

Classes will meet soon in new Fine Arts Building

By GLORIA FRAZIER

"The contractor has not proceeded as rapidly as he could in completing some of the building details," said President Joe Morgan on the delay of the opening of the new Fine Arts and Drama building at Austin Peay State University.

The building, costing approximately \$1.9 million including equipment, has been under construction for almost two years. The delayed opening is due primarily to the building not being completed for classroom use as stipulated by the state building inspectors, according to Wayne Stumper, dean of the graduate school.

Late delivery of some materials has also contributed to the late completion. Equipment and materials are already being moved in, in anticipation of classes being held in the new building this week.

"The excitement has worn off," said Dr. Reece Elliott,

assistant professor of speech and theatre. "It has been hampered by the fact of not being able to move in on schedule.

"However, we will enjoy our new offices and the privacy we will have as compared to the 'horse stalls' we are in now. The new building will help our program, and, with new facilities, we will recruit more students."

The speech and theatre facilities include an intimate theatre seating 118 with a stage unique to Clement Auditorium in that it has an 80-foot fly area, where scenery can be raised or lowered on the stage or stored between productions.

Large dressing room and make-up rooms will accommodate the drama students. Private practice rooms are another feature of the new speech and theatre department.

"I think it is really going to be fine," said Olen Bryant, associated professor of art. "It is going to be so nice when we get into it—all that space! The brick is beautiful."

The art department consists basically of large work areas for practical instruction and one central lecture room featuring rear-screen projection.

An art gallery considerably larger than the present gallery is located on the main floor of the new building. New equipment for drafting classes, beginning and advanced drawing and weaving classes is presently being received and assembled.

A photography section and darkroom is also located in the art section. Lockers will be provided for art students to store their projects and supplies.

Also to be constructed to accommodate the new facility is a series of streets and parking spaces.

The vacated art section of the Clement Building basement will be used by the music department.

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Photo by David Tenney

BLACK ROLES—Arnold Quarles spoke on the role of the black administrator at the behavioral workshop held Saturday in the Clement Building.

Summer forms

Deadline for filing an application for admission or readmission (other than late) to Austin Peay State University for the summer quarter is Friday, May 10.

Glenn S. Gentry, vice president for admissions and records, made the announcement recently.

Late applications will be accepted from May 13 until June 10.

Registration for the first term of the summer quarter will be June 6. The second term of the summer quarter will begin on July 15.

Applications for admission may be secured by writing Admissions Office, Austin Peay State University, Clarksville, Tennessee 37040, or by calling the office (AC 615-648-7121.)

Carmichael addresses TABS

By PAT M. HOWARD

Stokely Carmichael, nationally known black leader, was featured at Friday night's banquet of the Tennessee Association of Black Students at Bonanza Steak House.

Carmichael's appearance was somewhat of a surprise, as he had been invited to the convention, sponsored by Austin Peay State University's Black Student Association, but had not confirmed his appearance.

Develop objectives

He spoke on Pan Africanism, an international party that seeks to organize Black Africans.

"We must move to develop our own way of life," said Carmichael. "We must have clear ideology and precise objectives."

Carmichael believes that blacks all over the world, whether black American, Nigerian, Liberian, Jamaican, Bobemian, West Indian, black Canadian or black whatever should unite.

"Until Africa is strong, the black man can not be strong. Until Africa is free, the black man cannot be free," he said.

Carmichael added that African land has been divided by European imperialism, resulting in a division of blacks. Also by "naming us," blacks have been divided. But regardless of whether the name is black American or Nigerian, black is still black.

"If a cat has babies in an oven, they're not bisquits, they're kittens," said Carmichael, demonstrating that on whatever continent or island the black man is placed he is still African.

"What is our history?" asked Carmichael. "Do we trace it back to the slave ships some 400 years ago or from our native land?"

"A man without a history is like a tree without roots," he said.

Carmichael explained to the group that Africa gave science to the world, that Africa gave astronomy to the world and that it gave the alphabet to the world. Aristotle and Plato plagiarized the African libraries, according to Carmichael.

As the Negro converts to black, he must understand that we are not a minority, we are a majority," he said.

African unity

Carmichael concluded in saying that TABS is a means to a higher end.

"What is the end?" asked Milford Lucius, president of APSU's Black Student Association.

"For me it is that Africa will be liberated, unified and the black man all over the world will be in Africa," replied Carmichael.

Following the banquet Friday night members of the TABS set up objectives.

Workshop speakers

On Saturday a series of workshops were held from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Clement Building. Speakers in the behavioral workshop were Dianne Patterson, APSU psychology department; Mary Walton, APSU education department; Joe Roberts, principal of Greenwood Junior High School; and Arnold Quarles, director of student services at Austin Peay State University.

In the political and economics workshop speakers included

Lettie Kendall, county magistrate; Robert Hooker, director of Hosker's Funeral Home; W.L. Burnett, city councilman; Rev. J.F. Cunningham, minister of Mount Olive Baptist Church; Stanley Quarles, chief justice of APSU student tribunal; and Mr. Leak, manager of Foster's Funeral Home.

