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#### Literary League Holds Contests Here April 16

Friday night. Agril 16, the Austin Peay Normal was the sequent of the final centests in the sequent of the final centest in the final center of th

Many high school students attended the Interscholastic Literary League at the Austin Peay Normal, Friday, to compete in the Third district preliminaries and finals, Mr. V. O. Moffith was the Third district director of the

Many of the schools sent coaches. With these and the contestants, between sixty and sevently were reported to be here. Meals were furnished by the Normai Carteeria and lodgings for the night were furnished by the Normal and the city resi-

Thursday night were: heed the control of the corbin and Brooks Harris of Dickson; Donald Anderson and Marie Turpin, White House; Reams Farmer and James C. Cunningham of Clarksville, and Marie Engles and Watter Paut.

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#### Montgomery Co. Peace Council Holds Meeting

The Montgomery County Peace council, presided over by its president, Dr. Claxton, met in the cafeteria dining room Mon-

Following the dinner, which was well prepared an served by Mrs. Johnson and some of the college girls, a splendid program was given. Mrs. Robert O'Neal read a paper on "The Accomplishments of the Disarmament Conference." She gave a clear, such the surveyer of the work o

the conference.

Mr. Jodah Fort read a splendid paper on "The World Court"
or what he termed the Permansat Court of International Jussat Court of International Jussate Court of University of the organization and development of the World Court on
ont included. At the close of
his speech a great many questions were asked, all of which he
answered in a clear and forceful
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# Sophs Delight Students With Unique Program

We never thought that you could accomplish it, 80phs, old lears, but that was a swell program you gave in Chapel Friay, the cighth. Miss Byers surely is a whiz as a playwright, and the originality and talent in the Sophomore class isn't anything a sureez at.

Who would have ever thought that we have some Dittle some brites my three right in our midst? The numbers you asmay were beautiful. No wonder we encoured the second of the second was a second to the second with the second was a second with the total three second was a second with the second was a second was a second was a second was a second with the second was a second was a second was a second with the second was a second w

The play was great. Kathrin Taylor read while the other performed, to haughty Eliza beth and Jennie was a demur (magine) lady-in-waiting. The Tabble was Marjorie Crow, Nan Cy Duke, and Louise Kerr. Tom my Pollard made a dignific coachana while Shorty was stiff footnan. Wednie Shorty was stiff footnan.

It seems told the royal allows the real carriage, when loe and behold he discovered a mud bake Daaling Six Walter made behold he discovered a mud bake Daaling Six Walter made seems to be seen to be

#### Who's Who of Profile Column

Here, Here, What's This Fuss About?

I don't believe I ever heart such a babble and stamped is all my lifet never having with the such as t

all the people were asking one another who this was and who that was, but this person put her finger on Profile number two and said, "That's me." Now I'm of a reficent nature and I was so taken back that it must have been several minutes before I opened my mouth, but that was as far as I got.

tinued. "I guess I had bette waddle on up to my room, bu

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#### Students Judge At County Field Meet In Ashland

On April 1, two members of the faculty and several students of the Austin Peay Normal served as judges at the annual Cheatham county Field Day held at Ashland City. That this event is looked forward to with exact enthusians as evidenced by the careful preparation and keen competition in both the literary and athletic events.

The judges from the Normal

keen competition in both the literary and athletic events. The judges from the Normal were: Athletic events—Scott Alden, Birk Harl, Herman Hudson, Jennie Cocke and Katherine Taylor; Literary events— Miss Louise Jackson, Lucy Brewer and James Mann,

#### An Interview of Our "Miss Lou"

Says I to myself, "Where can she be?" A flash of white, of there she is at at last. But the control of the she is at the she is

Hey you, Please do Interview

"Well," she said slowly," questions and I will answer you questions quite truthfully. By you know me almost too well; s please to please be care ful what you ak?"

Here is what was asked an also here is what she answered. ...the whole truth, mind you! Questions and Answers.

Questions and Answers:

1. When, where, and why?

It was at Sycamore on a June night of long ago, that my father, at 12.05 a.m., shook his head in the second of the secon

or I was very akinny and unatractive child, cursed with strings air, bad teeth and eyes out of roportion to every, hing except ay feet, about which I was very ensitive. I was given to occa-

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#### ENROLLMENT FOR SPRING QUARTER REACHES 215

One of the largest Spring Quarter Enrollments in the history of the institution was history of the institution was history of the institution was considered to the constant of the constant o

aftered to students enrolling to these their st that time. The rural their st eacher will be able to select rom a large number of offerings such courses as will car.

