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# eastern news

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### **Ruptured** mains cause boil order

by Jim Painter As of Wednesday afternoon four water mains in Charleston had broken and the nater partment's order that all drinking ter must be boiled was still in effect. The was to end at 10 p.m. Wednesday.

marleston water department superin-Indant Bob Montz said Wednesday that two mains had broken on Lincoln — one in ont of Eisner's and one by University Shell one had broken on West State Street and another on Hayes Street.

rintendant of Eastern's physical ant Everett Alms said that the campus r system has suffered some problems but not nearly to the same extent as the

Alms said that numerous service lines, hich are smaller than the water mains, have broken in some of the buildings on us, but these breaks have created no al problems other than a mess and Devenience for students, faculty and inversity employes.

Alms added that even if it were sary it would be virtually impossible to issue an order to boil all drinking water on campus because of all the drinking buntains at the university.

Katie Pollock, deputy clerk at the ton water department, said the airs to the mains involved digging down to get to the mains and then putting rary clamps on them.

She said the department is "working on m as fast as we can."



### In hibernation

This car, parked in front of Sporty's on Seventh Street, is water main froze on the car, covering it with ice. (News photo forced to wait for the spring thaw after water from a broken by Richard Foertsch.)

## Thompson proposes education budget hike

#### y Cathy Gardner

astim's portion of next year's pro-ed ducation budget increase will be quite favorable'' if the legislature ap-proves Gov. James Thompson's recom-tendation for the increase, an Eastern tion for the increase, an Eastern ministrator said Wednesday.

The governor proposed a \$50 million se for higher education at the Board Higher Education (BHE) meeting Tues-

Estern's acting Vice President for ministrative Affairs Wayne Owens said idnesday that the request was "realis-

"I think the request was realistic and it met our needs for the present time," said Wednesday.

With no reductions, the budget would

be accurate, but if it is reduced, we're in trouble," he added.

The original amount requested by the BHE was \$21 million and was recommended at its January board meeting.

The BHE's budget includes general revenue and income fund appropriations, and has already been sent to the Illinois Bureau of the Budget.

Thompson told the BHE that "Education was and continues to be my No. 1 priority for state government."

The Republican chief executive told the Board of Higher Education (BHE) at its meeting Tuesday that "education was and continues to be my No. 1 priority for state government."

He appeared before the board to announce that he is recommending an bottom line is."

increase of \$50 million for higher education and \$75 million for primary and secondary education for fiscal 1978.

The higher board had asked for \$94.3 million more.

Thompson said he is proposing an increase of 5.9 per cent over current education budgets, while other proposals for other state agencies call for 2 to 3 per cent more.

The percentage of state funds spent on higher education has been shrinking, he said, adding that it will be "fairly dealt with" this year.

His presentation, he said, marked the first time in history that an Illinois governor had been able to tell the education community on Feb. 1 "what the

The increases also for the first time will put the state past the \$3 billion mark in education spending.

The \$50 million more he is requesting for higher education, Thompson said, represents nearly a fourth of the new money he will ask to be appropriated.

Overall, he said, he will ask for a total of \$300 million more. But previous commit-ments and obligations of the state reduce this in actuality to \$200 million in new money.

In relative terms, higher education will receive more proportionately than primary and secondary education because "higher education in the state has steadily fallen behind over the last few years and we have to begin to catch up."

### AISG looking into student discount card for local, national use

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forts are now being made to give adents of schools belonging to the sociation of Illinois Student Governmociation ents (AISG) a discount in stores across The discount would be available in the

m of free Student Buying Power Cards ert fall, Karen Anderson, AISG vice-Superson, said Wednesday. She said the cards would be handled by a

sional buying power service called dent Buying Power Card, which repreents atudents exclusively and would outact various local stores with the scount idea. Inderson said the card would entitle

dents and interested faculty to purchase s at participating stores both locally nally for a percentage discount. Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville (SIU-E) will begin an experimental program with the buying cards in March, Anderson said.

She added that from this pilot program, Eastern will be able to evaluate it and probably begin issuing cards next fall, rather than having to experiment and wait until next spring to implement the program.

The buying card service is coordinated by the Illinois Student Association (ISA), which currently works in conjunction with AISG, Anderson continued.

