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## 75 Are To Receive Degrees Wednesday

### Senior Women's Dinner To Be Given Tonight

The thirteenth annual Senior Women's Dinner will be held at Eastern on Friday, May 30, at 6:30 p. m. in the Student Union Building. Speaker for the dinner will be Miss Mary Titus of Huntington, West Virginia. Her subject is, "Our Challenge."

Miss Titus is president of the Department of Classroom Teachers of the National Education Association. She was educated in the public schools of Huntington and attended Ward-Belmont College, Marshall College and Columbia

guest; Love Clark, properties; Virginia Blackburn, finance; Jewell Howard, receiving line; Mildred Payne, student contact, and Evelyn Kalb, faculty contact.

Mildred Payne, Corbin, has been chosen to preside at the senior dinner. Miss Payne has served as president of the Women's Residence Hall Organization for the past year and is active in other organizations on the campus.

The program is as follows:  
Invocation.....Naoma Dodson Solo

### Douglas Is Named For Danforth Scholarship

Miss Lenora Douglas, a freshman from Hazard, Kentucky, was the member of the freshman class to receive a scholarship from the Danforth Foundation to attend Camp Miniwanca on Lake Michigan this summer. The Danforth Foundation of St. Louis issues these scholarships, one going to each of sixty colleges and universities scattered over the United States. Eastern was one of the schools asked to make applications for the scholarship. A faculty and student committee selected two men and three women of the freshman class to make application. These five students submitted their applications, and Miss Douglas was the freshman chosen from Eastern.

This camp is held each summer at Camp Miniwanca, forty miles north of Muskegon on Lake Michigan. It is the American Youth Foundation Leadership Training Camp, and offers training in the four fields of leadership—mental, physical, social, and religious. At the camp are outstanding leaders from all over the United States, and leaders from other countries. Dr. Warmingham, who is to be our baccalaureate speaker, will be one of the leaders. He is also associate director of the camp.

Two separate camps are held, one being for the girls, and the other for the boys. There were forty girls given scholarships to the camp and twenty boys. The camp for the girls will be held July 28 and continue through August 10.

Eastern has been very fortunate in that she has been one of the colleges awarded a freshman scholarship every year since 1942. In 1942 Louis Power received the scholarship; 1943 Nina Mayfield; 1944 Suzanne Malott; 1945 Aldene Porter; 1946 Anne Reiley Cochran; and in 1947 Lenora Douglas. All of the persons were able to attend the camp except Aldene Porter, whose trip was cancelled by the Office of Defense Transportation.

Miss Douglas has participated in many activities on the campus including the Glee Club, W.A.A., Band, Y.W.C.A. and has recently been invited into Protodecca, an honorary sophomore organization. Miss Douglas is studying music as her major field.

### Candidates For Degrees Are Named

The following people are candidates for degrees to be conferred at the commencement exercises Wednesday, June 4:

Those to receive the Master of Arts degree are Sara Katherine Fossett, Somerset, and Helena Jones McKamey, Chaska, Tennessee.

Candidates for the bachelor of arts degrees are: Sidney Reed Baxter, Lawrenceburg; Virginia L. Blackburn, Pikeville; William H. Blackerby, Pendleton; Jay Lynn Buffington, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Dennis Campbell, Laurel Creek; Love Forest Clarke, Drift; Margaret Evelyn Anderson, Canton, N. C.; William L. DeVenzio, Corapolis, Pa.; Columbus C. Dick, Science Hill; Naoma Rae Dodson, Somerset; Maxine Gibbs, Ashland.

William Joseph Kinsella, Newport; Sara M. Leggett, Paris; Charley Lewis, Tyner; Frances Burleson McWhirter, Wayneburg; Joda C. Milburn, McKinney; Lester M. Mullins, Eubank; Norma Ann Richards, Ashland; Ben Leavelle Sanders, Richmond; Ida Pearl Teater, Lancaster, and Sara Allison Tribble, Bondville.

Candidates for the bachelor of Science degree are: Jane Atree, Richmond; William Bradley Baker, Wootton; Pauline Cawood Ball, Everts; Betty Jo Barnett, Somerset; Bill Earl Barnett, Pine Ridge; Ted Benedett, Elm Grove, W. Va.; Cephas E. Bevins, Pikeville; Billy Brashear, Irvine; Roy Lee Cole, Beattyville; Jean R. Crutcher, Lawrenceburg; Norman A. Deeb, Shelbyville; Dale H. Dicken, California; Berniece May Dixon, Blackey; William G. Dorna, Dayton; Daniel J. Dougherty, Richmond; Elsie Marie Durham, Richmond; Emille E. Eaton, Corbin; Robert J. Goosens, Kewanee, Ill.

Juanita Beatrice Graber, Ashland; Rosa Baker Greenwell, Oneida; Rufus V. Halcomb, Viper; James Russell Hall, Farmers; Mary Wallace Hampton, Georgetown; Elsie Mae Harmon, Somerset; Edwin Lee Howard, Wallins Creek; (Continued On Page Two)

### Hutchins and Warmingham Are Graduation Speakers

#### Hutchins is Commencement Speaker

The annual commencement program for the June graduating class of Eastern will be held in Hiram Brock Auditorium Wednesday morning, June 4, at 10 a. m. The speaker for this occasion will be Dr. Francis S. Hutchins, president of Berea College.



DR. FRANCIS S. HUTCHINS

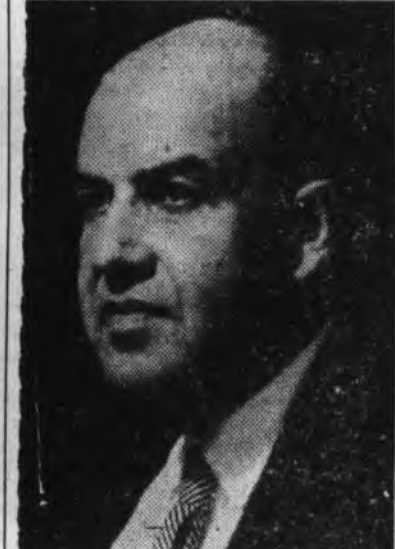
Dr. Hutchins was born in Northfield, Mass., August 19, 1902. He received his A.B. degree from Oberlin College, his A.M. from Yale University and the honorary degree of LL.D. from Lake Forest College and the University of Kentucky. He is the fifth president of Berea College, having succeeded his father to the presidency in 1939.

