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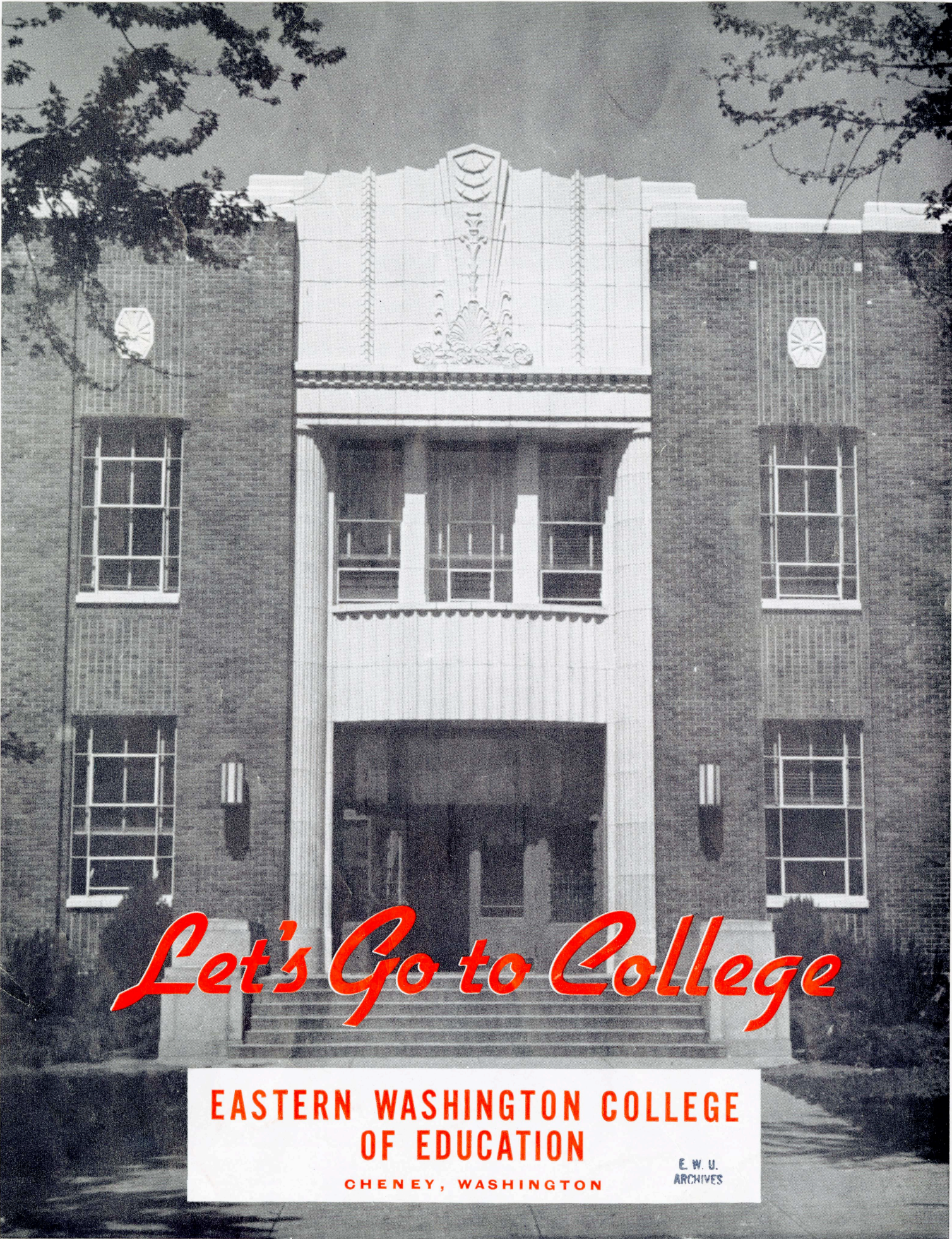
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Why Go to College Now?



DR. R. E. TIEJE,
President

THE PERENNIAL question, "What shall I do when I graduate from high school next June?" is more confusing in this year, 1942, than it ever was before. This is so because new factors have come to bear on the decision. Many of you will be tempted to take the short view, and yield to the call of industry and business, attracted by prospects of high wages and quick earnings. Many of you young men will be lured toward premature enlistments by the promise of adventure, or a fatalistic acceptance of the inevitability of the draft.

Even here, however, the college man has the advantage. The aviation corps requires that enlistees have two years of college work. The navy asks that deck officers be trained in higher mathematics. A college degree is almost a prerequisite for a commission in the army.