She said all schools in Illinois which are members of AISG will be eligible for the cards.

Each Eastern student is automatically a member of AISG when they pay their student activity fees, of which about 30 cents goes to help fund AISG, Anderson explained.

Participating stores and the corresponding percentage discount would be listed on the back of the cards, she said. A student would only have to present the card, which would be renewed every two years, along with his or her university identification card to receive the discount.

Students would receive their cards from student government members at registration, she added.

The cards will "consolidate student purchasing power and help students, who usually don't have much money to spend, to receive quality merchandise," Anderson said.

Another project being developed by AISG is a state-wide newspaper, she explained.

The paper will initially appear sometime in late February or March, Anderson said. It will not circulate to every student, but

mainly to all heads of major student organizations.

The four page paper will include the progress on AISG projects and legislative information on student concerns.

Also, the paper will include how legislators voted in student districts, reports on different student boards and possibly concert and ticket information at the various public universities in Illinois.



Thursday will be mostly cloudy and cold with snow flurries likely and a high in the upper 20s. Thursday night will be partly cloudy and cold with a low 10 to 15 degrees.

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### City to hire engineer to study water problem

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Plans to secure engineering services regarding the durability of Charleston's dam was passed Tuesday by the city council in an effort to combat the water supply problem. "We need to get a structural engineer to

look at the dam and see how much it can take," Commissioner Daniel Thornburgh Commissioner Daniel Thornburgh

said. "We have discussed six different proposals" as alternatives to the water supply problem, Thornburgh said.

The council had met in the past with engineers to get estimates on the various

proposals. Of the proposals "Bascule gates at five feet would seem to me to be the most

beneficial over a 100 year period," Thornburgh said. Mayor Robert Hickman said that the city

planned on going to the state for financial aid.

In other business, City Attorney William A. Sunderman said the city had recovered the missing funds from the city clerk's office and upon his recommendation received approval from the council with Commissioner John Winnett dissenting to deliver information on the funds 'to state's attorney Paul Komada.

Recovered was the \$3,896.05 found missing in a special audit on Sept. 17 following the resignation of former City Clerk Jerry Henderson.

Henderson also paid the cost (\$1,450) of

the special audit, Sunderman said. Sunderman said, "The city council is not

legally empowered to prosecute anybody,' but that it would be up to Komada. Sunderman said that he would deliver all

of the information available to him concerning the special audit compiled in a file to the state's attorney.

Sunderman said that the file would be ready for delivery either late Wednesday or early Thursday.

In other action, upon Hickman's recommendation, the council agreed to ask the water department to consider averaging water bills of area residents who had been asked to leave water running so as not freeze up again.

campus clips

Scuba Club to me

A meeting of the Scuba Club will be held a p.m. Thursday in the Varsity Room in Lantz PAD mime course offered

A course explanation and an exhibition of skits is scheduled for 4 p.m. Thursday to introduce a new Personal Advan Development (PAD) course in "Mime an Pantomime" which will be offered this se at Eastern.

Senior student Robert Scully of the Theat Arts department will be teaching the course conjunction with E. Glendon Gabbard.

The non-credit course is open to all stud





Kansas " will perform Feb. 27 in Lantz Gymnasium, y Board (UB) Concert Coordinator

t Nelson said Tuesday. Indets for the concert will go on sale at Union box office "some time next e Un Nelson said.

ill be a reserved seating show but the tickets for students will cost \$5,"

he said, adding that "it's set up on a first come, first serve basis.'

Tickets for the general public will cost \$6, and all tickets sold on the day of the concert and at Lantz that night will cost \$6.

Nelson said that there would probably be, a back-up group, but that no band had been confirmed yet.

### without walls' before CAA *i*ersitv

The Council on Academic Affairs (CAA) rsday will consider a proposed "uni-nity without walls" program to be d at Eastern.

e CAA will meet at 2 p.m. Thursday in on Arcola-Tuscola Room.

of arts and sciences, Lawrence rg will be at the meeting to e program to CAA members, on Sue Stoner said.

son-traditional programs such as dent study, on the job training and

The course outline for the program tes that a degree will be awarded on the s of at least two semesters study. der the program the student will have m-campus adviser and an coff-campus

adviser.

