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TBR approves organizational changes

by ALICIA MOOREHEAD
editor-in-chief

The Tennessee Board of Regents last Friday approved several organizational changes affecting Austin Peay despite considerable objections and a resolution calling for no action to be taken on the issues.

In a called meeting last week, Austin Peay's Faculty Senate voted 29-7 in support of a resolution asking TBR to table several agenda items, including the movement of some academic departments.

Not only were the agenda items approved, but a two-page statement was read into the minutes that cites the Austin Peay Business and Community Solution Center as an excellent way for an institution to organize its resources to serve the local community. The statement also says (APSU President) "Dr. (Sal) Rinella should be commended for his vision and leadership."

Rinella said, "I am pleased that the Tennessee Board of Regents has approved these agenda items and, in the case of the Solution Center, recognized Austin Peay as a leader and model in higher education. Because of the Solution Center's relevance to the region, it has evolved from a guiding title to a coordinated program—one with unlimited potential for the faculty, students, campus and community."

Also last week, Austin Peay's chapter of the American Association of University Professors approved a resolution commending the Faculty Senate.

Both the Faculty Senate and the AAUP resolutions came after months of turmoil and an Aug. 1 letter to TBR Chancellor Charles Smith which raised several questions, one concerning board policy.

Also addressed in the letter sent by the Executive Committee of the Faculty Senate was the apparent low faculty morale at Austin Peay.

The letter said that faculty morale at Austin Peay is at its lowest in decades and according to Dr. Bert Randall, professor of philosophy and president of the Faculty Senate, dozens of staff "have communicated the unhealthy atmosphere of fear and intimidation in which many now work."

The Faculty Senate received a response from the TBR on Tuesday, Sept. 23 after repeated failed attempts to meet with TBR representatives.

The letter from the board addressed many of the concerns in the Faculty Senate letter, including the development of interim positions. The Board said that some

interim appointments are unique to Austin Peay and are designed to accommodate reorganizational needs. It recommended that these positions be phased out. One example is the Interim Administrator of the Business and Community Solution Center. According to the board, it has no policy on interim administrators and "such a position should be eliminated as quickly as possible."

In the Sept. 23 letter, the TBR recognized some inconsistencies at the Board office, especially in the area of reorganization. The Board said it would address that issue. The letter from the Board of Regents also addressed the

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moral problem, attributing it to a new style of leadership in Rinella. Rinella also attributes the moral problem to a new style of leadership. Rinella alluded to the fact that the current administration has replaced administrators who were here for years, and the community is still becoming acclimated to their styles.

However, several faculty members say that the current trend of administrators making decisions has been ongoing for quite some time, and the faculty just want to protect academic freedom and consultation.

The resolution passed 19-2 by the AAUP says, "Academic freedom among students, faculty, staff and administrators is essential to the integrity and vitality of an academic community. The preservation and exercise of these freedoms and mutual obligations presuppose an atmosphere of trust based on honest and open discussion and on the fullest possible information and widest possible participation. Deception, intimidation and secrecy beyond that strictly enjoined by the Privacy Act and similar laws undermine that necessary trust and subvert the freedom and integrity of the community."

Dr. Richard Gildrie, professor of history and AAUP president, said, "It's our job as an AAUP chapter to say

when we find elements of government restrictive to the freedom of academia."

Gildrie said he was a little uncomfortable with the level of freedom and the level of input the university community possesses. "I have a hard time understanding the priorities and the speed with which things have occurred," Gildrie said. "I think it is really important to think about the moral atmosphere that is necessary for good instruction and good learning. Secrets are the enemy."

The Austin Peay chapter of the AAUP was formed last Spring. They began with 13 members but currently boast a membership of 78, just over one-third of the regular faculty.

In an article in the September issue of the Tennessee Conference Newsletter, Gildrie attributes one of the reasons for the growth to the campus conditions.

"Our new president is essentially an affable authoritarian who is secretive about finance and manipulative in the management of people. There has been a purge of the administration. The staff is thoroughly intimidated while many on the faculty believe that only the rules of tenure and academic freedom prevent us from being similarly treated. As it is, there have been incidents enough to convince us that our new leaders are, to say the least, uninterested in any genuine sense of academic community."

Other members of the faculty also believe processes are occurring in a secretive manner.

"An institution is only as sick as its lies, and there is a lot of lying, a lot of deception going on," one faculty member said. "This is the most negative, dysfunctional administration I have ever seen in my life. We have a failed administration and we have a failed presidency."

Randall said not all of the situations are the current administration's responsibilities. "A lot of mistakes the current administration inherited, but decisions have been made to make it worse and those they are accountable for," he said.

Gildrie summarizes the situation at Austin Peay by writing, "We suspect...there has been a drain of resources away from instruction, research and other academic and artistic work into various administrative projects. Average class size is growing; equipment and library budgets are shrinking. Pressure to use more adjunct faculty is increasing. Frequent floating of schemes of reorganizing academic and administrative units (always leading to more bureaucrats and less teaching) keep all confused and most of us 'jumpy.'"