Yet wars can't last forever, and with their end comes demobilization, both military and industrial. Discharged, you will find yourselves untrained people in a specialized world, facing the inevitable problem of unemployment.

Service to one's country, moreover, is not merely a matter of armies or defense industries. It is a matter of training and preparation for living. Here, the longer view will, perhaps too late, teach you that education is something none can take from you, and make you conscious of its real implications. For it is not the facts or the materials of education that stay with you. It is the training in thinking and in ways of the mind — the mental discipline — which leaves its mark forever on you, and leaves you always one fit to cope with changing situations.

Today, in a changing world, America and humanity needs such minds. Tomorrow they will need them more.

That is the best answer to the question, "Why go to college now?"

Ralph E. Tieje

President.

Monroe Hall From the Top of Showalter Hall



View of Monroe hall, one of the two large well-equipped women's hall of residence at Eastern Washington college. Board and room at the women's and men's halls is kept at minimum price, so that all students may enjoy the facilities for study, recreation and companionship which they have to offer. The problem here is not to keep the waist line up, but rather to keep those girlish bulges girlish.

Associated Students

EVERY student enrolled at Eastern Washington college becomes a member of the Associated Student Body and enjoys the many privileges accorded it. It is the Council's function, as governing agent of the student-body, to distribute money received from fee payments so as to maintain and increase the many activities of the organization, and to guide student policy on college problems. Officers are elected each spring at a special general convocation.

Shelling Out Sheckles



Scene in the Bursar's office on "pay up or else" day. As you can see from the smiles on the faces of these students, registration day is a painless operation on the pocketbook. Smiles continue throughout the year.

Social Program

WHETHER you are an habitual wall flower or rug cuttin' jitterbug you won't have any trouble fitting in the social program sponsored by the Associated Students. One hour each Tuesday night and two-and-one-half hours each Saturday night an informal dance and recreation hour is held with dance music provided by the recreation hour orchestra. No dates are necessary, but it's an even bet you won't leave the floor alone. The Associated Women Students sponsor weekly teas, parties and other activities, to which all women are invited. Classes, off-campus clubs, dormitories and service groups also are active in the social life of the College.

Helping Hand to Frosh



Every effort toward helping you feel "at home" is extended you in those first few days at college. Men and women from service clubs "show you the ropes."

Costs

THE MOST for as little as possible is the policy of the College when it comes to student expenditures. A registration fee of \$13.50 per quarter pays for all activities, health and hospitalization and the lyceum program. Certain courses in industrial education, music, science, art and geography require slight extra fees. Books and supplies average \$7.00 per quarter.

Living expense at the halls is \$6.50 per week for board and room and recreational facilities. Those who can stand their own cooking live for as little as \$17.00 per month.

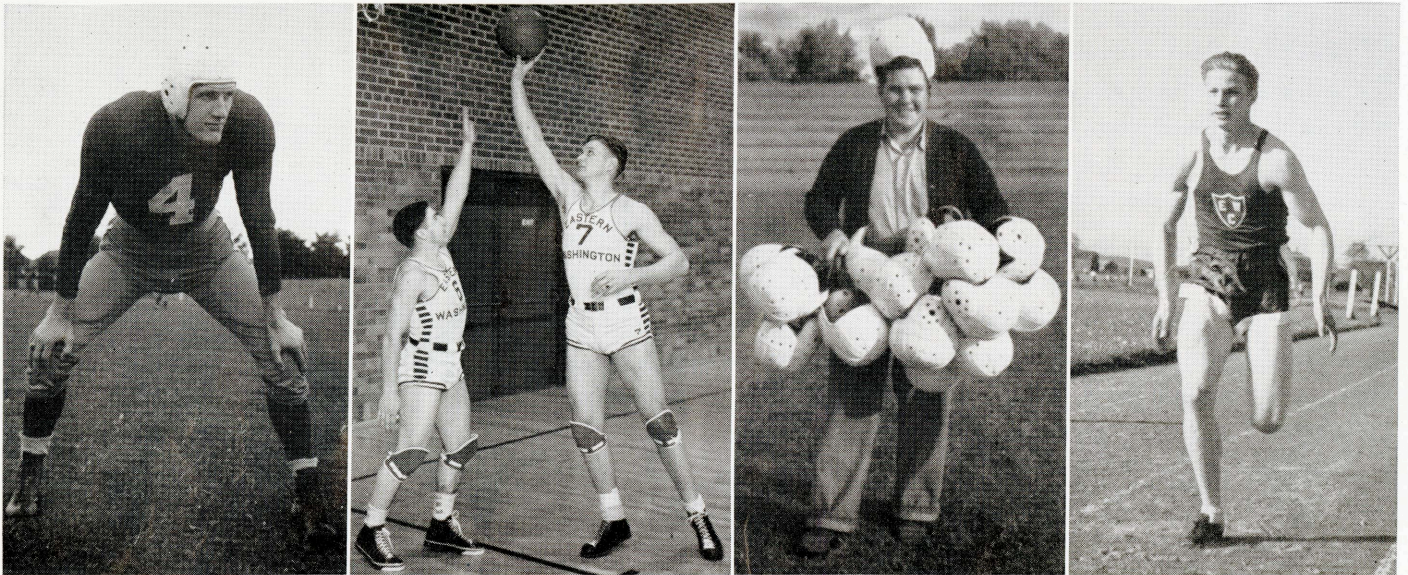
It is possible to attend Eastern Washington college for as little as \$150 cash outlay per year by commuting, or for \$300 in residence.