Dr. Hutchins is a member of the Kentucky Postwar Education Committee and is also a member of the Commission on International Cultural Relations of the Association of American Colleges.

For seventeen years, Dr. Hutchins was engaged in educational work in China and was for eleven years, representative of the Yale-China Association. It was in this capacity that he had unusual contacts with the missionary movement and with educators in China. With the outbreak of the Chinese-Japanese war, Dr. Hutchins was named the Executive Secretary of the Changsha International Relief Committee, which administered funds in the city of Changsha and in Hunan Province. (Continued On Page Two)

#### Baccalaureate Service is Sunday

The speaker for the baccalaureate service for the graduating class of 1947, to be held Sunday morning, June 1, at 10:45 o'clock, will be Dr. Osbert Wrightman Warmingham. He has chosen for his subject, "Memories That Bless and Burn."



DR. O. W. WARMINGHAM

tastes, is a student and reader in the fields of literature, history, science, music and the fine arts. His recent volumes of poetry, "Singing Sands" and "Silver Sea," Dr. Warmingham, a descendant of four generations of British army officers living in India, was born in the town of Cuddapah, India. He spent the first twenty-one years of his life in the historic city of Madras.

He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and has done graduate work at Boston University. He later studied philosophy and theology in Oxford, England. He holds the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Carroll College.

For more than fifteen years he was professor of Biblical History and Literature at Boston University. He is primarily a philosopher, but being very versatile in his having been very well received.

Since 1936, Dr. Warmingham has been one of the full-time associate directors of the American Youth Foundation. During the winter months, he is a welcome visitor at schools, speaking on subjects such as "Formulating a Philosophy of Living," "The Fun of Writing Poetry," and "The Caste System of India—Its Values and Dis- (Continued On Page Two)

#### R.O.T.C. Review Held At Eastern Saturday

The Reserve Officers Training Corps of Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College held its final review of the year at 10:15 o'clock Saturday morning, May 24, in Hanger Stadium on the campus. Music was furnished by the Eastern band.

Reviewing the troops were Major Frank E. Willard, PMS&T, Captain Roger E. Higgins, assistant PMS&T, President W. F. O'Donnell and C. D. Oldham, secretary of the Richmond Board of Trade.

Decorations presented were the ROTC Medal of the Sons of the American Revolution to the outstanding cadet of the year, Cadet Lt. Col. John Collins, the Army Commendation Ribbon to Mr. John W. Carpenter and the Bronze Star Medal and the Good Conduct Medal to Mr. Leonard D. Staley.



MISS MILDRED PAYNE

University. She held various offices in local, state and national education organizations and is active in community affairs.

Helen Worthington, chairman; Norma Richards and Ida Teater are serving as arrangements committee. Subcommittee chairmen are Betty Jo Barnett, program; Ida Teater, place cards; Naoma Dodson, decorations; Mary Langan, candle; Norma Richards;



MISS MARY TITUS

A Spirit Flower..Cambell-Tipton Gene Elder  
Violin Solo  
Gean Durham  
Laura Durham, Accompanist  
Piano Duet:  
Polonaise.....B. Hoffman  
Mildred and Mary Langan  
Address:  
"Our Challenge".....Miss Titus  
Alma Mater.....Campbell-Evans  
Jane Bush, Director  
Martha Sharp, Accompanist

### O'Donnell's Contract Renewed

The Board of Regents of Eastern at a meeting in the Regents Room on the campus recently extended President W. F. O'Donnell's contract for a period of four years by unanimous action of the board. Mr. O'Donnell has been president of Eastern since 1941. The board also re-elected the faculty for the coming year.

The Board accepted the resignation of Dord Fitz, who has been appointed to a position in the University of Kentucky. Mr. Fitz has been a member of the Art Department during the last eight years. Mr. L. C. Glass, teacher of biology, was permitted to resign before the expiration of his contract in order that he might accept a position in Oregon.

Dr. Emerson D. Jenkins, Associate Professor Mathematics, resigned to accept a position in Kent State University in Ohio. The Board formally accepted the resignation of Coach Rome Rankin which was presented several weeks ago. Mr. Rankin will join the physical education staff of the University of Maine. Miss Eleanor Jerner, a member of the Home Economics Department, will return to Columbia University to complete her work for the Ph.D. degree.

Mr. Dabney Doty, member of the staff in the Department of In-

### State Playday At Wesleyan

It is the practice for the various divisions of the Woman's Athletic Association in the state to get together each spring for what is known as the State Playday. This year the event was staged at Kentucky Wesleyan College at Winchester. On Saturday, May 17, nine schools participated in the numerous athletic events. Badminton, tennis, swimming, archery, volleyball and softball were scheduled.

Betsy Tandy represented Eastern in the badminton singles. Eastern won over Georgetown in the first match but U. K. defeated Eastern. U. K. and Transylvania met in the finals but Transy took the honors. Much the same story applies to the doubles matches. Eastern defeated Centre in the first match with Tandy and June Moore at the net for Eastern. U. K. won over Eastern and Transy took U. K. for the title.

In the swimming event, Eastern came out on top thanks to Dot Jansen and Glenna Frisby. Dot took top honors in the backstroke. (Continued On Page Four)

### Truesdale '47-'48 W. H. R. O. Head

New officers for the Women's Residence Hall Organization for the year 1947-48 were elected Wednesday, May 16.

Edna Mae Truesdale, a senior from Trinity, Kentucky, was elected president of the organization for the coming year.

Charlotte Newell, a junior from Indianapolis, Indiana, was elected vice president.

Jo Everling, a sophomore from Indianapolis, Indiana, was elected secretary.

Betsy Tandy, a junior from Carrollton, Kentucky, was elected treasurer.

The officers for the past year were president, Mildred Payne; vice president, Viola Freeman; secretary, Carolyn Sanders; treasurer, Mary Wood Lee.

