

## 400 Students Can't Be Wrong

## APNS AVIATORS FIRST IN TENNESSEE TO BATTLE THE BREEZES ALONE

## Members of the Aviation Class Reveal Reasons for Wishing to Become Crusaders of the Air

I know several people who would like the following poem dedicated to several professors:  
After the bell is over:

I know several people who would like the following poem dedicated to several professors:  
After the bell is over;  
After the class is through,  
Why must you keep us waiting  
When there's so much to do?  
When we've a scant ten min-

Going from class to class—  
Lockers are hard to open—  
Minutes are bound to pass.  
E'en though you keep on talk-  
ing.  
Outsides the hallways jam.

None of us ever listens.  
All of us want to scam.  
There is a time for working—  
There is a time for play;  
Save what you have to tell us,  
There'll be another day.  
We can't help being restless,

After twenty minutes to;  
Mail boxes must be looked at.  
Library books are due.  
O, after the bell is over,  
After the class is done,  
Dear Prof., if you keep me  
waiting

Some day I'll break and run.  
Things would be much more  
cozy,  
Life in this college swell,  
If you could only cease lec-  
tures—  
After the bell.

This poem was written by a student at Chico State College in Chico, California. Because it is peculiarly appropriate, according to some of our students, we reprint it here.

## SOPHOMORE CLASS ELECTS BLACKBURN AS VICE-PRESIDENT

VOTES TO SOON ENTERTAIN  
FRESH AND JUNIOR  
CLASSES

A meeting of the Sophomore Class was held Friday, January 12, for the purpose of electing a vice-president. J. B. Hatley, former vice-president, had advanced to the presidency due to the transfer of Jack Price to Mercer College, Georgia.

Nominees for vice-president were Billy Wall, Willard Blackburn and Robert McNew. Blackburn was elected by a large majority.

After a lengthy discussion it was decided that the Sophomore Class would be host to the Freshman and Junior classes at a party to be given in Harned Hall at some date in the near future.

### Drama Class To Present Play In Chapel

**MODERN COMEDY CHOSEN FOR INITIAL PERFORMANCE**

The Austin Peay dramatic class will make its initial public appearance in chapel Friday, January 26. The play selected for the class stage debut is entitled, "Gramma, Old Style," by Walter Prichard Eaton, Dean of the Yale School of Dramatics.

Those taking part in this comedy of modern manners and morals are: Edith Smith, Sibyl Williams, Kate Anna Jobe, Margaret Hatcher, Allen (Ace) Harvey, and Charles Buford Russell.

## Dr. Clayton Praised By Governor Cooner

OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION  
MEETING ATTENDED BY  
HARVILL AND CLAXTON

Governor Prentice Cooper in a recent appearance before the Tennessee Officers' Association praised Dr. P. P. Claxton, president of Austin Peay Normal School, saying that he was Tennessee's great man in education.

Referring at length to Dr. Claxton's work as Director of the Summer School of the South, as pioneer in the State's General Educational Bill, as United States Commissioner of Education, the Governor said he was glad that Dr. Claxton had chosen to return to Tennessee to work for the betterment of rural education.

The crisp command, "Contact," and the steady roar of motor echoes through the humdrum routine of school life, as members of the aviation class begin one by one to realize their greatest ambition—to take to the air alone.

Buford Ledbetter was the first, closely followed by our only winged co-ed, Miss Ruby Smith. The others who have soloed are Jimmy Noland, Nevins McKinnon, Thomas Wilholte and Clifton Brame. By the end of this week Mr. Knapp says all his students will have soloed.

The members of the aviation class, being tired of various old fogies asking why the dear children wanted to learn to fly, have the following answers ready for the public:

Miss Ruby Smith—Ruby has always wanted to fly and she wants most of all to be a commercial pilot. She scorns the idea of marriage; no man could be as fascinating as an airplane. She hates pounding a typewriter and she feels much safer flying alone than driving a car.

Thomas Wilhoite — Wilhoite says he is definitely not flying for pleasure—money-making is his sole objective. He wants to be a commercial pilot and is saving his money to buy a plane with Brame's help.

