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Association Prexy Welcomes You Back

Once again it's Homecoming time for Eastern and time again for old friends to meet. This year's Homecoming schedule sounds just as enjoyable as those in the past, with the play, "Charley's Aunt" on Friday night, the grid opponent for Saturday afternoon's game Southern (beaten nine times last year), and dancing to Tony Pastor's orchestra Saturday night after the coronation of the 1952 Homecoming Queen.

Some of you who haven't been back for two or three years might need a guide to find your way over our ever-expanding campus, with the Booth Library, home management houses, and the Lincoln-Douglas Residence Halls as the latest additions. And you should hear the plans for the future!

Your Alumni Association has plans for the future also. A proposal is being offered to bring the constitution up-to-date and to issue a news letter to all graduated alumni, approximately 4,000 of them.

Do plan to come back this year and stop in the Women's Gym after the game for the Alumni Association meeting and coffee hour.

Cordially,
Bette Johnson
President, Eastern
Alumni Association

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Burl Ives, former Eastern student, is now on a personal appearance tour which will take him from east to west around the world. He was in Australia in August, following a concert series in Honolulu. Mrs. Ives is with him.

Cover Picture

Dwight Baptist receives the first M. S. in Education to be awarded at Eastern. Dean H. F. Heller is shown placing the blue and gray Master's hood on Baptist's shoulders at commencement exercises on July 31. Don Luallen was the only other M. S. degree recipient. Over 100 persons are now enrolled in the fifth year program at Eastern.

Fall Enrollment 1151; Freshman Class Up 20 Per Cent Over Last Year

As of September 20, total fall enrollment of full time college students stood at 1151, an increase of nearly 50 over last year. The largest increase was registered in the freshman class, which jumped from 390 in 1951 to 470 this year.

The college experienced the beginnings of another influx of veteran students. Thirty-one Korean vets had registered as of September 20. The opportunities in state schools of Illinois are particularly attractive to military veterans. Under the new GI bill, they are eligible to receive cash payments of from \$110 to \$160 per month. Since Illinois residents may use the Illinois Military Scholarship to pay tuition and fees if they go to state-supported schools, this sum is available for any other expense.

The draft and attractive positions in business and industry have accounted for most of the small drop in upperclass enrollments. There were about 30 transfers from other schools to Eastern.

There is an encouraging trend

among freshmen to enter the four year elementary education curriculum. Sixty-five freshmen chose this field, including 22 persons who ranked in the upper ten per cent of their high school graduating classes. Other popular majors were business education with 61, men's physical education with 39, and home economics and music, with 28 apiece. Music scored the greatest gain over last year, more than doubling the number choosing it as a major. The two year general and pre-professional curricula continue to attract many students. This year nearly one-third of the freshman class showed interest in these curricula.

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Charles R. (Chuck) Tedford, a former student, was appointed district manager for the State Farm Insurance Companies in the Springfield-Quincy area as of July 1. His office is at 106 N. Fourth St., Springfield.

A Navy veteran, Tedford finished his work at Lincoln College of Law in Springfield.

Homecoming Highlights



1. Homecoming Play, "Charley's Aunt," 8 p.m. Thursday and Friday, Oct. 23 and 24.
2. Alumni Luncheon, 11:30-12:30 p.m. Saturday.
4. Football Game, Eastern vs. Southern, 2 p.m.
5. Alumni Association Meeting and Coffee Hour, Women's Gym, 5 p.m.
6. Tony Pastor Concert, 7:30-8:30 p.m., Health Education Building.
7. Coronation Dance, Pastor Playing, 9-12.



Eastern Gridiron Chips Look More Gray Than Blue To Sportswriter Ken Hesler

O'Brien Has Seasoned Line but Offense May Sputter for Lack of Big, Experienced Backs.

**By Kenneth Hesler, '51
IIAC Sport Publicity Director**

The gridiron chips may appear more gray than blue for the Eastern Panthers as they began the final week of practice before tackling the Big Blue of James Millikin University; but an air of quiet

optimism had emerged and may grow as Coach Maynard "Pat" O'Brien carries out the rebuilding of the offensive backfield.

Despite the advantages the Panthers will have because of a seasoned line, they will encounter many a headache in attempting to reconstruct an offensive backfield that has been riddled by graduation, losses to the armed forces and ineligibilities. Only returning lettermen to take over the backfield attack duties are Dave Cohrs, 150 pound senior from Mooseheart,

and Paul Foreman, a capable understudy for Ed Soergel in 1951, who is in line for the quarterback job this fall.

Gone from the backfield by graduation are J. D. Anderson, Collinsville; Don Henderson, Newman; Joe Patridge, Arcola; and Ed Soergel, Glenview. Jerry Osmoe will be ineligible, and ends Dick Davis and Dennis Gregory were taken by graduation and the armed forces, respectively.

Returning to make up what may
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be one of Eastern's most formidable lines are Dwayne Roe, 1951 all-IIAC tackle from Danville; Don Calvin, Arnold Franke, and Lee Vichweg of Mt. Olive; Ronnie Landers of Sullivan; Don Magsamen of Tuscola; and Bill Myers of Charleston.

Back also to ramrod the Panthers is Coach O'Brien. O'Brien completed his course work toward the Ed. D. at the University of Illinois last year while Rex V. Darling capably took over the duties of head coach. Darling's talents won't be available to O'Brien this season, however, for the youthful mentor suffered a mild attack of polio in mid-September and will be unable to get in little, if any, active coaching duty.

To assist O'Brien in football during the illness of Darling, the college has employed Dr. John Nanovsky of Youngstown, Ohio, as a substitute assistant football coach for the fall quarter. Dr. Nanovsky has the B. S. Degree from Miami University; the M. E. from the University of Pittsburgh; and the doctorate from Indiana University. He has coached at the North Jackson, Ohio, High School, at the Rayen and Chaney High Schools in Youngstown, Ohio, and assisted at Oxford, Ohio. He has been assistant freshman coach at Indiana University for the last three years.

Masterminding the B-Squad again this season will be Dr. William Harland Groves, who came to Eastern in 1951.

Sixty-eight men reported for the first day of practice on September 8. Included among those reporting were 34 freshmen, 19 lettermen and 15 members of last year's junior varsity.

Scheduled for a nine-game card this fall, Coach O'Brien's Panthers will open with a home game against Millikin University of Decatur on September 27. The squad will meet its first Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Conference opponent on October 11, when it journeys to Ypsilanti, Mich., for a game with Michigan Normal College. The Panthers finished fourth in the IIAC in 1951.

At Homecoming this year, the Blue and Gray will meet the Salukis of Southern Illinois University,



This may become a familiar sight to Panther fans. Senior Quarterback Paul Foreman and Halfback Dave Cohrs were the only regular offensive backs to return from last year's squad.

a feuding opponent from many years past. The Salukis, who didn't win a single game last year, have turned over a clean slate this season by hiring a new head coach, Bill O'Brien, and attempting to build a dark horse squad from junior varsity and freshman personnel. Only six lettermen returned to the Carbondale fold this fall for grid practice, and two-thirds of the Salukis' candidates for starting positions are freshmen. Eastern aided a rainy day in dampening Southern's Homecoming spirit last year by drubbing the downtrodden Salukis 47-19.

An early view of 1952 conference expectations must give the top IIAC spot to either Central Michigan, Northern, or Western. Central Michigan took the third spot last year, and has 28 lettermen returning from the squad that dumped Eastern 59-27 at Mt. Pleasant. The Chippewas will give the conference plenty of trouble despite the loss of their ace quarterback, Andy MacDonald. Northern will be without the unbeatable combination of Bob Heimerdinger and Fran Cahill. They pitched and caught for enough yardage to carry the Huskies to an undefeated year despite a conference season gain of only 770 yards on the

ground. Western also lost strength in the backfield; but none of the conference elevens has been deluded into believing that the top two in 1951 will be easy picking in 1952.

Eastern, Michigan Normal, and Illinois Normal will have to be given an outside chance. Eastern will have to develop a potent attack and Normal will have to add some seasoning to an inexperienced line; but should they be able to get by early conference games there is a good possibility they might finish strong. Michigan Normal is somewhat of an unknown quantity even though they have a complete squad returning this year. The Hurons have not been able to finish on the winning side of the ledger since coming into the IIAC in 1950; and their success in 1952 will be determined by how much the squad improves over last season. They might provide a conference surprise.

Southern has little to look forward to on the basis of an objective appraisal. Surprising development of freshman personnel and "the breaks" might get them out of the cellar; but such optimistic ponderings are evident in the squads of all seven colleges and universities.

Cross Country Hopes Get Boost From Frosh Star

Chuck Matheney, State High School Mile Champ from Paris, Enters Eastern.

Eastern's cross country and track hopes were given a considerable boost when Charles "Chuck" Matheney, who won both the state cross country championship and mile-run title for Paris last year, enrolled as a freshman.

Cross country Coach Clifton White said the arrival of Matheney and the return of three harrier lettermen will give Eastern an opportunity to better its 1951 record of third in the state meet and fourth in the Interstate Intercollegiate Athletic Conference.

Matheney won the state cross country championship and rang up the second best time in the nation when he ran the two-mile course in 10:21:04. He took second in the state meet in 1950. As a trackman, he was the state's champ miler with a time of 4:31:07.

Returning lettermen on Coach White's squad are Jack Sims, three-letter junior from St. Elmo; Jack Parris, two-letter junior from Marshall; and sophomores Leon Francis and John Newgent, both of Paris. Francis won his first letter in 1951.

Other reporting freshmen harriers are Richard Burch and Fred Gore of Danville; James Mitchell, Newton; Dwayne Nichols, Macon; James Edmundson, Brownstown, and Albert Luthe, Findlay.

Eastern will open its cross country schedule against Southern Illinois University of Carbondale on October 3. The balance of the slate follows:

- Oct. 8—Northern Illinois, here
- Oct. 18—Illinois Normal, Normal
- Oct. 23—Southern Illinois, here
- Nov. 1—Western Illinois, there
- Nov. 8—IIAC meet at Macomb
- Nov. 15—State Meet at Bradley

Panther Stars Make Good In Minors

Two ex-Panther baseball stars have made good in the minor leagues this season. They are J. D. Anderson, now with the Terre Haute Phillies, and Kenny Grubb with the Paris Lakers. J. D., one of Eastern's most outstanding outfielders of the post-war sports era, has helped Terre Haute to a Three-Eye League baseball crown and Grubb was a key pitcher for a team that led the MOV League until the last day of the season. Grubb won one of the playoff games Paris played against the Decatur Commies but his team lost, three games out of five. Grubb led Eastern's mound staff to an IIAC championship in 1950. He is teaching at Neoga this fall.

