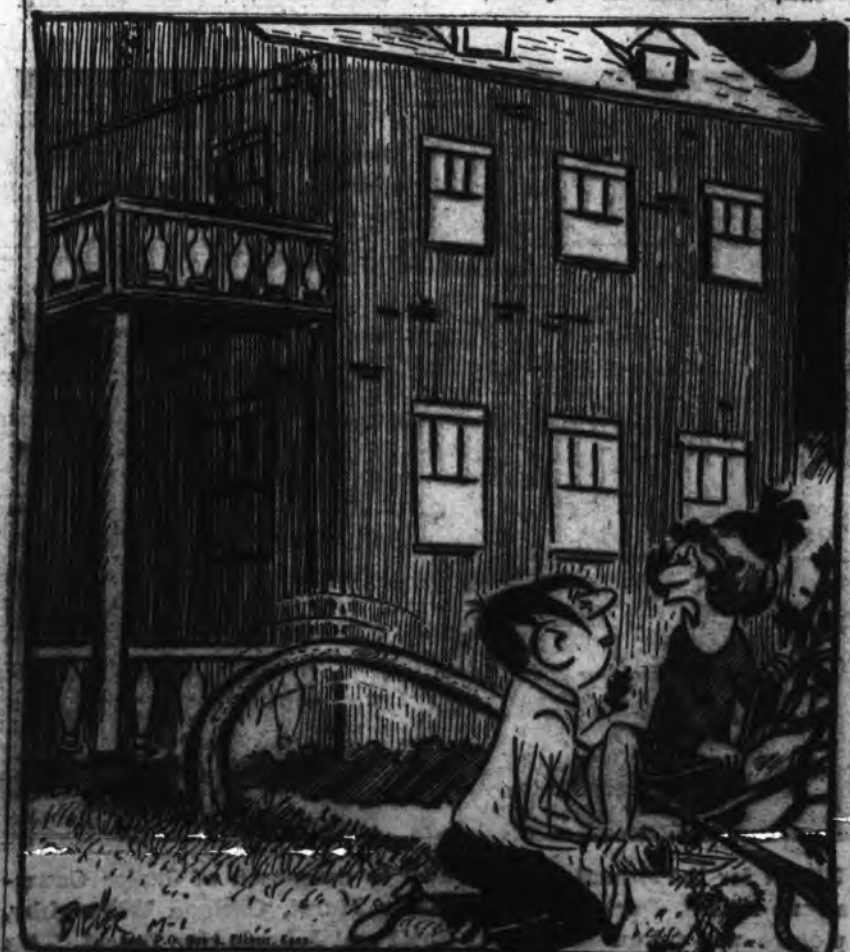
Thought for The Week

ANOTHER OLD STORY

The one about the guy who was so dumb he thought that the whistle was the signal for the end of a period.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"WELL, WHEN YOU SAID YOU'D TAKE CARE OF CLOSING HOURS, I THOUGHT YOU MEANT YOU HAD A DORM KEY."

"Oh, let her go," Sue said. "She doesn't favor anything anyway."

"I do, too. I favor a small hippopotamus," Little One said.

"Oh well, go ahead. I don't really care," Dunky said.

With a sneer of satisfaction Little One stretched a skinny arm out toward the cream-colored Silver-tone radio which was balanced on a stack of vanishing cream jar labels which she was saving for her scrapbook. She closed one eye and dialed in a station. There was a faint groan, a little scraping noise and then the announcer's nasal tones seeping around the edges of the radio.

"Now for the thousands of friends who wait for her each day it is time once again for

10 Ways To Get Through College Without Even Trying

1. Bring the professor newspaper scraps dealing with his subject. If you don't find clippings dealing with his subject, bring in clippings at random. He thinks everything deals with his subject.

2. Look alert. Take notes eagerly. If you look at your watch, don't stare at it unbelievably and shake it.

3. Nod frequently and murmur "How true." To you, this seems exaggerated. To him, it's quite objective.

4. Sit in front, near him. (Applies only if you intend to stay awake.)

5. Laugh at his jokes. You can tell, if he looks up from his notes and smiles expectantly, he has told a joke.

6. Ask for outside reading. You don't have to read it. Just ask for it.

7. If you must sleep, arrange to be called at the end of the hour. It creates an unfavorable impression if the rest of the class has left and you sit there alone, dozing.

8. Be sure the book you read during the lecture looks like a book from the course. If you do math in psychology class and psychology in math class, match the books for size and color.

9. Ask any questions you think he can answer. Conversely, avoid announcing that you have found the answer to a question he couldn't answer, and in your younger brother's second reader at that.

10. Call attention to his writing. Praise his exquisitely pleasant experience connected with you. If you know he's written a book or an article, ask in class if he wrote it.

(ACP)

Radio for Tonight

... by Sharon Brown

(drum roll) "The Bumps and grinds of Bertha Birdbath"—the story which asks the question "Can a third-rate burlesque dancer from a little mining town in the West find happiness as the wife of Warantaria's richest, most handsome chimney-sweeper."

"Written for radio by R. T. Tin III, and starring Patricia de-Thinskjn as Bertha, with Elmer T. Klappschlanger as Oswald and Fred R. Swimflipper as kindly and benevolent Cousin Carstairs.

"Now when we left Bertha yesterday she and Oswald and Cousin Carstairs were speeding across the desert in a custom-built Jeep, looking for the wild Havakanzi tribe. Their chief, Alfactotum, had carried the secret plans all the way from upper Borneo tattooed on his left foot.

"Now as we join them we hear Cousin Carstairs say, "Bertha, that new beef-stew recipe seems quite exciting, but do you really think it wise to use cannibal recipes? I mean really, I mean it just isn't done in the better families."

And Bertha answers, "Oswald, write down everything we do while we're here. I may want to publish my memoirs when we get

Letter to the Editors:

There is something going on at Eastern that doesn't happen too often in colleges and universities.

Last week a professor received a letter from an English teacher in Winchester, wanting Eastern students to judge debate in a fiercely competitive tourney. The professor sent three students who were qualified as judges. Two of these judges are first-string football players.

It would be interesting to know if there is another college or university in the immediate vicinity that could have sent two football players to act as qualified debate judges. Eastern did it. This type of information should not go unsaid. It is a compliment.

—Victor Venettozzi

back to Warantaria. By the way, where is Olivia, my pet pink rat?"

"Oswald: "I haven't seen her. Don, you know Carstairs?" ...

Carstairs: "I don't know, Oswald."

"Oswald: "I don't know Bertha."

Driver: "I don't know anybody."

The announcer says, "Tune in tomorrow folks. Will Bertha find Olivia? Will Oswald find the wild Havakanzi tribe and the secret plans? Will Cousin Carstairs make the beef-stew? Will John's other wife kill Marcia because Shepley Manners stole the million dollar diamond and Lefty, the gangster, eloped with his mother's first cousin Isabel? To hear the exciting answers to these burning questions tune in tomorrow to hear Cousin Carstairs say, "Hand me my overshoes, Oswald. It is deep out here."