Variation in Recreation



For certain special occasions the weekly dances may be shifted. Here we see students dancing about the Christmas tree in the upper rotunda of Showalter hall.

Athletic Competition the Year 'Round

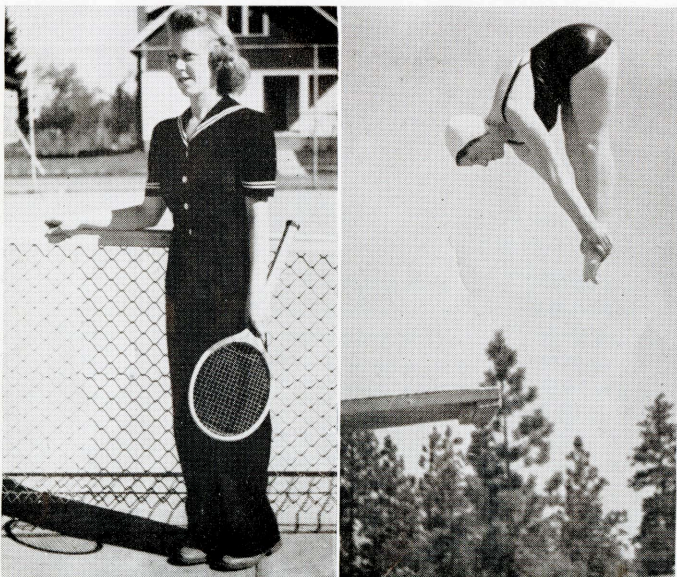


From early fall when the thud of the pigskin draws every student and faculty member away from his books, until late spring when beaux and belles desert secret romantic spots to watch the Savage tracksters at work, the Eastern Washington college athletic department is a beehive of activity. Student tickets given you on registration day admit you to all athletic contests as well as social affairs.

Intercollegiate Athletics

EASTERN Washington college is one of the oldest and strongest members of the Washington Intercollegiate conference (WINKO), sometimes called the hottest small college conference in the nation. In addition to football, basketball and track, tennis and golf are also part of the sport program. Minor sports include swimming, junior varsity basketball, and fencing. Besides the regular conference games, contests are scheduled with Washington State college, Gonzaga university, University of Idaho, University of Montana, University of Washington and other widely recognized institutions. Athletes may compete on varsity teams the full four years instead of playing one season on a freshman club. W. B. "Red" Reese is the flaming-haired mentor of Eastern athletic teams.

Yeow! What Competition!



Yes, she plays tennis, too. A perfect back jack performed on the diving board at nearby Fish lake where college students spend much of their time swimming and boating during the spring and summer.

Women's Athletics

IF YOU have that secret woman's desire to knock the socks off your best boy friend you can get plenty of practice in the women's athletic competition. The College doesn't intend that every woman student become a veritable Amazon, but if sport is your dish you can fill it well with tennis, golf, badminton, archery, jollyball, speedball, softball, hiking, or other outdoor and indoor activities. Competition is offered in both physical education classes and separately organized teams. The Women's W club is one of the most active on the campus at Cheney.

Sports

THE EXTENSIVE physical education program at Eastern Washington college gives those men and women who do not compete on varsity teams a chance to participate in the sport he or she likes best. For the men, regular leagues are formed in touch-football, basketball, swimming, wrestling, boxing, fencing and badminton; and competition is just as fast in these class leagues as in the varsity program. Physical education classes give you competent coaching and developing under the watchful eyes of regular instructors.