A nominating committee of senior women composed of Jane Thomas, Love Clarke and Lula Thurman, nominated the girls for the offices, and the women students of Burnam Hall elected the four officers.

Representatives from the various floors in Burnam Hall will be chosen next fall.

The Women's Residence Hall Organization is an organization composed of all the girls living in Burnam Hall. Its purpose is to regulate the policies of the dormitory so as to bring about better cooperative living.



MISS HELEN WORTHINGTON

### McWhirter Is Awarded Scholarship

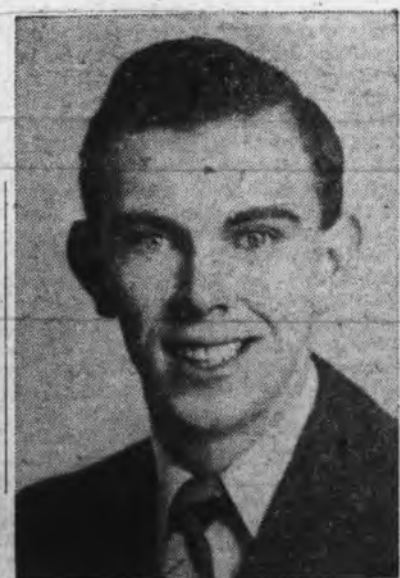
Mr. James McWhirter, a senior from Hopkinsville, has been selected for the Knights Templar Scholarship, which is awarded by the Knights Templar Foundation Committee of the Grand Commandery of Kentucky, of which Dr. Charles Keith is a member.

The winner of this loan will receive one hundred dollars each time (Continued On Page Four)

## 1947-48 Organization Presidents



ANN ROGERS  
PROTA DECCA



JOHN HOLLAND  
Y. M. C. A.



EDNA TRUESDALE  
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AS WE SEE IT

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THOUGHTS ON LEAVING EASTERN

There comes a time in the life of every Senior when he looks back—back into things he should have done, back into the things he shouldn't have done, and then forward into the things he wants to see done for the school he is leaving. He usually considers, on the first act of retrospection, that he is a failure. He sees how foolish it was to buy books and then brag because he never cracked them; he sees where he was in the wrong when he criticized a teacher for giving a pop quiz; he sees how he made the mistake of considering assembly a get-together for the teachers; he begins to wonder why he always considered Mr. Ault as the only caretaker of the campus instead of a student body of volunteer caretakers; he looks at all of the well-beaten paths on the campus and wonders if this is the only thing he is leaving at East-

ern; and then he begins to think whether or not he has contributed anything toward a spirit of unity among the students and faculty or if his associates will remember only complaints or gripes. Then as the senior walks across the platform and is handed a diploma, as he returns to his room and prepares to leave it for the last time, his only thought is this: Freshmen, sophomores, and juniors, we challenge you to make Eastern into the greatest school in the South. We challenge you to wake up out of that lethargic state you have been in during the past year and "pitch in." You don't need sororities and fraternities or even a student council, but what is needed is a student body that not only loves Eastern but that can, at the same time, see what she needs. We need a student body who respects Eastern's beauty, her tradition, her administration, her faculty, and a student body who respects themselves enough to become men and women instead of

more physically mature babies. If anything is wrong with Eastern it is not because of a lack of social life, the cafeteria, the administration, but it is because you yourself think of nothing but how you can get everything that is possible from Eastern. You never consider that you might have something to offer to Eastern if it is nothing more than a respect for her campus. Believe me, I have nothing to gain from an editorial of this type but criticism, but think what you like or say what you like, but ACT. We do not want a school that is living in the past but a school with a glorious past being used to mold an even more glorious future. I can think of no place more wonderful than Eastern and I want you to feel the same way. Put everything you have into what ever your job is, accept responsibility, respect ethical and moral standards and codes, and then when you graduate walk away with the feeling that you helped "make" Eastern. And so, for the last time, I sign 30 to an editorial "gripe."

ODDS AND ENDS

By JOHN MAYHALL

Before I start writing this column of corn, I wish to say that this will be my last writing for the Eastern Progress and I have very greatly enjoyed writing for you and I want to thank you for reading it. I have also enjoyed serving on the paper, as not only a columnist, but as your feature editor. Much luck and happiness to all of you—thanks again! The young man straightened his tie and with brave determination entered the living room. "Er, could I see you for a moment, sir?" "Absolutely, my boy, what can I do for you?" "Well, sir, you see it's like this—er, Phyllis thought we'd better ask you first." "Yes, go right ahead. Young people nowadays usually don't ask." "Er, well—we've been going together for quite some time now and Phyllis thought it'd be all right if I'd ask you." "Why certainly, Bob, you're a fine boy and I've always been fond of you." "Then, can I take your car tonight?" Every year college deans pop up the routine question to their undergraduates: "Why did you come to college?" Traditionally the answers match the question in triteness. But one co-ed unexpectedly confided: "I came to be went with—but I ain't yet!" A date with a modern girl is an open and shut proposition: She's always eating.

When I am smoking cigarettes, The ashes in my tray Are like the remnants of the dreams That I have put away.

The dreams we dreamed together once When spring was young and new And everything that mattered was My happiness with you.

We fashioned all the future to A pattern of our own Where neither you nor I would know The meaning of "alone."

And when I kissed your loving lips We promised in the dawn Our love would last as long as we And after we were gone.

But now I stir the ashes and There is no room for doubt. My dreams are only cigarettes And I have put them out.

Several college presidents were discussing what they would like to do after they retired. "Well," said one of them. "I know what I'd like to do. I'd like to be superintendent of an orphan asylum so I'd never get any letters from parents." "I've a much better ambition," exclaimed another. "I want to be warden of a penitentiary. The alumni never come back to visit." When they are first married, she can't get enough love. But later on, she can't get enough money.

TO A BOTTLE

'Tis very strange that you and I Together cannot pull; For you are full when I am dry, And dry when I am full.

I wish I were a kangaroo, Despite his funny stances; I'd have a place to put the junk My girl brings to the dances.

I have known many, Liked a few, Loved one— Here's to you!