There was a moment of silence and Little One rolled over on her stomach and breathed again. The radio hummed, off-key.

"This is "Toons til Noon" with your favorite disc jockey, Filbert Philbrick."

Little One's eyes closed at the thrill of hearing his voice again.

"We have a little request here for Bonnie, Bob, Joe, Don, Mary, Janice and Smarty for Evelyn,

Tommy, Jane, Blueeyes, Barbara, Jimmy, Sue, Fanny, Sugar-lips, Bill, Marilyn Monroe, B.F. and J.R., Maurice, Charlie, Terry, June Kay Carol, Sara, Leona, Kathleen, Lover-boy, T.R.F., Larry, Oscar, Oscarina, Burt, Lulu, Eugene and Amanda Marie ... and President Eisen. Sorry, that's all the time we have tonight. We'll play the record tomorrow night."

The long arm shot out and turned off the radio. Tears streamed down Little One's cheeks. Nobody had requested a song for her."

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WHAT'S FOR LAUGHS

There's always the story about the two guys who lived in Garden City, New York. One was a budding genius and he lived right across the street from a blooming idiot. So don't shoot already. But what's coming up for laughs. Well, there is a reasonably entertaining film on campus this weekend. Leslie Caron is completely charming in a musical which parodies rather than presents Daddy Long Legs. An aging Fred Astaire looks better along the dance lines than he has looked for a long time. The plot is old school; there is just enough of it to hang the musical numbers on. And you'll catch just a few glimpses of one Terry Moore, without sable bikini.

The whole thing is nothing to turn cartwheels over, but it's fine for whiling away a couple of hours.

"And what," asks Roommate, "is currently revolving on the platters?" He always talks like that. So I tell him. Benny Goodman is nothing but the greatest. He is swingin' away on four lattes, Decca, Capitol, Columbia Victor, with all the numbers he's most remembered for. Tops on the list is a Columbia 45, () in the "Great Benny Goodman" series. The clarinet man is present here with a big band for "Let's Dance," and "Don't Be That Way" and with the quartet for "Stomping at the Savoy." All three are the most.

And that grand old gay Sophie Tucker is wowing them again as she has for fifty years. She is currently available on Mercury with four hilarious songs recorded directly from her club act material. "Soph" is strictly from the laughingest. The best of the lot is her tale about Mr. Max Fink the "Horse Playin' Papa."

Back to records, you might also give a listen to Les Baxter's Poor People of Paris and Nelson Riddle's Lisbon Antigua.

And there is with us always the story about the girl who said, "Some girls keep their love letters; I let mine keep me."

Last Monday night, The Gondoliers. The Music Club presented Gilbert and Sullivan's opus about some Republican gondoliers and some moth-eaten nobility. The results were lively. Plaudits esially go to Jerry Taylor as the Duchess Piazzatoro. She couldn't sing the role so she acted it. Hilarious. And also to Mitzi Mueller and Fran Milam as brides. They looked a little more of Dresden than Venice, but they sounded the parts beautifully.

Diane Miller exuded regality as Isabella and vocalized well, especially in the quintet number. Jim Collier, John Mayer, Larry James, John Largent, and Phil Sandgrave filled the vocal male principles with charm and vigor. They also made good clothes-horses for some wild costuming. The first act of the performance was at times slow. Some of the principals had difficulty projecting over the orchestra volume. This seemed to correct itself in the second act; the action speeded up and the projection was much better.

Dancers Ray Davis, Joyce Blevins, Carol Kidd, and 'Boots' Whitaker added a note of color and dash to the second act. (A taste of the coming Variety show). Others in the Gondolier cast were Margaret Butler, Larry Looney, Katy Cummins, Bob Mottl, Charis Pampflin, Freeda Waggoner,

Wilma Durbin, Billie Griffin, Betty Hutchinson, Donna Mincey, Bonny Osborne, Jane Ransdell, June Paige Terry, Betty Thompson, Laura Tuttle, Dick Alberg, Carl Cummins, Sam Deacon, Jack Forman, Larry Garrett, Jack Horner, Bob Hovermale, Raleigh Karr, and Joe Moores.

We might devote paragraphs, but it will have to be sentences only, to the performance of a person who is programmed as "Visitor." Her name is Miss Mac (F. M. McPherson) and she gets the credit for putting together The Gondoliers as well as playing the nurse, Inez.

Just in case...

Defending the Campus

...by Marylyn Judy
...from an interview with
...Lt. Col. Alden O. Hatch
...and Cadet Ronald Coffman

Groundwork is now being laid for a disaster plan which would protect the campus and its residents in case of fire, tornado, or enemy attack. The major emphasis is being placed on fire disaster.

The Eastern R.C.T.C. Department under the guiding hand of Lt. Col. Alden O. Hatch is formulating the plan with the approval of President W. F. O'Donnell.

Student Corps Commander, Cadet Col. Ronald Coffman, and the Senior R.O.T.C. class are formulating the definite organization and implementing the plan. Then, in case of disaster this group under Coffman's command will direct alleviation of any disaster.

Regular Corps organization will be followed as to communication channels and personnel organization.

The plan is for the campus and will be administered completely by people on the campus.

The plan grew out of the Madison County Civil Defense Plan which has just recently been put into effect under the direction of Mr. Don Black of Richmond. The Richmond Women's Club gave the original impetus to the founding of the Richmond and Madison County Defense Plan.

When asked what part the college plan and the college R.O.T.C. Department would have in the overall plan, Lt. Col. Hatch said that the Corps members would serve as auxiliary police, firemen, and first aid men.

The campus organization is now well on its way toward completion and a campus wide demonstration is being considered. This demonstration of the plan would give the entire student body a chance to understand better just what would be expected of them in the way of aid should a disaster occur.

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Let's Talk Sports

With Don Felner

Someone Made A BooBoo — Not Us True Intention of a Statement

"Today's athletes have proven that they are the best leaders and have a wider range of education than most non-athletes."

The above statement is the one that has been argued by some individuals for the past few weeks. It is a true statement.

"The intention was to say that today's athletes have a wider range of education than those previously, and that they make as good leaders as do non-athletes."

The above statement, which appeared in the last issue of this paper, was written by someone who had no right whatsoever to write it. The true writer of the first statement—and we'll gladly admit it was this corner—was not even informed on the matter and the writer of the explanation went so far as to say that "the statement did not give the writer's intentions."

Now, we ask you, the readers, how can the writer of the explanation possibly know our intention when we wrote the statement, if he did not even consult us?

The writer of the explanation added, "It was worded in an unfortunate manner." We ask this, then—Unfortunate for whom? The individual who does not like the athlete, or just whom?