Andy, at least, expects to make a career of professional baseball, the military permitting. The Three-Eye League is Class B and sends quite a few players up to the major leagues. Anderson joined the Phillies after a period of Marine training on July 31, taking over for an ailing regular. He was an immediate success both at bat and afield but with the regular's return became a utility outfielder and his batting average slipped to .219. He has been offered a contract for next year.

So Blue the Catfish (or) Evolution on the Ambraw

In 1913 Dr. T. L. Hankinson, then head of the Eastern zoology department, made a study of fish life in rivers, streams, and lakes of the Charleston area. This summer, Dr. **Walter M. Scruggs**, '28, began a similar study with the help of advanced zoology students. When completed, Scruggs' survey will show changes in fish life over a 40-year period.

Already one important change has been noted. In 1914 Dr. Charles P. Lantz, the newly hired coach at Eastern, caught a blue catfish and brought it to Hankinson for identification. Recognizing it as a rarity in Illinois streams at the time, Hankinson waited until the hungry coach wasn't looking and plunged the fish into formaldehyde. It may still be seen in the zoology museum.

Scruggs' study shows that the blue catfish is now quite abundant locally.

The state conservation department has granted Scruggs permission to use any method he finds best for collecting specimens. He is now perfecting an electric shock method for stunning fish (see picture), whereupon they can be seined out of the water and counted.

It's Legal -- For Scientists



Jim Cole (right) an advanced zoology student, wields a battery-operated device for stunning specimens for the Scruggs study of fish life in the Charleston area (see accompanying story). L. to r.—John Peterka, Dr. Scruggs, Richard Hudnut, and Cole.

College Secures Twenty New Staff Members For 1952-53

Twenty new staff members were introduced to the Eastern faculty by President Buzzard before the start of Freshman Week September 8. Several filled new positions and a number are substituting for permanent staff now on leave. Four take positions left by retiring faculty members. The Eastern teaching and administrative staff now numbers 150 full-time members.

A college physician was hired later, to begin work Oct. 1.

Earl Phipps Bloom substitutes as assistant professor of speech for E. Glendon Gabbard, who is on sabbatical leave for doctoral study at the University of Iowa for two years. Mr. Bloom holds the A.B. and A.M. from the University of Illinois and has been a part-time graduate assistant at the University since taking his A. M. in 1948. He will have charge of college dramatics.

Dr. Albert W. Brown of LaFargeville, N. Y., replaces Miss Lena B. Ellington as assistant professor and supervisory teacher of social studies in Eastern State High School. Miss Ellington retired last spring after 32 years at Eastern. Dr. Brown holds the A. B. and Ph. D. from Syracuse University.

Dr. Ernest Herbert Campbell replaces Dr. Raymond P. Harris as

associate professor of education and principal of Eastern State High School. Dr. Harris has accepted a position at the University of North Dakota. Dr. Campbell's work was done at Northwestern State College, Mo., and the University of Missouri, where he was acting director of admissions last year. He has ten years of teaching and administrative experience in Missouri public schools.

Dr. William Joseph Crane replaces Dr. Louis G. Schmidt as assistant professor of education and director of student activities. Dr. Schmidt has accepted a position with Indiana University. Dr. Crane holds the B. A. from the University of Wisconsin, the M. A. from the University of Colorado, and the Ph. D. from Yale University. He has been a counsellor at Central State Teachers College, Stevens Point, Wis.

Miss Doris Mae Downs, a 1952 graduate at Eastern, will replace Miss Victoria Brust as dietician at Pemberton Hall. She will hold University Civil Service rating and rank as a faculty assistant.

Donald Arthur Kluge takes a new position as an instructor in biology and as social director of new Douglas Hall. Mr. Kluge has been director of admissions at Car-

Athletic Director



Dr. John W. Masley

roll College, Waukesha, Wis. He holds the B. S. degree from Carroll College, and the A. M. from Northwestern University.

Dr. Juana deLaban replaces Miss Mary K. Babcock in women's physical education with the dance as her special field. Miss Babcock who traveled in Europe this summer, plans to do additional study this year. Dr. deLaban has studied in Munich, Berlin, and Budapest. She holds the M. F. A. and Ph. D. from Yale University and has taught in Queens College, Arnold College of Physical Education, City College of New York, the University of Michigan, and Adelphi College.

Miss L. Vanlou Patton takes a
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Dramatics, Social Science, Activities, The Dance



Earl P. Bloom



Dr. Albert W. Brown



Dr. William J. Crane



Dr. Juana deLaban

New Elementary School Faculty Members



Maurice H. Stump



John A. Stevens



Miss Virginia Tate



Wallace K. Hollander

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by position as social director of Coln Hall with the rank of assistant professor. Miss Patton attended Ohio University for two years and holds the A. B. from Ohio Wesleyan University and the M. S. from Indiana University, where she has studied and served as a counsellor since 1948.

Miss Maryann Ehrhardt replaces Miss Kathryn Sneesby as social director of Pemberton Hall with the rank of assistant professor. Miss Sneesby has taken a position with one of the government schools in occupied Germany. Miss Ehrhardt holds the A. B. from Western College for Women, Oxford, O., and the M. S. from Indiana University, where she has been doing graduate study and counselling since 1950.

Dr. John W. Masley replaces Dr. Charles P. Lantz as professor and head of the Department of Physical Education for Men. Dr. Lantz retired after 41 years at Eastern. Dr. Masley is a graduate of Northern Illinois State Teachers College and holds the A. M. from the University of California and the Ed. D. from Penn State College, where he has been in charge of the graduate program in physical education.

Miss Carole E. Peterson assumes the new position as director of food service for Lincoln and Douglas Halls. She holds the B. S. degree in economics from Toledo University and the B. S. in institutional management from Iowa

State College. She has been a teacher and business woman and for six years was assistant ground safety engineer for United Air Lines in Chicago and Denver.

Wallace K. Hollander will serve as substitute instructor and fifth grade supervisory teacher during the leave of absence of Miss Florence Reid, who will lecture in the education department of Central College, Pella, Ia. Mr. Hollander is a graduate of Southeast Missouri State College and holds the M. Ed. from the University of Missouri.

John Aldrich Stevens replaces Miss Edith Levake as instructor and eighth grade supervisory teacher. Miss Levake retired this year after 28 years at Eastern. Mr. Stevens holds the B. S. in Ed. from Northern Illinois State Teachers College and the A. M. from Teachers College, Columbia.

Maurice H. Stump replaces Mrs. Leah Stevens Castle as instructor and seventh grade supervisory teacher. Mrs. Castle retired this year after 32 years at Eastern. Mr. Stump holds the A. B. and A. M. from Colorado State College of Education. He has been teaching in the Lamar, Colorado, Junior College.

Miss Virginia Tate replaces Miss Josephine Logan as instructor and first grade supervisory teacher. Miss Tate holds the B. S. in Ed. and M. Ed. from the University of Missouri. She has been teaching in the Champaign public schools.

Lynn E. Trank replaces Mrs. Doris Lemke Barclay as instructor

in arts and crafts in the college. Mrs. Barclay will live in Detroit, Mich., where her husband is employed as an engineer, and will teach part-time in the Wayne University extension division. Mr. Trank holds the degrees of B. F. A., University of Nebraska, B. F. A., Washington University, and M. A., State University of Iowa. During the past year he has studied at the University of Michoacan, Morelia, Mexico.

Eugene Clarence Wallin will serve as substitute instructor in art for Carl E. Shull, who is on sabbatical.
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High School Head



Dr. Ernest H. Campbell

They're Artists All



Miss Jean Krutza



Lynn E. Trank



Eugene C. Wallin

New Dorm Directors



Donald A. Kluge



Miss Maryann Ehrhardt



Miss Vanlou Patton

Home Economists



Miss Doris Downs



Miss Carole E. Peterson



Miss Elizabeth Wilson

Walter Cook, New Minnesota Dean, Speaks At Eastern

Principal speaker as Eastern's faculty assembled for the fall session was Dr. Walter W. Cook, di-

rector of teacher training and placement at Eastern from 1931-38. Dr. Cook was recently appointed dean of the University of Minnesota College of Education. He went to Minnesota while the late Lotus D. Coffman, also a former Eastern faculty member, was still its president.

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cal leave to study at Ohio State University. Mr. Wallin holds the A. B. from Beloit College and the A. M. from the State University of Iowa. He has taught at Eureka College and Illinois Wesleyan University.

Miss Elizabeth Wilson will fill a new position which combines the foods teaching previously done by Mrs. Ruth Gaertner and Miss Victoria Brust, with the new duty as director of one of the recently completed units of the home management house. Miss Wilson holds the B. S. in home economics from Northeast Missouri State Teachers College and the M. S. from Virginia Polytechnic Institute. She has taught in various Missouri and Illinois high schools, spending the last five years at Hannibal, Mo., High School.

Mrs. Marie Fowler will substitute in high school and elementary home economics this year for Mrs. Wade Barrick, the former Margaret Priest, who has left teaching. Mrs. Fowler is the wife of Ewell Fowler of the industrial arts staff. She holds the B. S. from West Texas State College and the M. S. from Iowa State.

Miss Jean Krutza is substituting in high school art for Calvin Countyman, who is on leave for doctoral study.

Dr. John O. Nelson is the new college physician, replacing Dr. Charles Maxwell, who resigned to accept a position in the Chicago office of the state health department's civil defense organization.

Dr. Nelson holds the B.S. and M. D. degrees from the University of Illinois. He is closing his general practice in Olney to begin his duties at Eastern on October 1.

Board Approves Training School

At the September 22 meeting of the Teachers College Board a proposal to construct a training school building for 400 students was approved for Eastern. The next issue of the **Alumnus** will carry particulars.

I Saw The 1952 Olympics

Charles Eugene Anderson, '49, spent two memorable months abroad last summer, the high point of which was a period at the 1952 Olympic Games. At the editor's request, he has written an account of his experiences, here condensed for the ALUMNUS.