VOX VETERANI

By AL CROWE

Well, fellow beachcombers, as the old saying goes, "In Spring a young man's fancy" and cuts quite a few caper (every place, that is, except in the classroom). The Eastern crowd is no exception and our casual observation has been that no one fails to realize that this is the time of year for romancing, and loafing, and romancing, and swimming, and romancing, and playing tennis, and romancing, etc. Everyone seems to have the same trouble, though, and that is that classes are beginning to interfere with social activities. The epidemic has caught us and there is no cure for this most contagious of all maladies. Of course, the great panacea, summer vacation, is near at hand for most everyone (except the smart individuals who feel that a couple of hours of school a day is preferable to eight hours of drudgery elsewhere). Mention of summer school necessarily brings us down to the business at hand. The Veterans' Club will remain active during the summer terms and it is the hope of all concerned that the club can play an active part in school affairs

during these months when activities will certainly be needed. Besides, a strong organization then will be better able to cope with problems of the fall term and a new school year. All veterans intending to remain in school during the summer months are urged to join or stay active in the Veterans' Club. The minstrel show was a huge success and Mrs. MacPherson, Allan White, and all the cast deserve twenty-one gun salutes for giving the school an entertaining evening. We only wish that everyone could have been on the stage, a vantage point from which the show was really enjoyable. Sho' nuff! As this issue is the last of the regular year, we wish to thank Mr. Cox and everyone who backed the Veterans' Club. The club hopes it has done some small good in playing a part in life at Eastern and intends to continue doing so. An to those of you who won't be here this summer, we say: Good luck, have fun, and we'll be thinking of you poor laborers as we loll in the sands of Boonesboro Beach on balmy summer afternoons.

French Exhibit Draws Praise

"We are absolutely delighted with the success of your French Exhibit. The check is more than welcome and will help very much towards our campaign for the rehabilitation center in Royan, France," writes Miss Marjorie Howard of American Aid to France, Inc., to Dr. Janet Murbach. Mrs. Murbach wishes to thank the many Eastern students who cooperated in making the exhibit a success, both by lending beautiful articles to be displayed and by making generous gifts of money. One hundred and five dollars was contributed. It is hoped that Eastern's interest in Royan will continue. It has become our French town as Brest has become Denver's, Coutaces Chicago's, Saint-Lo Spokane's, etc. The Louisville unit of American Aid to France is also working for the Royan center. "The project affords an excellent opportunity to repay the French people for the rescue of 43 Kentucky fliers and for hospitality shown our ground forces during the war. The most constructive way in which we can thank these people whose Resistance forces fought side by side with our men and who hid our fliers from the enemy, is to assure the building of this Community Center at Royan," stated Mrs. George W. Norton Jr. and Barry Bingham, co-chairmen of the Louisville committee. A letter has been received from Mr. Bingham congratulating Eastern and Richmond on the success of the French exhibit, and urging continued interest in helping Royan.

Paul Kiefer of Louisville was one of the first two Americans to set foot in Royan after the liberation. The Courier-Journal of May 16 quotes from an interview with Mr. Kiefer: "Royan was a blazing town with mined streets, and piled high with rubble on the day it was liberated. There were only a handful of civilians to be seen. There was literally not one undamaged piece of property and no safe place to stay. One of these well-planned centers will mean more to those people than anybody can imagine. The medical and home-making facilities, the milk units for babies and children, libraries and student aids—all these things will give them the best break they've had since the war started."

The immediate need at Royan is stated by Miss Howard: "The bombed-out population needs everything, but especially clothing and milk for the babies and children," she writes. "Our units help us to provide the first by forming groups, sometimes quite small, to knit and sew for us, and we send gratis knitting wool and instructions, and simple cut-out garments. We are particularly glad to send baby clothes, as they are unobtainable in France."

American Aid to France, Inc., is eager to see a unit of the organization formed at Eastern. "I hope you will not think us greedy to propose more cooperation when you have just given us such generous proof of your interest and good-will, but the exigency of the situation in Royan, as indeed in all the devastated parts of France, must be our excuse," writes Miss Howard. It is hoped that many students will be interested in working on this project if it is decided to form a unit at Eastern.

HUTCHINS IS

(Continued From Page One) The commencement program is as follows: Professional: Tannhauser March.....Wagner Invocation.....Dr. Frank N. Tinder Overture: "Magic Flue".....Mozart Orchestra Address.....Dr. Francis S. Hutchins Sonata in A Major.....Brahms First Movement Katherine Jackson, Violin Eleanore Hire, Piano Presentation of Graduating Class.....Dean W. J. Moore Conferring of Degrees.....President O'Donnell Awards Alma Mater.....Nancy Evans-Jane Campbell Benediction.....Dr. Tinder Recessional: March Noble.....Ch. Bach Orchestra

The "Y's"

By ELIZABETH PENNINGTON

The Eastern "Y's" held their seventeenth Annual Retreat at Camp Daniel Boone on May 16-18. Friday night after supper, there was a "family chat" and a talk by Rev. Elmore Ryle, formerly of Eastern. The traditional candlelight service on the river was carried out by Evelyn Haddix and Margie DeVan, who were presidents of the "Y" while attending Eastern. Saturday morning was devoted to a business session to discuss the "Y" program at Eastern. The afternoon was open for recreation. The campers took advantage of this period by exploring the camp grounds, swimming and boating on the river, fishing and playing softball. During the evening session, Miss Minnie Maude McCauley, of Berea College Faculty, gave a brief speech. A communion service was led by Dr. Olof Anderson. After a fireside sing it was lights out and then to bed. There was another business session on Sunday morning discussing the general topic: needs to be met. At eleven o'clock the group met for a consecration service. About three o'clock camp was broken. Summer time is Conference time. Several members of the "Y" will be going to camp. The Southern Christian Student Conference will be at Berea. John Holland will attend this meet. Lenora Douglass will go to Camp Minnewanka on a Danforth Scholarship and Lula Thurman will go as a tent leader. Other students will attend Ridgecrest, or other church camps. A word of farewell to the graduating seniors and wishes for the best of luck. See you in September!