Clifton Brame—Brame wants to be a commercial pilot and expects to get his time barnstorming next summer with Wilhoite.

Baxter Lehman—He, too, expects to turn commercial, with the usual preliminary barnstorming. Wilhoite says Lehman's great ambition is to equal Tom's ability as a grease-monkey—but that ain't the way we heard it.

Gene Hall—Hall aspires to help Uncle Sam in the army and he says the best part of flying is the acrobatics. If it becomes

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## Educational Problem Of Future Revealed In Student Letters

**KNOWLEDGE SEEKERS TELL  
STORIES OF POVERTY  
—ASK FOR WORK**

In the fall of 1938, thirty-three boys and thirty-six girls made application to President P. P. Peay to Claxton for part-time employment that they might be financially able to enter the Austin Peay Normal School. The majority were representatives of an entire state, at least eighty per cent of whom were from rural communities, and largely sons and daughters of tenants. This same autumn marked the beginning of the Resident Training NYA Project in the school, when one hundred other pupils began their training in various ways through the school. Despite the fact that the Austin Peay Normal School offers a less expensive means of education than any other of Tennessee's state schools, this large group of students was so handicapped that with-

The 1938 school year is only typical of every other year in the history of the school. When compilations have been completed for the 1939-40 quarters, they will but reveal the same. Should one closely examine the files for the years gone by, there are still to be found those numbers of letters—letters revealing the conflict of Poverty and Ambition.

One letter told of a boy, only child with both parents living, whose ambition was to go to school. The family paid \$5.50 per month house rent, and the sole income was the meager WPA salary of the mother.

A mother, writing on behalf of her son, told of a small farmer with an income below expenses. Her husband had been doing some painting to aid in meeting bills, but his health had failed. Doctors said that perhaps he would never do hard manual labor again. In the face of all this a mother, a father, and a boy were willing and anxious to sacrifice to the utmost to send their son to college.

## FUTURE TEACHERS RECEIVE CHARTER

## FIRST GROUP IN TENNESSEE SCHOOLS TO DO SO

Becoming the first charter member of the Future Teachers of America in the State of Tennessee, the Claxton Chapter held its regular meeting January 11 with 23 regular members present. The president, Fred Gup-ton, read the official charter recently received from Washing-ton, D. C.

Immediately following the reading of the charter an interesting program was given by Zelma Harger, Katie Sue Denton and Christine Pardue. Securing a position was an interesting and instructive subject for the Future

The club will have a chili supper Saturday night, January 20 in the gymnasium of the Demonstration School. The following committees have been appointed:

Food—Ova Walker, chairman; Minnie Hudson, Katie Sue Denton, Dora Bates.

Entertainment—Virginia Hackney and Mary Lena Brents.

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## Outstanding Work Year Completed By Girls' Club

The Girls' Clubs of the Austin Peay Normal School made a very distinct contribution to the college and to the student body at various times during the year of 1938.

The Alpha Club under the direction of the president, Marie Horton, and the sponsorship of Miss Annie Laura Huff, bought the much needed steel chairs for the dormitory porch; contributed to a Christmas basket and paid admission fees for members to the "All Clubs" picnic held at Danbar Cave.

The Beta Club under the direction of the president, Terrell McCurdy, and the sponsorship of Miss Mary Kathryn Tanner, during the last school year had numerous picnics and one of the most outstanding programs is chapel.

The Delta Club, directed by Mary Fitzpatrick and sponsored by Miss Martha Buchanan, assisted at all social functions.

The Kappa Club, newly organized October, 1938, has made outstanding contributions to the college and student body with Mary Payne Claxton, president, and Miss Virginia Keel, sponsor. The club gave a tea in honor of the faculty, and a "Stagette" dance was given to raise money. In April the Kappas entertained 25 children of the Community Center at an Easter egg hunt. A spring formal was given through the end of the school year. The freshmen entertained the upper classes at a beautiful luncheon.

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## FACULTY NEWS

Miss Martha Buchanan spent her Christmas vacation in Fayetteville, Tennessee with her family.

