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Summer Graduate Courses Announced

Course offerings of the Graduate Division of Austin Peay State College were announced recently in a graduate bulletin, according to F. G. Woodward, dean of instruction.

The courses offered make up a fifth year of college study and lead to the Master of Arts degree in Education. Graduate students will major in education and may minor in English, natural sciences, and social studies.

Other fields of minor study will be added as the graduate curriculum develops. A number of former Austin Peay State students are expected to enroll this summer to begin work on their Master's degree or to do a refresher work. Dean Woodward said Graduate Courses Begin This Summer.

Registration for the first graduate courses to be offered at the college will be held June 10. The major emphasis upon the program will be during the Summer Quarter, however, a limited number of courses will be scheduled on Saturday and late afternoon for students in residence for teacher inservice. Dean Woodward pointed out.

Graduate study for Austin Peay State College was approved by the State Board of Education on February 1922. Since then, college officials have been busy setting up the program to begin this summer.

Operating under the direction of a graduate council composed of representative members of the college administration and of the graduate faculty, the graduate program will be known as the Graduate Division of the college.

F. G. Woodward, dean of instruction, is serving as acting director of the program.

The Graduate Council administering the work is composed of Dr. Leslie Collinson, Dr. Charles L. Gary, Dr. George C. Orin, Dr. Wernworth Morris, Dr. Harold Pryor, Dr. George M. Rawlins, and Dr. Lorraine H. Stowe.

Members of the graduate faculty at present are Dr. Collinson, Dr. George Boswell, Sam K. Bright, Dr. Byrne L. Darden, Dr. Gary, Dr. Milton J. Henry, Harry L. Law, Dr. Morris, Dr. Haskell Phillips, Dr. Pryor, Dr. Rawlins, Russell Spafford, Miss Willie L. Stevens, and Dr. Stowe. Additional graduate faculty members in English, education, and social studies will be added, Woodward said.

Work Open to College Graduates
The general purpose of the Graduate Division is to promote educational leadership in the state through the preparation of teachers and school administration.

The work is open to college graduates whose undergraduate work has been of college quality. Candidates for the degree are expected to have professional and personal qualities necessary for success in their profession.

Candidates for the Master's degree must remain in residence at the college for at least three quarters and must complete an approved program of study of not less than 36 hours credit. The work must be completed within a six year period.

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Dr. Courtenay To Address Graduates On Sunday, June 1

Dr. Walter R. Courtenay, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Nashville, Tennessee, will be guest speaker at the Baccalaureate Service here on Sunday, June 1, at 2:00 p.m.

This is Dr. Courtenay's second visit to Austin Peay State College. He made an address in chapel several years ago.

Born in Canada, the son of parents who came from Belfast, Ireland, Dr. Courtenay moved to Georgia during his teens. After a business career for six years, he returned to school to prepare himself for ordination as a Presbyterian minister.

A graduate of Maryville College, Maryville, Tennessee, Dr. Courtenay received his theological training at the Theological Seminary at Princeton. He was honored at Carroll College with a Doctor of Divinity degree and at Ripon College with a Doctorate of Sacred Theology.

Upon completion of his seminary work he accepted a call to the First Presbyterian Church, Neenah, Wisconsin, where he served for eleven years with outstanding success. In 1944 he became the pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tennessee.

Dr. Courtenay belongs to the Phi Delta Theta Fraternity and is a member of the reactivated chapter of Lawrence College, Appleton, Wisconsin. He now serves as Province President for Tennessee and Kentucky.

In the last four years, five of his addresses have been read into the Congressional Record. The Freedom Foundation of Valley Forge recognized his work in 1951 and 1952 by giving him medals of merit and a cash prize. His writings have been quoted by Corder Fox and other commentators and several million copies of his various talks have received national distribution.

Dr. Courtenay has published a book on marriage and a book on Baptism. A book of sermons, "I Believe, But," comes from the John Knox Press this month.

Dr. Courtenay writes regularly for the Baptist and Methodist publications.