The on-campus adviser is to supervise and evaluate the student's work, while the off-campus adviser is to be selected from the student's place of employment and is to give technical assistance, the program states.

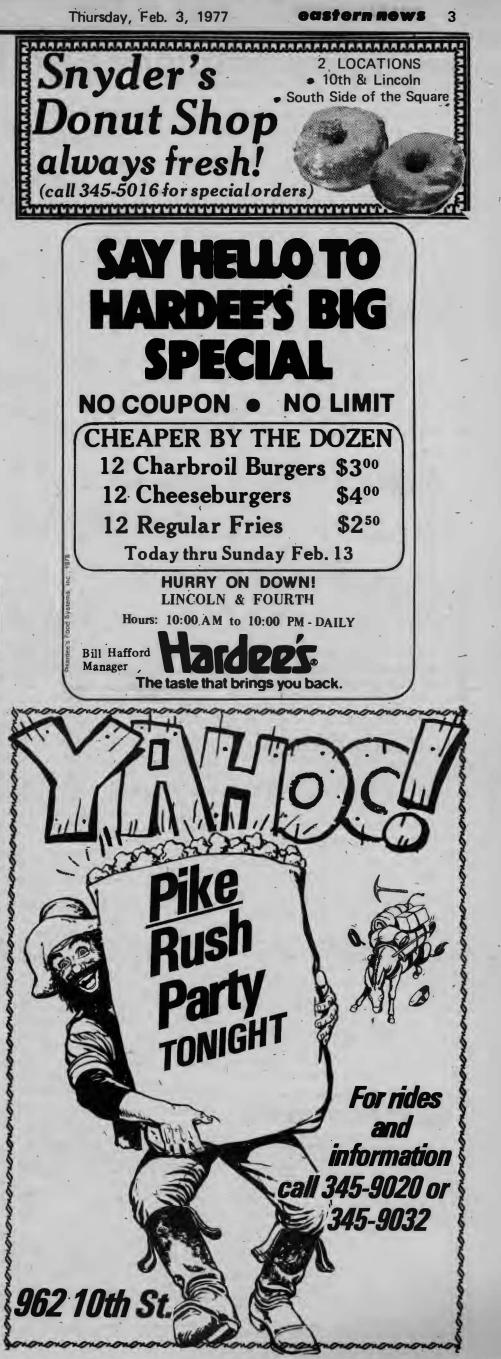
Students may work within any field, and can earn either a Bachelor of Arts or of Sciences degree.

Inversity without walls program is The degree is awarded by a review board, composed of the program director and of on- and off-campus advisers.

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## Recommendation to end BOG may have merit

A recent state task force recommendation that the Board of Governors, Eastern's governing body, be eliminated in favor of individual boards for individual schools appears at first blush to be a good one.

Eastern has little in common with the other four schools in the BOG system - Governors State University, Northeastern Illinois. University, Chicago State University and Western Illinois University.

Only Western can be said to share enough of

Eastern's problems and interests. to warrant a combined governing board, although it too has significant differences: It is nearly twice the size of Eastern, and it only recently decided to operate on the semester system as opposed to quarters.

All three of the other universities are commuter schools with no on-campus housing,



and all are located in the Chicago area.

Governors State is a "senior university," meaning admissions are limited to juniors, seniors and master's students, and its student population is about half that of Eastern's

These differences, though general, do seem to question, as did the task force, the need for such institutions to be lumped together under a single board.

We wish to emphasize, however, that the task force recommendation is only a very preliminary stage, and further examination of its value through hearings such as those

proposed by the governor's office is neces we are not, at this point, recommending the abolition of the Board of Governors.

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Yet, when abolition or preservation of t system is debated, the decision mentio earlier to switch Western to the seme system might be one point to consider.

Despite extensive efforts by both stude and faculty, the BOG voted not to conti the Macomb school on quarters beca semesters were purportedly more econom

So'me, including the Eastern Ne wondered if the change was made more forth benefit of the BOG than the students a faculty of Western.

Had Western had its own governing the decision might well have come close reflecting what the inhabitants of the university really wanted.

### Cutting summer tuition won't get desirable results-Moody be raised from \$420 to \$545 or, if a \$90

#### Editor,

Because the Faculty Senate's summer school recommendations, as reported in the Feb. 2 Eastern News, will, if implemented, have an effect on both students and faculty, they deserve serious consideration.