Anderson taught and coached at the Bement, Ill., High School following graduation from Eastern. He has taken advanced work at the University of Illinois and last spring was appointed principal of Bement High.

By Charles E. Anderson, '49

My trip was made as a member of the University of Illinois graduate student group attending a World Seminar in Health, Physical Education, Recreation, and Youth Work held in conjunction with the Olympic Games. The Seminar was conducted by a number of leading physical educators from universities throughout the world and was

Editor's Note: Mr. Anderson plans to show his color movies of the trip to various organizations about the state, beginning early in October. Interested alumni may write him in care of Bement High School concerning arrangements for such showings.

 eminently worthwhile. But I will not write of our work. I think **Alumnus** readers will be interested in some of the incidents of the trip—and they ranged from a visit to the castle which inspired Shakespeare's **Hamlet** to shipwreck on the trip back.

Our group left New York aboard an Olympic ship, the **M/S Anna Salen**, on July 1. There were many Olympic officials and participants' wives on board. We were kept busy attending language

classes and taking part in the recreation program. We arrived in Copenhagen, Denmark, on July 12. It is a quaint, rather old-fashioned city notable for its friendliness and hospitality. We spent two days exploring. I was surprised at the absence of automobiles. Bicycles outnumbered them 75 to 1. We visited the castle of King Frederick IX and Kronberg Castle, visited by Shakespeare and presumably the inspiration for **Hamlet**.

We took a steamer up to Oslo, Norway, a modern, progressive city of a half million people. I was particularly impressed with King Haakon's castle, the ski-jump where the winter Olympics were held, remnants of old Viking ships, and the raft upon which Thor Hyerdahl made the trip which resulted in the best-selling novel **Kon-Tiki**.

From Oslo we traveled to Stockholm, Sweden, the Paris of the North. From Stockholm to Abo, Finland, required but one night and the ride from there to Helsinki by train took eight hours.

During this train ride I experienced one of the most unusual happenings of my entire trip. After the last war, Russia kept one of Finland's seaports and made a naval base of it. The train to Helsinki traveled through the Russian

The Author



Charles Anderson poses before typical Scandinavian statuary in Oslo, Norway.

zone. Upon arrival at the border, the train stopped and the Finnish engine uncoupled in favor of a Russian locomotive. Russian soldiers pushed up the wooden shutters on the outside of the windows of every car, leaving us in complete darkness. Doors to the platforms were locked so that we could not use them. After about two hours, the train stopped at the Finnish border and another engine switch was made, the shutters were lowered, and we proceeded on to Helsinki.

I was beginning to believe what I had heard about the Iron Curtain and the mysterious Russians!

During my 12 days in Helsinki I lived in a private home, which proved very interesting. We attended the seminar in the mornings and were then free to go to the Olympics in the afternoons and evenings. Since I was taking color movies of my entire trip, I wanted

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Seventy Thousand Applauded



Nattily dressed U. S. Olympics team marches on opening day before cheering crowd of 70,000 representing 69 nations.

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The opening day ceremony was very impressive. Although it began to rain at ten in the morning and continued all day, the rain didn't keep the crowd away. The large, oval-shaped stadium was

packed with 70,000 people from 69 countries.

The entire contingent of athletes from each participating country marched on the field in order of the Finnish alphabet, with the exception of Greece and Finland. The Greek team was given the honor of appearing first, as originators of the Olympic Games, and Finland, as the host country, was last.

The Russians came out four abreast, dressed completely in white suits. They looked very impressive. The U. S. team came out six abreast, dressed in white panama hats, maroon coats, light trousers, and white shoes. They presented a very neat, smart appearance and received a tremendous ovation from everyone.

After the 69 teams were lined up facing the stands, Paavo Nurmi, the great Finnish distance runner of past years, came out of the runway carrying the Olympic torch which had been carried across Europe from Greece by runners from the various countries. He touched the torch to a large receptacle on the field, which immediately flared up. Then he began the long climb up the tower at the southwest end of the stadium. After carrying the torch about two-thirds of the way up, he gave it to another famous Finnish runner, Kolehmainen, who finished the climb and lit the torch at the top.

Frozen Action



Olympics statue, with torch in background, at Helsinki.

This could be seen burning day and night all during the Olympic.

There was a short lull immediately after the torch was lit and then a tall girl in a flowing white robe raced from the runway and sped around the track. She made a striking picture, with her long hair flowing and the white robe blowing in the breeze. She ran around the track, stopped before the speaker's platform, mounted it, and said two words in German. She was immediately seized by one of the officials standing nearby and was dragged from the platform and into a nearby office.

An immediate murmur arose from the stands. Everyone thought she was on the program and we were amazed to see her being carried forcibly away. I found out later that she was a student from West Germany who had hoped to make an appeal to the president of Finland to help unite East and West Germany.

Among the most memorable of the athletic events was the fabulous Emil Zatopek's record-breaking 5000 meter race, then his triumphs in the 10,000 meter and marathon runs. It was something that had never been accomplished before.

I saw Lindy Remigino sprint to a new record in the 100, barely beating out the more famous Herb McKenley of Jamaica. Mal Whitfield was a picture of effortless grace as he sped to a new record in the 800 meter race.

I saw Sam Iness of California win the discus, Davis win the high jump, and Richards win the pole vault. Mathias' performances in winning the decathlon were marvelous to watch.

I saw several of the basketball teams in action, including Russia and the U. S. Our team was the tallest of the sixteen, but in the game I saw them play against Uruguay they seemed rather unsure of themselves. I believe this was due partially to the fact that they used a ball which was almost as small and was molded in the same way as our soccer ball. It appeared to be very heavy. The Russian team seemed to be well coached and played a fast, smooth game. But they couldn't overcome our terri-

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fic height advantage.

I also saw some of the gymnastic competition, which was practically swept by the Russians in both the men's and women's divisions. I saw Americans sweep the spring-board diving competition.

One afternoon I was able to visit the athletes in Olympic Village. They very graciously permitted me to take pictures and I got shots of Chuck Hoag, Clyde Lovellette, Fortune Gordien, and a number of other Americans, as well as several members of foreign teams.

On July 30 Ken Hodgert, another student, and I left Helsinki for Paris, where we spent five memorable days. We visited Notre Dame Cathedral, the Eiffel Tower, the Louvre, the Arch of Triumph, Napoleon's Tomb, Versailles Palace, and the beautiful Champs Elysees. We especially enjoyed the outdoor cafes and the famous Left Bank section, where artists, musicians, and poets come to study and remain to live.

From Paris we returned to Copenhagen to board the **Anna Salen** again, passing through Aachen, Germany. We saw some evidence of the last war but Germany gave me the impression of increased industrial activity and a general re-growth.

The trip back produced a rather chilling thrill. At midnight of August 12 we were traveling in a heavy fog near the entrance to Pentland Firth, a narrow strait between Scotland and the Orkney Islands. Suddenly our ship came to a crunching halt. I was thrown from my bunk and when I asked one of the fellows what had happened he said he thought we had hit another ship. I threw my clothes, grabbed my life jacket and climbed up the ladder to the top deck.

I was greeted by leaping red flames coming from the bow of our ship and from the side of the ship we had hit. There was some confusion and hysteria among the passengers but the crew did a good job of handling the emergency. All of the 600 passengers were herded toward the stern and were told to stand by the lifeboats.

After about forty minutes we

Dies Of Polio



Robert C. Ryle

Staff Member First Charleston Fatality

Robert C. Ryle, high school supervisory teacher of the social studies, died early Wednesday morning, September 24, of bulbar polio. He was the first Charleston polio fatality this year in an epidemic that has claimed 65 Charleston victims and over 50 in Mattoon.

Mr. Ryle leaves his wife, the former **Carolyn Gilbert**, Eastern Class of 1940, and their infant son Allen.

Mrs. Ryle served as Eastern's health coordinator from 1948 until last December. She and Mr. Ryle were married in June of 1951.

managed to pull away from the other ship and it was apparent that we were going to stay afloat. We spent that night at anchor and learned the next day that we had rammed a Norwegian whale factory ship. The **Anna Salen** received two holes in her bow about seven feet wide and twenty feet long and the bow was rather badly burned.

We anchored in Scapa Flow for seven days while undergoing temporary repairs and on August 19 headed for Halifax, Nova Scotia. From Halifax I took a train to New York and caught a plane the next evening for Chicago, arriving on the 29th, only a week late.

. . . Face-Lift for Tom

Did Young Lincoln Live All Winter In 'Half-Faced Camp'?

Dr. C. H. Coleman
Finds Evidence Putting
Tom Lincoln in New
and Better Light.

Did young Abe Lincoln live a whole year in a "half-faced camp" when Tom Lincoln moved his family from Kentucky to Indiana in 1816?

A "half-faced camp" was a pole shed enclosed on all sides but one, with no floor, door, nor windows. Survival through even a southern Indiana winter in such a shelter would have been an inhuman experience. Yet the story that the Lincoln family lived in such a camp for a considerable time has gained currency in Lincoln literature, based probably upon statements by Dennis Hanks, who often had his chronology and facts confused.

Dr. Charles H. Coleman, Eastern's social science department head and a Lincoln authority of increasing stature, advanced a new hypothesis in an article, "The Half-Faced Camp in Indiana—Fact or Myth?", appearing in the September Abraham Lincoln Quarterly.

Dr. Coleman thinks that Thomas Lincoln erected the camp as only a temporary shelter in November of 1816 after an exploration trip. He returned to Kentucky, brought his family to Indiana, and then erected a full cabin with the help of neighbors.

Dr. Coleman, whose researches have put Tom Lincoln in a new and better light, then concludes that the facts are to Thomas Lincoln's credit rather than otherwise. He made provision for his family while his house was being built, so that they would not have to crowd in with some neighbor. The Lincoln family probably lived in the "half-faced camp" less than a week, Coleman believes.

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President and Mrs. R. G. Buz-zard are visiting relatives in the East until Oct. 13.

BIG AND LITTLE

Campus News Notes

Almost half of the 1150 students at Eastern are now housed on the campus. New Lincoln and Douglas Halls, opened September 9, were filled to capacity with 156 men and 156 women. A resident counsellor on each floor of each hall provides both personal and vocational guidance. According to Dr. R. D. Anfinson, dean of men, the drop-out rate among freshmen can be materially lessened.