The Tennessee Board of Regents approved several reorganizations, the establishment of new programs and name changes at Austin Peay. Among those agenda items approved are:

- Establish an Office of Enrichment Programs in the Division of Academic Affairs.

- Establish the International Education Center within the Office of Enrichment Programs.

- Establish a Business and Community Solution Center within the Division of Academic Affairs.

- Modify the name of the academic degree (M.A.) program in Speech, Communication and Theatre to Communication Arts.

- Change the name of APSU's Fort Campbell Center to Austin Peay State University's Center at Fort Campbell.

- Move the department of agriculture from the College of Graduate and Professional Programs to the College of Arts and Sciences.

- Move the department of military science from the College of Graduate and Professional Programs to the College of Arts and Sciences.

- Move the department of health and human performance from the College of Graduate and Professional Programs to the School of Nursing.

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Queen elections today in UC

Homecoming Queen elections are being held in the University Center ballroom today from 9 a.m.-6 p.m.

Students will be allowed to vote for up to five candidates with a valid student I.D. The top five candidates will comprise the Homecoming Court and will be interviewed by a panel who will choose the queen. The 1997 Homecoming queen will be announced at the game on Saturday against Tennessee Tech.

The following students are being sponsored by various campus organizations and will be on the ballot for queen: Kristi Wyatt, Rachel Arvin, Brandy Byard, Jacqueline Cofer, Jennifer Feasins, Tara Holancin, Jodi Jacobs, Bri King, Janis Mize, Adrienne Mullis, Nycole Simpkins, Nancy Washington and Claretta Webb.

Kicking off Thursday's events is a 70's costume contest at 9:30 a.m. in the parking lot across the street from Ellington; participants could arrive no later than 9:15.

Other Homecoming events announced this week include the annual bonfire where the Home-

coming Court and the winner of the Paint the UC contest will be announced. The bonfire will begin at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the Dunn Center Field.

A concert with Cravin' Melon will immediately follow the bonfire.

Homecoming day will kick off with the parade at 10 a.m., beginning in the Burt School parking lot.

The annual Street Fair and Carnival will be held in the Armory Parking lot from 10:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

The culmination of Homecoming activities will be the game at 2 p.m. Saturday in Governor's Stadium.

For more information on any Homecoming activities, telephone Student Activities at 648-7431.

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Members of the Wesley Foundation paint their window at the University Center on Monday. Winners of the Paint the UC contest will be announced at the bonfire on Thursday. (Photo by Andy Segelke)

Austin Peay to host International Week

By JON TERRY
staff writer

College students often hear that they are graduating into a different world from their parents. The global marketplace has forced America to stop looking inward and start understanding other cultures. What students are often painfully aware of is that such understanding is hard to come by.

Quit Worrying. Austin Peay's International Students Organization is going to bring the world to you. The ISO, along with the Student Government Association and International Education department, will host International Week, Oct. 6-10.

According to Dr. Samuel Fung, coordinator of International Studies, they are trying to "let the university community know about the diversity on campus and enjoy and celebrate the variety of cultures."

He explained that the school has had cultural celebrations before, but never in quite the same way. In the past, international dinners and art exhibits were scattered across the calen-

der. This is the first time that events will be concentrated in a week.

Fung believes this unity will add to the impact of the activities while still "showing different variety on each day."

International Week will kick off on Tuesday with a display of African crafts in the University Center lobby from noon-1 p.m. At the same time Wednesday, the UC lobby will host a more broad exhibit of art from around the world.

On Thursday evening there will be an International Dinner beginning at 5:30 p.m. in the UC ballroom. Admission is free and the event will feature food and music from around the world. Cultural artifacts will be on display all evening, which is set to last as long as the participants care to eat and enjoy.

The final event of the week will be the 15th Annual Hispanic Luncheon in the UC ballroom. Diners will enjoy a variety of Hispanic foods to the strains of a mariachi band. Lunch will be served from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Donations will be accepted to help offset costs.

Peay awarded student support grant by Department of Education

Austin Peay has received a major U.S. Department of Education grant for a project to help disadvantaged students complete their college degrees.

The federal government funds 80 percent of the project, while Austin Peay will contribute the remaining 20 percent, according to Linda Freed, manager of grants and sponsored programs.

The initial funding for the Student Support Services grant is \$180,000 for one year, Sept. 1,

1997-Aug. 30, 1998. Totalling \$192,841, including the additional University funding, the grant will be for four years if federal money is available and if the university meets continuation-grant requirements.

Freed said, "Student Support Services is one of the U.S. Department of Education's TRIO programs and is related to the Upward Bound, Educational Opportunity Center and Veterans Upward Bound grant projects currently housed at Austin Peay."

"While these other projects are

designed to prepare potential students from disadvantaged backgrounds to enter postsecondary education, the Student Support Services grant will provide direct services to those students once they are enrolled at Austin Peay.