The new officers of the College Women's Club were elected at their last meeting. Miss Martha Buchanan was elected president; Mrs. R. R. Spafford, vice president; Mrs. H. C. Phillips, secretary; Mrs. J. B. Bond, treasurer.

Miss Mary Kathryn Tanner spent Christmas in Rockwood, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Law and family visited Mr. Law's father in Macon County.

Miss Anna Leigh McCorkle delivered a lecture at the Parent Teachers' Association of the Howell School on "Problems of the Adolescent Child Faces."

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Moffitt and family spent their Christmas vacation in McMinnville, Tennessee.

Miss Annie Laurie Huff spent part of the Christmas holidays at her home in Fayetteville, Tennessee, and the remainder with her sister in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Shasteen spent their Christmas vacation in Fayetteville and Franklin, Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Woodward and Miss Annie Laurie Huff attended the performance of "The Taming of the Shrew" given in the Ryman auditorium in Nashville on January 12.

Miss Mary Kathryn Tanner went to Nashville, Friday evening, January 12, to see the play, "The Taming of the Shrew."

The greatest achievement of the club was the gift to the college of a large outdoor fireplace which will be a great pleasure to many students through the years to come.

The Omega Club under the direction of Lillian Hunt, and sponsored by Miss Hazel Smith, contributed toward the purchase of song books for the Sunday evening services at the dormitory and a glider for the front veranda.

The Zeta Club, under the president, Ethel Parris, and sponsor, Miss Mary Bryan, gave in April, the Zeta Club Iris Ball with beautiful decorations and Iris corsages for the lady guests. The club members enjoyed a breakfast hike and other picnics.

### HARNED HALL NOTES (Continued from Page 1)

drick wedding dinner. She knows Jimmy, they say!

Some boys do have a good taste—especially Brodie. He picked Sara Harper.

Those two town girls, Jean and Jeannette really pulled a bonner during their visit with Mattie and Evangeline. Ask them about it.

Edith Smith spent the last week-end of Christmas in Medina with Sara Raines.

A card of thanks to our basketball team for giving us a chance to get out of the "Bastille on nights other than Friday."

Nice radio you got for Christmas, Mary Evelyn.

Glenn and Russell are running M. E. and Claxton a hot race for the most "decided couple."

A hamburger has been known to cause agony from a rebellious stomach but never agony from a rebellious matron—Result—campus!

## CHRISTMAS CRUISES

Don Thompson spent the Christmas holidays with friends in Kaufman, Texas. The visit featured deer hunting.

Bill Richardson was the guest of Raymond Garner at his home in Waverly, Tennessee, during the holidays.

Bill Furlow attended the Cotillion and other dances at his home in Bristol, Tennessee. He rounded up the holiday season visiting Tarzace Pitt, at his home in Ashland City, Tennessee.

Bill Noe was present at the Russellville Cotillion and New Year's dance at Russellville, Kentucky. He also entertained Willard Blackburn during the holidays.

John Cunningham attended the Cotillion Cotillon, Jr. Deb, and Sub Deb dance at Hopkinsville, Ky. He was the guest of Huelin Fortner.

Maxie Wallace took a holiday sojourn into St. Louis, Missouri, where he visited with relatives. He attended numerous social functions while there.

Roy Long of Martin College visited Miss Kittie Belle Parker during their Christmas holidays.

Miss Sibyl Williams spent Christmas week with Miss Edna Mae Wofford at her home in Dover.

Also seen at the Clarksville Cotillion were J. B. Hatley, Homer Rodeheaver and Skip Anderson.

Miss Marcelite Farris entertained with a bridge party December 26 at her home off Robb Avenue.

Tiny Overall, champion Cotillion attender, was the escort of Miss Lillian Colins, vice president of the Pulaski Cotillon. (She is a very beautiful blonde.)

Miss Catherine Cornell was hostess to three tables of bridge at her lovely country home, December 30.

Frank Cooper spent New Year's Eve in Lewisburg.

One of the most delightful events of the holiday season was the intermission party given by Miss Priscilla Pickering December 27 at the home of her aunt on Madison Street. Miss Pickering was escorted to the Cotillion by Smith Keel, Jr., former APNS student, who is now attending

Tot had quite a number of visitors Thursday night. So many in fact, she had to move out.

