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NEW STUDENT LOUNGE TO OPEN IN NOVEMBER

FRESHMAN COFFEE HOUR

Our get-acquainted coffee hour for new students is scheduled for Thursday, October 6 from 3 to 5. The W. A. A. under Stevie's fine hand promises delish food. The gym will be open for dancing.

We are honoring our NEW students which means that all FORMER students on Eastern's campus are especially urged to make our newcomers at home. The faculty members and staff are cordially invited to attend.

Every body Come! !!

WOMAN'S ATHLETIC PROGRAM

The woman's athletic program at Eastern this year will include an array of intramural sports that should attract every female student. A W.A.A. picnic for new and old members was held Monday night on the Rims, officially opening the proceedings for this school year.

Women's Athletic Asociation adviser, Miss Stevenson, issued an invitation to all women students to take part in the sports program. She added that they do not necessarily need to be members of the W. A. A. to take part.

Among the activities slated for women's sports are badminton, tennis, softball, volleyball, archery, shuffleboard and other sports that appeal to female students.

Throughout the year the activities will be carried out on an inter-class and intramural basis, and at the end of the year, representatives of the local organization will attend a quadrangular play day with W. A. A. members from Dillon, Bozeman and Missoula.

REMINDER

Dancing classes begin Friday at 7:30. For the first hour only beginners on the floor for instruction with no gallery of sight-seers.

At 8:30 there will there be in-



Dr. Peterson Addresses First Assembly

struction in any particular type of dancing the students signify. At 9:00 dancing will be general with refreshments served at 10:30.

NO-DATE MIXER

The largest crowd to attend an informal dance at Eastern turned out for the No-Date Mixer sponsored by the sophomore class on last Friday night. That's the spirit we like to see and hope to have continue.

Mr. Jim Gilbert of Billings called square dances during the first hour and you should have seen the faculty circle "ladies to the left and gents to the right." Dr. Peterson rushed madly to the rescue to provide wax for the floor and Mr. Kent was really graceful as he poured it from the container.

The committees are to be congratulated on the lively evening. Dr. and Mrs. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Harshfield and Mr. and Mrs. Weickert served as official chaperons. Most of the faculty members of Eastern came out to see the fun.

ENROLLMENT RECORD SET

A new enrollment record has been set at Eastern Montana College of Education. As we go to press the enrollment stands at 423 with students still in the process of registration. 1948 Fall Quarter enrollment was 393.

Eastern is a rapidly growing college. Within the past four years the attendance has increased to over 375 students. We of Eastern are quite proud of this gain and have still greater expectations for the coming years.

M. P. MOE TO ADDRESS STUDENTS

Mr. M. P. Moe, Executive Secretary of the Montana Education Assn. will be the guest speaker at a special assembly at 2 p. M. on October 10. He will speak on "Education in Germany Today." Mr. Moe has just returned from a three-month trip to Germany where he served in an advisory capacity helping reorganize the school system of the country.

All students especially those majoring in Education, are urged to attend this assembly.

Plans Under way for Immediate Preparation

The administration of E. M. C. O. E. through Dr. Peterson has given Room 103 to the students for a lounge room, according to Mrs. Brown, Director of Activities.

There has been a definite need for such a room at Eastern as the student body has completely outgrown the Student Union Room. According to the plan, the lounge should be complete in early November and will be used for leisure hours, meetings, receptions and other extra-curricular activities.

Mrs. Brown and Mr. Lucas of the Art Department have been conferring with painters, plasterers, electricians and decorators securing estimates for first-class facilities, within the student budget. The student committee to select the furnishings, colors, carpets, etc. will be announced soon.

It is rumored that a game room will be added before the year is out. With student cooperation this lounge will be a success and the center of activity at Eastern.

M. E. A.

Fifty members of Eastern's local attended the first meeting of the year with Bob Sando, president, presiding. Guests of the evening were Mr. Lyle Cooper, Mr. Ray Harshfield, Mr. Robert Weickert and Dr. Selke, who spoke to the group on "German Education." Mr. Oliver Peterson, sponsor of the group, reviewed last year's activities and preview the oncoming year in M. E. A.

Temporary officers were appointed as follows: secretary, Bonnie Cattnach; treasurer, Jackie Harrison; program chairman, Ed. White; refreshments, Ruth Jimmerson, and recreation, Dona Dunn. Mae and Bud Richards assisted by Mr. Harshfield provided entertainment. Coffee (though weak) and spudnuts finished off the meeting!