## Normal Debating Team Defeats Bethel On Russian Question

Meet In Ashland
Pickering and Drane Show Great Style in Proving to
the Audience That the United States Should
Recognize Soviet Russia.

### Recent Chapel Programs

The recent chapels have been a series of very interesting and beneficial presentations to which students, teachers, and prominent visitors have contributed. On April 4, Mrs. Moffltt, Orvai Lee Moffltt, and Mr. Wheeler suprised the students with a musical program of instrumental numbers. The program included the following.

Trumpet Duet "One Fleeting Hour" (Dorothy Lee)— Mr, Wheeler and Orval Lee Moffitt. Trumpet and Baritone Duet 'Summer Night" (Norman)—Mr. Wheeler and Orval Lee Moffitt. Ocarina Solos "Merry Farmers" 'Churning Song" — Orval Lee

Baritone Solo "Loves C Sweet Song" (Motley)—N

William Young, Superithedem of Schools of Springfield, Tennessee, spike to the students on Touring the Stringfield, Tennessee, spike to the students on Touring the Stringfield, Tennessee, spike to the students of importance. The spalling to his idea of importance. The spalling to his idea of importance. The ability to create interest and bring a rhall interest is of prime importance. Education is interest is of prime importance. Tenues the students of the st

ability to maintain discipline Difficulties of the teacher often arise from her own condition When she teaches "the morning after" she can hardly be at her best. A respect for law and constitutionality should be the aim; et the teacher can be sweethy

yet the teacher can be sweetly reasonable.

"Third in importance is the quality which requires a definite knowledge of subject mat-

ter. Knowledge of subject matter. Knowledge creates respect No teacher has the right to go before her class without making preparation.

"Fourth, the teacher must love

her work. She must learn to love her pupils. If her aim is money, she ought to quit teaching school.

"Lastly, the teacher m learn to grow. Those teaches succeed who see that they is on holy ground."

#### Claxtons Give Tea For Guests

Among the many delightful parties given to Mrs. Walker and Mrs. Lewis of Washington. Among the Mrs. Lewis of Washington. F. P. Claston w Wr. and Mrs. F. P. Claston w Washington. Grant Gen. Grant Grant Gen. Grant Grant Gen. Grant Grant Gen. Grant Grant Gen. Grant G

flowers.

The charm of the afternoon was emphasized by the interesting group of people who called and had tea in the beautiful appointed dining room. It was the climax of the courtesies extended to these delightful visitors during their stay in Clerkwin.

"Bill has a new siren for hi

"What happened to th

On Monday night, April 18, the
Austin Peay Normal debating
team defeated the representatives from Beihel College, MeKenzle, Tennessee, in debate on
the question, "R-solved: That
the United States should Reconize Soviet Government in Russia." Mr. Gayden presided.
On the affirmative side were

On the affirmative side were dardy Drane and Henry Pickerng of Austin Peay Normal. Samlei Gam and James Dancer of 
McKenzie upheld the negative 
dide. Twelve minutes were allowed each speaker for the main 
peech and five minutes for the 
buttal.

Hardy Drane, first speaker for the affirmative, stated first the fundamental points upon which he based his arguments.

 Recognition of Russia by the U. S. does not necessitate belief in a communistic form of government.

2. The Russian people have been uplifted by the Soviet Movement. He gave the vast area of Russia, one-sixth of earth's surface; its enormous population; and extensive timber, wheat and cotton lands, to show the nature of the country and people which the U. S. does not recognize.

"Ye are not morally in a position to intervene in Russia's internal life or pass, judgment, upon the facts of her tulers. We can imagine the rage of the American people and the press, if France or Italy should propose to cut off diplomatic and trade relations with us merely because of our kidangings our gangaters, or our lynchings." The developments of Russia

our lynchings."
The developments of Russia religion, education and social e was discussed as a result the Soviet movement.
"Wittersey has been reduced by

50 per cent. The common mar has been made to feel he has a right to exist. The whole poople of Russia entertain a new hope and are inspired by a new faith in the future."

Samuel King Gam, the first

. The government does not resent the people.

ient.
3. Trade with Russia would not icrease if Russia were recog-

Henry Pickering, second speaker of the affirmative argued the question from the point

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## Ussury-Minor Marry April 9

marriage of Ida Steele Usery and James Minor came as a surprise to the students and feedty of the Austin Peay normal Saturday, April 9, they motored to Murray, Kentucky, and were married in the presence of Mr. John Weatherly and Elizabeth Washam, friends of the bride. As the school laws do not give leave of absence to newlywesh, the Minors were present at Austhe Minors were present at Aus-

the Minors were present at Austin Peay Normal, Monday, Apr 11, and began classes as if nothing had happened. Both Mr. and Mrs. Minograduated from the Clarksvill

graduated from the Clarkaville High school in the spring of 1930 They were recognized as excellent students at High school and have maintained that same degree of excellency here. They are at present, making their home with the groom's narents.