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Misses Ruth Abernathy and Martha Cribbs came back to Clarksville and spent New Year's with Miss Elizabeth Hallman.

## APNS AVIATORS

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necessary Gene says he will steal a plane (we doubt that). Any thing to build up time! He and Bill Kimbrell plan to barn-storm together. Hall is going to stay away from women. They interfere with flying.

Bill Kimbrell—Bill says the country needs some good aviators, so he plans to enter the air corps. He is going to marry a rich woman, so Hall won't have to steal a plane.

Buford Ledbetter—Buford is learning to fly just for fun. He plans to become an aeronautical engineer. He is partial to landing, but he is not at all nervous in the air. Flying, he says, is the quickest retreat to the North Woods.

Jimmy Noland—Jimmy is flying for recreation. He plans to become a lawyer and he says every lawyer should be an aviator, too. The biggest thing Jimmy has learned is when to pull out the throttle.

Bill Noland—Bill is taking aviation with an army position in mind. He plans to study further at Randolph Field.

Nevin McKinnon—Nevin wants to continue in some phase of the field of aviation. A typical flying play-boy.

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# Governors Gain Glory With Five Wins

## Vandy Vanquished As Governors Begin Victory Rampage

The Austin Peay aggregation of basketballers crushed the Vanderbilt Commodores, 40 to 28, in their first home fracas of the season.

The Governor Gunners had little trouble in voicing the Vanderbilt variety of hardwood opposition as the Bufordmen from Nashville were inconsistent in their premier performance.

Led by high scoring Dayton Ward, the Governors soon gained a lead which they held throughout the game.

The Commodore cagers were perplexed and took repeated time out in a vain attempt to devise a defense. At the end of the first half, the local loopers led 19 to 13.

The second period was to prove even more disastrous for the Black and Gold.

Vanderbilt was unable to score for the first 10 minutes of the last half while the Brown men rolled up 17 points to enjoy a 21-point lead.

A Commodore rally in the closing minutes cut the margin, but the victor was never doubtful.

The Bufordmen received a blow, when their captain and spark, Ross Hanna, fouled out midway of the game.

Marshall Toombs was ejected for similar reasons in later proceedings. Toombs' floor game was a highlight and he did a superb job of guarding Vanderbilt's all Southeastern forward, "Pinky" Lipscomb. It was not until his removal that the Commodores were able to click.

Every Governor who entered the game played admirably.

Austin Peay									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Stinnett	F	2	1	0	1	5			
Blackburn	F	1	1	1	1	3			
Ward	F	10	1	0	2	21			
Law	C	2	1	0	2	5			
Smith	C	0	0	0	0	0			
Hatley	G	0	1	0	3	1			
Toombs	G	1	3	0	4	5			

Final score 40

Vanderbilt									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Lipcomb	F	4	1	0	1	9			
Hicks	F	0	0	0	1	0			
Hanna	F	4	1	0	4	9			
Thwaitt	C	2	0	0	3	4			
Hyden	C	0	0	0	0	0			
Gunn	G	2	0	0	2	4			
Rumsey	G	1	0	0	3	2			
Peebles	G	1	0	0	3	2			

Final score 28

## GOVERNORS MAUL MURRAY TO WIN FOURTH STRAIGHT

### THORNTON'S FRODO SCRAPIED BUT WEAKENED IN FINAL PERIOD

Starting slow in the first period, but springing in the stretch, the Austin Peay Governors defeated the Murray Frogs, 44-33, for their fourth consecutive win. The freshmen, playing on their own floor, clicked for five points before the locals tallied. Then gradually the tables were turned. Shifting Hatley to guard and to cope with tall forwards the Governors took the lead in the second half and retained it.

High scoring seasons were shared by Ward and Hatley, each sinking 11 points.

Austin Peay									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Ward	F	5	1	0	2	11			
Smith	F	2	2	0	2	8			



Left to Right: Front Row—Sears, Stinnett, Blackburn, Ward, Rutledge. Back Row—Coach Brown, Hatley, Smith, Bracey, Law, Toombs.