Officers, Executive Council Chosen At APSC Meeting



Shown above are the State Student Council officers and executive council which were elected at the state convention here last Saturday. Front row: Ross Evans, M.T.S.C.; F. G. Gavin, Oms Milligan, and Cavil Cheshier, President, all of U.T. — Martin Branch; Joe Gibbs, vice-president, Memphis State. Back row: Bill Chumney, Memphis; John Needell, A.P.S.C.; Ernest Adams, M.T.S.C.; and Dawson Durrett, A.P.S.C.

Commencement Calendar

Sunday June first - 2:00 p.m.

Auditorium, Waddell Hall
Baccalaureate Service by Walter R. Courtenay A.B., B.T.L., D.D., S.T.D., Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Nashville, Tennessee

Sunday June first - 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Lawn, President's Home
Faculty Garden Party for Seniors and Their Guests

Thursday June fifth - 8:00 p.m.

College
Farewell and Hall

Thursday June fifth - 9:15 p.m.

Harned Hall
Faculty and Student Reception for Parents and Friends

Friday June sixth - 7:30 a.m.

College Cafeteria
President's Breakfast for Seniors

Friday June sixth 10:00 a.m.

Auditorium, Waddell Hall
Commencement Exercises, Class Address by Forrest W. Murphy, A.B., M.S., Ed.D., Dean, School of Education, University of Mississippi.

Organ Installed In Waddell Auditorium

A new Hammond Concert Organ was recently installed in the college auditorium to be used for public programs and teaching purposes.

This type of electric organ is approved by the American Guild of Organists, and full organ college credit can be obtained by study on such an approved organ. For several months a study was made of the different types of organs and several were brought to the college for demonstrations.

The instrument will add much to the chapel services, and there will be special organ music for Commencement activities this year. Jack Hurt, music instructor, is now serving as college organist. He has recently been elected into the Nashville Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.

On May 7, 1952 the Music Department of the college presented a group of students in a recital. Students participating in the recital were Dorothy Hodges, Lella Baggett, Annette Lyle, and Bonnie (Continued on Page 4)

Thirty Participate In Convention Here

Thirty students from Tennessee colleges attended the first state Student Council Convention held here Saturday, May 10.

Invitations were extended to all state-supported schools in Tennessee. Schools represented were Memphis State College, Middle Tennessee State College at Murfreesboro, University of Tennessee, Martin Branch, and Austin Peay State College.

The meeting opened at 10:15 a.m., with a welcome address by Don Cunningham, president of the Student Body. Guest speaker for the occasion was Dr. Harold S. Pryor of the Education Department.

Dr. Pryor chose as his topic "Why Have Student Councils Failed?" He stated that if democracy is to survive, young people must be educated in the ways of democracy, and must have enlightened leadership. Leadership, he explained, falls into three types: (1) Laissez-faire, in which the leader takes the path of least resistance and follows the crowd; (2) Totalitarianism, in which the leader is a dictator and tells the people what to do; and (3) Democracy, in which the leader works with the people.

According to Pryor, the latter is the most efficient type, and the most difficult to be since it requires more skill and ability.

In answer to the question "Why Have Student Councils Failed?" he stated that the student council can make better colleges and universities, and the campus can be a laboratory for democratic leadership.

In closing, Dr. Pryor stated, "One of the most powerful forces on the campus is the student council. Every time the council solves a problem, it improves the college." After lunch the students engaged in a discussion group at 12:30. Led by Don Cunningham, the group discussed "The Theory and Organization of Student Councils." It was brought out that most student councils serve in an advisory capacity, rather than as a governing body. The aims, purposes, and functions of the council were also discussed.

In the second discussion group at 2:30, the representatives reported on student activities at their various schools. Such projects as social, campus improvement, athletics, and alumni relationship were discussed.

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Gates To Play Lead In "Poor Aubrey"

Larry Gates has been chosen to play the title role in the new act play, "Poor Aubrey," to be presented by the speech department in chapel May 22.

Kathleen Murchison will portray his wife, Amy. In the role of Amy's mother, Mrs. Finner, will be Mrs. Myrker. Barbara Beach will be featured as Mrs. Cole, a friend of Amy.

Gates, a senior, is the son of Mrs. R. P. Gates of Nashville. A chemistry major, he is a member of the "A" Club, the All State Staff, and the International Relations Club.

A Freshman, Kathleen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murchison of Clarksville. An English major, she is a member of the All State and the Farewell and Hall Staff.

