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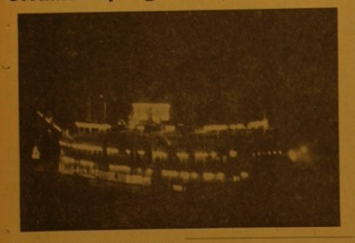
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1300 Voice Mass Chorus Thrills Campus

The Steamer, "Avalon", To Be Scene Of Annual Spring Formal, Iris Ball



The excursion steamer, "Avalon" will be the scene of the 1954 annual Iris Ball to be held the evening of April 21, from 8 until 12 p. m. As in the past, the dance will be formal, but it will be a "no flower" occasion.

The steamer, a four-deck steel boat, has a large dance floor which can accommodate 1,300 people, and an eight-piece orchestra which travels with them. This is the third year the steamer has been on the Cumberland River. Before that it toured the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers for several years.

This year money for the dance is being collected by a "voluntary contribution" method. Each student who plans to attend is asked to contribute a dollar for himself and a dollar for every outside guest he brings. This is to supplement the student activity fund which is not large enough to rent the steamer by itself. Students are asked to get their money in to Miss Chapman in the Student Center as soon as possible, as rental arrangements may be made.

Austin Peay Coeds Model New Styles

Three Austin Peay co-eds were among the models in Family Paddocks, held April 2 under the sponsorship of the Women's Auxiliary of the Memorial Hospital and presented by Parks-Bell Co. Showing spring and summer styles for all the family, the group included ten pre-schoolers, several teenagers, the collegians, and several ladies from the young married set.

Dorothy Jo Coleman appeared in a blue-gray spring suit featuring fitted jacket and slitted-pleat skirt. She chose blue accessories. A white figured sun-dress, worn with white accessories composed the second ensemble modeled by Miss Coleman.

Betty Ray Leach was shown wearing a full-skirted, sleeveless aqua frock piped in white. She also modeled a yellow and white dress with a pink neck, short puffed sleeves and full skirt.

Rebecca Morrison modeled a green-checked sport dress accented with black and white accessories.

College Library Receives 200 Books

Richard E. Meriwether, Austin Peay State College alumnus, has given to the college library a gift of around 200 books.

The books are a part of the library of Misses and Mrs. E. C. Crossman, deceased relatives of Mr. Meriwether.

According to Miss Lucy C. Howard, college librarian, the books are valuable addition to the library's collection. They are all good books of biography, fiction, and non-fiction and all are in excellent condition. They will be placed in the library's regular collection and will be available for the use of students and citizens of the region.

Gifts from libraries such as that of Miss Crossman are always of high quality and are most acceptable to the college library, Miss Howard said.

Special bookplates are placed in all gift books, she said, so that readers may know the names of persons who have given books to the library.

Others who have given books to the library recently include Misses Ann and Louise Bollin and Mrs. Annyrily Armstrong. In addition, the library contains the Charles Pendleton Collection, the Matt C. Lyle Collection and a number of valuable books given by the late Robert L. McReynolds.

William B. Clevenger Is Elected President Of Eta Rho Chapter

William B. Clevenger, Jr., Austin Peay State College senior, has been elected president of the Eta Rho Chapter of Kappa Delta Pi. Other officers elected for the coming year were Mrs. Harold Pryor, president; Margaret Rich, secretary; and Mrs. Leta Bryant, historian.

Kappa Delta Pi is an honorary educational fraternity with chapters on college and university campuses over the nation. Its membership is composed of graduating seniors and graduate students whose qualifications meet the high standards of the organization.

Clevenger, the newly elected president, recently attended the Biennial Kappa Delta Phi Convention held at Purdue University. Clevenger gave a report on his trip at the last meeting of the local chapter held earlier this week.

Dr. George W. Boswell, sponsor of the local chapter, entertained the members of the organization with a selection of folk songs at the recent meeting.

AP Campus To Represent Govs On Radio Program

One of the campus beauties will be selected this month by the staff of the All State to represent Austin Peay State College in the "College Queen of America" contest sponsored by the Mutual Broadcasting System's radio program, "Queen For a Day."