O'DONNELL'S CONTRACT

(Continued From Page One) dustrial Arts, was given a leave of absence for one year to complete his work for the master's degree. Mr. David Barnes, of Richmond, and West Lafayette, Indiana, was elected to a position in the Industrial Arts Department. Mr. Barnes is an alumnus of Eastern and has a graduate degree from Purdue University. He is now a member of the faculty at Purdue. On the recommendations of its architects, the Board voted to locate the new science building, plans for which are now being completed, across the driveway from the University Building. The Board had previously selected a site near the Health Building but abandoned it because of additional construction costs because of the low elevation of that site. All members of the Board were present. They are: Supt. John Fred Williams, Chairman; Dr. O. E. Hume, vice-chairman; Mr. J. C. Codell, of Winchester; Mr. E. J. Evans, of Paintsville; and Judge H. Clay Kauffman, of Lancaster. Others who attended the meeting are Miss L. Katherine Morgan, Secretary to the Board, and President O'Donnell.

CANDIDATES FOR

(Continued From Page One) Pal Green Howard, Pineville; Walter E. Heucke, Louisville; Robert Duncan Huey, Petersburg; Elmo Keith Hughes, Richmond; Mary Lillian Langan, Irvine; Mildred Lucille Langan; Mary Wood Lee, Millersburg. Fred B. Lewis, Jr., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Edna Margaret Polley McCauley, Cynthiana; Jack O. Nicholson, Dayton; Casey John Nowakowski, Frankfort; Mildred Joyce Payne, Corbin; Joe S. Rains, Verne; Carl H. Scott, Portsmouth, Ohio; Mary May Smith, Dayton; Marilyn Henry Steele, Ashland; Jack C. Talbot, Dayton, Ohio; Jane Miller Thomas, Carrollton; Hazel Bernice Waller, Crittenden; Paul Carol Wesley, Moreland; Rebecca J. Wallace, Ottawa; Margaret Jane Williams, Berea; Harold J. Winburn, Richmond.

BACCALAUREATE

(Continued From Page One) Values." He is especially known for his talks on Christian ethics and subjects pertaining to worthwhile living. His varied background and training have made him a speaker who is much in demand and much sought after by all groups and organizations.

MAROONED

With ED CASEBOLT

When we think of being marooned, we certainly don't think of sidewalks; therefore, I shall discuss sidewalks because of their lack of connection with being marooned. A sidewalk is supposed to be a walk for foot passengers at the side of a street or road. In reality a sidewalk is slabs of concrete put together to be trampled upon by relentless hordes of thoughtless persons. Think of all the torture the poor sidewalk has to endure. At times, when a particularly obese person treads on this patient piece of sidewalk, it seems that, although without a tongue or mouth, the sidewalk must cry out in pain. The only way it has to show its feelings is by cracking. This, of course, is very hard to do. A great deal of concentration has to be centered upon the act so that it will have the desired effect. However, this, the only method by which the sidewalk may show its resentment of cruel treatment, defeats the purpose; for with very many cracks the sidewalk becomes so deteriorated that it has to be removed to the graveyard. That brings up another point—is there a graveyard for sidewalks? If so, where is it? If not, why isn't there one? This is a difficult situation. There is, happily, another side to the life of a sidewalk—a brighter side. Sidewalks are very proud to be trampled by persons who are renowned, or who are destined to be some day. I'm sure if sidewalks could write, many would be bearing signs saying, "President Truman trod on me." However, the only writing that one sees on sidewalks is just the result of totally juvenile minds in the form of "Kilroy" and "Richard" and other infantile expressions. Well, let us leave the sidewalks to go on and on and on— And it finally leads to Bill Henry's "By The Way." We offer our congrats on his building up Kentucky. We hear nowadays so much about what is the matter with old Kaintuck, that we forget about the brighter side of life in our fair state. Mr. Henry names several things that make our people throw out their chests and say proudly, "That's where I live!" Some of the are: Mammoth Cave, the gold at Fort Knox, the beautiful Ohio, the renown whiskey, tobacco, mint juleps, and beautiful women. Also, such celebrated people as Abe Lincoln and Jefferson Davis, Henry Watterson, Mark Ethridge and Fred Vinson. Also such men as Reed, Rutledge, Barkley, May, Chandler, and many more. On and on the sidewalk goes.

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

By RUBY MONDAY

The last regular meeting of the Canterbury Club was on Wednesday, May 14. The members and sponsor, Dr. Clark, had dinner in the Blue Room after which some important business was attended to concerning plans for the rest of the quarter. The business opened with a discussion of a fish fry which the club is planning to have at Lake Reba Wednesday, May 21. The group will be transported by truck and car. After the regular business was completed, Dr. Clark distributed copies of Belles Lettres to the members to be sold at twenty-five cents per copy to students. We're not peddling insurance or Belles Lettres, but if you haven't got your copy, you don't know what you're missing! Better hurry—their won't be any left. The social program consisting of games and contests conducted by Mrs. Lovette concluded the program. The Caduceus Club planned to have a picnic May 19 at Lake Reba but because of the rain it was held in the Home Ec Building. The Caduceus Club members and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. Cox and Mr. Glass were present. After the supper, Mr. Glass was presented with a brief case as a going-away present. Jokes, cards, music and dancing followed.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship was proud to have as its guest speaker, Jack Early, a student of Union College. He spoke Monday night, May 19, on the topic of "God in Human History." He quoted from the historian, Beard—"When its dark enough, the stars come out. The bee fertilizes the flower it steals from. The mill of God grinds slowly, but exceedingly fine." During the first century there were the scholars who were searching in utter darkness for truths. Socrates was in darkness during the 5th century but Plato came out like a star. Plato brought to the world ideas which are immortal. The Children of Israel, too, had their hour of darkness under the subjection of the kings, but Moses shone forth, and yet, during the pre-Christian Era when the Jewish church was about to be overthrown there was so much racial discrimination, nationalism and economic poverty that the world became so dark over Bethlehem that a star came out.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C. Porter of Covington, Ky., announce the marriage of their daughter, Aldene, to Doyle Lovitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Lovitt of Lejunior, Ky. The wedding took place on May 2 at the home of the Rev. W. A. Wells in Lexington. The couple was attended by Miss Norma Jean Porter, sister of the bride, and Mr. Men Hudson of Lejunior. Mrs. Lovitt is a senior at Eastern and Mr. Lovitt is a former student at Eastern. Dean W. J. Moore is scheduled to attend a University Labor Education Conference, sponsored by the United States Department of Labor in Washington, D. C., May 28 and 29. Dean W. J. Moore made the commencement speech of the Barbourville High School Thursday, May 22. Dean W. J. Moore made the commencement speech of the Williamsburg High School, Friday, May 23. Dean W. J. Moore has been appointed chairman of a committee to recommend changes in the certification of Business teachers. Mrs. Emma Y. Case visited high schools in Ashland, Russell and Grayson May 22 and 23. Mr. Early continued by saying, "The bee fertilizes the flower it steals from" and using as an illustration that during the last war many men saw a need of God and that many mothers became Christians. Then he referred to the statement that "The mill of God grinds slowly, but exceedingly fine" and that God is in the midst of goodness today. The Home Economics Club sponsored recently a hayride-wiener roast at the Grant House. About 45 persons, including club members and their guests went. The last Home Ec Club meeting for the year was the installation banquet which was held in the Blue Room of the Student Union Building. The main feature of the program was the initiation of new members and the installation of the new officers for next year. The following were installed: President, Doris Jean Gurley; vice president, Ruby Maggard; secretary, Betty Hill; treasurer, Marcella Smith.