Mayme is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Ryker of Dover, Tennessee. A Junior, Mayme is majoring in Music Education. She is a member of the B. B. U. Band, the Choir, the Concert Choir, and the All State Staff.

Barbara, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wolf of Clarksville, is a Junior business major. She has been active in several campus activities.

The play is under the direction of Mrs. William Daniel, speech instructor.

New Student Council Officers Elected



John Needell

Jewell Sadler

Dawson Durrett

In a close run-off election held Wednesday, May 7, John Needell of Columbia, Tennessee, was elected president of the Austin Peay student body. Needell, a mathematics major, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Needell, Columbia.

In the election Friday, May 2,

Needell led in total votes but failed to get a majority. Runner-up was Hayden Jolly of Clarksville. Other candidates for office of president were John McClearan, Farmer's Exchange, Tennessee, and Charles Nussbaumer, Nashville, Tennessee.

Dawson Durrett of Clarksville was elected vice-president without opposition. Durrett, a history ma-

ior, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Durrett.

Joe Gibbs, secretary-treasurer, is Jewell Sadler, a physical education major from Trenton, Kentucky. He was opposed by Wilmoth Corbin, Barren Plains Tenn.

The retiring student body officers are Don Cunningham, Dick Hays, and Carrie Hadley.

Corbin Elected F.T.A. President

At a recent meeting of the Future Teachers of America, officers for the coming year were selected.

The new officers are: Wilmoth Corbin, president; and Frances Prince, secretary-treasurer. Elections will be held at a banquet to be held this evening at the Hotel Montgomery.

Other officers are: Bryan Crutcher, Vice-President; Peggy Jo Stewart, Vice-President; and Carolyn Nolan, Secretary-Treasurer.

Election Post-Mortem

Another student body election is over. After weeks of vigorous campaigning, the students have chosen three fine officers to head next year's student council.

To these new officers — John Neelley, Dawson Durrett, and Jewell Sadler — may we say congratulations and best of luck in the 1952-53 school year. We feel that they are efficient and will do the job well.

The 1952 election was one of the best and most competitive ever to be held on the Austin Peay State campus. It was well conducted and efficiently run by both the candidates and their campaign managers. We do feel, however, that one thing occurred which has no place in a student election. It has come to our attention that the campaign of one of the candidates was backed and financed by a local person who is not a member of the student body. While there is nothing in the constitution of the council which prohibits such an act, it is our belief that student activities should be run by the students — not by townspeople or alumni.

In the future, if student elections are to teach democracy in action, then let's have them handled in a democratic manner — not conducted by off-campus political machines.

Now It's Up To You

Numerous "gripes" have been voiced since the arrival of the annual. A few have thought that the book was entirely insufficient and a poor excuse for a yearbook to represent the activities at Austin Peay.

Not many blamed the "Farewell and Hall" staff for the publication. The majority felt that the administration had not appropriated enough money to make the annual a bigger. It is our opinion, however, and we feel the opinion of the majority, that the annual is of the same high quality as it has been in the past.

It is true that the school publications have never received their just amount or reward for the services that they render. Although it takes a great deal of money to have annuals and school papers, it also takes cooperation and hard work on the part of the students.

The "All State" is glad to announce that the administration has agreed to increase its appropriations to both the campus publications. The paper budget for next year has been doubled and the "Farewell and Hall" will be given a thousand dollars more.

Maybe these appropriations are still not adequate according to what other schools receive. But it is still a major improvement.

The students now have an obligation to meet. They must show that they are willing to work on these endeavors and prove that Austin Peay can have much bigger and better publications.

Next year when the call for staff members is issued — everyone is eligible to try out — if you have ideas or suggestions about how other publication could be improved, join the staff and see your ideas in print. However, if you are not willing to work with the staffs and improve the publications, don't criticize the efforts of those who are willing to work. The students now have an obligation to try sincerely all boils down to the true and vulgar expression; namely, "Put up or shut up."

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You Asked For It

by Alley and Gilbert

Dickie: I wish you could make bread like my mother used to make.

Chennie: And I wish you could make the dough my father used to make.

"Doctor, how are my chances?"
"Oh, pretty good, but I wouldn't start reading any continued stories."