Clubs and Organizations

WHILE none of your instructors will deny that the basic value of a College education must come from books, personality and special interests must be developed. This is accomplished at Eastern Washington through art, literature, drama, athletic, church, service, educational and professional clubs. Honorary organizations provide special recognition for those who have demonstrated outstanding ability and leadership. No matter if you live off-campus, in the dormitories, commute, or hibernate, you'll have a hard time keeping "out" of the affairs of these clubs at Cheney.

Recreation

RE-CREATION is just what the recreation schedule at Eastern Washington college accomplishes for the students. Although studies provide their form of enjoyment, they are not allowed to become monotonous. At all seasons of the year informal groups gather on the spur of the moment and soon are ice skating, swimming, shooting squirrels, fishing, or meeting in a faculty member's home for a chat. Fame goes to the campus couple which brings to the College newspaper office the first buttercup each spring.

Time Out for Picture



One of the sports most enjoyed by women students is field hockey. Whether or not these girls like it best because it gives them a chance to swing at each other is a question.

Strutting Their Stuff



Drum majorettes are pictured guiding the college band around a corner of the campus during the Homecoming parade, one of the highlights of the annual Homecoming celebration.

Happy Pusses at Party



Books and studies are soon forgotten when you and your classmates assemble at a party, picnic, or dance. The "sophs" appear to be enjoying themselves.

A Cappella Singers



One of the outstanding choral groups in this region is the college a cappella choir, directed by William Lloyd Rowles. Choir tours are highlights of the musical year for the singers.

Dramatics

IF YOU have the Barrymore profile or the Garbo gibe, the dramatics department will provide plenty of opportunity for self-expression. A student may take part in one or more of the several plays staged each year as an actor or member of the stage, make-up, lighting, directing, or production crews. Here's another place the student ticket given you on registration day will come in handy, because the Associated Students sponsor all plays and all registered students are admitted free.

Christmas Production



Handel's "The Messiah" was presented this year as the official Christmas program of the college. George F. Barr directed. Spokane and Eastern Washington college musicians took part.

Music

WHETHER you are an accomplished musician or have never had actual musical training you can find a place for yourself in the College music department. For the singers there is the a cappella choir which annually tours the Inland Empire, and for those who play an instrument there is the marching band, the concert band, and the concert orchestra. Small groups and ensembles are organized and appear almost weekly before the public at convocations, parties, teas, and other social functions in Cheney and neighboring cities.