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Placement reports made by the Bureau of Teacher Placement for the months of June and July of this year showed an encouraging upward trend in salaries. According to figures released by Dr. Harry L. Metter, director, the average nine months' salary for 73 placements reported during those months was \$3,455. The median classroom teaching salary was \$3,200. Only a few administrative salaries were included and they ranged from \$3,300 to \$6,500. Only two salaries under \$3,000 were reported. Most of the placements were of 1952 graduates without experience.

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Kevin Guinagh, head of the Eastern foreign languages department, has been nominated for the presidency of the Eastern Division of the Illinois Education Association. Dr. Guinagh was vice-president last year. Dr. William H. Zeigel of Eastern was treasurer and Gerald Dunn, '30, now superintendent of Coles County schools, was treasurer. Clark Dennis, Moultrie County superintendent, is the vice-presidential nominee for next year. Zeigel and Dunn were re-nominated.

The Eastern Division will meet at Eastern Illinois State College on Friday, October 10, this year. Dr.

Eldridge T. McSwain, dean of the School of Education, Northwestern University, and Nora Waln, author and lecturer on Far Eastern affairs, are principal speakers. The afternoon session will consist of sectional meetings.

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Construction of a 40 by 100 foot service building for Lincoln Field, recommended by the Alumni Association last year, was started in early August with the contractor's promise that it would be completed in time for the football season.

Built of concrete blocks, it will house separate dressing rooms and showers for competing football teams, public toilets, a ticket sales booth, refreshment stand, and storage spaces.

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Alumni teachers of English and dramatics are being invited to bring students to see the October 15 performance of **The Merchant of Venice**, to be staged on campus by the famed Barter Theatre of Virginia. A special price of 30 cents, including tax, has been offered to high school students. Ticket inquiries should be addressed to the Office of Public Relations, Eastern.

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Summer enrollment at Eastern was 594, smallest since the war. One hundred of this number were working toward the M. S. in Ed. degree.

Dr. Bryan Heise, director of the summer session, points out that consolidation and administrative re-organization have progressed more rapidly in Eastern's area than elsewhere in Illinois, with the result that there are now few rural teachers needing credit to retain their certificates. Eastern's area of future service during the summer session

may lie principally in the fifth year offering and in special non-credit consultative programs and assistance for the public schools, working through the highly professional group of administrators being developed in the new units.

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Bill Danley, a senior student from New Holland, is editor of the **Eastern State News** for 1952-53. An honor student, Danley has been associate editor of the paper and is now president of Phi Sigma Epsilon. He is a business education major and holds a journalism minor. Danley entered Eastern upon the recommendation of his coach Mac Waldrip, '37. Waldrip is now principal of the New Holland school.

Ann Hardin of Robinson and Dolores Wilson of Neoga are co-editors of the **Warbler**. Both are sophomores and members of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority.

Bob Ozier, a junior from Greenville, is advertising manager of the **News** and Rita Burke, Danville junior, was appointed business manager of the **Warbler**.

The **Eastern State News** won its 16th consecutive Medalist rating last spring. Medalist is the highest award made by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association.

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Dr. Byron K. Barton, director of the Prairie States Field Studies program for Eastern, has announced history and geography tours for the next five summers, as follows:

1953—Great Lakes region as far East at the Mohawk Valley and featuring the Minnesota Iron Country, the North Woods, Southern Canada, the Thousand Islands, and the Adirondack Mountains.

1954—The Provinces of Ontario and Quebec in Canada.

1955—The Ohio Valley, Southeastern U. S. Coast, the Great Smoky Mountains, Eastern Tennessee, and the Kentucky Bluegrass Region.

1956—New York State, New England, and Southern Canada.

1957—Washington, D. C., the Delmarva Peninsula, the Middle Atlantic Coastal Region, and sections of the Appalachians.



Keeping in touch

Elsie Sloan, '24, attended a six weeks' session at Northwestern University this summer. Miss Sloan is dean of girls at the Edwardsville, Ill., High School.

John B., son of **William H.** and **Fayma Bence Green** of Alton, Ill., transferred from George Washington U. this fall planning to major in geology at Eastern. William H. was class of '27 at Eastern. He teaches at a military academy in Alton. Mrs. Green is president of the Madison County Eastern State Club.

Wins Ford Fellowship



Mrs. Dorothy Tripp, '29

Mrs. Dorothy Benepe Tripp, '29, was recently granted a Ford Foundation fellowship, which she is using for study at the Chicago Institute of Fine Arts and for travel and further study at the University of Illinois. She is one of 400 public school teachers of the U. S. to receive such a grant.

Mrs. Tripp has taught English and art in the Carpinteria, Calif.,

High School for the past five years. She is a former Alumni Association officer.

Hal Middlesworth, '31, is author of an article, "Sportsmanship and Our Schools," in the September issue of the **National Parent-Teacher**. He deplors the decline of good sportsmanship in school athletics, quoting nationally known sports-writers on the subject. Middlesworth offers suggestions for improvement, among which is the Babe Ruth Program he himself was instrumental in organizing.

Middlesworth is sports editor of the Washington, D. C. **Times-Herald** and is a leading writer for national sports magazines.

J. Harold Diel, '35, is the new superintendent of schools at Staunton, Ill., having left a similar position in the Stewardson-Strasburg unit. His successor at Stewardson-Strasburg is James Harrison, who attended Eastern in the early 1940's and finished his work at the University of Illinois. He was formerly at Virden.

William Bails, '35, is spending most of his spare time this year working on his new home at 4410 SW 58th Ave., Miami, Fla. This spring his main project was a swimming pool which the Bails family is now enjoying immensely. Mrs. Bails is the former **Susie Phipps**, '34. The children are Margaret Ann, 13; Billy, 12, and Richard, 6. Mr. Bails is a senior pilot for Pan-American World Airways.

Cecil Elam, '36, was two weeks late in reporting to his duties at Morton High in Cicero as a result of having broken a bone in his foot. The injury was suffered while Elam was examining the new residence halls on the Eastern campus in August.

Mildred Davis (Mrs. Ray Hall), '36, is teaching second grade at Windsor, Ill. Mr. Hall, '33, is editor and publisher of the **Windsor Gazette**.

Okey Honefenger, '36, has purchased an advertising business to

be known as the Honefenger Outdoor Advertising Company, with offices at his farm home at Millersville near Pana. He and Mrs. Honefenger attended an advertising conference and school of instruction at Notre Dame August 18-22. The Honefenger property includes 64 boards in a three county area, plus construction and poster tools, mobile and office equipment.

Mac Waldrip, '36, coach at New Holland, Ill., High School for eleven years, was named principal of the same school this summer. He finished his Master's degree at the University of Illinois recently.

William R. Abernathy, '37, is the new superintendent of schools at Cuba, Ill. He was superintendent at Stonington for several years.

Sarah Fredenberger, '37, writes that she was a member of an Illinois State Club at Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tenn., this summer. Several Eastern graduates were members.

Alice Reynolds (Mrs. Russell Zimmerman), '37, now lives at 523 E. Chestnut, Bloomington, Ill. Her husband is in the regular Army and was in Korea most of the past year, but is now back in the States. The Zimmermans have four children. Mrs. Zimmerman taught near Bloomington last year and, according to information received by the **Alumnus**, expected to teach in the city grade system this year.

Edward T. Ferguson, '37, is returning to Lawrenceville, Ill., this fall as principal of the Arlington School. He taught in the Lawrenceville junior high before the war. He has been at Danville for several years. Ferguson holds the M. A. from Peabody College and has been doing advanced work at the University of Illinois during the summer sessions.

Clarice Cunningham (Mrs. Ernest O. Lombardi), '38, is teaching kindergarten in the Nystrom School, Richmond, Calif. It is the largest elementary school in the U. S. Mrs. Lombardi's hobbies are oil paint-

ing, ceramics, color photography, and Girl Scout work. She was particularly interested in the last-named activity when teaching adult craft classes in Laupahoehoe, Hawaii, in 1949-50. She is also learning Italian as a hobby. Mr. and Mrs. Lombardi took an extended trip through New England and spent some time in New York City this summer. Their address is P. O. Box 526, San Francisco, Calif.

Clyde W. Mills, '38, superintendent of schools at Altamont since 1946, has guided a building program into the construction stage during the past few years. Ground was broken in August for a new high school at the east edge of Altamont.

Captain Joseph C. Snyder, ex-'39, was named a winner of the Fifth Army's Soldier Singing contest last summer. He took second place in the classic soloist category and his entry was submitted to the Department of the Army for competition in the All-Army contest. The Fifth Army area covers 13 mid-western states.

Captain Snyder entered the Army in 1941 and fought in Europe during World War II. He was wounded in one of the closing actions of the war. He was employed with the Ohio Oil Company before being recalled to active duty in March, 1951.

Carl Shull, '39, is on leave from the Eastern art faculty to continue work toward the doctorate at Ohio State University. His address there is Apt. 19, 26 E. Second Ave., Columbus. Shull recently received a third award at the Ohio State Fair art exhibition. He also exhibited at the Illinois State Fair this year.

Gerald Lloyd Kincaid, '39, and Mrs. Kincaid, the former **Margaret Bennett**, '40, are parents of a third son, Don Harold, born Feb. 3, 1952. The Kincaids live near Okemos, Mich. Gerald is a full time member of the research staff in communications but has been able to complete a doctoral thesis. He expects to receive the Ed. D. degree within a few months. The Kincaids visited the Eastern campus in August.

Dale (Rabbit) Smith, '39, is coaching this year at the St. Charles, Ill., High School. He was formerly at Mooseheart, from which he

moved to Lake View High School near Decatur.

Grace Thompson (Mrs. Ernest E. Bair), '39, is currently teaching in the elementary school of Rantoul, Ill. Although she is the mother of a son, James Ernest, born July 14, 1950, Mrs. Bair continues to be very active professionally. She wrote and narrated the script for a three hour May festival in which over 1,000 school children participated this spring. She is now in the process of writing a book of poetry for handwriting correlation.

Forrest Fritz, '40, who coached and taught industrial arts at Piper City for several years, is now at 815 N. Walnut St., St. Elmo, Ill.