In general, the recommendations propose for summer term: 1) increased faculty salaries; 2) decreased faculty teaching loads; and 3) reduced tuition for students.

Within a fixed summer school budget, adoption of these measures will mean, for the summer term, fewer FTE faculty employed, decreased course offerings, and a reduction in the maximum number of students that can be served.

An analysis of the recommendations leads to the following points:

1) An assumption is made that increased enrollment will result in increased state appropriations. There is no evidence over past several years to support the validity of this belief. Nor do the latest state discussions on the budget for higher education hold much hope for increased appropriations beyond those caused by inflation.

2) The recommendations imply that a reduction in summer tuition will increase summer enrollment. While this belief seems reasonable, one must then surmise what happens to fall and spring enrollments when tuition for those terms must be raised in order to balance the summer reduction and to maintain the level of income fund.

For instance, if summer tuition becomes \$10, then current fall-spring tuition must

## Letters to the editor

### Editor,

Editor,

WHAT'S THE

PROBLEM

CRUSTIER

I am a member of Triad, and I feel I can peak for almost everyone, though I speak about Ford Hall specifically.

Now that we are in an energy crunch, all the thermostats (including the administrators'?) are turned down to 65 during the day and 55 in the evening. Fine.

However, in my room and many others the temperature does not begin to rise above 65. When one leaves water in a glass overnight, ice sometimes forms.

However, I am sure this is not due only to the lack of heat. My theory is the lost heat is due to the fantastic construction of the building.

Between each room is a wall of concrete block. The ceiling is also made of concrete. This does not account for the crackling design in the ceiling (though the cracks are nice to look at) or the leaks (48 in one room) nor the lack of insulation.

Since Ford, McKinny, and Weller, "the temporary dorms" (since 1957, I hear) are constructed so well and the amount of heat coming from the registers is so slim, I award Triad the energy conservation award. Congratulations!

Douglas R. Stewart

EVERY TIME I TAKE AVM IT

RUNS DOWN MY ARM

BEFORE I CAN LET GO

I personally do not like falling on the because the sidewalks are not clean don't like having to concentrate on step I take just to stand erect, espec when I am fortunate enough to have company of a friend, but back to the p I have a long fall to the ground b probably hurts just as much for a sh person to fall.

I believe that the sidewalks and s should be cleared of all ice

The sidewalk from the University U to Applied Arts Building is terrible sidewalks from the Union to Colem ridiculous, the northwest steps of Cole Hall are atrocious, and the area in from the library is unspeakable.

How about the small minority of E ern's students that are blind or walking crutches, the ice and snow make w even more hazardous for these peop

God help us if we get any more sno ice. If you have any questions may should call Mr. Alms, superint physical plant, 581-2178. Tim "Stretch"

(Editor's note: This letter was sig 54 persons.)

letter policy

Clear away ice The Eastern News encourag editor so that we may provide a daily for opinion on campus. Letters should be Yes, I do believe that the old saying is ue, "The bigger they are the harder they

true, "The big fall", or is it? The students of Eastern are gradually becoming penguins, they are getting to the point where they are able to maneuver their bodies on the ice with degree of (double-space) and must carry the signature, address and phone num rification purposes. Authors' nam withheld upon request. Letters are su editing for length and libelous material be published as space permits.

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tuition increase is implemented, from \$420 to \$635. The student who attends only fall or spring or fall-spring paying increased tuition and subsidizing the summer-only student; the year-round EIU student will neither gain nor lose; the economy-minded student will attend another university in spring-fall and EIU in the summer.

An increase in summer enrollment resulting from decreased summer tuition may be accompanied by a drop in fall-spring enrollments and necessitate a reduction in academic year teaching staff.

3) During the nine month AY, a faculty member actually teaches for no more than eight months although he receives salary for nine months. During the summer term a faculty member currently teaches two months and receives salary for two months. Payment of faculty employed in the two months summer term at a rate of 2/9 AY salary would result in reduction of summer-employed faculty in 1977 by more than

20 FTE faculty. Those who do teach in summer would be paid more; but fewer faculty could be employed and fewer courses could be offered to students. A reduction in courses offered may have an adverse effect on student summer enrollment.