Altheist: "Do you really believe Jonah spent three days and nights in the belly of a whale?"
Salvation Army Woman: "I don't know. When I get to Heaven I'll ask him."

Altheist: "What if he's not there?"
Salvation Army Woman: "I'll let you ask him."

I love the paper.
I think it's swell.
On Wednesday afternoons
I run pell mell
To get my copy.
And read each line.
The stories and columns
I think are fine.
I laugh at the jokes,
I read the ads;
I note all the news,
I take up all the fads.
When I praise the paper,
I scorn those who laugh.
I'm really most loyal—
I'm on the staff.

A junior wants his woman to be like a cigar. They're more expensive, make a better appearance, and last longer.

Mother uses cold cream,
Father uses butter.
My girl uses powder—
At least, that's what I gather.

Judge: "Are you sure this man was drunk?"

Officer: "Well, your honor, he was carrying a manhole cover and said he was going home to play it on his phonograph."

The club Pro was giving Betty Rawls her first golf lesson.
Pro: "The basic idea of the game is very simple. All you do is smack the ball and then walk."
Betty: "That sounds just like some of the dates I've been on."

Mrs. Gentry: "What did your father say when he fell off the ladder?"
Steve: "Shall I leave out the naughty words?"
Mrs. Gentry: "Of course, dear."
Steve: "Nothing."

Wife: "You know, I suspect that my husband is having a love affair with his stenographer."
Maid: "I don't believe it. You're just trying to make me jealous."

He: "Do you smooch with the lights on or off?"
AFSC Cord: "Yes."

A mental patient about to be released after 20 years in the nut house was shaving. As he stood before the mirror with a razor in his hand, a nurse passing by called out, "Good luck, Harry."

As he turned to answer her, the razor caught the string supporting the mirror and the mirror slipped to the floor. The patient, turning around, was now gazing at the blank wall.

"Damn it," he mumbled, "just my luck. Just when I'm ready to leave this place after 20 years, I cut my fool head off."

Campus Personalities

By Mary Lu Goodlett

Brown Harvey



Brown Harvey, Jr., who is president of the sophomore class, is known as one of the most dependable and energetic fellows we have on the campus.

Brown has worked, not only for his class, but also as business manager of the *Farewell and Hall*. The efficiency with which he handled this job is to be commended. Majoring in business administration, he is also a member of the Business Club.

When Brown was in the eighth grade, he started to work for the *Leaf-Chronicle*, delivering papers. He has been working there ever since and is now in the advertising department. Brown now works 32 hours a week and takes 15 hours of college work, yet he still finds time to participate in many college activities.

Brown played basketball while in Clarksville High School and likes all sports.

After graduation from Austin Peay, he plans to go into the navy. Later he wants to go into business in Clarksville. However, Brown's vivacious personality is bound to make him a success in whatever he undertakes.

Barbara Montgomery



Although teased about her Georgia drawl, this lass is originally a Tennessean, hailing from Knoxville.

She has attended Austin Peay for two years but states that she is undecided about next year. On the campus she has been a member of the Community Concert Choir.

Omega Club, and she played the flute and was a majorette with the college band last year. Of course, this could be none other than Barbara Montgomery.

A music major, she also studies dancing, ballet and toe being her favorites. All of us who saw Barbara in the Governor's Gaieties will no doubt agree that she really is a talented dancer.

Her hobbies are collecting records of classical music, and sewing. A fine seamstress Barbara is, too — she makes most of her own clothes.

To see Barbara strolling nonchalantly around the campus, one gets the impression that she is the most lighthearted and carefree person in the world; but actually, she has some very definite opinions about the things she wants to accomplish. Barbara has the brains, beauty, and ability to attain any goal she wants.

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Council Delegates Plan Next Annual Convention



Student Council delegates who met here Saturday are shown making plans for next year's convention.
The executive council will meet sometime this fall to set a date and decide upon a meeting place for the second annual convention.

Summer Graduate

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Two plans of study are offered for the candidate. Under one plan he may choose to do work culminating in a thesis or in several research problems. Under the other plan, he may choose to remain in residence an extra quarter with no formal research project being required.

College graduates interested in enrolling for graduate work at Austin Peay State must make written application to the Director of Graduate Study, Dean Woodward pointed out. Applicants who are not graduates of Austin Peay State should file an official transcript of their undergraduate work at least two weeks in advance of their intended entrance.