Dr. Miller will speak noon today

Dr. James H. Miller of the department of rehabilitation counselor education of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, will speak in Library Room 36 at noon today to acquaint students with the training and career opportunities in rehabilitation counseling.

After the presentation, Dr. Miller will be available to talk to students who might be interested in entering the UT graduate program which offers graduate degrees in rehabilitation counseling.

Dr. Miller has pointed out that the field of rehabilitations counseling is expanding and a high demand for rehabilitation counselors is predicted to continue for the next few years.

The department of psychology is sponsoring the visit, but the graduate program is not limited to psychology undergraduate majors. All students interested in rehabilitation counseling are urged to attend.



Photo by Wayne Lewis

FINE (ALLY) ARTS AND DRAMA BUILDING—The new Fine Arts and Drama Building, under construction for almost two years, is scheduled to open this week.

Pictured above is an airway in the front lobby.

Only at Austin Peay

By JO CLARE WILSON



Several active members of APSU's Union for Women's Rights Organization took time out last Tuesday to travel to the State Legislature in Nashville and lobby for the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA).

The State Legislature ratified the Amendment with an overwhelming vote of 72-0 in July, 1972. Now the motion is to rescind the action of ratification. It seems suspicious that it would be passed unanimously two years ago and now they're saying they don't believe in what they did.

Three grueling hours of the most emotional debate the House has seen wound up with the decision in favor of rescission.

At one point during debate recess was called for the specific purpose of phoning the Attorney General and acquiring his opinion regarding the legality of the Legislature to rescind an amendment after already ratifying it.

This proved to be only one out of the many ridiculous events occurring during this session.

After asking for and receiving the Attorney General's opinion, which was that what the Legislature was trying to do was illegal, the Legislature ignored it. One legislator went so far as to claim that the opinion given by the Attorney General was only one man's, therefore we don't need to listen to his advice. Many wondered why the call was ever requested in the first place.

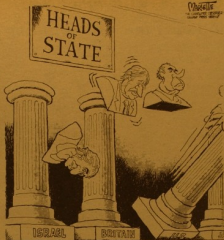
Attending from APSU were Carolyn Reed, Judy Azara, Gayle Powers, Lynn Dorcic and me. Frustration was met by all of us at the apparent ignorance of women and the legislators

determined to stop ERA. Quoting scriptures from the Bible about women being created solely for man's purposes, passing out propaganda about how "The Army is Planning on drafting your Daughter (which was printed by the John Birch Society)," making repeated reference to the fact that if the ERA passed the first effect of it

would be unisex bathrooms, and insinuating that women libbers were supported by the Communist party; the ERA opponents expressed their warped opinions while prancing around in their long pink dresses.

"It was very distressing to see the majority of the legislators, including President Emeritus Harvill and Rep. Rancose Pickering, ignoring the articulate arguments of ERA supporters in favor of emotional pleas. One representative even tied the issue of women's rights to prayer in public school," commented Judy Azara.

It seems to be another obvious attempt by the illustrious Tennessee Legislature to legislate morality. They're making laws to correspond with their fundamental belief in the Bible which totally ignores the portion of the population which does not accept the Bible literally. It's funny how they somehow managed to defeat the bill concerning their own ethics.



Letters to editor

Newspapers recieve credit

Dear Editor:

Much credit should be given to the newspaper publishers of this country. Their function in uncovering the concealed facts of the present scandalous conditions of government and keeping the issue before the public eye regardless of apathy and distraction deserves the gratitude of every citizen.

The same determination to get at the truth and report to the readership has focused attention on the details of the energy crisis. People are becoming increasingly aware of the undue use of power by agencies and monopolies against the public interest.

Now a third issue presents itself with grave consequences to public health and national security. This is the unprecedented escalation of nuclear plant construction. Here is another crime against the people, a case in which secrecy, distortion and suppression of facts conceal gross malfeasance.

As a result of public ignorance and apathy, three major types of hazardous facilities are scheduled for construction in our state, any one of which is sufficient to cause citizens outrage if the facts were known-the prototype fast breeder reactor, a waste storage facility for the whole south and Europe, and the Exxon reprocessing center, as well as the full armory of nuclear plants.

It is to be hoped that the same courageous leaders who insisted on keeping the above issues before the people will make it their business to encourage public debate in the months ahead. This most serious matter with its far-reaching consequences must be made a political issue and reach some conclusion this year in Tennessee, the most endangered state.

Yours truly,
Joy Joslyn MacNulty

Sigma Chi commends Chi Omega spirit

Dear Editor:

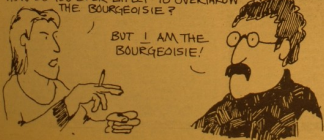
The Brothers of Sigma Chi wish to commend Chi Omega on their performance and spirit as exemplified in their Greek fides activities. Although Greek fides were cancelled this year by the Interscholastic Council, Chi Omega proceeded as scheduled with their skit.