### ALUMNI NEWS

**Northern Ky. Alumni Meeting**  
 Alumni and former students of Eastern held a dinner meeting Friday, May 9, at 6:30 p. m. in the Madison Avenue Christian Church, Covington. Nineteen seniors from northern Kentucky high schools who plan to attend Eastern were guests of the Alumni Club at the dinner. A total of 107 persons attended the meeting.

The program for the meeting included invocation by Arthur Tipton, '33, of Ludlow; business meeting; a song by a quartet from Car-

rollton high school composed of Jim Fothergill, Don Welte, Fred H. Miller, and Don Grobmyer; welcome address by Roy Searcy, '38, of Eagle Station, president of the Northern Ky. Eastern Club; two songs by Mrs. Elizabeth Plessinger Schulte, '46, Ludlow; address by Dr. Charles A. Keith, of the Eastern faculty; community singing led by Miss Lola Klopfenstein, Covington teacher. The program was concluded with the singing of the Alma Mater, led by Mrs. Robert SeEVERS, of Eastern. Accompanist was Miss Nora K. Mason, '42.

Officers of the northern Kentucky group are Roy Searcy, president; Miss Charlotte Haynes, '42; Miss Madeline Corman, '45, secretary-treasurer. The committee in charge of arrangements for the dinner were Miss Corman, Miss Nora Mason, '42, Miss Henrietta Baker, '43, Miss Haynes, and Miss Mary Gregory, '42.

Members of the Eastern faculty who attended the meeting were Mrs. SeEVERS, Dr. Keith, Miss Mary F. McKinney, acting alumni secretary, Miss Louise Rutledge, assistant librarian, Meredith J. Cox, head of the chemistry department, and Dr. L. G. Kennamer, head of the department of geography and geology.

High school seniors who were guests at the meeting were, from

Simon Kenton high school: Miss Jean Baird, Covington; Miss Ila Gaskin, Latonia; and Miss Betty Jean Martin, Crittenden. From Carrollton high: Jim Fothergill, Don Welte, Fred Miller, Don Grobmyer.

Highlands high school seniors, Ft. Thomas: Harold Wiggins, Jr., James A. Mogge, Jay McFarland, Miss Gladys Rebeck, Miss Shirley Tieman, Miss Barbara Breitenstein, Miss Lois Breitenstein, Charles Huddleston, and Leonidas Sarchatianus. Holmes high seniors from Covington were Miss Betty Lee Nordheim, Bill Roberts, and Miss Anna Leers.

#### WEDDINGS

**Stevenson-Turney**  
 The marriage of Miss Roberta Lou Stevenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson of Charleston, W. Va., to Robert Williams Turney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon Turney, of Charleston, was solemnized March 8 in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church of Charleston.

The matron of-honor was Mrs. Don E. Norton of Brookline, Mass. The bridesmaids were Mrs. Richard Hobson (Roberta Booth Stevenson, '44) of Cincinnati; Mrs. Daniel C. Robinson of Huntington, W. Va., and Miss Emma Sue Dey-erle of Charleston. Mr. Turney was best man for his son, whose groomsmen were Robert H. Smith, Daniel C. Robinson, and Edmund Danford of Huntington.

After the reception at the home of the bride's parents, the young couple left for their wedding trip and are now at home at 5709 Woodmont, Pittsburgh, Pa., where the groom is associated with John A. Roebing Sons Co.

Mrs. Turney graduated from Eastern in 1943 and was formerly employed by the board of review, state department of unemployment compensation, West Virginia. Mr.

Turney received his preparatory education in Charleston schools, attended Marshall College and is a captain in the Air Corps Reserve. He is a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and Army and Navy Club in Pittsburgh.

**Thomas-McKenzie**  
 Mrs. Robert Ernest Thomas of Paintsville announces the marriage of her daughter, Helen Irene, to Charles Leslie McKenzie on Saturday, March 1, at the Mayo Methodist Church in Paintsville. The bride graduated from Eastern in the class of 1940 and has been teaching in the fourth grade in Paintsville the past few years. She is the sister of Ernest Thomas, '38, of Herndon, Ky.

#### ENGAGEMENTS

**Miller-Dunham**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Herschel H. Miller of Ashland announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Henrietta, to Roy Merritt Dunham, son of Mrs. Charles S. Dunham and the late Mr. Dunham of Easton, Md.

The wedding will take place in the latter part of June at the First Baptist Church in Ashland with the Reverend Carroll Hubbard officiating.

Miss Miller graduated from Eastern in the class of 1945 and is a member of the Crabbe School faculty in Ashland.

Dr. Dunham attended Johns Hopkins University and is a graduate of the engineering college of Bucknell University. He is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity and is now associated with the Kentucky-Olio Gas Company.

**Dungan-Eicher**  
 Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Frances Dungan, daughter of Mrs. Dora Dungan of Science Hill, Ky., and the late Mr. A. R. Dungan, to Mr. Edward E. Eicher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Len Eicher of Fort Thomas, Ky.