We do not like for incidents such as this to happen, but it is our right to defend what we think and what we write. There are many facts to back the statement up. First of all, let's go back two papers ago when the article in controversy first appeared.

The article was entitled, "Talented Athlete." It stated that today's athletes are not big and dumb as was the case in American colleges and universities in the past. Today's athletes have advanced, in every respect. And, that was the point we were trying to get across.

However, since this unfortunate matter has arisen, we'll attempt to back up our statement and devote the entire column to this purpose. The statement consisted of two parts: First, leadership, and secondly, range of education. We'll offer a few words on each.

We did not say that all athletes make better leaders than do all non-athletes, but that they make better leaders than most non-athletes, although we could have said the first statement and not be far wrong.

It has been proven that, when a leader is sought to take charge of a group of individuals, the athlete is called upon on most occasions because of his leadership. Take the ROTC Corps on the campus, for example. Of the six company commanders, five are athletes. What would you say would be the chief qualification of a person who is to command and lead a company? Of course, there are other qualities of a good leader, but the ability to gain the respect and to lead is the top qualification.

What about the coaches in all the levels of athletics; elementary, high school, college, and professional? Could a non-athlete coach these

teams as successfully, and what is the main qualification of a coach, a person in charge of many boys? If you say anything but leadership, you are far wrong.

Today's athletes have a wider range of education than most non-athletes... Now, what is meant by a wide range of education? Surely it doesn't mean that athletes are more intellectual than non-athletes. And, surely it doesn't mean that all athletes are capable of learning more than non-athletes.

To understand the statement, one should think (and it doesn't take much effort) about the word, wider. The non-athlete, an "A" student, who knows quite a bit about the world affairs, does not—and we have many supporters—have a wider (and we again emphasize the word, wider range of education than athletes. Athletes in colleges throughout the nation learn from their athletic trips and their coaches serve as educators and teachers as well as men whose job it is to mold them into a winning team.

Our idea of a person with a wide range of education is one who knows something about many things and not one who knows a lot about a few things. The athlete's range of education increases every day. He learns something new on each trip, and even with each practice session.

The athletes learn by playing on a team, on which they have an opportunity to display their leadership and learn the meaning of teamwork and how much it means in order to have a good club.

If we have the wrong idea of the term, "Range of Education," will someone please inform us?

Now, we did not attempt to compare the non-athlete and the athlete in the article, or we didn't purposely attempt to compare them. You do not have to be an athlete to be a good leader, and we did not say that, but most of the best leaders in our country are athletes or former athletes.

The purpose of the sports page is to inform the student body and alumni of the progress of the individual athlete and the teams on which he participates. We try to do just that—how well we do it is up to you, the readers.

We have asked several persons to offer us some assistance in writing the sports pages. But, none had the time to put into it. We could not call the time that we put into writing these pages as "spare" time, because it isn't. These pages are written after decent working hours or early in the morning and the time that is put into these pages certainly isn't "spare" time. Very few of you probably realize the sacrifices that are made in order to have a college newspaper.

We are gripped at you, readers for expressing your opinions. We appreciate receiving your comments—it proves that the paper is being read. In fact, we have asked several times for questions and comments so that we may have a "Questions and Answers" section in this column. Again, send your comments to us and, if they concern the sports pages, make sure that the right person receives your comments.

Spring Grid Practice Begins Monday

Some fifty-plus candidates will don the gridiron tonight Monday afternoon as spring football practice gets underway for Coach Glenn Presnell's Eastern Kentucky Maroons.

"There is no question that we'll be in a lot better shape than a year ago when we had only eleven lettermen to work with," said Presnell. "This spring, we have twenty-six lettermen back from last fall's squad."

Missing from the roster will be five seniors, four of whom were starters. Don Boyer, Bobby Lenderman, Ernie Rigrish, "Bozo" Castle and Mathias Williams played their final season for the Maroons last fall.

before the end of spring practice because we can't do any experimenting next fall."

Coach Presnell is expecting some of last year's freshmen to develop into top-flight performers. Quarterback Ronnie Polly, halfbacks Dave Bishop, Gary Jump and "Cotton" Correll, fullback Bob Callaghan, tackles Jim Patton, Don Walton, Jerry Abney, Earl Knight, and John Coyne, ends Jerry Wilhoit and Ronnie White all will be better with a year's experience. Bobby Thompson, junior halfback who saw action but did not earn a letter is definitely in Presnell's plan for next fall.

Squad men who failed to see action and are expected to come through in fine form include fullback Jim Conley, guards Jim Black, Gerald Walton, and Jim Saylor, ends Orville Howard and Irvin Franklin, tackles Darre Moore and Steve Herczeg, and quarterback Ed Ritter.

Lettermen on hand will include four ends, six tackles, five guards, two centers, one quarterback, two fullbacks, and six halfbacks. Tom Schulte, Paul Thomas, Wilhoit, and White are the ends; the tackle include Don Hortman, Patton Knight, Coyne, Abney and Bob Tishue; the guards are Ernest Marchetti, Buddy Wallin, Jerry Boyd, Charles Sammons, and Ralph Consiglio and the centers are Walter Nunn and Arma Hutchcraft. Quarterback Don Polly, fullbacks Roy Hortman and Callahan, and halfbacks John S. Best, Jack Rodgers, Horace Harper, Correll, Jump and Bishop round out the 26 lettermen.

These lettermen and squad men from last fall's outfit will team with several new prospects to make the picture appear on the optimistic side. However, Coach Presnell points out that all the rugged teams on the '55 schedule have most of their key players back and they will be tougher next fall also. Presnell says he thinks the 1956 schedule is the toughest one Eastern has ever faced.

The schedule is as follows:
Sept. 15 Toledo Aw.
Sept. 22 Open
Sept. 29 Murray Hor.
Oct. 6 Midd. Tenn. Aw.
Oct. 12 East Tenn. Hor.
Oct. 20 Western Aw.
Oct. 27 Morris Harvey Aw.
Nov. 3 Tenn. Tech Hor.
Nov. 10 Morehead Hor.
Nov. 17 Louisville Aw.

Not Responsible

While motoring through Italy, a lady stopped at some ancient ruins to have her picture taken. "Be sure not to get the car in the picture," she warned the photographer, "or my husband'll think I caused all the damage."



Presnell

Presnell is anxious to see how the expected battle for positions develops. "The positions are wide open and a lot will be decided on what happens this spring since, when the fall practice starts, we'll only have 15 days to practice before the opening game," commented the Eastern coach. "Therefore," added Presnell, "the team will have to be pretty well set

BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT

The 44th District High School Basketball Tournament will be held in Eastern's Weaver Health Building Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 1, 2, and 3.

Thursday, March 1, 7:30—Irvine vs. Madison-Model; 9:00—Estill County vs. Madison Central.