Students will be admitted to the Graduate Division under the direction of the Graduate Council upon the recommendation of the Director. The council will appoint a committee to serve as the candidate's adviser and to direct his study.

Candidates for the Master's degree must maintain a scholastic average of not less than B and must undergo a comprehensive examination set to measure the extent to which the aims of their program of study have been achieved.

Austin Peay's graduate program is set up according to standards used by leading graduate schools over the nation, Dean Woodward said.

The program represents another milestone in the college's rapid growth during the past few years.

Marine Corps Offers Recreation, Travel To College Trainees

Each year hundreds of young men and women graduates from colleges and universities throughout America who are undergoing Marine Corps Officer Training at the Marine Corps Schools, Quantico, Virginia are extended a cordial welcome to the annual National Cherry Blossom Festival in Washington, D. C.

The Cherry Blossoms at the Jefferson Memorial are recognized as a highlight of beauty in a city known throughout the world for its magnificent scenes and historical and colorful buildings.

The Cherry Blossom Trees were presented by the City of Tokyo, Japan to the United States Government in 1909.

Each year, Princesses representing the 48 States and Hawaii, Alaska, Puerto Rico and Guam compete for the coveted honor of Queen and all are granted equal opportunities through a giant wheel of fortune. The selected Queen reigns during the Festival period and she and her court are feted throughout a week-long period.

Weekly liberty trips to Washington, D. C. are routine for Marine Corps Officer Candidates who are enrolled in the Platoon Leaders Class, Officer Candidate Course and the Women Officers Training Class programs at Quantico, Virginia, which is located thirty-five miles south of Washington on the Potomac River.

By June 1 the expanding Marine Corps will enroll a total of 1,000 candidates, who will begin their summer training July 14th. Married or single college graduates between 20 and 27 years old are eligible for an opportunity to earn a commission in the Marine Corps under the Officer Candidate Course Program.

College freshmen, sophomores and juniors are eligible for the Platoon Leaders Class training, which is limited to two summer periods of six weeks each. No training or other work is required during the academic year for this program.

All Marine Officer Training Program will be closing shortly for applications for the current summer training periods. Students interested in applying for any of these are urged to write immediately to Captain D. M. Mixer in Room 242, Post Office Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Only My Opinion

By LARRY GATES

Well—Here we are in the middle of May and it is just a little warm. Only in the low 80s. The last time I wrote this article it was hell-boring about how cold it was—Tennessee weather—DOH.

Elections are over and everybody has begun to settle down once again. My congratulations to President, Neelley, Yeop Durrett and Banker Sadler. We at A. P. have some fine officers for our next years student body so let's help them out in every way we can. Bouquets should also be passed out here to the others: Dean-Jolly, Nussbaumer, McClearn and Corbin all were right there in the race all the way.

The annual is out early for the first time that I can remember in my four years here. However, I have been criticized for the past two years about some of the things that I have written up in this article but I'm just afraid that I am going to step on some people's toes once again. Before I go farther let me say that this is Only My Opinion so to me our so-called yearbooks at this school have not been up to standards that I believe they should have been. This is not the fault of the staff, however. If some of the people could see just exactly how much money was available to be spent on the annual they would be surprised that it turned out as well as it did. To me, as well as many others, it is a shame that the annual situation is in the condition that it is—it doesn't seem that it would be too much for this school to do to appropriate some funds at least to help improve next years book—it needs improvement, that's for sure. I have been told

that this has been already done—it is, all well and good—but it is about time.

The intramural tournament is going full speed now. It is actually being run off on schedule too, much to everybody's happy surprise. It seems now that it was too bad that a team couldn't have been worked out from the crop of prospects.

Strictly on the side—before the election took place, there was a rumor going around that a write-in vote was on its way. Just kidding, Buggar.

Tennis Tournament Now In Session

The tennis tournament has created considerable interest for the past couple of weeks with all the first rounds being finished by May 7.

The single matches have advanced to the third rounds. Two out of three sets are played up to semi-finals, when three out of five will be played. Larry Gates and Coach Aaron have charge of the tourney.