Miss Dungan attended Morehead State Teachers College and has been teaching at Hebron. Mr. Eicher graduated from Eastern in the class of 1939 and is managing editor of the Hardin County Enterprise, Elizabethtown.

Following their marriage on June 6 they will make their home in Elizabethtown.

**Jones-Jackson**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones of Vancouver, Wash., announce the

engagement of their daughter, Mabel Lillian, to Mr. William Joseph Jackson, son of Mrs. T. W. Jackson of Portland, Oregon. The wedding will take place in August at Salem, Oregon.

Miss Jones was a senior at Eastern last summer and is now teaching in the Vanport City schools, Vanport City, Oregon. She formerly lived in Pike county, Ky.

Mr. Jackson is a student at the University of Portland, Ore. He served with the U. S. Marines during the war and is a member of the Marine Reserve.

#### Junior Alumni

A daughter, Carolyn Kindred, born Saturday, May 17, at the Pattie A. Clay hospital in Richmond to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lee Congleton. Mrs. Congleton is the former Miss Carolyn Winkler, '46. Mr. Congleton is attending Eastern and will graduate in August.

A daughter, Marjorie Meador, born March 30 to the Reverend and Mrs. C. W. Smith at Pompano, Fla. Mrs. Smith was the former Miss Ida Meador Wilson, '42. They have two other daughters, Julia Sears, three years old, and Rebecca Sue, 18 months old.

A son, William Sidney, born May 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Beckham Power, of 6425 1/2 Mabrise Ave., Huntington Park, Calif. He is their first child. Mrs. Power was the former Cleora Smither Marion, '43, of Frankfort. Mr. Power graduated from Eastern in 1936. His home was formerly in Shelbyville.

A son, Woodie Stevens, born in April to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wilborn of Newport. Mrs. Wilborn was formerly Miss Viola Eads, '41, of Shelbyville. They live at 642 Nelson Place, Newport, Ky.

#### News Items About Alumni

Robert J. Dils, '43, of Dayton, Ohio, was recently recipient of a scholarship in the chemistry department at the University of Tennessee for the coming year to work on his master's degree. He majored in chemistry and biology at Eastern, served during the war as a pilot in the Army Air Corps and was shot down over Austria and imprisoned in Germany six months. After his discharge from the service, Dils returned to Eastern for graduate work and left to accept a position as chemist with the National Cash Register Co.

Clarke T. Gray, '41, read a paper at the annual meeting May 14 of the Society of American Bacteriologists in Philadelphia on some of his research at Ohio State University as a fellow of the National Tuberculosis Association. His problem is on the mode of action of the drug streptomycin on mycobacteria. Mr. Gray is working on his doctor's degree at Ohio State. Mrs. Gray is the former Miss Mary Agnes Finneran, '41. They have a daughter, Eileen, born December 24, 1946. Their address is 38 W. Norwich St., Columbus, Ohio.

Lee C. Webb, '33, is general manager, operations east, for American Buslines, with his head-

quarters in Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Webb is an active member of the Alumni Association. He and Mrs. Webb (Hazel Brandenburg, formerly of Richmond) have two children, Stephen Lee, seven years old, and Linda Lee, six months old. They live at 15 Smithfield St., Pittsburgh.

Miss Fae Lou Barrett, '40, for many years a teacher in Pikeville city school, assumed her new duties as executive director of the Sandy Valley Girl Scout Council, Inc., May 19. The council serves Pike, Floyd, and Letcher counties.

Miss Barrett graduated from Pikeville high school and Pikeville Junior College. Since receiving her degrees from Eastern in 1940 she has done additional work at Feabody College, Morehead Teachers College, and Georgetown College.

She will spend two weeks in June at the Louisville Girl Scout Camp taking the camp directors course which will qualify her to direct the annual Girl Scout Camp at Camp Arrowhead in August. For two seasons Miss Barrett was dietitian at a YWCA camp at Pinehurst, N. Y., and for two summers was city recreational director at the Pikeville park. She has been active in Girl Scouting as a council member, served as merit badge counselor for Boy Scouts for several years, and has also been active in 4-H Club work.

W. Alton Smith, former Kentucky high school coach, is making a name for himself in Georgia, according to a recent report in Earl Ruby's column in the Louisville Courier-Journal. This past season Smith coached Mapleton, Ga., high school to its first district cage championship in history. His team won 24 games and lost only four. And he beat every team that that whipped him, with one exception, and this outfit won the state championship, Ruby stated in his column. Alton also coached the girls' team and won 22 and lost only six. In addition to coaching both groups, he served as principal of the school. At the time the report was written, Smith was considering an offer as athletic director at Griffin, Ga., a city of more than 20,000. He graduated from Eastern in 1929 and taught in Madison county several years before going to Midway. He served in the Navy during the war.

Don C. Burton, '36, of LaRue, Ohio, was a recent visitor on the campus. He is coach and teacher at LaRue high school and in the summer writes sports stories for the Marion, Ohio, Star. He is an active member of the Alumni Association.

Mrs. Emil E. Knowles (Thelma Sparks, '38) is at the present time at her parents' home, Winchester Road, Irvine, awaiting orders to join her husband in Hawaii as soon as transportation and quarters are provided. Sgt. Knowles has just arrived in Hawaii and is stationed at Ft. Shafter.

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### DeBord is On Fashion Board

Miss Barbara DeBord, a freshman from Maude, Ohio, was elected by a committee of seniors to represent Eastern on the College Board of Review.

College Boards of Review have been formed from coast to coast by leading fashion magazines, manufacturing firms, and outstanding stores in college music. The College Board of Review, to which Miss DeBord has been elected, is sponsored by Martin's Blue Grass Fashions of Lexington. The Board of Review will be composed of girls from the University of Kentucky, Transylvania, George-



MISS BARBARA DEBORD

town, Wesleyan, Centre, Berea, Wilmore, and Miss DeBord of Eastern.

The purposes of the organization is to promote to a greater extent fashion among college women. This College Board of Review will be instrumental in helping the stores to choose what merchandise college students will want along fall-lines.