Friday, March 2, 7:30—Winner Irvine—Madison-Model vs. Berea;

9:00—Winner Estill County—Madison Central vs. Berea Foundation.

Saturday, March 3, 8:00—Championship game.

Eastern Mermen Capture 2 Meets

The Maroon Mermen emerged victorious over Tennessee Tech here with a final score of 55-28.

Captain Bob Snavelly acquired a total of 15 points to become the leading scorer of the meet. Second in high scoring was Jim Snodgrass with 12 points.

Bob Kolakowski and Angus Begley won first and second respectively in the diving exhibitions.

300 yard medley: Payne, Schneider, Snodgrass (E).

220 yard freestyle: Zipperer (T).

50 yard freestyle: Snavelly (E).

200 yard individual medley: Ballenger (T).

Fancy diving: Kolakowski (E).

100 yard freestyle: Zipperer (T).

200 yard backstroke: Payne (E).

440 yard freestyle: Beach (T).

200 yard breast stroke: Schneider (E).

400 yard relay: Dickerson, Hatch, Snavelly, Snodgrass (E).

After last week's win over Tennessee Tech, Eastern again emerged victorious with a smashing win over Berea College Monday, the score being 50-34. The fulfillment of a winning swim squad appears



Eastern swimmers, Ed Anderson, Al Hatch, and Tennessee Tech opponents, receive the starting signal from Sgt. Christian. Watching the event are Red Cross Instructor, Ogden; Tech official, Bob Kolakowski, Gene Kolakowski, Angus Begley, Gary Hoskins, and Bob Snavelly.

—Photo Club

to be in the offing and the hope previously completing the winning of coach Paul Love, is becoming of the 200 yd. backstroke. Second a reality. Mr. Love is enthused in leading points was Bob Parker over the performances given by his men, who have excelled their his win of the 220 and 440 yd. previous times, and is looking forward to the return meet with Berea on Feb. 27.

An exhibition of fancy diving was presented by Bob Kolakowski and Angus Begley, whose combined

talents acquired 812.7 points as John, who is an expert against the 250.5 points won by Berea's Holladay and Brookshire. Although Bob Kolakowski was coupled with an amazing ability injured during his final dive, he was able to maintain a reservoir of stamina, won enough points to emerge in first place with Angus Begley in the 440 yd. freestyle race after following a close second.

Frosh Cagers Close Season Meet U. C. Tomorrow

Coach Shirley Kearns' freshman cage squad close out their season tomorrow night at Cincinnati, Ohio, where they meet the University of Cincinnati Bearkittens.

The Maroon yearlings, which handed Louisville's frosh its first setback in fifteen starts

Tuesday night, will be seeking their second win over Cincinnati, and their fourteenth of the season. They have lost five times.

Kearns was well pleased with the performance of his yearling squad in Tuesday's upset win over the Louisville team. Outstanding individual performances were turned in by Larry Wood, a 6-2 athlete from Brooksville, Ky., Dale Moore from Inez, Jennings March 6-1 from Hindman, and Ray Veal, 6-1 from Elizabethtown, Ky., according to Kearns.

The local yearlings' lineup for tomorrow night's tilt will probably consist of Wood at the guards, Bruce Martin at the post, and Moore and either Hugh Gabbard or Jim Pike at the forwards.

Season Finale at Dayton Tomorrow

Four Seniors Play Final Game

Coach Paul McBrayer's Eastern Maroons round out one of the roughest cage cards in history tomorrow evening at Dayton, Ohio, where, at 8:15 p.m., they meet the University of Dayton's powerful Flyers.

The Dayton clash completes a rugged week of roundball action for the local basketeers, who will be facing their third NIT-bound team within a five day period. The Maroons whipped third ranked Louisville 86-84 Tuesday night and met strong Xavier University last night at Cincinnati.

Coach McBrayer termed the Louisville win as a "terrific team effort." "The boys did a wonderful job of preparing for the game," commented the Eastern cage mentor. "They were keyed up only three nights earlier for the Murray game and it's hard to keep kids keyed up for a period of time, and for a team such as Louisville," added McBrayer.

McBrayer singled out Jack Adams and Ronnie Pellegrinon for their outstanding performances. Both cagers ended their home careers and each played one of their finest games of their four year careers, Adams scoring 35 points and Pellegrinon tallying 20 markers.

The Maroons go into tomorrow's contest with a season slate of nine wins against 14 losses (excluding last night's Xavier tilt) while the Dayton Flyers will be in search of their 22nd victory of the campaign. Only Louisville has beaten the Flyers, and the

Sixty Tryouts Answer Call For Baseball

Sixty baseball hopefuls answered Coach "Turkey" Hughes' call for an organizational meeting of his tryouts Monday afternoon.

Coach Hughes announced that he plans to begin practice Monday afternoon, February 27, at 3:30 with the workouts being held in the gymnasium until the weather permits outdoor practices.

Eight returning lettermen from last spring's team were on hand Monday for the meeting and four others were unable to attend due to basketball practice. The lettermen

Hughes returning this spring will be pitchers Ron Pellegrinon and Jim Kiser; infielders Ken Stephens, "Cotton" Correll, Ron White, Dick Dudgeon, Jim Mitchell, and Carl Wright; outfielders Al Pipes, Jim Tucker, and Bob Brown, and catcher Don Boyer.

Lettermen who played their final year of eligibility last spring include outfielders Ralph Rutledge and Bob Roby and pitchers Guy Strong and Don Feltner.

Coach Hughes said that he hopes to begin his outdoor workouts Saturday morning, March 3, if the weather has warmed up at that time. He is anxious to get his charges working since the season opener is set for April 2, which will give the Maroons less than a month of outdoor practice.

The Maroons open with Indiana University April 2, and meet the same club on the 3rd. To date, sixteen games have been carded but Hughes hopes to get two additional games on the schedule.

Cards turned the trick twice, by 66-64 in an overtime at Dayton, and by 59-56 at Louisville.