Many parties and entertainmerts are being planned for the bride and groom. The A. P. N. students want to congratulate them and wish them lo.s of happiness.

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#### I Contend, Ladies and Gentlemen—

Are a further resolution to the control of the cont

This little argument points to two things to us. First, that the Normal Debating club has vertooked most excellent material for an outstanding club in these gentlemen. Great possibilities are lying latent in these cight Normal students. Oratory is suffering greatly from the dark of their cloquence and style. Gentlemen, the Normal Debating Cibb stender, you a cordial' in a contraction of the contraction of the

familises us the belief that a scorne in Blue study sould not go to an interest of the annual pery Normall (be annual to the annual pery Normall (be annual to the annual

#### BOOK CHAT

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eaders; every pure white flow

er-bell, a vain Narcissus.
There is a long, long tale of
the Wanderings of Ulysses, th
Greek, who fought in the Tro
jan war, and was fated to wan
der for years before returning th
is own hearthstone. One grieve
with him over his ill-luck with
the winds of Acolus, and exult
with hi min his triumph over

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the field and fowls of the art. Think of the agonies poor I of suffered when the jealous queen of the gods changed the poor maiden into a heifer! Perhaps happiness for one affiliated with the gods is impossible, for these love affairs are usually tragedies.

Poor Adonis who was loved by fenus was slashed to death by a wild boar, while Hyacinthus died at the hand of his friend Apollo. One joyful friend, Cupid and his air love, Psyche, are two of the

The story of Cupid and Psyche is one of the most charming of all the old legends of the Grecian and Roman Gods. Perhaps it woul be well in this day of financial depression

this day of imanical depressions to read the story of King Midas and console ourselves with this and thought. "Who wants gold any-how?" Remember Midas who yearned for gold, gold, gold, and who got more gold than he wanted? Aw what's the need of money anyhow?

solvers are seeking new problems, try to solve the wanderings of Dedalus labyrinth. You avaintors might try our Didalus wax wing too while you are experimenting with auto giros and so forth.

forth.
You'll find Myths not so anent as they seemed, and they
rtainly are most fascingting

#### Cleanings From Creative Writing

A Problem

He gave them one sullen reorderful look and retired into itude. He meditated over the bject. His moping seemed enely too inactive. He tore his ir, clenched his hands, ground a teeth, stamped his feet and baned. Should he kill the two \$2

Night Had Come
One could almost feel; the night
coming: The birds chirped sleeptrace of the coming of the coming of the
branches, stemed to whitper,
folion Night, while the yours
spring flowers nodded a sleep by
reply in the dimmine light with
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to the coming of the coming of the
sweeter. Along the grass the
house threw its lengthening
shadows. Even while one tried
to catch the beauty of the hour.

He was a tall, carekes-spoken person, with a narrow dark face marked with heavy black brows, that were dreadful in their effect when he frowned. One could not but help noticing the peculiar gesture made by his hand with which he swept back a carelessly falling forelock. Ho

Singleners of Purpose.
It is close to the end of the game. The weary looking pitches uturns his beauting the common that the third baseman, then there are no first. At the moment he turned the ball lose, an airplans which had been hovering like some giant bird of prehastoric days, crashes into g nearly

"Do you wan gast" asked the dentist as he placed the patient

"Yes," said the absent-minded professor, "About five gallons a and take a look at the oil."

## The Man Who Struggled

A decidedly handsome youn man stood in the doorway. was quite evident that the new comer, Mr. Frank Robertson was not embarrassed by the seen be fore him, but he was speechless. He fumbled his hand the his neckets ownered and closs

scene before him, but he was speechless. He fumbled his hand in his pockets, opened and clos ed his mouth, but not a solitar, sound issued forth.

The two irate gentlemen star ed at each other—instead o wrath there way bewilderment

fellow a murderer? At last Brentwood recovered himself and began speaking. "Is something wrong? he ask-

ed, glancing around Robertson into the room. "Er, yes, there is," stammered Robertson," some fellow Just

ed down in the middle of the floor. I think he's drunk." He glanced about himself uneasily and a sort of half-sinister smile crept over his face as be

easily and a sort of half-sinister smile crept over his face as be continued.
"I would like to get him out

before my wife comes in."
"Sure," agreed Goodlett, "com
on, Harry, let's help our neigh
bor out of his difficulties."

pressionless mask.
"I beg your pardon, General,"
he muttered aimlessly, "must be
the wrong camp." And he reeled unsteadily from the room to
the utter astonishment of his
would-be helpers.