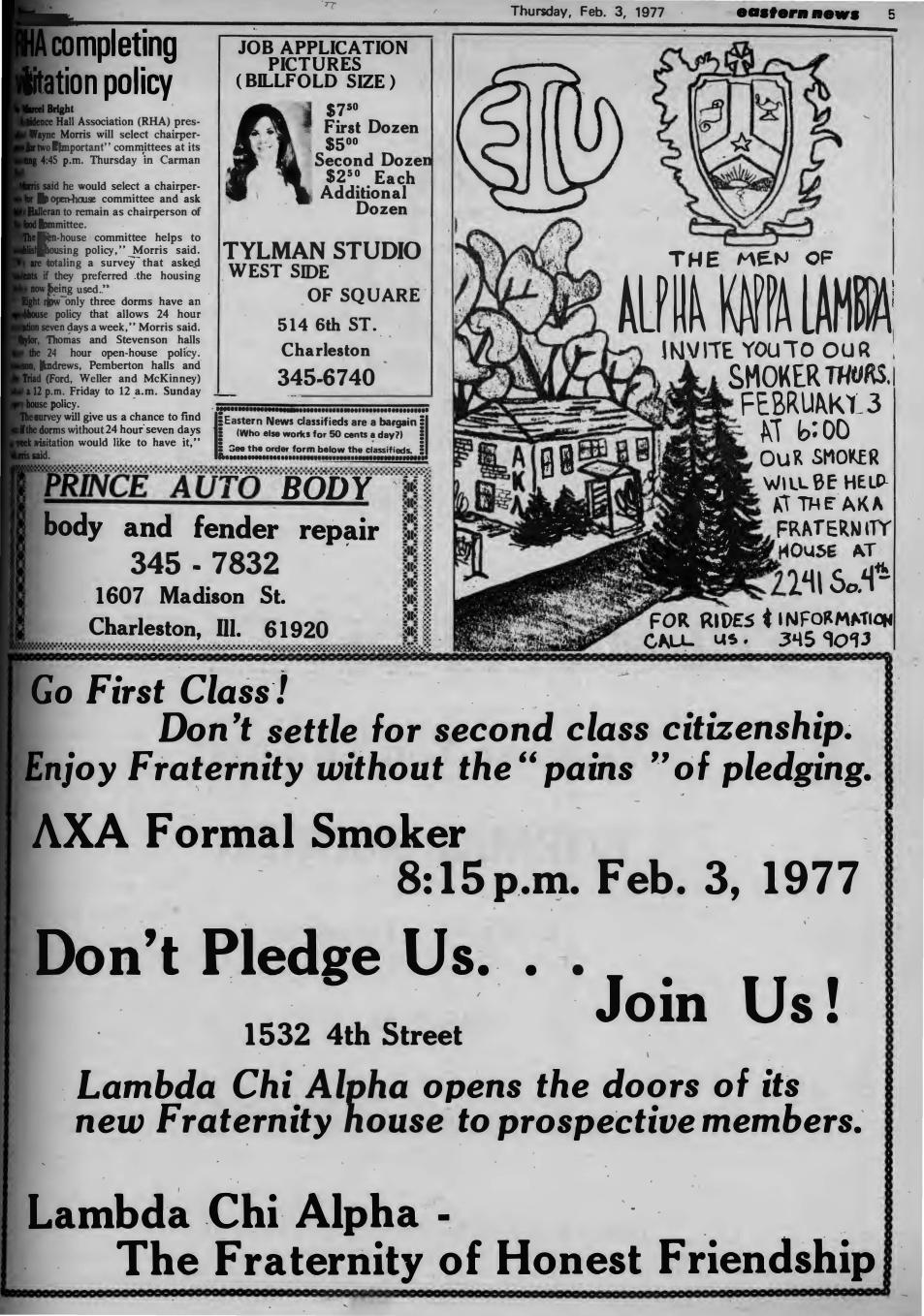
4) Calculating summer teaching load in teaching units rather than in semester credit hours would also result in decreased faculty employed, decreased course offerings, and the possibility of decreased summer enrollment.

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Peter Moody Vice President for Academic Affairs lcy cubicles safety, a very very small degree.