Bob Fick, '40, is the new head of the music department at the junior college in Decatur, Mississippi. Fick holds the M. A. in Ed. from Peabody College and did a year of study toward the doctorate after leaving a position in the Carmi, Ill., High School. Mrs. Fick is the former **Geraldine Wilcox**, '40.

Dorothy McQueen (Mrs. John Schettler), '40, is the mother of a baby daughter, Marcia Kathryn, born Feb. 18, 1952. Mr. Schettler teaches agriculture at Roberts, Ill., where Dorothy taught until last year.

John Wynn Farrar, '40, is now a lieutenant colonel in the Air Force stationed in Anchorage, Alaska. His address is: Hdqs. AAC-3, APO 942, c/o Postmaster, Seattle, Wash.

Raymond Wilson, '40, for five years principal of the DeLand High School, is the new superintendent of the Arthur Community Unit School District.

Dean B. Davis, '41, is supervisor of trade and industrial education in the Charlotte, N. C., schools. He was an Alumni Office visitor in July.

Charles K. Jenkins, '41, is the new high school principal at Paris, Ill. Jenkins has been principal at Hennepin, Ill.

Maurice Taylor, '37, '41, has returned to Greenup, where he coached before the war, after coaching at Noble High since 1947. He is the new elementary superintendent at Greenup.

Ray Suddarth, '41, and Mrs. Suddarth, the former Betty Edman, are parents of a third daughter, born

September 1 in St. John's Hospital in Springfield, Ill.

Killed In Aleutians



George (Hank) Seaman, '42

Lt. George Henry (Hank) Seaman, '42, was killed July 16 in the crash of a Navy PBV in the Aleutian Islands. Seven others aboard the plane escaped death. It was reported that Seaman was returning from a "mercy mission" and, in landing the plane, hit a mound of loose sand, veered off the runway and crashed.

Lt. Seaman was in charge of all Naval Air operations at the Adak Naval Base. He had been stationed in the Aleutians for a year.

Mrs. Seaman, the former **Betty Jean Ehrhart**, '43, and their two children, Gregory H. and Scott Lee, had been in Adak since November.

Seaman was a Charleston High graduate. He took his degree at Eastern in business education and social science. He was a popular member of the Geography and Commerce Clubs. He entered military service shortly after graduation and for a time was stationed in Texas and Florida. He and Miss Ehrhart were married in 1945. Following World War II, Seaman taught at Charleston High before returning to the service. He and his family lived in San Diego and Seattle before going to the Aleutians.

Harry E. Prather, '42, is the new assistant principal of the Ramsey, Ill., Community Unit District School. He took the M. S. degree in school administration at Southern Illinois University recently.

Edward M. Resch, '42, has returned to his home in Casey, Ill.,

Following a period of military service at Ft. Myer, Virginia. Resch is a captain in the reserves.

Marguerite Little, '43, reported as teaching at River Falls State Teachers College in the last **Alumnus**, left that position a year ago to marry Professor Max Dufner. Dr. Dufner has been teaching German at the University of Illinois. This fall he went to the University of Michigan as a member of the foreign languages staff.

Bill Couch, '43, (Bill Phipps) is a movie actor in Hollywood, Calif. His address is 7209 Hillside Ave., Hollywood 46.

The **Alumnus** apologizes to **Lee Podesta** (Mrs. Franklin J. Hickman), '43, whose married name was given as Mrs. Richard Meyer in the high honors feature appearing in the Summer issue. Mrs. Meyer is Lee's sister, Violet, Class of 1939. The Podesta sisters have **not** traded husbands!

Mr. Hickman is a major in the Air Force. The Hickmans live at 321 Gen. Ramey Dr., Ft. Worth 14, Texas.

Lee sends the **Alumnus** a clipping describing "Operation Fairyland," a project she has sponsored through the Officers' Wives' Club of Carswell AFB. As club nursery chairman, Lee has been in charge of the nursery building enrolling 180 children. About 700 additional fledglings use the nursery baby sitting facilities.

Cooperating with the art director for the Ft. Worth Children's Museum, the nursery board and staff have turned a drab building into an elaborate fairyland, decorated in colorful celotex figures. Murals and panels depict favorite Mother Goose and other childhood characters throughout the different rooms and halls.

Mrs. Hickman is the newly elected vice president in charge of administration for the Officers' Wives' Club. Among her many other interests has been "helping with the tiny tots' dramatic efforts at the St. Alice School in Ft. Worth." She has two children of her own, Virginia Ann, 7½, and Franklin, Jr., 6.

Jennie Goldsmith (Mrs. Charles H. Cox), '44, and her husband have built the **Altamont News**, which

Grads Win Honors As Salesmen



Phil Baird, '46

Three Eastern graduates won special honor from the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company in April of 1952.

Philip G. Baird, 46, was far and away the top first year salesman for the company, according to the June, 1952, issue of **The Radiator**, a trade journal. Phil left his position as teacher of building trades at Olney High School last year and began selling insurance in Olney under the supervision of Nolan Sims, '30, a general agent for Massachusetts Mutual with offices in Mattoon from which he supervises six full time representatives.

Baird sold \$307,000 worth of insurance in April, nearly four times as much as the next highest company first or second year salesman. Says **The Radiator**, "In ten months under contract, Baird has produced \$539,825, has been a member of the Consecutive Spotlight ten times, and ranks 21st and 14th in the 100 Top Producers in volume and commissions, respectively . . ."

Another Eastern grad who helped the Sims agency to rank 12th among the company's 87 agencies for the month of April is Thomas O. Petty, '37, of Hindsboro. The Mattoon agency has the unusual distinction of qualifying each of its full time representatives for the Massachusetts Mutual "Leaders Club." Mattoon is one of the smallest cities in which the company maintains a general agency.

Baird, Petty, Sims, and their wives attended the 1952 Leader's Club conference at Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, Canada, on May 26, 27, and 28.

they purchased a few years ago, into one of the larger and livelier weeklies of down-state Illinois. The paper sometimes runs to 16 pages.

Andy Sullivan, '46, was made director of athletics for the Mattoon, Ill., High School this summer and will serve as head football and basketball coach. Sullivan was an assistant in Eastern's athletic department following his graduation. He then went to Arcola High School, where he coached teams to the best football and basketball record in the history of the school. Mattoon teams faced a tough schedule this fall, including Elkhart, Ind., Moline, Peoria, Decatur, etc.

Lee Horsley Taylor, '46, is principal of the Donovan Community High School, Donovan, Ill.

Harold Cecil Werner, '46, is employed as an electronic engineer at San Diego, Calif. His address is 2668 Grandview St.

Herbert Clawson, '38, '46, became principal of the Mattoon High School, where he was teaching science and math, in mid-year

of the 1951-52 session. D. E. Parker, principal for many years, resigned because of ill health.

Dick Hutton, '46, took the Master of Science in health and physical education at Washington University last spring. Hutton teaches in Edwardsville, Ill.

Clarence Coleman, '35, '46, has returned from Australia, where he went last spring planning to make his home. He is teaching this fall at Indianola, Ill. Coleman married an Australian girl after the war.

Leland Watson, ex-'46, received the Master of Fine Arts degree from Yale University last year and is now employed as a lighting designer by the Columbia Broadcasting System, with main offices in Grand Central Station, N. Y. Watson has also been a member of the staff of Brooklyn College since last fall. He expects to leave CBS on October 1 to devote full time to Broadway productions and his teaching. He will visit friends in Charleston on October 6 and 7.

John Lewis, '47, substitute instructor and coach at Eastern the past year, has accepted a position as football, basketball, and track

coach in one of the Oaklawn, Ill., schools.

Harold (Sam) Taylor, ex-'38, '47, has been installed as president of the Long Beach Food Sales Association in California, according to a picture and story in the Long Beach **Press-Telegram** early this year.

Betty Heise Reat (Mrs. William), '47, is the mother of Mary Elizabeth, born Sept. 11. Mrs. Reat is living with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bryan Heise, until a new home is completed at the corner of Division and Grant in Charleston. Mr. Reat is a captain in the Air Force Reserve and is anticipating Korean duty soon. The Reats have a son, John, age 3.

Doris Cihak (Mrs. Paul Sphar), '47, writes, " 'Home away from home,' that's what is seemed to be. We stopped at the Arrowhead Lodge Motel in Gallup, N. M. It was managed by two former Easterners, **Herbert Walsh**, '47, and his wife, the former **Ann Thomann**, '45.

"Just a week before, **Tom Gregory**, '47, also from Cowden (my home town), had spent the night at their motel. Herb is teaching in the high school at Gallup."

Mr. and Mrs. Sphar are living at 1467 East Hickory, Decatur, Ill.

George Clementson, '47, has accepted an associate pastorship of Forest Avenue Presbyterian Church in Dayton, O. He received his Bachelor of Divinity degree from Louisville, Ky., Presbyterian Seminary last May 29.

Gene Price, '47, expects to return to the U. S. in October after a period in Arabia, where he has been secretary to an oil company executive. Price is author of another story to appear soon in a national magazine.

Miles Culver, '47, has been made band director at Mattoon High School. Culver has been very successful in securing participation at St. Elmo High School since 1947, when he became band director there, and has placed several musicians and groups in the first division of Illinois High School Association contests. Mrs. Culver, the former **Mildred Olmstead**, '47, will also teach music in the Mattoon system.

Tony (Homecoming) Pastor



Plays concert and dance Oct. 25

Lyle Knott, '47, took a position as principal of the Brownstown, Ill., High School this year. He has been teaching in Missouri. **Harold Hall**, '42, is superintendent of the Brownstown schools.

Don Tingley, '47, expects to receive the Ph. D. in history at the University of Illinois in October. His thesis, "The Rise of Racialistic Thinking in the United States in the Nineteenth Century," was accepted this summer. Tingley is now employed with the State Historical Library. He held a teaching assistantship at the University while completing requirements for the doctorate.

Wilma Schahrer, '47, received the M. A. in fine arts at Columbia University in August of this year. She has been employed in the Olney, Ill., schools.

E. Charles Sullivan, '47, and Mrs. Sullivan are the parents of a daughter, Connie Jean, born August 4. Sullivan is athletic director at the Havana, Ill., High School. The Sullivans live at 303 S. Promenade, Havana.

Earl William Jones, '48, is em-

ployed as a sales representative for Westinghouse Electric Supply at Dayton, O. His address is 31 Camp St., Piqua, O.