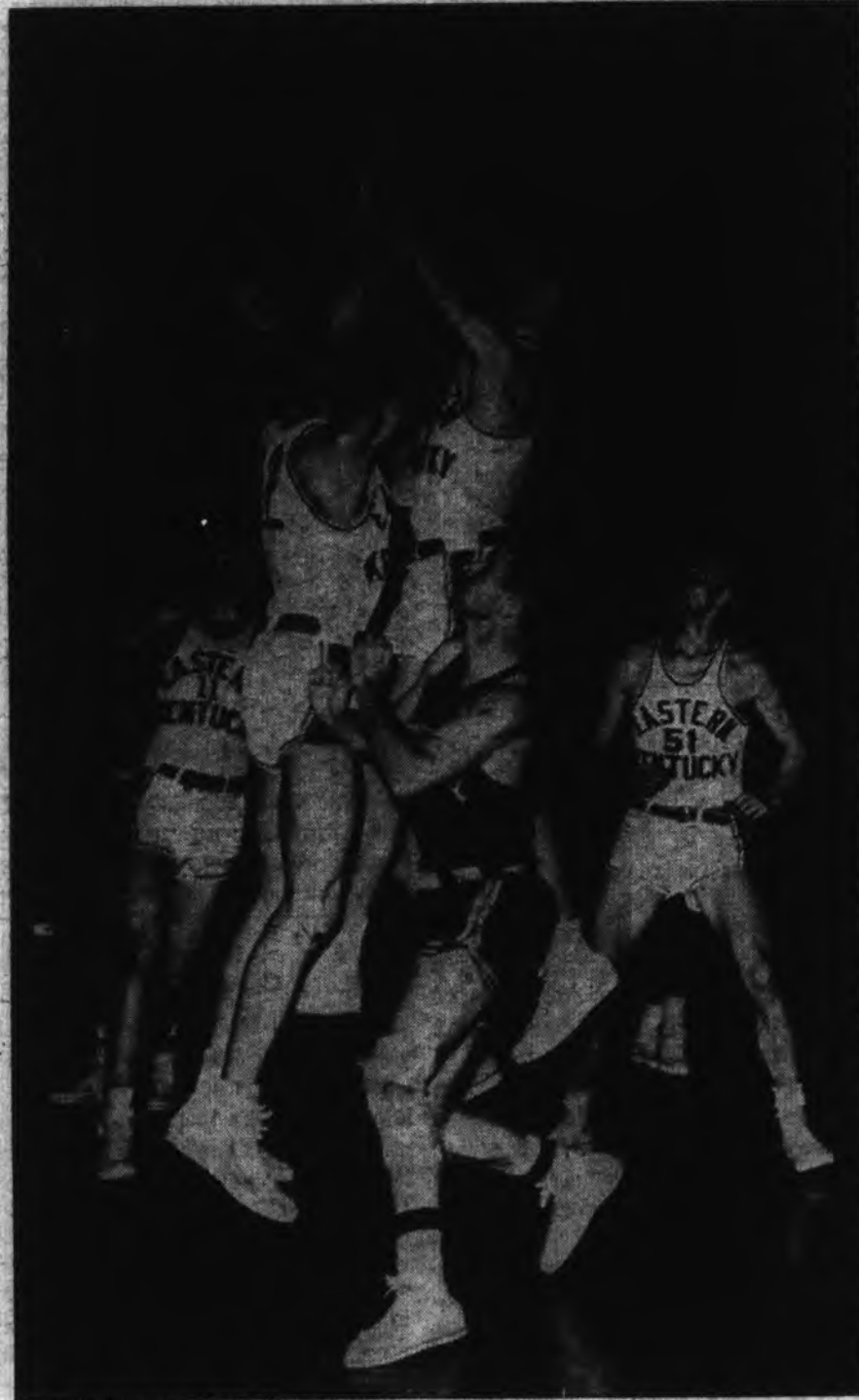
The Flyers' starters average 6' top five teams in the nation throughout the season, and even as the number one team by some polls, hold impressive wins over national powers. The Daytonians dealt Kentucky an 89-74 licking at the Wildcats' home grounds. The only clubs to come within striking distance of the Flyers this season (besides Louisville) have been Toledo and Xavier. The Flyers beat Toledo 62-59 and Xavier 81-73 and 85-75. Both these teams conquered the Maroons this season.

The Flyers' starters average 6' 5 1/2" while McBrayer's probable starters will average just over 6' 3".

Leading the Flyers will be their seven-foot All-American center, Bill Uhl. At the forwards will be 6-6 Jim Paxson and Jim Palmer, 6-7. The guards will be 6-4 Arlen Bockhorn and 5-11 Ray Dieringer.

Starting for the Maroons will be Adams and Clayton Stivers at the forwards, Bill Florence at center, and Ronnie Pellegrinon and Dick Culbertson at the guards.

It will be the final performance for four Maroons: Adams, Pellegrinon, Culbertson, and Kenny Davis.



IT'S MINE—Jack Adams and Clayton Stivers (No. 12) go high for a rebound in Tuesday's 86-84 upset win over Louisville. No. 11 is Eastern's Bill Florence and No. 51 is Dick Culbertson. In foreground is U. L.'s Jerry Moreman and No. 17, Herb Harrah. —Photo Club

Maroons Clip Cardinals, 86-84

The Eastern Maroons were brilliant Tuesday evening in pulling a major upset over the University of Louisville's third ranked Cardinals, winning the nip-and-tuck battle 86-84 before an overflow crowd of some 3500 partisan fans.

The win avenged two earlier losses to the powerful Cards, one a 29 point loss and the second by 17 points, both on Louisville's home grounds, and gave Paul McBrayer's brave cagers a season slate of nine wins against 14 losses.

Jack Adams, Eastern's great All-American candidate, ended his career before the home folk in a blaze of glory by ripping the cords for 35 points. It was Adams who hit the bucket which deadlocked the count at 82-82 and then, with just three seconds left, he fired one up on the boards, and batted the rebound in as the final

horn sounded to give the Maroons the win.

The victory was the most impressive of the year and marked the second straight time that the Maroons have beaten the highly-favored Cards on a last second shot at the Richmond arena. Last season, Ronnie Pellegrinon, who was a thorn in Louisville's side Tuesday night, hit a 20-foot one-hander as the horn sounded, ending an overtime to give Eastern a 79-77 verdict.

Pellegrinon, who also made his farewell, was superb in tallying 10 baskets, all at crucial moments, for 20 points. Carl Wright, a big

WRA Trounce Cincy in Overtime

The Eastern Maroonettes launched their 1956 basketball season Thursday, Feb. 16, with a 44-42 overtime victory over Cincinnati. It was a hard fought contest all the way, but the Eastern gals came from behind in the last frame to even up the score at 40 all when the final whistle blew.

Playing on fairly even terms during the first quarter, the Maroonettes were on top 13-11, but Cincy maintained a three-point 23-20 count at the halfway mark.

Playing heads-up ball during the last period the Maroonettes tossed in 12 points while Cincy was held to five. In the overtime period Cincy hit on a field goal for a two-point lead, but foul shots by Joanie Mitchell and Pat Allison knotted the score at 42 all. Carol Kidd dropped in a fielder in the closing seconds to give Eastern the win.

A rough and tumble affair all the way, a total of 53 fouls were called against both teams, 23 being called against Eastern and 30 against the Queen City gals.

The excellent play and teamwork of the Eastern guards was the deciding factor of the game. Katy Johnson and Ray Davis each played the second half with four fouls each, and neither left the game via the foul route. Sandy Harville turned in an outstanding defensive performance before fouling out late in the third quarter. Boots Whitaker and Florene Conn were also key factors in the Maroonettes' win. Cincy lost three gals because of fouls, while Eastern lost only one.