An enthusiastic crowd viewed as the sisters performed their act which centered around the childhood story, "Alice in Wonderland." This was enjoyed by all present. Again, Chi Omega, "Congratulations on a terrific performance."

Brothers of Eta Xi Chapter
Sigma Chi

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HOW DO YOU EVER EXPECT TO OVERTHROW
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BUT I AM THE
BOURGEOISIE!



General Assembly rescinds ERA bill

The Tennessee General Assembly took another step backwards last week when it rescinded the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA).

Heavy lobbying by the John Birch Society and members of various Church of Christ congregations proved to be more effective than the lobbying done by Common Cause, Union for Women's Rights Organization and other organization and individuals.

The John Birchers and the Church of Christ's argued that the ERA went against the Bible. It's funny to note the hypocrisy of the John Birchers hiding behind the Bible on the issue of ERA when they are ultra-racist.

Another argument against the ERA was that women would be subject to the draft. The draft is not in effect now. If it was, even though the draft is evil, undemocratic and many other terrible things, women should be drafted along side the men.

Clarksville's representative, Riley Darnell, should be commended for voting against the rescinding of the ERA. He showed good progressive sense in casting his vote.

Clarksville's Senator, Halbert Harvill should be chastised for aiding the rescinding of the ERA. This August will be a good time to punish him.

There is still a chance that the advocates of the ERA amendment will win out as far as it concerns Tennessee. The chance is that the courts will state that the rescinding of the ERA amendment by the General Assembly is unconstitutional and that the ERA amendment will have to stand as being passed, since they passed it two years ago.

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Loller out polls Flood in SGA executive race

Elected in the April 24 Student Government Association election were Ron Lollar, president; Carolyn Haley, vice president; Cynthia Mason, secretary; and Elijah Cunningham, chief justice of the Student Tribunal.

With only 436 students voting, Lollar received 236 votes to Larry Flood's 181 votes. For vice president, Carolyn Haley received 331 votes. Write-in candidates for vice president were Andy Fulton, 33; Bob Cooper, 2; and Larry Saffin, 1. Cynthia Mason polled 281 votes while Barbara Westerman received 145.

Elijah Cunningham took 363 votes in the chief justice race. Write-in candidates Tom Kitzell, Charlie Gentry and Bill Binkley each received two votes, and Barry Walker received one vote.

Lollar, who is currently vice president of the Inter Fraternity Council and parliamentary for the senate, has served as Middle Tennessee coordinator for the Tennessee Student Association

and was a delegate to the Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature.

Among the improvements he intends to initiate next year are involving more students from outside the senate in campus matters and pressure on the Tennessee Student Association to help legislate matters for students.

Miss Haley has been a member of the senate for the past three years and is a student member of the Academic Council. Miss Mason was assistant SGA secretary and freshman senator her freshman year. Later she served as sophomore class secretary.

Cunningham is currently a member of the Student Tribunal and is a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. He plans for the Tribunal to move into auxiliary functions such as leading off-campus housing. He wants to begin tightening up procedural functions.

Faculty evaluation results to be published by fall

The results of the faculty evaluation, conducted March 4-7, are currently being compiled into a booklet which will be available to students next fall.

Individual copies of the entire survey will be printed this summer and sold by the Student Government Association in the fall for approximately \$1.

The Faculty Survey Booklet will be 150-200 pages long and will contain on the collective evaluation (based on responses to 13 of the 20 questions asked) of each class section taking part in the survey.

Sponsored jointly by the SGA, administration and faculty, the survey's purpose was to ascertain how students rated the instructor, course and methods used to teach that course.

Mike Fletcher, SGA president,

said he thinks a faculty survey ought to become a regular, recurring SGA activity of value to everyone at APSU.

Fletcher credits the success of the survey to Bob Cooper, sophomore class president, and the cooperation of students.

Cooper, who directed the project, said it took 35-40 students to distribute and collect the survey from over 800 of the 1,000 class sections currently being taught at APSU.

Cooper feels the survey may improve Austin Peay State University and that the published evaluation will provide a useful reference for most classes.

He added that future students will be able to judge, using the one to five point scale, if a class is poor or good.



Photo by Rick Barber

FOUR TOPS—Elected in the April 24 election for SGA executive officers are (l to r) Elijah Cunningham, chief justice of the Student Tribunal; Cynthia Mason, secretary; Carolyn Haley, vice president; and Ron Lollar, president.

Students preregister for fall

Preregistration for fall quarter 1974 will begin May 13 for all those who were registered spring quarter 1974.

Schedules may be picked up at the Admissions Office beginning May 6.

Preregistration for fall quarter will be held in the University Center Ballroom from 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. according to the following schedule: Monday May 13, all seniors including those who will have earned 144 hours at the end of spring quarter; Wednesday May 15, non-seniors Sm-ZZ; Friday May 17, non-seniors MI-SL; Monday May 20, Mc-Mc; Wednesday May 22, Cl-

Hb; Friday, May 24, Aa-Cc.

Trials schedules must have signatures of advisers and electrographic pencils, available in the book store, must be used.