Lt. Harold Catey, '48, a transport pilot in the Marine Corps, has the following address: VMR-153, Marine Corps Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C.

Jean Elizabeth Dallas, (Mrs. Shull), '48, is a housewife living at 209 South Broadway, Shelbyville, Ill.

Emery Vance Gifford, '48, is living at 309 South Lafayette, Newton, Ill.

Maurice Emmett O'Donnell, '48, is working toward the Master's degree at the University of Wisconsin.

William J. Block, '48, is teaching social science at The Citadel (The Military College of South Carolina) and has been doing advanced work at the University of Illinois the past summer. His address is 5 Joyce Ave., Mt. Pleasant, S. C.

June Bubeck (Mrs. James Giffin), '48, is teaching in the Wilmette, Ill., elementary school while Mr. Giffin, '46, works toward the doctorate in business education at Northwestern. Jim is on leave from the Eastern business education department.

Leon Elliott, '48, is teaching in the Mattoon Public School system and has his home at 1613 Shelby in Mattoon. He is completing work for the M. A. at the University of Illinois.

George Giffin, ex-'48, has received the B. S. in Medicine from the University of Illinois College of Medicine in Chicago, having completed three years of pre-medical study and two years of medical study. He will now enter a two year phase of clinical study, where upon he will be qualified to receive the M. D. degree.

Miriam Joan Bland, (Mrs. Milton McMahan), '48, and her husband have opened a shoe store in Greenville, S. C., specializing in Corrective shoes. The address is 18 W. McBee Ave., Greenville.

Joe Coleman, '48, was a campus visitor in September. He was married last year in Casper, Wyoming, where he was employed two years in a large music store. He has now moved to Gulfport, Mississippi, where he operates his own music store. He specializes in

piano tuning and repair. Mr. Coleman was called to his former home in Willow Hill this fall by the death of his father.

William Carter, '48, left his position as a supervisory teacher of math in the laboratory school at Western Illinois State College, Macomb, to take a teaching position in Guam this fall. Carter received the doctor of Philosophy degree from Ohio State University this August 29.

Dick Lehr, '48, basketball coach at Carrier Mills for several years, is assisting Russell Ghere, '50, at Edgeport High in football this fall.

Wilma Guthrie (Mrs. Jack Evey), '48, is the mother of Roger Alan, now almost one year old, and John Michael, nearly three. Wilma, a home ec major, writes that she has time now for only one hobby, textile painting. Jack is assistant county agent of Polk County, Oregon. The Eveys' address is Rt. 1, Box 44, Dallas, Ore.

Dick Handwerk, '48, is employed with an accounting firm at Orlando, Fla., where his summer address was 1900½ E. Marks. He has been taking extension courses from the University of Florida.

Jack and Arlene (Swearingen) Muttersbough, '48, are parents of a son born last July at Amarillo, Texas, where the Muttersboughs have an apartment at 920 Bryan St. The newcomer's name is Kevin J. (Kim).

Shirley Thornton (Mrs. H. J. Hebaugh), '49, and her husband are planning their vacation so that they can attend Homecoming at Eastern. The Stinebaughs live at 3218 Community, Dallas, Texas.

Albert Gregor, '49, took the Master of Science in education at Washington University last spring. Gregor teaches in Edwardsville, Ill.

Bill Monier, '49, is now at 2105 New St., Bellingham, Wash.

George Fogelman, '49, who received his Master's degree at the University of Illinois recently, is teaching in the Charleston High School this year.

John W. McNutt, '49, received his M. A. in fine arts at Columbia University in August of this year. His temporary address is Charleston, Ill.

John Barrett, '49, formerly a commerce instructor in the Vandalia, Ill., High School, has established an accounting firm in partnership with a Vandalia accountant.

Robert Wrenn, '49, is now teaching commercial subjects at Charleston High School after teaching at Ohio, Ill., the past two years.

Hal Hubbard, '49, is now sales manager for National Sales Promotions with main offices in Charleston. Mr. and Mrs. Hubbard (the former Violet Luallen) live at 127 W. Jackson.

Bob Sink, '49, has been engaged as assistant to Coach Loid Baker on the Arcola, Ill., High School coaching staff. Sink has been employed in commercial refrigeration sales and service, working for G. E. Coleman of Mattoon. He will help at Arcola until another coach can be obtained. **Bob Brehm**, '48, is grade school coach at Arcola.

Ruth St. John (Mrs. Dick Thomas), '49, is teaching English in the Shelbyville, Ill., High School. Mr. Thomas, a former student, is a reporter for the Mattoon **Journal-Gazette**.

Charleen Rosebraugh, '49, married James J. Dickey last June 14.

Her new address is 911 West Hill, Champaign, Ill.

Peggy Fellis (Mrs. Dale Wingler), '52, is teaching in the Muskegon, Mich., schools. Her address is 1760 Fifth, Muskegon.

Dolly Wiseman, '49, is now the wife of Max Jewell, principal of the Brocton Grade School, where Miss Wiseman continues to teach.

Betty Kirkham (Mrs. Harry Bowland), '50, will teach in Inglewood, Colo., a suburb of Denver, next year. She and Mr. Bowland live at Apt. A-7, 1554 Logan, Denver 3, Colo. The Bowlands were Illinois visitors in July.

Denver J. Leturno, '50, and Mrs. Leturno, the former **Norma Lathrop**, '48, are parents of a son born this summer. Leturno teaches in Taylorville. The Leturno address is R. R. 3, Taylorville.

Joan Levitt, '50, became Mrs. Richard A. Bokenkamp on June 22 of this year. She will continue to teach home economics in Clay City High. Mr. Bokenkamp operates a Marathon service station in Clay City.

James Rominger, '50, was married this August at Albuquerque, N. M., where he has been a grad-

The 1952 Frosh Crop



The Old Aud bulged at the seams as nearly 500 freshmen and new students crowded in on Sept. 9 at the beginning of a three-day orientation period. It was the largest freshman class since 1946, when W. W. II veterans boosted the total to 732.

uate assistant at the University of New Mexico.

William Odes Wilcoxon, '50, is an instructor at Chanute Field in Rantoul, Ill.

Norman Railsback, '50, is a chemist at American Aluminate Co. at Clarendon Hills, Ill.

Lloyd Hughes Loftin, '50, who is in the Air Force, has the following address: 309-C East Aeronca Drive, Midwest Ctiy, Okla.

Kathleen Nelson, '50, became Mrs. Harold Sprehe on June 8 of this year. Mr. Sprehe was in Naval service last summer, stationed at Charleston, S. C. and Mrs. Sprehe was teaching swimming with the Charleston Recreation Department. Their address was 2023 Clements Ave., Apt. 4, Naval Base, Charleston, S. C.

Paul V. Haase, Jr., '50, is a clerk in the accounting department of the E. I. DuPont DeNemours Company at Dana, Ind. His address is R. R. 3, Paris, Ill.

Albert Fullerton, '50, has been a business education teacher and guidance counsellor in the Melvin, Ill., High School for the past year.

Marshall Leon Reid, '50, is employed as office manager, at the Brown Shoe Co. in Mattoon. His address is 802 Eleventh St., Charleston.

Lavern Raymond Grandidier, '50, is doing research in St. Louis, Mo.

Ernest Lloyd Copp, '50, is employed as a machinist in Youngstown 9, Ohio, and lives at 2706 Oakwood Ave.

Morris Leroy Brehmer, '50, is the fisheries biologist in the Illinois Department of Conservation.

Charles Lynn Arnold, '50, is a chaplain at the Parris Island Marine Base in South Carolina. Mail will reach him at 1860 Pigeon Point Road, Beaufort, S. C.

James Daniel Boone, '50, is basketball and baseball coach and teacher of U. S. history at Bismarck, Ill.

Floyd Allen Landsaw, '50, is a staff sergeant in the Air Force. His address is 516 N. Penfield, Apt. B., Rantoul, Ill.

Patricia Ann Haycraft, '50, is a vocal instructor at Carlinville, Ill.

Betty Alice Lilly, '50, is a registered medical technician at Decatur, Ill., and lives at 325 West North St.

Warren Audrey Dunn, '50, is a teacher at Dieterich, Ill.

James Alba Curlin, '50, is now living at 341 Burtschi St., Decatur Ill.

Marion Frieda Michael (Mrs. Anthony Rinderer), '50, is a housewife at 912 Thirteenth St., Highland, Ill.

Steve Morgan, '50, and Mrs. Morgan, the former **Deva Kibler**, '50, are back in Effingham again this year, where Steve is teaching in the commerce department of Effingham High School. The Morgans have been in California, where Steve was a yeoman in the USNR. The Morgans' daughter, Gina Ann, will be one year old in September.

James T. Perryman, '50, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Medical Service Corps in August. He then left the Medical Field Service School at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for duty at Camp Pickett, Virginia.

James Rue, '50, left Cerro Gordo to take a position as principal of the Greenup Elementary School this fall.

Dennis D. Van Blaricum, '50, plans to return for Homecoming. He is an accountant in Dallas, Tex., living at 4224 Prescott, Apt. 3.

Fred Wilson, '50, resigned as coach at Arthur High School this summer to accept a teaching position at Morton High of Cicero.

James Joseph Bloomfield, '51, is a chemist with the Rexall Drug Company in St. Louis. His address is 5700 Stratford, St. Louis 20, Mo.

Earl Richard Chism, '51, is assistant coach and teacher of English at the Mt. Olive, Ill., High School.

Adrian W. Ernst, '51, is teaching at Assumption, Ill.

Dorothy Smith Ernst (Mrs. Adrian Ernst), '51, has been teaching in the elementary school at Assumption.

Don Glover, '51, may be reached at the following address: A/B Don R. Glover, AF 17360971, Flight 979, 3727th B. M. T. S., Lackland A. F. B., San Antonio, Texas.

William C. Hammond, '51, is a first lieutenant in the U. S. Marines. He may be reached in care of his wife at 101 E. Johnson St., West Terre Haute, Ind.

Marries Bob Stabler



Alice Hanks, '51

Robert (Jug) Stabler and **Alice Hanks**, '51, were married August 9 in Crossville, Ill. They flew to New York, where he is employed with the New York Life Insurance Company. The Stablers may be addressed at 611 111th Street, New York 25, N. Y. Mr. Stabler, a mathematics graduate of the University of Illinois, is embarked upon special training program to become an insurance actuary with New York Life. Alice is teaching in the New Rochelle, N. Y., High School.