## SPORT OGS

Rudolph & Rudolph

With the football season history, all eyes center on the hardwood which could well be called the Governors' game. With a stand-out team every year, the boys from Austin Peay are respected by all four-year colleges, and are so feared by some that it is difficult to get games in their class.

In 1938 when the Bransons, Murdock, Lorentson and Campbell starred, the Governors completed a fairly successful season, winning 8 games and losing 5. They entered the Southeastern Association of Junior Colleges tournament at Chattanooga as a dark horse. Showing fine form they breezed through Tennessee Wesleyan, St. Bernard, Middle Georgia and Sneed College to clinch the crown.

In 1939 with Campbell, Hatley, Toombs, Law, Smith, Hunter, Blackburn, Stinnett and others, they won eleven games while dropping six. However, in the tourney the Governors slumped and were defeated in the opener by Tennessee Wesleyan who incidentally came through undefeated.

Now in 1940, with prospects brighter than ever before, and with five wins and no defeats until their belt, the current cagers are facing their brightest season in years.

Last year's starting five is back, with the exception of Lonnie Hunter, whose shoes seem well filled by "Country" Ward.

Austin Peay									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Hatley	F	3	1	0	3	11			
Law	C	2	1	0	1	2			
Bracey	C	1	0	0	1	2			
Toombs	G	3	2	0	4	8			
Blackburn	G	1	0	0	2	2			
Stinnett	G	0	0	0	0	0			

Final score 44

former East High star in Nashville, and a freshman at Austin Peay.

With the return games of Murray Frosh and U. T. Junior Vols on the docket and a two-game series with both Union University and Freed-Hardman, the remainder of the season promises to be lively. There have also been negotiations with T. P. I. but their result is unknown. Also there are some open dates that may be filled.

On Thursday night of this week, the Austin Peay Governors play a return game with the Murray Frosh on the local court. The Teachers, pronounced as the scrappiest quint yet played by the Governors, and smarting from last week's defeat, will be out for blood. It promises to be a cracker-jack fray, so let's all make an effort to attend.

As a prelude to this game, the Calvin Hall Cats receive another crucial test. They stood last week's, but can they repeat? They will be opposed by the "Men About Town," a team composed of gentlemen from Clarksville and vicinity. Some of these fellows played in high school and some didn't. However, they promise to give the Cats all they want on Thursday. Their roster includes such stars as Baggett, McKibben, Jobe, Caldwell, M. Rudolph, C. Rudolph, Burgess, Woolcott, Davis, Darnell and such others that turn up before game time.

Murray Frosh									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Kirkpatrick	F	2	4	0	3	8			
Wallis	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Jennings	F	0	3	0	2	3			
Little	F	0	2	0	2	0			
Camp	C	4	0	0	1	8			
Cathey	C	3	1	0	1	7			

Final score 28

## RAIDERS ROUTED BY BROWN'S BOYS

AUSTIN PEAY SCORES 57 TO MURFREESBORO'S 28

Opening with a whirlwind attack that gave them an early lead, the Governors had little difficulty in defeating the Murfreesboro State Teachers' College quintet. The game, played in the Raiders' gym, was the third straight victory for the locals.

Hatley, who played guard against Vandy and accounted for only one point, found his eye and tickled the mesh for 17 counters to lead the scoring.

Austin Peay, playing against the odds of a four-year college, proved its mettle again and emerged with a margin of 29 points.

Austin Peay									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Ward	F	6	0	0	0	12			
Smith	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Hatley	F	7	3	0	0	17			
Rutledge	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Law	C	2	0	1	3	4			
Bracey	C	0	0	0	0	0			
Toombs	G	5	1	0	2	11			
Sears	G	0	0	0	0	0			
Blackburn	G	6	1	0	3	13			
Stinnett	G	0	0	0	0	0			

Murfreesboro									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Bragg	F	1	0	0	2	2			
D. Branson	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Summers	F	1	3	0	1	5			
C. Branson	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Mackey	C	1	0	0	1	2			
Little	C	1	0	0	0	2			
Brewington	G	2	4	0	2	8			
Turpin	G	2	0	0	0	2			
Carter	G	1	0	0	0	2			
Phillips	G	1	1	0	2	3			
Adamson	G	0	0	0	0	0			

Final Score									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Shupe	G	0	0	0	0	0			
McGowan	G	0	0	0	0	0			
Grimmer	G	2	1	0	2	5			

Final score 57

## Jr. Vols Fall Before Mighty APNS Cagemen

VISITORS HELD TO TWO POINTS FOR FIRST HALF

Holding the U. T. Junior Vols scoreless for the first quarter and allowing only two points the entire first half, the Governor quintet continued its victory march. The final score was 35-12 in favor of Austin Peay.