The first meeting of the Board will be Saturday, May 24, at the Primrose, Room of the Lafayette Hotel and will be a round table discussion of the trends with regard to what is going to be shown this fall and winter, in design, fabrics, colors, trim, and detailing.

There will be two "Brunch" Back-to-School style shows presented in late August or early September at the Phoenix Hotel with approximately 200 guests at each show.

During the school year 1947-48, they plan to have four to six meetings at which time they hope to have writers, stylists, and cosmetic representatives at the meetings to keep the Board members informed on latest fashions.

#### McWHIRTER AWARDED

(Continued From Page One) he registers his senior year.

This scholarship is a gift, not a loan, to worthy young men or women.

One of these scholarships is also given to Pikeville College, Kentucky Wesleyan College, Western State Teachers College, and Centre College.

The members of Eastern's selection committee are: President O'Donnell; Dean of Men, Dr. Keith; Dean of Women, Mrs. Case; Dean Moore; Dr. Clark; Dr. Park; Dr. Ferrell; Dr. Giles; and Mr. Hughes. Mr. McWhirter is majoring in

commerce, and plans to graduate in June of next year. He is a veteran, having served in the army three years. He was a student at Eastern before the war and left in April, 1943. Mr. McWhirter is married and lives in Veterans' Row.

#### STATE PLAYDAY

(Continued From Page One) the freestyle and the freestyle race. Glenna came in with second place honors on the sidestroke.

Marilee Maloney and Ruby Owen defended Eastern on the courts. In the tennis doubles finals with U. K., the match was called off because of rain. Volleyball was played after lunch. Eastern defeated Centre, Berea and U. K., meeting the University of Louisville in the finals. It was a great game, but the U. of L. was too good for the Eastern eight.

Schools participating in the playday were Eastern, Berea, U. K., U. L., Centre, Murray, Transylvania and Kentucky Wesleyan. Eastern was represented in the various events by Hank Miller, Pauline Phillips, June Moore, Charlotte Taylor, Helen Belcher, Virginia Strohmeier, Betsy Tandy, Dot Jansen, Glenna Frisby, Marilee Maloney, Ruby Owen and Betty Hamm.

After lunch a short business meeting was held of two representatives and the sponsor from each school. In this meeting state officers are elected for the coming year. Ginny Strohmeier was elected secretary of the State Women's Athletic Association.

This event marked the end of the first year for the new organization on the campus. It has been a great year filled with a lot of hard work but even more fun. The members of the WAA want to thank Miss Jane Oldham for her wonderful supervision. There will be even more activities in the fall so anyone who is interested in sports or anyone who wants to learn, make a date now to include the WAA on your extra-curricular program for the fall.

### DEVENZIO HAS MANY OFFERS

Big Bill DeVenzio is one senior at Eastern State Teachers College who won't have any trouble looking for a job after he is graduated in June.

In fact, it's just the fact that he has so many to choose from that is causing the "boy wonder" from Corapolis, Pa., a lot of headaches these days. They are baseball and basketball offers and plenty of them, and he can't decide which to accept, he says.

Back in 1942 when Bill was graduated at Corapolis High School, he turned down an offer from the Pittsburgh Pirates to go to nearby Geneva College where his brother, Chuck, was a star athlete. **Won All-State Honors**

Bill, who had won, all-state honors in high school basketball, captained the Geneva cage team two out of his three years there. But Geneva has no baseball team, so Rome Rankin, then head coach at Eastern lured DeVenzio to Kentucky where he could continue his play on the diamond and win a degree in physical education.

And in his two seasons here, Bill has an unbeaten record last year and only one defeat this year as a Maroon pitcher. He was a star regular guard on the Eastern basketball team last year.

Behind seven starts on the diamond here this year is an earned run average of less than two a game, as well as an average of only one base on balls per game. **Offer From Louisville**

The year before, DeVenzio was a regular on the 1945-46 squad when Eastern won its first Kentucky Intercollegiate Athletic Conference basketball title and then

he turned to baseball to go through an unbeaten season for the Maroons.

With his talents well distributed between two major sports, Bill has offers on both sides of the fence from professional teams.

DeVenzio's offer from the Pittsburgh Pirates still stands. And he has other offers from the St. Louis Browns and the Boston Red Sox.

Basketball bids have come from the Syracuse Chiefs, the Chicago Stags and the Louisville Dads. DeVenzio admits he has "always respected" Ellis Johnson, the Dads' coach. Johnson formerly coached at Morehead, one of Eastern's chief rivals.

But so far he hasn't made up his mind.

#### EASTERN GOLFERS LOSE

The Eastern Maroons were defeated 18-0 by the U. of K. golf team in a match-played yesterday at the Lexington Country Club. Although they were unable to register a point, the Eastern boys played good golf and forced the superior Kentucky team to play near par golf.

#### A Log Of The Vincennes

A book of at least 400 pages, prepared by Dr. J. T. Dorris, professor of History at Eastern, is expected to be ready for distribution early in June. The volume appears, however, under the authorship of the late Lieutenant (jg) Donald Hugh Dorris, USNR, and others.

Lieutenant Dorris was graduated from Eastern with the class of 1935. He enlisted in the Navy in 1940 and served on the heavy cruiser USS Vincennes from April, 1941, until his ship was sunk by the Japanese in the first battle of

Savo Island, on August 9, 1942. His "Log of the Vincennes" and letters before the ship went to the Pacific in the Doolittle-Tokyo Expedition early in 1942 constitute more than one-fourth of the volume. Most of the remainder was contributed by Vincennes' survivors, including the Captain and the Chaplain of the vessel.

Dr. Dorris has carefully edited all the material and himself contributed some 2,500 words relating to the experiences of the Vincennes and her officers and men. Perhaps his most valuable contribution is a critical account of the first battle of Savo, which put that engagement in the light of a quasi American victory rather than a humil-

ating defeat as it has generally been regarded.

The volume will be profusely illustrated with more than 120 items, including eight maps. It is being printed on seventy-pound white enamel paper, and will be handsomely bound in dark blue Library Buckram, embossed in gold. Mention is made of several Kentuckians in it, including other students and faculty members of Eastern. President W. F. O'Donnell's fine tribute to Lieutenant Dorris concludes the book.

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