Beginning with the preregistration for the fall quarter, students preregistering for courses that are composed of both lecture and laboratory work must preregister for the lecture section and the laboratory section on the regular registration day. This method will require two registrations rather than one past. Example: Preregistration for a biology course will require the use of two PIN numbers: one for the lecture with three hours

credit and one for the laboratory with one hour credit.

A student who has not preregistered for a combination lecture-laboratory course, and desires to register for the course on the regular registration day, will obtain two course cards: one three-hour card for the lecture and one one-hour card for the laboratory.

Students should observe, in the Schedule of Classes, the instructions in each departmental section that has laboratory courses listed. Note the instructions in such departments as accounting, agriculture, biology, business administration, economics, chemistry, English as a foreign language, French, geology, German, industrial arts, mathematics, nurse education, physics, psychology and Spanish.

APSU parking situation receives committee study

"Most of our parking complaints come from women residents on campus," said Dr. Howard Winn, director of safety and security, concerning current parking problems on campus.

"The problem comes from having too few parking spaces around the women's residence halls."

However, the situation is not helped by women residents who insist on buying women resident parking decals for their cars.

The purchase of parking decals is based on the hope that the decal will be used legally.

"The only way we can solve this problem is by obtaining help from the women residents, who know that a car is illegally parked in their parking lot and report illegally parked cars to security," continued Winn. "After all, these illegally parked people are contributing to the parking problem and are not being fair to their fellow students."

On the other hand, with a parking capacity of only around 1300, many drivers choose to park

illegally. Parking violations are administered only between the hours of 8 a.m. and 3 p.m.

However, parking tickets are given on a 24 hour basis to persons parking on the red or yellow curbs. Red curbs are for emergency parking and parking space for dormitory supervisors. Yellow curbs are fire lanes and must be kept vacant for easy access by fire trucks.

Winn is being requested by President Joe Morgan to conduct an in-depth study of vehicular traffic on campus and the current and projected parking facilities, both on and in the general vicinity of the campus.

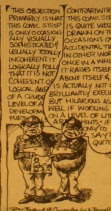
Until this study is completed and the recommendations considered no changes in the classification of parking facilities is anticipated. Winn will appoint a committee of students and faculty which will consider all facets of parking for faculty and staff, resident students and commuting students.

If you have any comments or suggestions for consideration by this committee, please forward them to Winn for consideration.

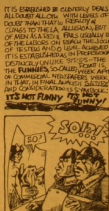
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by Ron Fontes







WESTWARD HO!—Members of the graduate class Strategies for Teaching in Social Studies, instructed by Dr. Bryan Crutcher, presented a one-act play on pioneer life April 17. Members of the cast included Anita Cartwright, Mae Jane Lancaster, Sue Grace, Kay Putty and Shirley Wells.

Student appears in skits for educational TV series

Kim Hereford, a freshman from Nashville, will be appearing in a "Learning to Live" educational television series. Each program in the series will be shown on Sunday at 3:30 p.m. and the following Thursday at 9:30 p.m. on WDCN - Channel 8 through June 12.

Produced by United Methodist Communications and sponsored by the United Methodist and Episcopal churches, the programs are developed around the transactional analysis (TA) approach to problem solving.

Kim Hereford was selected by "pure luck," as she put it, to appear in the short situations upon which the program is based. These improvised skits are of real life situations. The actors were given a situation, such as parent-child conflict, and told

how to begin and end. The rest was left up to them to handle. Since Miss Hereford's family had just moved to Nashville from Illinois during the year, she did not have a Southern accent. In addition, she was the proper age and she could improvise in the given situations. These factors were necessary for the part and she fit the requirements.

The skits in which she appears were filmed one afternoon in July of last summer.

"It was fun, but I was scared to death," said Miss Hereford.

When asked which skit she enjoyed doing the most, she replied, "It would probably be the one where I try to convince my parents to let me ride out West to California on a motorcycle with my boyfriend." She explained that this was a more natural situation, one that she could relate to better.

Facility available

Austin Peay State University now has a small, but functional video taping facility. A room in the Center for Teachers, located in McGoyakda Hall, has been converted into a video taping studio.

With the support of the National Science Foundation, and in cooperation with the Department of Education, the Center has acquired the basic components of two black and white video taping systems for use either in the field or in the studio.

Call Dr. John Cair, director of the Center of Teachers at 7187 for more information and to schedule times for the use of the equipment and facilities.

Fraternity installs 25 in ceremony

Saturday afternoon, April 27, approximately 25 girls were installed nationally in Phi Chi Theta, the women's business fraternity.

The private installation ceremonies began at 3 p.m. in the University Center Ballroom. The ceremony was conducted by Mrs. Lucy Middleton, central division director from St. Louis, Mo.

Also recognized were honorary members which included members of the Austin Peay State University faculty.

Helping in the installation was the sister chapter from U.T. - Martin.

At 5 p.m. a reception for members, university faculty and administrators and families of the girls was held in the ballroom.

Phi Chi Theta, the sister fraternity of Alpha Kappa Psi, men's business fraternity, is composed of women who have declared a business major, are at least third quarter freshmen and have an overall grade-point average of 2.0.