Freshmen Win Too

Just to make a clean sweep of things the Eastern freshmen led all the way to defeat the Cincy yearlings 29-25 in a preliminary tilt.

Plans are being made for games with Midway Junior College, Morehead College and U. of K. Dates will be announced in a later issue of Progress.

sophomore, came into the contest with 13 minutes left and poured through eight points at critical moments. No one can be left out for their outstanding performance. Clayton Stivers, Dick Culbertson, Bill Florence, J. D. Brock, Jim Kiser and Jim Mitchell all were terrific competitors in teaming to whip the Cards.

The score was deadlocked a dozen times and the lead changed hands 18 times. The Maroons connected on 31 fielders for a torrid 46.3 per cent while U.L. hit on 28 of 81 for 34.6 per cent.



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NEWS from our ALUMNI

WEDDINGS

Smith-Carty

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Smith of Georgetown, Indiana, announce the marriage of their daughter, Jo Ann, to Charles Boyd Carty, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Carty of Richmond. The double ring ceremony was performed at 1:00 p. m. on December 17 in the Wesley Methodist Church, New Albany, Indiana, by the Rev. W. A. Amerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carty are making their home at 206 Eastern Parkway, Louisville, where Mr. Carty is a senior in the Louisville School of Medicine. He was graduated from Eastern in the class of 1952. Mrs. Carty is a junior at Indiana University.

Junior Alumni

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tolson announce the arrival of their third child and first son, Mark Douglas, born November 21. Mr. Tolson was graduated from Eastern in the class of '53.

Lt. and Mrs. Harold B. Barton of Camp Dr6w, Tokyo, Japan, announce the arrival of a son, Harold Brent Barton II, January 16. Mrs. Barton was the former Martha Hammons and a member of the class of 1951.

Lt. and Mrs. Barton are ex-

pected to sail from Japan in March.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Andrews announce the birth of their first child, Karen Lynn, on February 3 at the Kentucky Baptist Hospital in Louisville.

Mrs. Andrews is the former Mary Elizabeth Horan, graduate in the class of 1953. Mr. and Mrs. Andrews may be addressed at 615 South 44th Street, Apartment 6, Louisville.

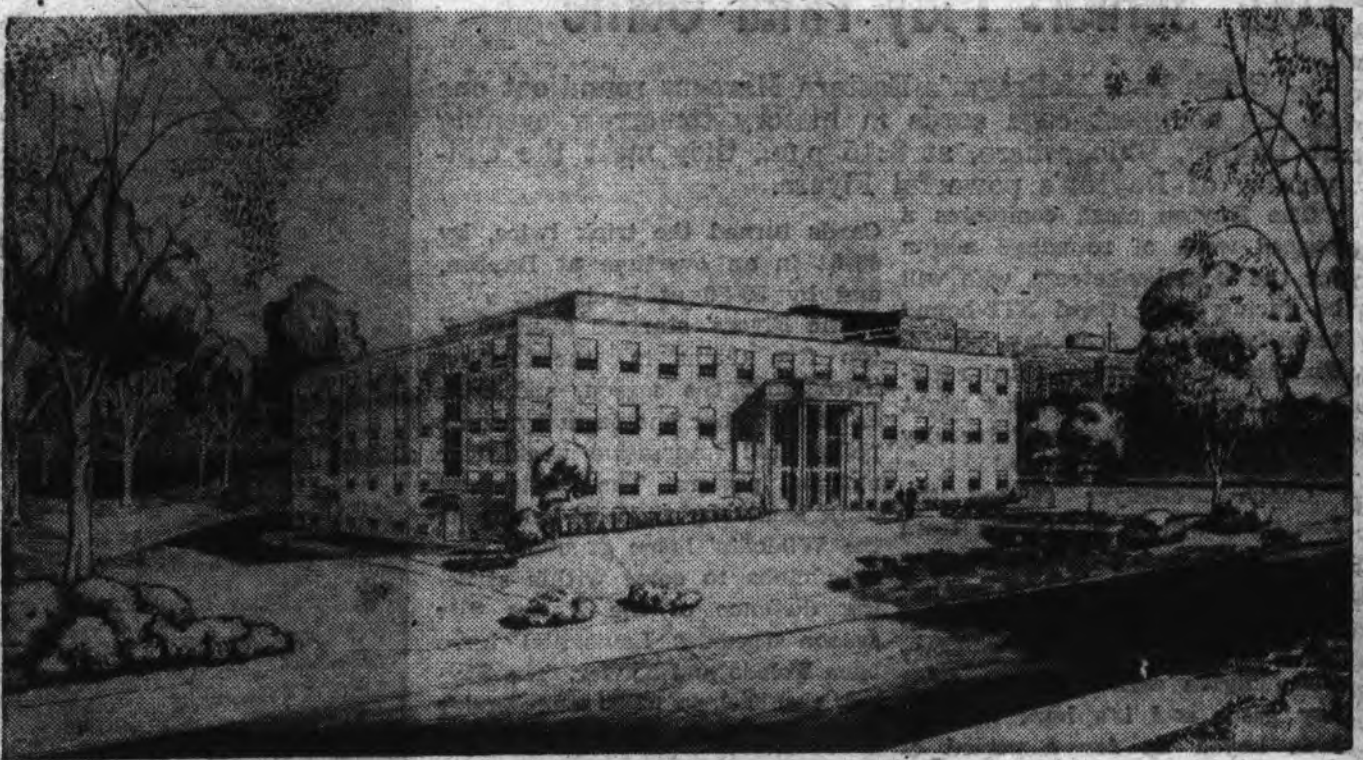
Business Beckons

Mrs. Lewis E. Pfouts (Mary Kathryn Burns), '33, is case supervisor with the Kentucky Division of Public Assistance. Her husband is manager of the Capital City Airport in Frankfort. Mr. and Mrs. Pfouts live on the Louisville Road, Frankfort, Kentucky.

Herschel F. Hill has been named manager of the Sherwin-Williams Company's new branch, located in Corbin, Ky. As branch manager, he receives special training, including technical courses covering formulations and uses of various finishes, and also expert training in color harmony.

After graduation from Eastern in the class of 1950, Hill served three years in the U. S. Coast Guard and was discharged with the rating of petty-officer first class.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill, the former



BUILDING BEING ERECTED ON EASTERN CAMPUS—Shown above is the architect's sketch of the music building now under construction at Eastern State College. Facilities include separate rooms for band and chorus, four classrooms, 10 studios, 19 practice rooms, listening and appreciation quarters, offices and utility space. It is expected that the building will be ready for use in the spring of 1957.

Joan Evans, live at 313 Seventh Street in Corbin.

Jesse C. Holbrook, Jr., '52, is vice president of the Coca Cola Bottling Works in Whitesburg, Kentucky. He is married to Norma Polly and they live in Whitesburg along with their little boy, age 3.