Any woman 18 years of age or older, enrolled in a U. S. college or university in the year 1954, is eligible. Entries will be judged from photographs submitted on the basis of beauty, personality, and charm, as revealed by the photographs. Contest will be judged by a board of impartial beauty experts headed by Jack Bailey, master of ceremonies of "Queen For a Day."

The contest begins April 19, 1954. From all entries received as of midnight May 7, five winners will be chosen. These five nominees who excel in the foregoing qualifications will win a trip to Hollywood for three days from May 19-22, and will have the opportunity to appear on Mutual's "Queen For a Day" radio and television program where the studio audience will choose one of them as "College Queen of America." The final group selected will receive additional prizes given by the program's sponsors, Old Gold cigarettes.

Crockarell Pilots Navy Carrier Plane

Naval Aviation Cadet Bailey M. Crockarell has qualified as a carrier pilot after six successful landings aboard the light aircraft carrier USS Monterey in the Gulf of Mexico.

Cadet Crockarell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Iven S. Crockarell of Route 2, Indian Mound, Tennessee. He attended Austin Peay State College prior to entering the Naval Aviation Cadet program through the U. S. Naval Air Station, Memphis, Tennessee.

The landings composed a stringent schedule in military, academic, physical and flight training at the U. S. Naval Air Station in Pensacola, Florida. "The Annapolis of the Air," a course of instruction in instrument flying at the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Corry Field, also in Pensacola, is his next step towards earning the coveted Navy "Wings of Gold."

M.E.N.C. Sings For A.A.U.W. Meet

The Austin Peay Chapter of the Music Educators National Conference (M.E.N.C.) will present a program this evening, April 12, for a meeting of the American Association of University Women to be held at the Montgomery Hotel.

The program will be entitled "Music for the Fun of It," and will include a string trio composed by Miss Nita Fullmer, Lloydie McClearen, Betty Wallace, Mary Hefflin, Dot Nolen, and Stella Moore.

Mid. Tenn. Choral Festival Held Here



Seen above are some of the students warming up before their performance before the adjudicators, William J. Hart and Charles F. Bryan.

A large audience of Austin Peay students and Clarksvilleans were thrilled by the 1300 voice mass chorus which performed in the Memorial Gymnasium on the evening of April 2.

Under the direction of Charles F. Bryan, music instructor of the Indian Springs School in Alabama, the choir sang six numbers, including: "Never Tell Thy Love," "Teena, Teena, Teena," "Early One Morning," "See Me Cross the Water," "I've Been Baked," and the "Hallelujah Chorus from the Mount of Olives."

Dean of Women Attends Reception At White House

Miss Mabell Meacham, dean of women at Austin Peay State College, was one of a group of 50 women who were received at the White House by Mrs. Eisenhower last week.

The First Lady gave the reception to honor the presidents of the Deans of Women Association of the 48 states. Miss Meacham is president of the Tennessee Association of Dean of Women and was in Washington attending a meeting of the National Association.

Following the White House reception, the guests were shown over the grounds by attendants. Also a tour of the building was conducted before the reception.

While in Washington, Miss Meacham and the other deans from the Tennessee colleges and universities met and planned the fall program for their state organization.

Math Tournament Sponsored By Galois To Be Held April 24

Vienna, Illinois, Hopkinsville and Todd County High Schools of Kentucky are three out-of-state schools that will take part in the Fourth Annual Mathematics Contests at Austin Peay State College on Saturday, April 24.

Schools from Nashville entering the meet are Central, Father Ryan, and Hillsboro (the defending champion), Battle Ground Academy from Franklin and Central High from Chattanooga will be represented again. Clarksville High School has entered a strong bid for honors this year, with competition coming from Central of Chestnut County, Central of Montgomery, Dickson, Trousdale County, Columbia (a former winner), Cooperstown, Lebanon, Gallatin, and Waverly.

Contests will be held in first-year algebra, second-year algebra, and geometry. The contests are sponsored by the Galois Club of the College under the direction of its president, Harold Knight, of Waverly.

Two AP Students Injured In Wreck

(FROM THE NASHVILLE TENNESSEAN, MARCH 29, 1954)

Four persons have been hospitalized as a result of injuries suffered in a one-car traffic accident on Highway 41-A near here Thursday night.