Currently serving as officers are Devery Sevason, president; Mary Cooper, vice president; Melanie Waters, secretary; Elouise Garrett, treasurer; and Anita Tomblin, historian.

Alumni plan social event for May 25

The Austin Peay State University Alumni Association is planning their first annual spring social extravaganza.

The social will be held on May 25 at Rotary Park, located on the by-pass between 41-A and Ashland City Road.

This event will include a picnic and golf and tennis tournament. The golf tournament will be held at Swan Lake at 8 a.m. and the tennis tournament takes place at Austin Peay State University at 3 p.m.

The picnic will begin at Rotary Park starting at 3 p.m. but the food will not be served until 6 that night. There will be games and recreation for the entire family along with door prizes.

Barbecue dinners with all the trimmings will be served. Adult plates are \$2.50, children's plates are \$1.75 each.

"The purpose of this social event is to let old friends get together with each other," stated Henry Malone, director of alumni affairs. About 400 people are expected to attend.

Entry fee for the golf and tennis tournament is \$5 each.

This extravaganza is open to seniors, graduates students, faculty and alumni. It schedules fun and games for all who attend.

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Viewers reserve

Androcles and the Lion, currently in rehearsals by the A. P. Playhouse, is slated for production May 13-17 at 8 p.m. in the new Fine Arts Building.

Tickets are \$1.25 for general public and 75 cents for students. Directed by J. G. Griffin, Androcles and the Lion is the first production in the Fine Arts Building and also will be the first of a new reservation only seating practice, due to the seating size of the new theatre. For further information call the speech and theatre department at 7144.

Judicial posts open

The Student Government Association is seeking applicants for 1974-75 judicial posts on the Student Tribunal.

Anyone interested in filling this position should pick up an application in the SGA office. These applications should then be turned in before Wednesday, May 8. Interviews will be arranged at a later date.

Contestants net tourney honors

Sharon Proctor, Tum Webb and Keith Grace returned for the National Intercollegiate Forensics Tournament with all three contestants placing in the top 25 percent of their categories.

Mrs. Proctor and Webb competed against 160 contestants from all over the nation in Poetry Interpretation. Ms. Proctor, first place winner in both the OVC and the Tennessee State Tournaments, placed 10th; and Webb made in both the OVC and Tennessee State Tournaments, placed 15th in the nation.

Grace, first place winner in Original Oratory at the OVC tournament, placed 30th in Persuasion at the National Tournament.

Austin Peay State University was the only school from the state of Tennessee represented at the national tournament.



Photo by Rick Berry

PLACE KICKING PRACTICE?—It appears that Austin Peay State baserunner Bob Rickert is about to place kick the bottom of Florence State catcher Stan Steadman. However, Rickert is actually scoring to ignite an eight-run rally which saw the Gavs take the first game of a twin bill 3-4 Wednesday. Florence won the night cap 4-2.



APSU Closeup

By

Jeff Bibb

Post season basketball in OVC

The Ohio Valley Conference didn't by any means set a record for the amount of legislation passed last week during the annual OVC spring meeting, this year held at Murray State.

However, a couple of tidbits of legislation could have as much impact on the conference as any new rules that have gone into effect in many moons.

The most notable worthy OVC legislation passed during the Thursday-Friday sessions was a rule that will establish a post-season basketball tournament involving the regular season's top four teams to determine the OVC representative to the National Collegiate Athletic Association (NCAA) tournament.

It's all fairly simple it seems. At the end of the regular season next winter, the OVC will stage a basketball tourney, much the same as the Atlantic Coast Conference does. However, instead of involving all the league teams, only the top four teams as determined by regular season league records will get a shot to go to the NCAA.

Now, there are many pros and cons to the OVC post-season, extravaganza. The "cons" are saying that if a team endures and wins the regular season, they should undeniably have the gate opened for entrance to the NCAA tournament.

After all, that system has always seemed to work well. Why if the OVC had a tournament, the league's fourth best team might sneak up on the pack and win a trip to the Midwest Regional.

The "cons" also argue that the extra play could wear down the representative team considerably and hinder play in the NCAA tournament.

And you have to agree, all of those points are very legit. On the other hand, the "pros" have just as many aces to back their bets.

The post-season tournament will give the OVC publicity that it wouldn't normally receive. As far as having time to play the tournament, which will probably be a Friday-Saturday affair, there will be plenty. The NCAA will more-than-likely go to a 32-team format next season which would start everybody in the first round and eliminate the idiotic first round byes that certain conferences such as the Southeastern have drawn.

Anyway, with all the teams starting the tournament at the same time, it would give the OVC an extra week before its representative would be launched into pressurized NCAA play, enough time for the OVC tournament.

The tournament would probably be won by the team that would be best suited for the NCAA's. For instance, many thought Western Kentucky had the strongest team at the end of the season last year.

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Up and down Gavs go into the stretch

When you review the 1974 Austin Peay State University baseball season, it is evident that the Gavs have had their ups and downs.