Robert L. Garrett, Jr., '53, has entered the management induction program of Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Company in Louisville. He has done graduate work at the University of Kentucky and served as a first lieutenant in artillery for eighteen months in Europe.

School Keeps

Miss Betty Brett Ogden has accepted a position as music supervisor in the Mayfield elementary schools beginning with the second semester. Miss Ogden, who graduated from Eastern in June with a major in music, completed practice teaching in the Ft. Thomas school system the past semester.

Miss Kathleen Justice, '52, has recently accepted a teaching position in Franklin, Ohio.

Rickman Powers, Covington, certified public accountant, will be among five instructors of courses in accounting at the Northern Center of the University of Kentucky with classes starting on February 8, in Covington.

A graduate of Eastern in 1937, Mr. Powers completed work at Boston University, the University of Louisville, and the University of Cincinnati.

BULLDOZER DIGS DEEP ON MUSIC BUILDING SITE

Some alumni of Eastern's music department will doubtless be in-

Klein Receives Advanced Degree

Arthur F. Klein, a graduate in the class of 1940, received the Doctor of Philosophy degree this past summer at Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee. A music major, he teaches instrumental music in the Nashville city schools.

Mrs. Klein is the former Sadie Brasher, a one-time student at Eastern and a sister of Mrs. Ralph Whalin on the campus.

Dr. and Mrs. Klein, with their three sons, Arthur Francis, age 10, William Brasher, age 6, and James Donald, age 3, live at 1424 Shelton Avenue, Nashville 6.



ARTHUR F. KLEIN

terested to know that the excavation for the new music building, halted several weeks because of weather and a technical hitch or two, is now going forward, come sunshine or overcast (but, alas, not in rain, sleet and snow).

Just left of the driveway entering the campus from College Street, and facing the O'Donnells' garden across the drive, the digging goes on in a sizeable rectangular space, with the dirt from the digging piled up in cone-shaped heaps in the center.

Other loose earth in the rear strays off down toward the little wet-weather triangular lake that the rains make at intervals in the lower ravine.

Meanwhile, pending the great day of completion, music still sounds from the walls and windows of Administration A and B; and swells, strums, and tinkles in the aging studios of Telford House across campus.

Completion of the building is promised—finished lock and key—sometime next year. Meanwhile, through the coming spring, and summer, and into the time of falling leaves, the good work promises to go merrily and musically on.

Fourth Estate

Paul Minch, Jr., a former editor of the Eastern Progress, and for the past few years co-editor of the Daily Independent of Maysville, Kentucky, assumed February 13 the editorship of two newspapers at Jeffersonville, Indiana: the Jeffersonville Evening News and the Clark County Journal.

ELECTED TO ASSEMBLY

Daily R. Turner, '36, is a member of the Ohio General Assembly. Mrs. Turner was the former Ruth Lynch, class of '39. Mr. and Mrs. Turner may be addressed at 15 Stanton Street, Tiffin, Ohio.

Wings Over Europe

Col. and Mrs. Frank H. Wilcox, Jr., are enjoying their tour in Germany. Col. Wilcox is commander of the 12th Air Rescue Group stationed at Sembach. He gets back to the United States frequently, and has just recently returned to Germany for a visit to his home in Trier.

Col. Wilcox was a member of the class of '41, and Mrs. Wilcox, the former Dorothy Doris, was a member of the class of '40.

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Industrial Arts Meet Scheduled

The joint meeting of the Industrial Arts Club and the Central Kentucky Industrial Education Association will be held here March 1, 1956. It will be a dinner meeting in the Blue Room of the Student Union Building at 6:50 p.m.

Attending this annual club dinner will be the industrial arts teachers and the vocational industrial teachers in central Kentucky. There will also be representatives from the State Department of Education, Berea College, the University of Kentucky and the University of Louisville.

Dr. M. Ray Karnes will be guest speaker. He is a professor of Industrial Education and the departmental chairman at the University of Illinois. Dr. Karnes is a native of Texas, and is the author of a number of professional books in the field of industrial education.

Commerce Educational Honorary, Pi Omega Pi, Plans Programs

On February 9, 1956, the Alpha Beta Chapter of Pi Omega Pi celebrated its twenty-first birthday on the campus of Eastern. Pi Omega Pi is a national honorary business education fraternity for undergraduate business teacher trainees who have attained a high scholarship average in their business and educational courses.

A study of the membership list of Eastern's Pi Omega Pi Chapter reveals its members have continued to grow after finishing their undergraduate work. The membership list includes a college dean, five members who have earned doctors' degrees, ten college teachers, several secondary school teachers, two certified public accountants, an air force colonel, a bank vice president, a number of members in the field of accountive, secretarial work, and other forms of business enterprise. Many of the homemakers

on the list were secondary school teachers before their marriages.

Mr. R. R. Richards was the original faculty sponsor of the club and continued in that capacity until he entered military service at the beginning of World War II. Dr. W. J. Moore then sponsored the club for a period. The present sponsor is Mr. A. G. McIlvaine. The club now has seventeen active members and they are planning several interesting programs for the remainder of the school year. The first of these will feature a discussion of student teaching. Students from Model High School will present their views of the student teacher. Members of the club who completed their student teaching last semester will discuss their experiences as student teachers.

Guests at the meeting will be Miss Margaret Moberley and her class in Methods of Teaching General Business and Bookkeeping.



Phyllis Skaggs, freshman representing the Letcher County Club, was crowned 1956 Basketball Queen during the halftime ceremonies of the Eastern-Murray game. Don Boyer, president of the "E" Club, presented the Queen a trophy. Crown bearer was Steve Bindel. —Photo Club



A familiar and well liked couple on Eastern's campus, Johnnie Sue Zocchi and Ben Hord, were recently crowned SWEETEST SWEETHEART COUPLE at the Sweetheart Dance sponsored annually by the Progress Staff. —Photo Club

Placement Bureau Renders Valuable, Free Service

The Placement Bureau of Eastern Kentucky State College provides many services to those who register with it. This organization is designed to assist Eastern graduates in obtaining positions after graduation.

This is a free service to all graduating seniors and alumni. According to D. J. Carty, director of In-Service Education, graduating seniors should register within the first six weeks of their last semester on campus. It takes a while for applications to be processed. Many seniors acquire positions through the Placement Bureau at K.E.A., when superintendents from all over Kentucky and many other states secure people for openings for the coming year.

Mr. Carty encourages all seniors to register before they graduate, even though they may already have secured a job. Applications, together with recommendations, are kept on file and referred to later at the request of the student.

Ten years from now, explains Mr. Carty, instructors who could give recommendations may have moved or forgotten students, but by registering now, such a recommendation would already be on file.