Publicity Crew Working

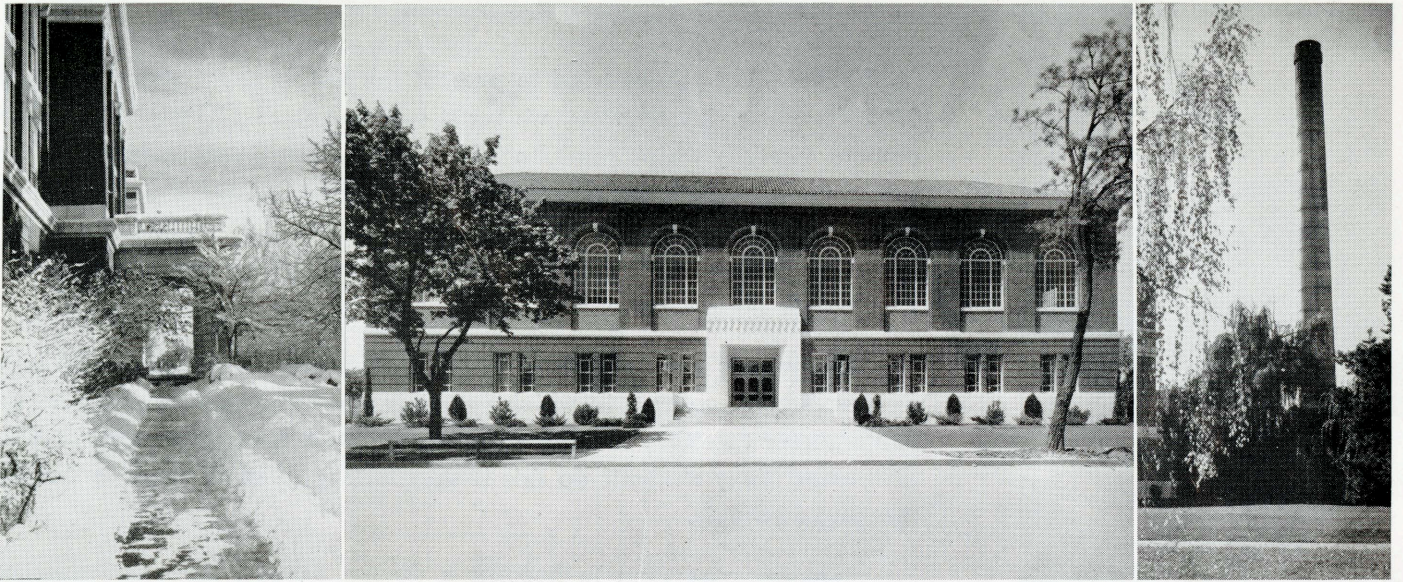


We see a member of the publicity crew for one of the plays at work on an advertising poster. Much of the fun in play production goes on back stage, we've heard tell.

Lyceum and Convocations

OUTSTANDING speakers, musicians and entertainers are regularly scheduled to appear on the Eastern Washington college stage as a part of the Lyceum program. Nationally and internationally famous men and women come each quarter. That much used student tickets admits you to hear these people. Besides the Lyceum numbers, the College and the Associated Students regularly present each week local speakers and entertainers at convocations.

Beautiful Landscapes, Spacious Buildings—The Campus



The Cheney campus is a place of beauty no matter what the season may be. Colorful flowers and shrubs and stately trees provide a romantic background for those "extracurricular" activities. The library, inside and out, is one of the most beautiful and up-to-date in the Northwest. It houses the noted C. S. Kingston Northwest history collection.

The Campus

BELIEVING that the best work will be done by a student if his physical surroundings are pleasant and progressive, administrators of this College, through the years since it was founded in the early 1890's, have added beauty as well as practicality to the campus. Stretching out over forty acres of grass, sidewalks and modern buildings, the campus is still compact enough so that you don't have to be a ten second man on the track team to get from one class to another on time. A new athletic field, in addition to the regular football stadium and track, was added this year. A baseball game and two softball games can be played at the same time on this recent addition to the campus. Both men and women have physical education and intramural classes on the new athletic field. Center of all activity is Showalter hall which houses the administrative offices and most of the classroom work. Classes are also held in the industrial education building, Hargreaves library and Martin hall where students get practical teacher training in a public school conducted by the College. The main gymnasium features a topnotch basketball floor and areas for playing badminton and other games. Physical education classes are held here and in the old gymnasium and swimming pool in Showalter hall.

Take a Letter



A secretary at work in the registrar's office. Men and women students hold these jobs both at the college and in the city of Cheney.

Student Employment

NO MATTER whether you have special training for business or just a brawny back, there is a job for you at Eastern Washington college if you need it to help out in completing your education. Work is found for students at everything from responsible secretarial positions to mowing lawns about the campus. Some students earn part of their expenses by working on the N.Y.A., while others work on the campus as extras or at regular college jobs. Many private homes take in students who work for board and room. Business establishments have jobs for college students.

At Work



Putting the finishing touches on a dress made in home ec class. Catching up on home work in his room in Sutton hall.

Curricula

ALTHOUGH we have tried to present the life of this College from an informal point of view, we must not forget that there are certain courses of study which must be followed. Eastern Washington college is primarily a teacher training institution of high national ranking and grants the Bachelor of Arts in Education degree upon completion of the four year course. This qualifies you to teach in the state's elementary and junior high schools.

If you are not preparing to teach, Eastern Washington offers a wide variety of courses in which you may specialize and after a year or two transfer to either the State College or State University without loss of credits. Many students do this if they lack immediate funds to attend the larger schools.

Whether you plan to become a doctor, lawyer, farmer, druggist, veterinarian, business man, architect or engineer you can here obtain the basic courses that you will need later on.

Under the quarter system, used by Eastern Washington college, it is possible, by attending summer sessions, to complete the regular four year course in three calendar years.

Teaching Placement

OPPORTUNITIES for both men and women to obtain teaching positions in this state upon graduation from Eastern Washington college are exceptionally good. Last year more than ninety-six per cent of those who received their Bachelor's degrees from this College were placed in permanent teaching positions. The remaining few either didn't care to teach, were married, or went on to another college for graduate work.

The College maintains its own teacher placement office in the Bureau of Public Relations, L. W. Lee, director. Through this office, at no extra cost to the student, a teaching position is secured for you at the time of your graduation.

For Additional Information

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