The Governors have shown signs of brilliance at times, hitting, fielding and pitching, but it has been a rarity for APSU to put all phases of its game together at the same time for any extended period.

The Governors of second year coach Joe Ellenburg were sucked under the 500 mark early in the season on a trip south, going 1-6. And record wise, the Peay has not recovered yet.

The Governors have come as close as four games away from the 500 mark, the latest time being early last week. However, the Gavs took to the road last Wednesday and lost a pair of powerful David Lipscomb 4-0 and 6-1. Then the Governors split a doubleheader with Florence State of Alabama at home winning 3-4 and losing 4-2.

The most recent contests came Sunday when Austin Peay and Vanderbilt split a doubleheader in Nashville. The Gavs won the opener 10-8 but Vandy came back to claim the nightcap 4-0.

Currently, Austin Peay has 15-21 over-all slate. The Gavs have 11 remaining contests slated and it will take a minimum of nine wins to finish above .500.

But it can be done. Austin Peay plays a single game in Nashville with Belmont tomorrow afternoon and travels to Tennessee Tech to make up a postponed doubleheader Saturday.

Then the Gavs will conclude the 1974 year with a seven game homestand beginning Tuesday when APSU hosts David Lipscomb for a pair at 2 p.m. Union will invade Governor Peay 9 followed by a season-ending three-game series with Louisville May 11 and 12.

Several of Ellenburg's Gavs have had outstanding performances as of late. Centerfielder Bob Rickert, who may be destined for pro ball, continues to lead the team in batting with a .350-plus average. He also has six homers and leads the team in RBIs.

Freshman first baseman Pat Dennis has set an APSU single season home run record with

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Photo by Rick Berry

PACERS AGAINST RACERS—Austin Peay 440-yard intermediate hurdlers George Hood (left) and Mike Bernikow set the pace after about 100-yards during a dual meet won by Murray State's Racers 75-71 Friday. However, in this event it was Bernikow taking top honors with Hood third.

Lose by only 2 to Murray

APSU thinlies gain respect

Cornell's flattering remark may be correct. The Governors came within a "blink of the eye" of becoming the Racers, something an Austin Peay track contingent has never accomplished in OVC dual competition.

Murray State's mile relay quartet edged Austin Peay's mile-fourman by just three-tenths of a second in the last event of the day. The win gave Murray five points and the final two-point margin.

New APSU school records were established in the 440-yard dash, the three-mile run and the mile

relay during the day's competition.

Elton Pilot broke his own record, with a clocking of :47.8 in the 440. Oscar Morgan set a new mark in the three-mile as he covered the distance in 14:11 and the mile-relay team of Ervin Sweet, Pilot, Gerald Robinson and Mike Bernikow set a new record with a 3:14.4 time.

Austin Peay's chances of winning the meet were damaged severely when Anthony Carter suffered a cramp in his leg and pulled up lame just before

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This week's spring sports

TENNIS	TODAY
Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)	Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)
BASEBALL	THURSDAY
Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)	Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)
GOLF	FRIDAY
Tennis (Austin Peay in Oral Roberts Invitational at Tulsa, Okla.)	Tennis (Austin Peay in Oral Roberts Invitational at Tulsa, Okla.)
TRACK	FRIDAY
Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)	Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)
BASEBALL	TUESDAY
Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)	Arkansas (Fayetteville, Ark.)

Kalkhoff watches closely

Western, Murray in spotlight

By BOB LOWRY

With more than casual interest, Austin Peay State tennis coach Norm Kalkhoff is eyeing an important upcoming match.

Not with his own Governors participating, mind you, but a match between Western Kentucky and Murray State. The match will decide the regular season champion of the Ohio Valley Conference.

Western is heavily favored over the Racers, but must beat them 9-6 to win the OVC outright. An 8-1 fall will tie APSU and WKU for the championship, while a 7-2 tally or less will give the Governors the crown. The match is scheduled for tomorrow at Murray.

This past week, the Governors got their foot in the door for the championship by defeating Middle Tennessee's Blue Raiders, 5-4, in a match at Murfreesboro.

Coach Kalkhoff commented that his Goves were "better than that," but he credited MTSU for "having character; they fought back after being down 4-0." The

final doubles match was the deciding factor. Austin Peay's combo of Gary Boes and Mario Valle whipping Middle 6-1, 6-0.

At present, Austin Peay's OVC record is 6-1, 13-3 overall, with their next match scheduled for today in Fayetteville, Ark., against the University of Arkansas Razorbacks, one of the best teams in the nation. Thursday, Friday and Saturday the Goves will participate in the Oral Roberts Invitational in Tulsa, Okla.

On May 17-18, Austin Peay will play in the OVC Championships to be held at Murray State. Coach Kalkhoff gives his Goves an excellent chance at coping first place honors for the first time in APSU history, adding, "Gary Boes may be the key to our hopes in the championships."

Boes plays No. 3 singles. Several of the Governors are expected to get high seeding for the tournament, including defending OVC No. 1 singles champion Noel Phillips. Phillips has upheld his reputation this spring among conference

followers as the league's top player, as he has coasted to a 6-1 OVC singles record, best of any No. 1 singles players. Phillips is expected to be the No. 1 seed in the championships.