Service To Registrants

Some of the general services are giving personal counsel to students and to prospective registrants as to the most desirable majors and minors which will make for better opportunities in obtaining teaching positions; interviewing prospective candidates with reference to teaching positions; mailing letters of inquiry to school officials pertaining to vacancies, including an announcement of the various types of teaching positions for which Eastern is prepared to recommend

candidates; and obtaining and compiling information as to the causes for the successes or failures of former registrants who have obtained teaching positions through the college placement bureau and supplying this information to members of the department of teaching.

It is possible to obtain positions other than teaching through the bureau. For information regarding these positions and any other problems, check with Mr. Carty in the Administration Building.

This is a free service and applications are available in the ex-

YWCA Conference Meets March 2-4 At Berea

The annual Kentucky student YWCA conference will be held at Berea College from March 2-4. The purpose of the conference is to train in membership and leadership in the Y, discussion groups on areas and projects, and worship and fellowship.

On Saturday morning, March 3, a panel discussion on W.U.S., W.S.C.C., and U.S.C.F. will be led by Esther Hamm, Eastern student.

All YWCA members are urged to attend the conference. Arrangements may be made with Rosalind Lewis, YWCA president.

tension office of the Administration Building at any time.

Westminster Fellowship Completes Plans For Year

During the month of February the Westminster Fellowship has presented a series of programs on "Being a Presbyterian" with the Rev. Graham Gordon as the speaker. This Sunday night will be the last of the series. Another series will start in March entitled "Christianity in My Profession." Among the speakers for these programs will be a doctor, a business woman, a teacher, and a housewife.

During Religious Emphasis Week the Westminster Fellowship had charge of the last morning devotion. They chose as their topic "Emphasizing Religion Throughout the Rest of the Year." Plans are being made to attend the regional W.F. conference, which will be held at Lexington on April 20-22. Students from all of the colleges in Kentucky will meet together to elect new officers and discuss plans for the coming year.

The yearly spring meeting with the Berea W. F. will be held

at Berea this year.

The Westminster Fellowship has initiated a regular weekly Monday night supper at the church. The meals are prepared by different groups of students each week.

One of the most important activities of the year will be the traditional spring boatribe at Boonesborough in May.

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The annual formal general inspection of the Eastern R.O.T.C. will be on April 27, Friday, by a Second Army inspecting team. Col. Richard F. Reidy, Pennsylvania State University, is president of the group. Other members are Lt. Col. Joseph V. Chaufy, Bucknell University; Major Leonard O. Peterson, Gettysburg College; CW2 Eugene P. Smith, Pennsylvania State University.

Captain Paul E. Myers of Eastern will comprise a part of the annual formal general inspecting team of Ohio and West Virginia Colleges from May 7 to May 18.

Sgt. Patterson, formally assigned to Eastern, visited the department Tuesday, February 14, and spoke to the seniors about conditions in Korea.

Pershing Rifles Initiation

The initiation for Pershing Rifles Company R-1 pledges is scheduled for the week of March 12 with the formal ceremony on Friday afternoon, March 16.

Lt. Col. A. O. Hatch, P.M.S. and T., spoke to the Art and Literary Department of the Richmond Women's Club, Thursday, February 16, on "What is Patriotism?"

Eastern has the largest spring semester R.O.T.C. registration in the history of the school. A total of 302 are enrolled.

Rifle Team

The R.O.T.C. Rifle Team is firing in the Second Army Intercollegiate match. Firing will be completed before February 28.

The team will have a match with Western at Western on Saturday, March 3.

Eastern was host to the University of Louisville Air Force rifle team Saturday, February 11. The University of Louisville won with a score of 1358 compared to Eastern's 1342. The high gun for the match was Robert Wathen, University of Louisville, with 277. The top five men for Eastern were William Ball, 273; Robert Schneider, 272; Larry Vockery, 272; Ira J. Begley, captain, 270; Herbert Owen and Joe Hughes tied for fifth place with total scores of 255 each. Only one of these scores counted.

Shoulder To Shoulder

Saturday, February 18, Ohio State University's team met Eastern at Richmond in a shoulder-to-shoulder match. This was the first meeting since their pistol team met February 14, 1942, and Eastern won 1253 to 1240.

In Saturday's match, Ohio beat Eastern 1331 to 1327. The top five for Eastern were Melvin Northcutt, 272; William Ball, 267; Robert Schneider, 263; Farris Rose, 264; and Charles Brown, 261.

Eastern's first rifle team came in 16th in the William Randolph Hearst Trophy Match out of the 98 teams firing. The second team was 55th. This was the first time Eastern had two teams in the match.

Skating Party Among Wesley Foundation Plans

Wesley Foundation, the Methodist youth organization, gave a shower February 15 to equip the Wesley Foundation room, located in the basement of Roark.

Plans are being made for deputation programs. There will be three or four of these programs given at different churches beginning in March.

A roller skating party will be given soon for the Wesley Foundation members and any persons who do not have a church.

The group annually sends two delegates to the state conference in May. Members are working on projects now to raise \$220 to send to the mission field.

Roundtable Discussions Broadcast Each Sunday

According to Dr. R. E. Jagers, Eastern's Roundtable discussion Sunday night, February 26, will be on the question "How Can We Implement the Program of Moral and Spiritual Education in Eastern Kentucky State College?"

On March 4 the discussion will be centered upon the ideas of economic opportunities for graduates in agriculture. Then on March 11 the program will be devoted to economic opportunities for graduates in commerce and business education.

A program in the near future will be a discussion by Dr. Samuel E. Stumpf pertaining to Religious Emphasis Week recently held on the campus.

The Roundtable discussions are a weekly feature over Radio Station WEKY on Sunday at 6:00 p.m.

Dr. Giles Attends Education Conference

Dr. Fred Giles, head of the art department, was in Chicago last week attending the convention of the Americal Association of Colleges for Teacher Training. He was a panel member of the clinic on "Utilization of Faculty and Student Resources in Over-crowded Enrollments."



GO WEST, YOUNG MAN, GO WEST—these may well be the words of the Tucson Arizona Boys Choir who will appear in the next Community Concert February 29 in Hiram Brock Auditorium.

Drama Festival Today

Today the annual drama festival for the surrounding areas is being held on Eastern's campus. Students from thirteen high schools are participating in this event. Each high school is presenting a play, and the judge is Glen Wilson, director of dramatics at Eastern. The plays are being presented in the Hiram Brock Auditorium and are open to the student body.

Enrollment Reaches 2,217 Contemplated Figure Off

The latest enrollment figures released by school officials show that the present number of students now registered is 2,217. This is the largest enrollment which Eastern Kentucky State College has ever had at any one time. The enrollment for the second semester of the 1954-55 term was 1789. The present number is an increase of 428 students.

There were 2,192 students registered during the first semester of this term.

Big Jump

Two years ago an estimate was made concerning the number of students who would be attending Eastern this term. It was concluded that the enrollment would reach 1,600.

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