Shirley Fisher, '51, who taught at Potomac last year, joined the W. A. F. this August.

Bethel LaVerle Hill, '51, is a cartographic aid with the U. S. Army Engineer Corps. His current address is 1112 Hilliard Ave., Apt. 2, Louisville, Ky.

Barbara Ann Honnold, '51, has been teaching home economics at Melvin, Ill.

Alan Lee Johnson, '51, is teaching science at the Tower Hill, Ill., High School.

Merton Johnson, '51, is band director at the Arcola, Ill., High School this year.

Don Luallen, '51, who received the M. S. in Ed. at Eastern this summer, is teaching business education in the Roanoke, Ill., High School.

Delores Seaman (Mrs. John Morris), '51, taught home economics at New London, Conn., last

year. Her husband is a petty officer in the Coast Guard and is stationed at New London. The Morrises were visitors at the Alumni Office in July. Mrs. Morris plans to be a housewife and mother next year.

Robert Sterling, '51, left Charleston High School this year to teach journalism and social science in the Kankakee, Ill., Schools.

Robert Ernest Stuckey, '51, is teaching English at the Newton, Ill., High School. His address is N. Van Buren, Newton.

James M. Taylor, '51, is teaching industrial arts and mathematics at North Manchester, Ind. His address is 211 Mill St.

Jim Welker, '51, was a platoon commander in the Second Battalion, Sixth Marines, at Camp Lejeune, N. C., when he wrote **The Alumnus** in August. He holds a commission as second lieutenant.

Lowell E. Anderson, '51, of Royal, Ill., is principal and coach of the Royal Community Consolidated Elementary School of Champaign County. He is married and has three children, Gary, 4; Mark, 2; and Marsha, 2.

Joanne Waddell, '51, gives her new address as 1501 Edgar Ave., Mattoon, Ill.

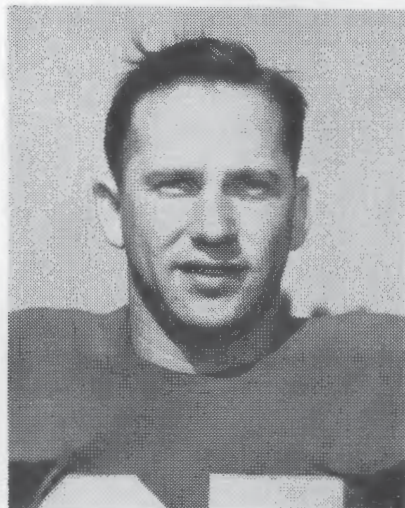
Robert Owen Rehbein, '51, is a radar mechanic in the Air Force. He was a July visitor at the Alumni Office. His permanent address is 935 W. Church, Mascoutah, Ill.

Paul Burrus, '51, a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps, expected to receive a Korean assignment this fall after a brief period at Camp Pendleton, Calif., in July and August. While a visitor at the Alumni Office, Burrus reported that **Dave Smith**, '51, former athletic trainer for Panther teams, and **Bill Sargent**, '51, grid quarterback, were both stationed at Camp Pendleton. Smith was connected with the physical fitness program and Bill was playing in the Third Marine Division Band.

Lewis Cox, '51, resigned a teaching position near Danville to continue working for the Huckaba Construction Company this fall.

Doris Jean Snyder (Mrs. Dale Michlig), '51, is teaching at Buda, Ill., in the elementary school. Mr.

Coach At Ridgefarm



Pearle Parke, '51

Pearle Parke, Jr., '51, is the new football coach at Ridgefarm this year. He spent last summer working toward the M. A. at the University of Illinois. He taught last year in the Indianola, Ill., grades.

Michlig operates the Buda Locker Plant.

Chester (Bud) Adams, ex-'51, has accepted a position as an account executive with the Hahn-Rodenburg Advertising Company of Springfield, Ill. Adams was graduated from the University of Miami, Fla., in 1951 and has taught speech and served as a radio station announcer since.

John Wilson, '51, lists the following address: A/B John E. Wilson, AF 17360970, Flight 979, 3727th Basic M. T. S., Lackland A. F. B., San Antonio, Texas.

Nancy Baird, '52, is teaching second grade in Bellwood, Ill.

Jack D. Winkleblack, '51, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army last August, following graduation from the Engineer Officers Candidate School, Fort Belvoir, Va.

Dolores Walker (Mrs. Harold Schmalhausen), '51, has a new address, 1245 South Fourth St., Apt. 33, Louisville, Ky.

Richard G. Riggins, '51, is an evangelist at Marshall, Mo.

Harold James Hankins, '51, is employed in the operative department of the Sinclair Refining Co. at Munster, Ind. He lives at 2149 N.

Deleware Parkway, Munster.

Kenneth Dean Sedgwick, '51, is in the Air Force. His address is: A/2c Kenneth D. Sedgwick, A.F. 16360691, 1503 Maintenance Squadron, A.P.O. 226, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

James Clifford Sullivan, '51, is with the National Guard in California. His address is: CO. E., 130th Inf., 44th Division, Camp Cooke, California.

Max L. Sweet, '51, is a chemical tester at Martinsville, Ill.

James E. Sexson, '50, is now at 1464 Oriole Pl., Brentwood 17, Mo.

Glen Shauberger, '51, on September 13 married Carolyn Ann Widdershiem, a sophomore at Eastern this year. Their address is 1609 Ninth St., Charleston. Glen is teaching music at Kansas, Ill.

Max Monroe Syfert, '51, who is in the Army, has the following address: Pvt. Max M. Syfert, US 55159763, 86th Regiment, 10th Inf. Div., Fort Riley, Kansas.

Charles Richard Thomas, '51, is employed as a copywriter for Benjamin Electric Co. and Benjamin Research Laboratory at Des Plaines, Ill. He lives at 932 Lee Street.

Paul E. Green, '51, is a civilian instructor at Scott Field in Belleville, Ill. His address is 212 S. Charles St., Belleville.

Mary Alice Thompson, '51, is now living at Lerna, Ill.

Elmer David Dalton, '51, is superintendent of the Newton Consolidated Grade School.

Carl Morris Collins, '51, is an industrial arts instructor and assistant coach at Newman High School. He did paint and repair work on the school buildings the past summer.

Wallace Jean Beadles, '51, is now living at 5157 Washington Avenue, St. Louis 8, Mo.

Bob Alter, '51, after a year of teaching in Newton, has taken a position as a junior executive in the blueprint department of the Kaiser-Frazer Corporation of Detroit. He and Mrs. Alter, the former Shirley Benscoter, live at 840 Continental, Detroit. The Alters have a baby daughter born February 29 of this year (leap year).

Marjorie Jean Wilson, '51, is again teaching in the high school at Forrest, Ill.

Catherine Jeanne Barth, '51, is teaching vocal music from the fifth through the twelfth grades at Sullivan, Ill.

Norman Zale Bone, '51, is a student at the University of Illinois. His address is 1620 Alabama Drive, A-2, Urbana.

Rev. Andrew J. Cain, '52, is an Evangelical United Brethren minister at Sheldon, Ill.

Neva Buckley, '52, is a music teacher at Palestine High School.

Jacqueline Cravener, '52, is teaching the fifth grade at Grant Park, Ill.

Marry L. Carlson, '52, is a science teacher at Woodrow Wilson Jr. High School at Decatur, Ill.

Iris Johnson Gillis, '52, is teaching art and social studies in the upper grades at Danville, Ill.

Almeta Greathouse Garner, '52 is employed as a teacher of home economics and physical education at Laingsburg High School in E. Lansing, Mich.

Donald Charles Duensing, '52, is now working as a securities salesman in Algonquin, Ill.

Richard E. Myers, '52, is employed by the Ohio Oil Company in Robinson, Ill.

Justin Isert, '52, is a graduate student at the Ohio State University in Columbus, O.

Dwight T. Baptist, '52, first person to receive the M. S. in Ed. degree at Eastern, has taken a position as instructor in business education at Belleville Township High

School and Junior College, Belleville, Ill. His address is R. R. 1, Millstadt, Ill.

Arthur Carlton, '52, is teaching in the elementary schools of Ashkum, Ill.

Donna L. Horton, '52, is teaching at Crete-Monee Community Unit District in Crete, Ill.

Marjorie Ann Herman, '52, is a commerce teacher in the Mt. Carmel, Ill., High School.

Nancy J. Sharpe, '52, is employed as speech correctionist by the Sullivan Unit District, Sullivan, Ill.

Margaret Ann Tate, '52, is teaching English and Spanish in the Palestine, Ill., High School.

Mrs. Gerald B. Coleman, '52, is teaching in the junior high school at Villa Grove, Ill. Her address is 805 S. Spruce St., Villa Grove.

Bobby Keith Cox, '52, has entered military service. He may be reached by addressing him in care of R. R. 2, St. Elmo, Ill.

Mrs. Hazel H. Dunivan, '52, is teaching grade six in the Lincoln School, Decatur. Her address is 1035 N. Warren St., Decatur.

Frank A. Fraembs, '52, was working in August as a house painter for the Bear Brand Hosiery Company in Henderson, Ky. His address is 26 Pope St., Henderson.

Paul Gilpin, '52, replaced Phil Durland as assistant coach at Tuscola High School this fall. His address is 807 E. Daggy St. Durland replaced **Bill Crum**, '51, at Villa Grove, when Crum entered mili-

tary service.

William Garrett, '52, is teaching English in the Sheldon, Ill., High School.

Josephine Greiwe, '52, is a primary teacher in the Pana Community Unit and lives on R. R. 4, Pana, Ill.

Loren V. Grissom, '52, is teaching at Albion High School. His address is 403 E. Elm St., Albion, Ill.

John E. Hunt, '52, is head of the industrial arts department at the Ortonville, Michigan, High School.

Jean Farris Ikemire, '52, is a grade principal in the Findlay Community Unit School District.

James Johnson, '52, has enrolled at Teachers College, Columbia University, where he hopes to complete the Master's degree. Johnson took fifth year courses this summer at Eastern.

Tom Katsimpalis, '52, is basketball coach at Altamont High School, where **Clyde Mills**, '38, is superintendent. Katsimpalis worked this summer for the State Conservation Department.