APSU's No. 2 singles, Pancho Sanhueza also shows a 6-1 slate, as does Gove's No. 3 singles man, freshman Gary Boes. Both are expected to receive high seeds. No. 4 singles Jorge Jimenez is 5-2 on the year and No. 5 player Manuel Losada is 6-1 for the campaign and both are given excellent chances at taking first or second place finishes.

Number six singles player, Mario Valle has the best record of any Gove netters. He's undefeated in six outings, and ironically may enter the championships undefeated. There are a few players in the OVC with 6-1 records, and they would get top seeding on the basis of more matches played. In addition, doubles teams will also be entered by Austin Peay, and with a little luck, and some timely playing, the Governors will become the next Ohio Valley Conference tennis champions.



Photo by Rick Bentley

HE'S BOSS — Austin Peay freshman netter Gary Boes could be the difference for the Governors in their run for their first Ohio Valley Conference tennis championship in mid-May. Boes is one of five regulars who won six OVC singles matches for APSU.

Linksmen earn 2nd in EK Invitational

Action may be drawing to a quick close for the Austin Peay State University golf squad.

The Governors of head coach Walton Smith were slated to close their regular slate this weekend by hosting the Austin Peay Invitational. However, the tournament was canceled because many of the teams that

were to make up the tourney's field have final examinations this week and won't be able to make the tournament.

Smith is trying to organize a quadrangular meet for this weekend to be played at Swan Lake. However, a final decision concerning the quadrangular had not been made by press time.

The latest action for the Goves came last weekend in the Eastern Kentucky Invitational in Richmond, Ky. The Governors placed a strong second behind the winner, Eastern.

Eastern Kentucky had a 14 stroke margin in winning its own tournament. The Colonels had a combined team total of 734 while the Goves' total was 748.

Dan Bogdan of Eastern captured modalist honors with his 141 total. Morehead's Eddie Mudd and Kenny Schuck of Eastern tied for second, each carding 145.

However, Austin Peay linksmen took the next three spots. Jim Hodges got his game

untracked and tallied a 147 score. Mike Carn was only one stroke in back of Hodges and Leon Hawk was one more stroke back with a 149 effort.

Other Gove golfers were Eddie Gleichen (154), Bruce Wallace (155) and Joe Burgeon (155).

The Goves will be sharpening their games in the next couple of weeks in hopes of making a run at the Ohio Valley Conference championship in Murray, Ky., May 17-18.

EASTERN INVITATIONAL

TEAM STANDINGS

Eastern Kentucky 734, Marshall 774, Austin Peay State 748, Tennessee Tech 746, Morehead State 745, Louisville 747, Eastern Kentucky 741, Indiana State 744, Western Kentucky 743, Cincinnati 774, Kentucky Wesleyan 884.

JIM HODGES

Walker and Adames tie for intramural Superstar crown

Barry Walker and Ivan Adames are Austin Peay State University's first intramural superstars.

Walker and Adames each gathered 28 points to tie for the championship of the first annual Austin Peay IM Superstars Contest which has been going on for the past couple of weeks.

Walker's points came when he placed third in golf, tied for first in free throw shooting, won the softball throw and tied for second in the military press.

Adames won the 25-yard backstroke, tied for fourth in the 50-yard freestyle, tied for second in the 100-yard dash and was 2nd in the obstacle run.

Charlie Crouch was third with 26 points followed by Dave Aaron (23) and David Vaughn (24).

Three women were in competition with the men. Mary

Langford tied for fourth in the 50-yard backstroke. Jan Payne tied for first place in the tennis serve and Audrey Cathey competed but did not place in any events.

IM director, Bob Neilson pointed out the efforts of Charlie Gentry, "who did 99 per cent of the work necessary to make the Superstars Contest a success."

Water basketball
The Ota Omega Superstars led the women's division and the Pikes led the men's division after last week's innertube water basketball action, both with 5-1 records.

The Pikes are in second place in the women's division with a 4-2 record.

The Rusty Rockets, Rockies

and Aquanats all had 4-2 marks for a second place tie going into this week's games.

Softball officials

Anyone interested in being an umpire of intramural softball must attend an umpires' meeting tonight at 8:30 in Memorial Health Building, room 107.

Frisbee finals

The Pikes will attempt to defend their frisbee championship tonight on the intramural field on Drane Street.

Softball rosters

All softball rosters are due today in the IM office. There will be a mandatory team captains' meeting tomorrow night at 7 in Memorial Health Building, room 104.

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seven. He is also well above .300. Among the other regulars, left fielder Charlie Seely and third baseman Dave Simonson continue to fluctuate around the .300 mark.

'Steady improvement' marks progress for women netters

"Steady improvement" has characterized the spring for the Austin Peay State University women's tennis team.

It's been a learning experience for the young APSU ladies. All except one of the Gers on the roster had no collegiate experience coming into the season.