In Clarksville hospital are Miss Jane McGowan, 20, of Hopkinsville, and Miss Fay Rice, 21, of Lyles. Two students of Austin Peay State College, Miss McGowan suffered severe lacerations on the head and Miss Rice bruises and cuts on the leg.

In Fort Campbell hospital are Earl Charles H. Weiland, 21, driver of the car, and Pfc. David H. McKee, 19, both of the 114th maintenance parachute maintenance company. Weiland received face lacerations and internal injuries. McKee has a fractured back.

According to sheriff officers, the accident occurred near Bangs, five miles south of here. Weiland lost control of the car on a curve, smashing it against a tree in the yard of Miss Annie Camperly home.

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CHRISTMAS IN JULY?

Due to a teacher's meeting which will be held on the preceding week there will be no Easter holidays this year. Instead there will be no classes held on April 8.

The students which do not plan to attend college during the summer quarters are certainly hoping that Christmas won't be held in July. But even of course there's nothing like variety.

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If spring is when a young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love, then this must not be spring. We've never seen such an uneventful spring. Everyone is still going with the same old person, we haven't spied any new romances, and there have been no spectacular break-ups.

However, a few of the old faithfuls have taken further steps along the road to a life together. Nancy Mass and Nancy Smith are both sporting mighty pretty diamonds from their boyfriends.

Brenda England has left us to become Mrs. Tom Pochardick. Bobby T. was welcomed back by all his friends here—especially Suzanne.

Jeff seemed to be enjoying himself the day of the music festival. We saw him leave with a jeep full of girls. Also saw a lot of other happy faces due to the fact that high school sweethearts were here. Bill Gossett and Peggy Mallory have been spending a lot of time together lately. Also, Bobby Ellis and Kay Thompson, Chuck and Helen, Bill and Phoebe, Donna and Ken West, Al Baley and Margaret Pount, Dot Collier and Allan Workman, and Gayle and Moe.

Betsy was really walking on air a couple of weeks ago when Marshall was home. Can we blame her?

We've been hearing "little" rumors about Stan and Marjorie Lane, Betty and Dennis Sanders, Ray and Bev Baker, and Connie and Donnie Holmes. Congratulations, kids.

Just thought of another engagement—Brown Harvey and Betty Balphor. Wedding bells will ring for them this spring.

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Jane Hinton has certainly been a girl this quarter since Karl isn't in school. We hear he's seen in these parts every week-end, though.

Who was the strange boy in the cafeteria with Cindy the other night?

Who is the girl that has been giving Jesse Powle such a hard time lately?

Wanda Smith seems to have interests at Vandy. At least we saw her with a Vandy man the other night.

Rebecca Morrison hears from her sailor real often.

We'd better stop for this time. Deadline was three days ago.

One final word to the men. Get a date for the Iris Ball.

An informal sock hop will be held in the Memorial gymnasium, Wednesday, April 14, from eight to eleven. Sponsored by the seniors, the dance is to help pay for the class gift to the school. The music is by AMI (that's a juke box, dad!), and admission is twenty-five cents per person.

The master committee, the class ways and means committee, is composed of Bonnie Jean Garrett, Ann Miller, Ken Herring, Billy Nash, and Durward Harris. Chapmans will be the class sponsors. Mr. Harry Law and Dr. Joseph Sutton.

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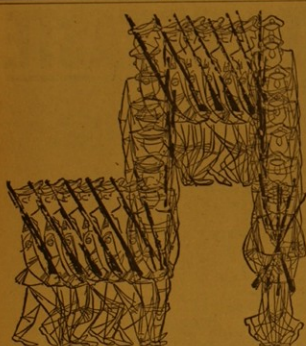