Howard Stanley Kinkade, '52, is working at West Salem, Ill.

Dorothy Ann LaMaster, '52, is now Mrs. John E. Greathouse. Dot is teaching girls' P.E. and biology at Oakland Community Unit High School. John, a 1951 graduate, has finished work toward the Master's degree in accounting at the University of Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Greathouse may be addressed

They Took A Ride



This doughty group made a 7000 mile jaunt into the U. S. northwest last August and came back ready for more. Dr. Byron K. Barton, director of Eastern's Prairie State Field Studies program, has been encouraged by the success of recent trips to plan five years ahead. See details on page 12 of this issue.

in care of 1002 College Court, Apt. 704, Illini Village, Urbana, Ill.

Charles Gale McCoy, '52, is working as a junior engineering draftsman in the electrical engineering research laboratory at the University of Illinois.

Norma Louise Metter, '52, is a graduate student at the University of Illinois, living at 510 E. Daniel, Champaign.

Velma Rentfrow Montonye, '52, is employed at Sullivan, Ill., where she lives at 208 W. Strain St.

Howard Nelms, '52, is teaching industrial arts in the Arcola High School and upper grades. He also handles physical education classes.

Marilyn Newlin, '52, is teaching second grade in the Wilson School, Maywood, Ill. Her address is 103 S. Third Ave., Maywood.

Sue Niemeyer, '52, is studying for the M. A. degree at the University of Illinois. Her Champaign address is 301 E. Daniel.

Margery Potter (Mrs. John Wilson), '52, is teaching Spanish and English at Lostant, Ill., High School, near Streator. Her sister, **Jean Marie** (Mrs. Don Glover), '49, left her position as speech correctionist in the Robinson schools to take a similar job in Streator. Margery and Jean are living together at 115 S. Bloomington in Streator.

Joe Patridge, '52, has accepted the assistant coaching position at Paris High School for which **John Wilson**, '51, was under contract before joining the Air Force. Wilson coached at Westfield last year.

Robert L. Weppler, '52, is teaching industrial arts in the Martinsville, Ill., High School.

Robert H. Scherer, '52, has an assistantship in the botany department at Florida State University, Tallahassee. His address is P. O. Box 1731, East Campus.

Betty Worland, '52, was working this summer in a hospital in San Diego, California, but at last report was seeking a teaching position.

Melba Ann Strange, '52, is teaching at the Pleasant Hill School in Springfield, Ill.

Rebecca Eilene Harmon (Mrs. Glenn Wright), '52, is a second grade teacher at the Coburn School in Battle Creek, Mich.

The Twin With Tony



Dolores Martel, one of two vocalists with Tony Pastor's orchestra, which will play the Homecoming concert and dance at Eastern October 25.

Helen Josephine O'Day, '52, is teaching second and third grades at Hindsboro and lives at 1018 Fourth in Charleston.

Ray Snyder, '52, submitted to a hernia operation in August and is still resting at his home in Flora. He expects to start work in October for the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company's district office in Peoria, where he may be reached at 212 S. State, Peoria 2, Ill.

Jack Payan, '52, and Ann Davidson, a sophomore at Eastern, were married last June 14. Payan expects to be inducted into military service in the near future.

Patricia Shay, '52, is teaching at Humboldt, Ill. Her address is R. R. 1, Arthur.

Harriet Carriker, '52, is teaching at Argenta.

Rex F. Hunter, '52, is art supervisor at Princeton, Ill., and lives at 236 Randolph Street.

Melba Yvonne Baker, '52, is teaching homemaking at the Kenny, Ill., High School.

Norma Lee Schmalhausen (Mrs. David B. Leeds), '52, has taken a part-time position as dietary super-

visor at the Western Reserve University Hospitals, Cleveland, O. She and Mr. Leeds live at 1853 Idlewood, East Cleveland 12, O. Mr. Leeds is employed as a chemical engineer.

Dennis Cougill, '52, is teaching business education at Colfax, Ill., High School.

Florence Meyer (Mrs. Bert Herman, Jr.), '52, is an elementary teacher in the Mattoon Public Schools. Her address is R. R. 3, Mattoon.

Doris Schmittler, '52, is teaching commerce in the Villa Grove, Ill., High School. Her address is 101 S. Pine, Villa Grove.

Libby Cochran, '52, is a feature editor for the Cereal Institute of Chicago, Ill. She is living at the McCormick YWCA, 1001 N. Dearborn, Chicago.

Ed Soergel, '52, is playing defensive safety for the Argonaut Football Club of Toronto, Canada, this fall. As of September 9 he had played in two games and intercepted four passes. He reports that Fran Cahill, stellar end for the IAC title-winning Northern Huskies last year, is playing for Toronto's rival, Hamilton. Cahill was cut from the New York Giants and Soergel was cut from the Cleveland Browns.

Ed expects to be drafted in January, 1953; hence he has turned down several coaching opportunities.

The Toronto club has been Dominion champion eight times, including the 1945, '46 and '47 seasons.

Harry Otto Miller, Jr., '52, is engaged in scouting for the Carter Oil Company and lives at 1527 Division St., Charleston.

Harold Ralph McCoy, '52, now teaches the 3rd and 4th grades at Joslin, in addition to being a pastor for two Evangelical United Brethren churches. His wife is the former **Linda Levitt**, '51. Their address is R. R. 1, Hillsdale, Ill.

Robert Dean Climer, **Gail Menk** and **Herbert Wills**, all class of '52, are doing graduate work at Eastern this year.

Nettie Maud Bunham Bingham, '52, is teaching the first grade at Vandalia.

Olen Eugene Brown, '52, is teaching grades five to eight at Isabel.

Irma Lou Conrad, '52, is teaching physical education in the Olney High School.

Earlena May Davies, '52, is a speech correctionist at Morris, Ill.

James George Kehias, '52, is studying law at the University of Illinois.

Jack Dwain Frost, '52, is teaching history and coaching at Longview.

William Marvin Isom, '52, is an industrial arts teacher at Humboldt.

Richard Clarence Lading, '52, is at Robinson working for the Ohio Oil Company.

Nancy Ann Inyart (Mrs. Kenneth Hesler), '52, is teaching home economics at Metcalf. Mr. Hesler is now assisting **Stanley Elam**, '38, in Eastern's Office of Public Relations and Alumni Services.

Anthony Mazzara, '52, is teaching elementary music at Charleston.

July inductions by Coles County Selective Service Board 97 included seven recent graduates and one former student from Eastern. Among those receiving their notices were Richard Allison, '52; Gerald Ferguson, '52; Robert and Richard Parker, '52; Thomas H. Woodyard, '51; Billy Ray Crum, '51; and Rex F. Hunter, '52. Robert Weigand, a former student who finished his schooling at the University of Illinois, was also called up.

Winkler Twins Are Reunited In Korea

Cpl. Jeane T. and Pfc. Deane D. Winkler, twin brothers from Indianola, Ill., were reunited last summer in Korea after being separated since October, 1950. Deane, after attending Eastern for a time, became field manager of the Production Credit Company in Danville before entering service. Jeane taught social studies at the Wellington, Ill., Junior High after his graduation in 1951.

The twins were separated at Camp Cooke, Calif., shortly after entering the Army, according to an Army dispatch. While in Japan with the 40th Division, Deane applied for a transfer to his brother's unit, but the division was shipped to Korea just as the transfer was

Pemites To Honor Gertrude Phipps On Her Twenty-Fifth Year At Hall; Solicit Contributions For Gift

Pemberton Hall residents have asked the **Alumnus** to assist in circulating an appeal to former Pemites to contribute to a purse being raised for Mrs. Gertrude Phipps, who is this fall completing 25 years of loyal service as housekeeper. The money will be presented at a tea to be given in Mrs. Phipps' honor at the Hall Saturday afternoon of Homecoming, October 25.

It has been estimated that some 1500 Pemites have come and gone since that November day in 1927 when Gertrude started her long career at Pem Hall. Miss Carol Besteland was the director then and during Gertrude's period of service Miss Nathile McKay (now Mrs. Clark Bryson), Miss C. Favour Stilwell, Mrs. Alice Cotter, Miss Barbara Jones (now Mrs. William Jones), and Miss Kathryn Sneesby have been directors.

Because it is impossible to contact all those who have lived in the Hall since 1927, it is hoped that Eastern alumnae will spread word of the plan to honor Mrs. Phipps, particularly among Pemites who did not graduate. Letters are being sent to former residents whose addresses are available, but records are quite inadequate.

Miss Lela Johnson, assistant director of the Hall, is chairman of a committee planning the honor for Mrs. Phipps. She is assisted by Mary June Bland, Mary Lowrey, and Ninetta Biggs. The committee will welcome alumnae help with the tea.

Alumnus readers may send contributions to Miss Johnson in care of Pemberton Hall.

approved. But when a supply room position became vacant in Company M of Jeane's regiment, he got first chance at it and was quickly transferred. Deane is now supply clerk in the 224th Infantry Regiment's Company M, where Jeane is assigned as company clerk.

Younger Sons Of Pres. Buzzard Get New Addresses

The three younger sons of President R. G. Buzzard have recently acquired new addresses. **Henry**, '45, left a position as a cartographer in St. Louis to accept an assistant librarianship at Gallaudet College in Washington D. C. His address there is Gallaudet College, Kendall Green, NE, Washington 2. Gallaudet is the only federally supported college for the deaf in the U. S., having been founded by special act of Congress. **Ensign Charles Buzzard**, '48, may be addressed in care of the U.S.S. *Remy*, DD, Boston Navy Yard, Boston, Mass. The ship will be in the Navy Yard for three or four months. **Robert D. Buzzard** is attending San Diego State College following his release from active duty in the Navy, where he served for eight years. He is taking course work in electronics and will continue his research in the Digital Electronics Research Institute. He is a graduate of Duke University.

Postpone Scout Day

College officials decided late in September to postpone Scout Day until November 15, when Illinois Normal plays at Eastern, and cancel the Band Festival. Both were originally scheduled for September 27. The polio epidemic in Coles County was responsible for the decision.

The Eastern music department is planning a series of clinics for vocal and instrumental groups to replace the Band Festival. It will be renewed next year, however.

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The **Eastern State News** will sponsor a High School Press Conference Saturday, November 1. Alumni advisers of high school publications are invited to attend.