In the semi-finals of the doubles, Gates and Joe Black beat the old pair team of Slover and Garry by a (6-4) (10-6) score. Only one other semi-final game has been played. John Bracey and John Miller defeated Bill Johnson and Bill Rogers by a score of (6-3) (6-3). If matches are scheduled and played as planned, the finals of both doubles and singles should be over in a week or so, according to Coach Aaron.

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There's never a dull moment here at Austin Peay. If there should be a lull in the program, the students manage to fill the need just as it arises. Last week when they decided that the college flat-bed truck needed a new parking place. They chose the main court, now every one would like to know how they got to there, but at the time the question was how to get it out. The administration's P.B.I. is still baffled by the incident.

Frank McKenna's little "Jodel" has a new garage too, No. 10, not the tennis court but the bowl behind President Marshall's house April 26, 1952, at four o'clock in the afternoon at the First Presbyterian Church, the Reverend J. M. Marchion joined Lucile Celor and Fay Young of the U.S. Air Force and Barbara Elson and the Dean and of the U. S. Air Force in a double ceremony. This is the first of its kind this year. Congratulations to both couples from Austin Peay State.

The hayride that the Alpha club sponsored for the rest of the dorm clubs was a big success. The senior class held at Rye and hayride at the Boy Scout Camp last Friday night, but all the participants were not seen. Since Ag Club's picnic last week, Jimmy Smithson and Austin Peay have decided to give Buck some competition. They are declaring that they barbecued the pork. Barbecued chicken at Rye and the evening off fine for the Student Council banquet last Wednesday night.

Austin Peay is doing a fine job in helping out in this area of Fort Campbell. The cast of "Governor Galeties" presented the show for the patients of the U.S. Army Hospital at Fort Campbell. Sincere thanks from the O.L.'s go to the cast and the college.

The latest news traveling on the campus is the engagement of Thelma Harrison and Bill McKenna both of Hopkinsville, Kentucky. The wedding is set for August with Patty McReynolds and Diana Sparks as Maid of Honor and bridesmaid, respectively.

Best wishes are also in order to Jimmy Freeman who has successfully passed his tests and has received his appointment for Annapolis. Jim will leave for the Navy Military Academy in July, but it looks as if his Georgia plans will have to wait for four years. May be he'll be Commander Jim someday, at any rate the campus reveries to see him go, but wishes him the best of everything.

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Mary Mattingly and Adele Perry believe that they would like to stay at Kentucky Lake all summer, but what did Bill Hunt do while they spent the week - end there? Big Bill was up at the Kentucky Derby chasing Hill Ould to that finish line. We don't know whether or not he had picked a filly, but he is still wearing his shirt.

The quarry on Nashville pike was a fine place for swimming, but since we aren't experts, ask Mrs. Thompson, Martha Hayes, or "Mank" Lewis.

So many fine committees have come in on the excellent student assembly we had last week that everybody is wondering why we don't have more. There is surely a greater representation of that and why does it take so long to get a good one?

We're all sorry to see Mrs. Cochran leave after such good care; all the girls will miss her. But before we close, we must say "Hello" and "good luck" to Mrs. Zima, Harrod Hall's new house mother. From what we hear, she's going to need it.

Alpha Club, F. T. A. Enjoy Social Events

The members of the Alpha Club of the girls' dormitory enjoyed a hayride at Peacher's Mill last week.

Bill McKenna supplied some unexpected entertainment with his ability for hypnotism.

Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Nyze and Miss Garrett.

This evening at 6:30 P. T. A. members and their guests will be honored at a banquet at the Hotel Montgomery.

The speaker will be Frank Bass, Executive Secretary of the Tennessee Education Association.

Installation of new officers will be held during the course of the evening.

A program of music will be presented by Mr. Hurt and Mr. Storer.

Thirty Participate

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At the closing business session, temporary officers were elected to make plans for next year's convention. The officers chosen were Cavit Chesnut, U. T. Martin Branch, president; and Joe Gibbs, Memphis State, vice-president. An executive council made up of two representatives from each college was also chosen. Dawson Durrett and John Neeler were appointed to represent Austin Peay.

Scholarly Nicholas Udall affirmed—



"Mirth prolongeth life,
and causeth
health"

Ralph Rolster Dozier

Cares fade away and good cheer
joins the gathering when frosty
bottles of Coke are served.