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BY AL CAPP

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Only My Opinion

BY RAY BAKER

The gridiron Governors of Austin City climaxed Spring Practice with a bruising intra-squad brawl that gave the handful of shivering spectators an idea of what to expect when Fall rolls around once more. As far as long runs and brilliant passing are concerned, they were few and far between. This was due mainly to the weather, which was the Clarksville usual; rainy and cold. If one was looking for hard running and knock-down-dragout line play, he came to the right place. In the line, Big Ben Clark was particularly outstanding at the pivot spot, as were Moose Moore, Bob Brown, Jack Beneney and Sherill Wayne. A great deal of improvement has been shown by the latter two. Don Woods, Mal Langston, and James Williams

have shown that they are capable of manning the end posts. The injured Bobby Way will be around for action next fall and will make that position even stronger. Turning to the backfield, "Moose" Corso, "Red" Mitchell, and Bill Alexander were standouts at the half-back spots. Lloyd Hill shows signs of taking his place alongside Charlie Quarles and Bobby Lewis, two of the fine Ovi fullbacks of the past few seasons. If he can dodge the injury bug and continue to improve, he should develop into one of the best. Johnny Martin called his usual good game at quarterback and looks like number one man for that spot. Jack Midwood, a newcomer to Austin Peay, did a good job, but was hampered by a lack of experience with the Split-T.

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AP Track Team Needs YOU

Coach Dave Aaron has issued another call for all male students who wish to become members of the first Austin Peay track team to report to the Memorial Gym this afternoon at three o'clock. A minimum of 27 men are needed to fill the positions of the squad. At present there are only twelve men working out.

The first dual meet was originally scheduled for Monday, April 12, with Union University at Jackson, Tennessee, but the lack of men and experience caused the meet to be cancelled. In an effort to establish track at Austin Peay, Coach Aaron proposed a plan for cancelling all dual meets and substituting a large invitational meet involving colleges in this area. Tentative date for the meet has been set for the first week of May. If the invitational meet is successful, several dual meets will be rescheduled in the weeks following. Highlighting the track season will be the Volunteer State Athletic Conference meet which is to be held here May 15.

The athletic department wishes to impress upon the students the fact that a person does not have to have an athletic scholarship to participate in track. Track was primarily set up in an effort to provide an intercollegiate sport for those students who were not able to

Winter Quarter Dean's List

Thirty-nine Austin Peay Students have qualified for the winter quarter Dean's List.

To be eligible for the Dean's List a student must meet the following qualifications:

(1) To have earned not less than fifteen quarter hours credit for the quarter with no grade lower than "C".

(2) Must have attained an average of 2.65 out of a possible 3.0.

Those who received his honor are: Betty Bailey, Ft. Campbell, Ky.; Erma Dean Berry, Sylvia; Patricia Berry, Sylvia; Merle Chance, Dover; Billy Chandler, Hopkinsville, Ky.; Jimmy Clardy, Clarksville; Dorothy G. G. K. R. A. N. Hopkinsville; Cuyler Dunbar, Woodville, Tenn.; Billy K. Farris, Columbia, Tenn.; Ruth Frey, Greenbrier; Robert Frost, Madison, Ind.; Joe Broom, Linden, Tenn.; Eva Hardin, Billy Heslon,

Clarkville, Tenn.; Don Hinton, Guthrie, Ky.; Jane Hinton, Guthrie, Ky.; Jo Ann Hinton, Clarksville, Tenn.; Harold Knight, Waverly, Tenn.

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Margaret Rich, Huntington, Tenn.; Susan Higgins, Clarksville, Tenn.; Paul Sanders, Trenton, Ky.; Lewis Sego, Clarksville, Tenn.; Carolyn Shastien, Clarksville, Tenn.; Nancy Smith, Dover, Tenn.; Carl Suddeth, Oak Grove, Ky.; Richard Sullivan, Clarksville, Tenn.; Ann Swift, Cumberland Furnace, Tenn.; Joe Tate, Clarksville, Tenn.; Billy Faye Welker, Clarksville, Tenn.; and Judy Young, Clarksville, Tenn.

participate in other sports.

There are 14 events in all and if some one is not fielded in each of these the school will have to forfeit points in the events that no one enters. A track meet is won on points, therefore, it is necessary to field some one in each event.

Here are the 14 events and if you

can do any one of these please come out for track. The events are as follows: Discus, Javelin, shot put, high jump, broad jump, pole vault, 110 yard high hurdles, 220 yard hurdles, 100 yard dash, 220 yard dash, 440 yard dash, 440 yard relay, 880 yard dash, one mile run, and the two mile run.

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