Robertson, sighing heavily dropped down into a chair and began to industriously mop his brow.

orow.
II. Brentwood shifted abou

"Well call the steward up and have this room cleaned" he said. "Yes," agreed Robertson, "I'll do that and I want to thank you gentlemen very much—I believe we are traveling in the same party—Mr. Richards. My name

Mr. Goodlett stepped forward and took his hand.

"Mirr is Goodlett," he volunteered, and turning to his companions, "and this is Mr. Brent-

The formalities of the introduction were hardly completed when the group suddenly ealred that they had an audience. No one could have mistaken this auburn harred young woman as she stepped into the "own they bright, with a very discernible look of authority. Then "she found the cowering group, her found the cowering group, her

brown eyes fairly blazing—
"So you let some of your socalled friends get you drunk
again," she snaoved, her voice
cutting like a thin pointed rapier—I thought perhaps this
trip would help you but it does
not look like it. Look at yourself,
look at this room—a complete

"But Mrs. Robertson," protested Mr. Goodlett, "you don' understand. I can explain thi if—
"Oh yes I do" cut in Mrs. Rob

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ertson, "and as for explanation

—I've had plenty of them, and
I'll thank you not to bore yourself with my husband's company
any longer."

Arguing was useless. And now Mr. Robertson not only looked like he had been drunk, but he looked the part of a man who thought that his time for departing into that unknown world

had come.
Once more vainly offerin
apologies and explanations, Mi
Goodlett and Brentwood slowl
returned to their room and clos

ed the door.

Brentwood stretched out confortably in a chair, looked up

Goodlett and smiled.
"Now there you are," he began, "just like all women. You can't tell them a thing. I can't figure them out. One minute they are allright and the next they're all wrong or rather you are all wrong."

It was Mr. Richards, Mrs. Miller had recovered quickly and they had witnessed the drama—
But Mr. Goodlett was not to be caught off guard and he continued rather nonchantly—
—"er—are exactly of the oppo-

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Let's Wander Through
Clarksville's Most
Interesting Garden
It's surprising how many curious, interesting people are found
all around us. May I tell you
of my exprisence in yeitling iso

The first time I visited "Davis Garden" was in the early spring. And of mero man early spring. And of mero man early spring. And of mero man early spring. This was Dan, who told me he had worked in this garden for about twenty-five years. I followed the old man down the rambling paths, listening to his explanations of how he hap-

Found that most of them had been given to him by his patrox. Dan was an proud of his partox. Dan was an extended by the partox of the partox of

old tree, and I would have sworn it was solid silver.

The flowers grew in profusion, and were exquisite. Dan had

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it with full bloomed roses.

d tall, foreign bush waved its arm
in the air; and lent a touch o
magic to the scene. This garde
was so quaint and different free
anything I had ever seen, the

aback. A dense growth of tandied vinus sers wown over our
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beds of flowers were found here,
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These old-fashioned darkies have made their living for many years by means of this garden. You will be well repaid by visiting this unique spot, found out in Glernwood, of Clarksyille,

Have you ever heard tell of "Blind Mary?" One of the first things I did, when beginning this "Normal" life, was to have "Blind Mary" fell my fortune.

This old negress is totally blind, and makes her living by prophesying the future. "Blind Mary" kar! always in the best of humors. The first trip I made to her simple home was eventing bill collector was just leaving. I have always believed my fortune would have been better, it told after ash had finished a possum, instead of devouring a bill collector.

I waited for several minutes in a richety old parlor. Have you a richety old parlor. Have you are considered to be a riched to a richety of the richest was a richest with a richest way of the richest was a richest with a richest was a richest way of the richest was a richest was

staring at us from the bed.

Is seemed "Blind Mary's" little nice had decided to join us
in a big way. For the second
time in one afternoon things
had sone swong for "Blind Mary."
She soothingly patted the baby
(she called it "Peatl"), and whispoved "sweet nothings" in her

when I had just about disspaired of learning of my future, "Blind Mary" suddenly went into a trance. She told me some very remarkable things.... I wish I had time to tell you my fortune, but you find your own much more interesting if you

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y is over.
Surprising to say, I haven't criticism to offer.
I had to buy two baskets to pup with the letters that my alls in 103 write.
You should all sing in

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