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Essay Contest Set By Jewish Council

All class-of-'53 students who have their own ideas about academic freedom will have a chance to compete next fall for \$3,000 in cash prizes in a nationwide essay contest on this timely and important subject sponsored by the National Council of Jewish Women.

Any next-year senior man or woman, in any American college, is eligible to enter.

The essays are to be on the subject, "The Meaning of Academic Freedom." First prize will be \$1,000, second \$750 and third, fourth and fifth, \$500 each.

Heading the Committee of Judges will be Supreme Court Justice William O. Douglas. Other members will be Ralph Bunche, winner of the Nobel Peace Prize in 1950; Thurman W. Arnold, author and former Associate Justice of the U. S. Court of Appeals; Mr. Douglas Horton, educator and former head of the Women's Reserve; U. S. National Chairman of the National Council of Brandeis University.

The contest will be open for the month of entries September 15, 1952, will close December 31, 1952; and winners will be announced about the middle of April, 1953. It is being announced at this time so that students will have an opportunity to work on their essays during the summer if they wish. Detailed information will be made available at the beginning of the fall term, and copies may be obtained at the time of the college administrative offices.

The purpose of the National Council of Jewish Women in conducting the contest, is explained by Mrs. Irving M. Engel, national president, is "to encourage thoughtful exploration and forthright expression on the subject of academic freedom among the students themselves."

The National Council of Jewish Women has long been committed to the preservation of the dignity of the individual and to the protection of fundamental American liberties. Reports of recent restraints on the traditionally free exchange of ideas and opinions in our colleges and universities have been received with deep concern by our organization.

"We know this is not true in all colleges," Mrs. Engel said. "But it is true in any substantial number if it is only partly true—we of the Council believe our democracy should take warning, and that we should do everything we can to safeguard the precious tradition of free exchange of thought and opinion in education against any threat of repression from the outside world or from fear to 'speak up' within the classroom or lecture hall."

"We believe the survival of American freedom in school and out will depend on the ability of America's citizens to think for themselves and on the courage of those citizens in speaking up for the things they believe in. This has been the very core of our nation's strength from its earliest days."

Hurt Plays New Organ In Waddell Auditorium



Jack Hurt, music instructor, plays the new Hammond organ recently installed in Waddell Auditorium. The instrument will be used to furnish music for chapel programs and for instruction to music students.

Gracious Heavens! What's This? Print

— DICKENS

Between 30 and 40 years ago there began a revolution in Turkey which westernized the country and culminated in the admittance of that country into the Atlantic Pact a few weeks ago. How helpful Turkey will be to no one can know but with her hatred of Russia and her perdition drilled army, small though it is, her entrance into NATO has a hopeful sign.

If you are interested in Turkey's part in the world today you should go back to its change from empire to republic and its westernization under Mustafa Kemal surnamed Ataturk; how and why it was done. Ann Bridge in "Dark Moment" gives an exciting description of the drastic change during the years from 1914 to 1920. Her story of successful history is focused in one influential family of Istanbul. This family is used to tell just what happened.

"Dark Moment" is fiction based on history. If you want history on that period in Turkey's development, Churchill's "Aftermath" and Pauline "Greece's Anatolian Venture" will give it to you.

Calender of Social Events

May 14 Business Club party
May 15 F. T. A. Banquet
May 16 Omega dance
May 20 Farewell & Hall and All-State banquet
May 22 Athletic banquet

Religious Groups

By James Nolan

MEM — The Methodist Student Movement held their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening, May 6, in the Little Gym.

Folk dances, folk songs, and hymn singing were enjoyed by all who attended. About twenty-five members and their guests were present.

The program was under the direction of John McClear, president. He was assisted by Tod Hodgins.

BSU — Four Baptist students recently attended the BSU retreat at Belmont College in Nashville. Among those attending were Bill Scarborough and Mamie Ryker. Tentative plans have been made to install new officers of the BSU tonight in a service at the First Baptist Church.

Organ Installed

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Garrett, pianists; and Sue Bryant, Mamie Ryker, Annette Gumbert, Diane Sparks, and Jessie Fowles, vocalists. All are students of Jack Hurt.

Another recital is planned for Friday, May 23, at 4:15 p.m.

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