Although showing poor form at times, the Governors clicked well enough to pile up a comfortable lead.

Every man on the squad saw action, the second team starting the contest.

Ward again led the scoring with 13 points.

Austin Peay (35)									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Stinnett	F	3	4	0	0	10			
Ward	F	6	1	0	0	13			
Smith	F	0	0	0	0	0			
Hatley	F	1	0	0	2	3			
Bracey	C	1	0	0	2	2			
Law	C	1	0	0	2	2			
Deal	C	1	1	0	1	3			
Rutledge	G	0	0	0	0	0			
Blackburn	G	2	1	0	0	5			
Toombs	G	0	1	0	1	1			
Sears	G	0	0	0	1	0			

U. T. Junior Vols									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
Bratton	F	1	0	0	2	2			
Winstead	F	1	0	0	1	2			
Meadows	F	0	1	0	1	1			
Batey	F	0	0	0	3	0			
Rice	C	0	0	0	0	0			
Nunnely	C	0	0	0	0	0			
Easley	G	0	0	0	2	0			
Shellybarker	G	2	0	0	1	4			
Kirkpatrick	G	1	0	0	1	2			
Baker	G	0	1	0	1	1			

Final score									
Player	Pos.	FG	FT	TP	PF	TP	TP	TP	TP
West	G	0	0	0	1	0			

Final score 35

## Through The Keyhole

... And Joe Killebrew goes for carrots—at least for carrot tops like Tot. Its dark days ahead for Buddy C. since M. Knott found out about "that other girl." ... Roses to Dan Cupid from T. Wilhoute for his good work in the recent Harvey-Ruble romance. It is no more. ... A letter from Murray State Teachers' College is all that is needed to spur March up these days and she's from his home town. ... Opal is having a hard time keeping immune to Deutch & Garner. ... Little brothers are always in the way. Tom Knapp comes to see Ruby Smith quite often. ... Does Natalie desire to revive a former romance with the Honorable Bill Spafford? Super Snooper Sleuths thought she wanted J. B. Cunningham. Make up your mind Natalie, you can't have 'em both. ... A childhood custom of passing notes is brought to life in typing class by T. Brandon and Iva Dell S. ... Seen at the game Thursday night: B. Wall and Edith S.—Jack Dur-

ham and M. Denson—Law and Nolon—Sharber and Bennett—Crouch and Harper—Tombs and Hunter—Coke and Wilson—Wallace and Ross—Moffitt and Harris—Cooper and Hays—Parnell and Jobe—Martin and De Priest—Perdue and Sanders—Lee and Castleberry—Pruitt and Winn—Russell Evans and Glenn—Ross Crow Shelton and Ellis—Charlie Rudolph and Organ—Anderson and Haneline. ... Seen around Friday night Jobe and McKee—Spirakis and Newton—Lard Atkins and Pardue—C. E. Nichols and Castleberry (she really gets around)—Blackburn and Davis—Ledbetter and Seagraves—Noland and Winters. ... Why so sad Cullum? Keep your chin up—Mary Evelyn will soon forgive you. ... A Leap Year Party—and Electa Sanders asked one of the Law boys. It has to be M. J. 'cause we know what Harry's doing. ... Priscilla is an ardent correspondent, writing both to Svith and Douglas Haneline.