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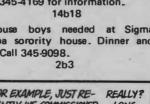
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2b3 LONG PIECE?



# Undefeated wrestlers win 6th straight dual

#### by Brian Nielsen

Eastern's wrestlers captured victories in four of the last five weight classes to run away with a 24-11 rout over Indiana State Wednesday night at Lantz Gym.

Winning six of ten bouts overall, the Panthers extended their dual winning streak to six. Half of those triumphs have come against NCAA Division I clubs.

Indiana State, which fell to 4-3 in dual competition, took three straight matches at 134, 142, and 150 to go ahead 8-6 at the midway point. Then the Panthers took full control.

Ed Torrejon throttled his 158-pound opponent Scott Vilk 20-8 for a major decision, 167-pounder Bob Holland re-corded his ninth pin of the season against Don Krusemark, and Ken Lewis nipped John Hilliard 8-7 to give Eastern an insurmountable 20-8 advantage.

After Robin Ayres bowed to Greg Moe of Indiana State 12-6 at 190, Eastern's monstrous heavyweight Dave Klemm licked Baxter Brown 13-4 to cap the victory.

"Our kids were out to wrestle," said a pleased Eastern coach Ron Clinton. "We were the aggressors all the way through."

'They really weren't expecting this from '' Clinton continued. "They've got a us." good team, but we came across real tough."

Eastern got started with two exciting wins. In the 118 match Eastern's Doug Schaefer and ISU's Jack Grimaldi fought to a 4-4 score, but the Panther freshman got a riding time point and a 5-4 win.

Both men went into the bout with just one loss

Gilbert Duran needed an escape with 10 seconds remaining in order to take a 2-1 success over Dennis Goldberg.

ISU's Donnie Smith used a strong thrid period to edge Rick Johnson 3-2 at 134, and then Tyler Campbell got a reversal in the closing seconds to beat Eastern's Tom Rounsavall 5-4 in the 142 match.

At 150, Jim McGinley battled Indiana State's highly-regarded Kent Lewis to a scoreless standoff for two periods before Lewis ended up with a 7-0 win.

"It's going to take a real strong team to 'Clinton summed up. "But beat us now,' we'll get tested again this Sunday.

Sunday's foe will be Indiana University. The contest is slated for 3 p.m. at Lantz.



Wrestling coach Ron Clinton, left, along with heavyweight Dave Klemm, obser the action in Wednesday night's dual meet against Indiana State at Lantz G Eastern won its sixth straight dual of the season 24-11. (News photo by Ed Herm

### **Rhodes' free throws push cagers past Bellarmine 79-77**

by Ray Romolt Rich Rhodes canned two free throws with six seconds remaining to give Eastern a 79-77 basketball victory over Bellarmine Wednesday night in Louisville, Ky.

It was sweet revenge for the Panther five, because Bellarmine engineered an identical 79-77 victory over the cagers Jan. 24.

The conquest was the Panthers second straight on the road after an 0-7 start. Overall Eastern has a 9-8 record.

"This was another good win for us. A road win is always good," coach Don Eddy commented.

The rejuvenated Eastern quintet tasted - but it came with hard work. victory -

Rhodes took a shot at the end game and missed, then put up his own rebound. He missed the shot again, but was fouled and made the crucial free throws.

Before that, with the score 75-75, DeWitt put Eastern ahead on a driving layup. through 26 points for the losers, 24 of them Bellarmine's Jim Pentzer tied the contest in the second half.

at 77-77 with 58 seconds remaining, before Rhodes clinched it.

Guard Charlie Thomas, starting a second straight time for Derrick Scott, who has been suffering from bronchitis, led the Panther scoring. Thomas tallied 23, hitting nine of 17 shots.

"We got another good all-around game from Thomas, Eddy commented.

Thomas bombed in 25 points in his last outing, the Panthers' 74-61 road victory over Wright State.

Forward Brad Farnham pitched in with 17 points, and Rhodes spiced the arsenal with 16 markers. "I was very pleased with the scoring of Farnham," Eddy offered.

Freshman Craig DeWitt helped out with 10 points and 11 rebounds, while Farnham hauled down 10.

Bellarmine's Floyd Smith drilled

Smith canned three charity tosses in the final seconds to insure Bellarmine's victory in Lantz.