However, school will be out this week and the period for improvement will be over. It will be time for the big test May 11 in the Tennessee State tournament hosted by the University of the South in Seawen.

"I feel our improvement has been excellent," said the APSU coach, Betty Christopher of her 4-6-3 Gers. "With a few breaks we could be 6-5. But we have been gaining experience each week and that's what counts with a team that's this young."

Austin Peay was scheduled to play three matches this week beginning with David Lipscomb at home yesterday.

Thursday, APSU hosts Tennessee in a 3 p.m. match and Sunday it will be Tennessee

Martin's turn to come to Austin Peay for a match that will begin at 1 p.m.

"Winning those three would be a big boost going into the state tournament," rendered Christopher. "I think we have a real good chance to win all three."

The lady Gers played five matches last week, losing four of them. Defending state champ Vanderbilt blitzed Austin Peay 3-1 a week ago Tuesday. On Thursday APSU lost a home match to Western Kentucky, 7-2.

The Governors trekked to Knoxville during the weekend losing to Tennessee 3-0 but coming back to beat Carson-Newman 7-2. APSU ended the week in Johnson City losing to East Tennessee 6-3.

With the state tournament in sight, Christopher sees Tennessee as the team to beat with Vanderbilt not far behind in the running for top honors.

However, the coach said she thought several of her girls could advance in the tournament-type format with some good efforts.

"Julie Carlson, Linda Kelman and Debbie Graves could advance in singles," said Christopher. "And the doubles team of Carlson and Patty Lee could jell and go three or four rounds."



ACTION AND AFTERMATH—Julie Carlson readies to place a serve in a home 3-0 loss to defending state champion Vanderbilt last week. Miss Carlson is APSU's No. 1 single's player. However she was defeated as was the rest of the team. (Right) Senior Patty Lee silently gazes at action from the stands at the APSU courts after losing her match against Vandy.

Photos by Rick Bentley



APSU Closeup

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The conference would probably end up being better represented by the four-team tennis winter.

Another thing to look at is the excitement factor the past season journey will create. Imagine how much livelier the finale of the regular season would be with teams trying to jockey for a position in the top four with hopes of going to the "tourney of four" and maybe eventually the NCAA's.

The general concept is that the tournament would be for the overall welfare of the good old OVC.

However, probably the most prominent feature which swayed the OVC to vote 6-2 in favor of the tourney was the financial beauty of the tournament. Mind you, the main source of revenue for the OVC at present is the \$3,500 each school tosses into the kitty. Excuse me, the league voted to increase the ante to \$4,500 for the coming year. That's a total of \$36,000 to run a league, which believe it or not, is really not near enough to operate a league as it should be.

The tournament would gross a minimum of \$25,000 which would greatly lessen the financial burden from the member schools.

The tournament is not an annual thing, at least not yet. The league decided to have the tournament on a one-year basis. If it succeeds, and it surely will, the tournament will be renewed for coming seasons.

The first choice for the 1975 tournament is Municipal Auditorium in Nashville, which seats about 11,000. The second choice is Middle Tennessee's Murphy Center (11,750) and third is Western Kentucky's Diddle Arena (12,500).

Austin Peay, represented in Murray by President Joe Morgan, athletic director George Fisher and athletic committee chairman Leon Bibb, were in favor of the tournaments after weighing the pros and cons.

The other piece of legislation that should strengthen the league allows for more grant-in-aid for each school to award.

The biggest increase will be in football where the full grant-in-aid total jumped from 50 to 60.

In basketball, the total number of grants dropped from 20 to 18 in compliance with NCAA rules. No more than six full grants may be awarded in a single year.

Spring sports scholarships have been increased from half to full grants. Baseball will be able to award 12, golf five, tennis five and track and cross-country 14.

In other legislation of interest, it appears that eight Saturdays of basketball are almost assured of being broadcast next winter in the OVC.

NM Productions, who has produced the OVC Game of the Week for the last two seasons, "has agreed to do it another year with no cut in the conference," said athletic committee chairman Bibb. "The same network that produced the Tennessee high school tournament this year is also interested in the possibility of televising the OVC games."

Austin Peay athletic director George Fisher, member of the OVC selection committee, commented, "The new network will meet with Commissioner Jack Gorman in Nashville in the near future to see if they can come up with a better package than the one MM has. MM Productions will have the option of trying to come up with a package that it is better than the new network's proposal if there is one made."

"There will more than likely be eight games telecast," added Fisher. "The first game will be Austin Peay at Eastern Kentucky."

Thinlins gain respect

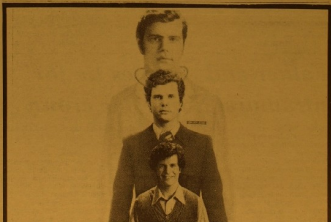
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crossing the finish line in the 220-yard dash.

"That was the turning point," said Gantler afterwards. "Carter probably would have finished among the top three, giving the

Governors at least one more point."

Cookeville will be the site of Austin Peay's next track competition when the Governors challenge the field in the TIAC championships May 3-4.



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