Well, aw shuckens and tish, tish will Beowolf and Evelyn ever settle down? ... Been fussin lately 'cause Ev sat on somebody's lap. ... She said that gravity caused it. ... Durham and Denson are again on the smooth. ... maybe it was Christmas. ... Wasn't it kind of Edith Smith to give Furlow that scrapbook for his birthday gift last week. ... Gosh, he'd been saving scraps for years. ... And don't you think Dr. Claxton ought to stop throwing up his hand in chapel? ... He's liable to break his wrist someday. ... Hows about having a faculty

## Courageous Cats Conquer Rickety Rodents

### GAME PLAYED DURING BLACKOUT AS GILMORE OVERSHADOWS COURT

In a malicious melee staged at the CHS gymnasium, Thursday, January 11, the Calvin Hall Cats roared rough-and-ready over the riotous Robo Hall Rats. The Cats, composed of numerous football luminaries, used the Neyland system in their march to their 33-2 victory. Their deep-field blocking was most effective much to the chagrin of the Rats. Also their tactics of substituting a new team every quarter wore down the opposition. Dr. Chas. H. Gilmore acted as referee and was required to quiet the coaches of both teams at various times. Coach of the cord ripping Cats was J. B. Hatley, while the rough and ready Rats had as their mentor George "Buck" Simmet, both of basketball fame.

## GOVERNORS GRIND PEPS TO A PULP

### LOCALS SHOW FIRE IN INITIAL APPEARANCE

The Austin Peay Normal basketball battery opened blasting bombardment with an easy 45 to 34 win over the Y. M. H. A. Peps of Nashville.

Dayton and "Country" Ward of Nashville and East High led the male aporoid contingent to victory in his initial college clash.

The Governor gladiators gained a good head in the first half, as they registered 32 points to their opponents' 18.

Marshall Tombs, the spark of the spherical specialists, and Big Boy Brace were disqualified in the second set when fouling became frequent.

The College Street quietest collected 13 points, while the Peps amassed 16 counters in the finish.

beauty contest in chapel some day? ... It would be loads of fun and it would also settle that age-old feud between Bond and Hague over who is the best looking. ... It has been rumored that Bond can tap dance, too. ...

... Clebch didn't mention it but Buchanan actually has Ann Harris eating out of his hand. ... Oh, well, Sophs will be silly. ... Billy Clebch should forget the word "Hurrab". It cost him twenty points in Chemistry the other day. ... And somebody really panned Dean the other day in a poem that was written on the board in his room. ...

Get Miss Buchanan to tell you the difference between Barbecue cake and lamb. ... It's a scream! Identify the following faculty members:

1. He unwittingly became exceedingly gross.  
2. Hmnnnn, it's a pretty good thing.  
3. I have seen war and I hate war.

4. Ahhhhhhh!  
5. It's ten o'clock, girls.  
By the way, ... it is true that a certain Faculty member received an offer from the Listener Company just to say "Ahhhhhhh" over the air.

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## EDUCATIONAL PROBLEM

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boy through school.

One letter told of unsuccessful parents, one of whom had been forced to undergo an operation.

A family of seven lived on a grandmother's small farm, the father running a peddling truck. A girl who graduated from high school in 1934 was a member of a family of ten, owned no home, and the family income amounted to approximately \$500 annually. Another spoke of a \$200 income, five children in the family, and home mortgage.

"The problem is there," declared Dr. Claxton. "What can be done about it?"

It is only through the education of the masses that these meager incomes and poverty stricken homes may be eliminated. It is only through education that we can do away with faulty farm management and soil destruction. By this means only can we avoid disastrously low prices for farm products—the only means by which these numbers may become able to enter school!

This is the problem that confronts the growth of America today—the problem which the students of Austin Peay Normal School must help to solve.

## APNS BAND

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laureate sermon at the Baptist Church in June, and as Commencement would not be complete without music, they added much to the occasion with their splendid renditions. The Choir was rewarded for its diligent work by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bailey, who entertained them May 21 with a lovely Al fresco party at their beautiful home on Madison Street. After supper the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Hague, were presented a beautiful wedding cake by the host.

Several times during the year the Choir gave splendid programs in Chapel. Just before Christmas they remembered the sick and shut-ins and went to the hospital and various homes, singing carols, which were greatly enjoyed.

The year 1940 bids fair to be a bigger and better year for the Choir, which has been divided into two sections, one of ninety-

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