"He is so quick, it is hard to contain him," Eddy said. "But we did a pretty good job on him."

Smith scored 10 points in a 14-4 blitz of the Panthers early in the second half, cutting a 50-34 Eastern lead to six.

But the streak didn't rattle the players, however, and did nothing to dishearten Eddy. "It is really pleasing to me to see the way the players maintained their poise when Bellarmine caught up with us," Eddy remarked.

A mini-home stand is on tap for Panthers this weekend. Eddy's quit face cross-state rival Western III University Friday night, and In Purdue at Indianapolis Saturday nig Lantz Gym. Game time for both conte

7:30 p.m. Following the home "doubleh the Panther five will encounter We again in a traveling date at Macomi 9. Six straight home games are then offing for the cagers, before the Pa close out the season at Akron March I

The Akron contest is a reschedu Jan. 29 date, when inclement w forced the postponement of the gam

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### Women cagers to face SIU-C, Indiana State during weekend

#### by R.B. Fallstrom

Eastern's women's basketball team was buried by a first half Illinois State blitz Tuesday, but will try to return to winning form this weekend in road games against Southern Illinois-Carbondale (SIU-C) and Indiana State.

in Normal behind 6-3 Olympian Charlotte Lewis' 16 points, and maintained that lead for a 68-56 victory. "The fifst five minutes, we weren't playing out there," coach Melinda Fischer lamented.

Fischer, Eastern's first-year coach, ISU roared to a 40-28 lead Tuesday night changed strategies in the second half, but

her team couldn't closethe gap.

"We started out in a 2-3 zone, and that's when Lewis got most of her points," Fischer commented. Eastern switched to a "triangle and two" defense in the last

Riser alternating man-to-man coverage on

Fisher said, was limited to three po

the loss dropped the women to record. "I had hoped we could win they are a much more experience

Gavis 10 points.

Friday the women will take on then will challenge Indiana State Sa afternoon, with both games on the càmpus.

"Southern has two players over s and most of their players are back in year," Fischer said. SIU-C finishe in the state tournament to ISU has a

Indiana State will also pres lenge, with most of their players

last year's regional champion squa But Fischer is not awed by the competitors. "It sure will be m Fischer said.

"But we need the competition We some experience."

**Badminton team to host seven-team tournament** 

by Pat Hodge Eatern's badminton team is back in action this weekend, hosting its 16th annual tournament.

The women got a one-week layoff when last weekend's dual with Northern Illinois was called off..

The tournament, which will be held in McAfee Gym, will begin 9 a.m. Saturday with singles competition. Doubles matches will start at noon.

Semifinals and finals will start 9:30 a.m. Sunday, with the singles matches first. The meet will have four divisions, A, B, C, and D.

Besides Eastern, six other teams will compete in the tourney, Panther coach Bob Hussey said. They are Ball State, Blackburn, Illinois State, Indiana State,

Southern Illinois-Carbondale and Western Illinois.

Illinois State and Eastern have each entered 20 competitors in singles play, and will have 10 doubles pairs apiece. "Teams with the most entries have a slight advantage, but you still have to win the matches," Hussey said.

Illinois State and Western both finished ahead of Eastern at the Southern Illinois tournament two weeks ago, even though Eastern's players won more head-to-head matches against those schools.

Eastern's No. 1 singles player, Mary Stupek, is a favorite in A division, Hussey said.

doubles team and are also definitely a

contender for a title," Hussey remarked. Hussey said he felt the meet would be

close in the race for the team title, with Western, Eastern and Illinois State the "It should be contenders. prime interesting, because it's a toss-up," Hussey said.

Unfortunately for Eastern, Hussey revealed four players were not definitely playing in the tourney "due to various degrees of injuries and sickness."

The possible casualties are Kathy Hussey, Kay Metzger, Dawn Brown, and Rose Hodel.

"I think we've got as good of a chance as any team here to take the team title "Stupek and Karen Earley are our top and a good share of the individual championships," Hussey concluded.

period, with Linda Ellsworth and Beth

Lewis, and the ploy worked. Lewis, "who can jump like ban the second stanza.

Still, Fischer wasn't satisfied, bo

### Fischer said. Jody Furry scored 15 points to Eastern, and Ellsworth tallied 14 and