Having this program on the campus allows us to provide a continuum of services that will see students all the way through to graduation."

Jennie Preston-Sabin authored the grant proposal and is the project director. Preston-Sabin served nine years in the Develop-

mental Studies Program (DSP) and is an associate professor of DSP in the mathematics component. As such, she has worked extensively with underprepared students who have the ability to complete their college studies successfully.

Preston-Sabin will report to Dr. Barbara Tarter, vice president for enrollment management and will assist in the enrollment services provided to first-generation, low-income students.

According to Tarter and Preston-Sabin, the university has

funding to serve 180 students.

Some of the services that will be provided to those participants who take part in the student support program are tutoring, academic counseling, personal counseling, career counseling, group workshops and cultural activities.

Students who are accepted into the program and benefit from project services will be eligible to continue these services until grant funding is discontinued or they graduate from APSU.

The purpose of the grant is to

retain and graduate eligible participants and to foster a climate supportive of the success of first generation and low income students. Tarter said the program will help participants choose careers, explore and follow through an academic major, organize campus responsibilities, use effective study-skill strategies and attend workshops.

For further information on this grant, students may call Preston-Sabin at 648-7418.

Sherrie Bowen contributed to this report

Campus focus of television series; filming next week

Austin Peay has been selected as the focus of a national television series on technology.

Produced by SILVERKAT Productions, the series will air on "The Executive Forum," hosted by Edwin Newman.

A renowned journalist, Newman worked for NBC for 35 years. During part of that time, he was a host of the "Today" show. Newman's accomplishments include moderating two presidential debates, in 1976 and 1984. He is the author of several books, including the best sellers, "Strictly Speaking" and "A Civil Tongue."

On Oct. 6, Dr. Sal D. Rinella, president of Austin Peay, will be interviewed by Newman, who will be on Austin Peay's campus with a production crew to shoot film footage that depicts how uniquely Austin Peay uses technology.

According to Rinella, the producers of the program contacted him last spring after learning how technology is being developed and utilized at Austin Peay. They were intrigued by the use of technology to provide solutions for the region the university serves, the leadership role of faculty and

other users in technology and the integration of technology into teaching and learning at a comprehensive liberal arts university.

Examples of technology to be shown during the program include that in the APSU Business and Community Solution Center and the 21st Century Classrooms in Claxton Building.

Rinella said, "Higher education is in the process of reconceptualizing digital technology from something esoteric to something that is commonplace. Digital technology will be to the 21st century what electricity has been for the 20th."

Rinella also believes technology is enabling Austin Peay to fuse the three major missions of the university—teaching, research and public service.

Each week, "Executive Forum" features experts who provide commentary on the latest trends and technology, that are leading America into the 21st century. Other universities featured on "The Executive Forum" in recent months include Notre Dame University and Rice University.

"The Executive Forum" spotlighting Austin Peay is scheduled to air in major markets nationwide.

Austin Peay to host annual Career Fair

Austin Peay will host the 19th Annual Career Fair on Monday, Oct. 6, from 10 a.m.-3 p.m. in the University Center ballroom.

More than 50 companies, including local, state and federal agencies, and six graduate schools will be represented.

"This brings our students into direct contact with employers in a non-threatening environment," said Billy Boyd, director of career services. "Some employers take resumes, some don't. For some students, this is the first time to speak with a prospective employer."

Organizations that will have

representatives at the fair include private companies, philanthropic organizations such as the Red Cross, and local, state and federal agencies and the Armed Services.

Graduate Schools that will have representatives are Austin Peay, the Jack C. Massey Graduate School of Business-Belmont College, Middle Tennessee State University, Murray State University, the University of Tennessee-Memphis Health Services Center and the Vanderbilt University School of Nursing.

Additional companies and graduate schools will be registering up to the day of the Career Fair.

Boyd said students can make the most of the Career Fair and make a favorable impression on prospective employers by following a few simple rules:

- Professional dress for the event is a must.
- Be prepared. Have plenty of current resumes at hand.
- Come early.
- Research your companies.
- Make sure you note your interviewer's name. Students should respond within a week with a thank you letter.

Students can register for door prizes to be given away at the event. For more information, telephone counseling and career services at 7896.

Peay Briefs

Wesley Foundation sponsors food drive

The Wesley Foundation is sponsoring its Second Annual Canned Meat Drive through Oct. 17. If your organization is donating, please label all items. The two organizations which donate the greatest amount of canned meat will each receive a plaque. All organizations who participate will receive a Certificate of Participation.

For more information, telephone 647-6412.

Curtis and Catlin prints on display

Native American Images: The Works of Edward Curtis and George Catlin will run through Feb. 15. The exhibit consists of 68 prints on loan from Cheekwood, primarily by Curtis and Catlin, and displayed in the three main galleries.

The Museum is located in downtown Clarksville, on the corner of Commerce and South Second Street. The Museum is open Tuesday-Saturday, from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., and Sunday 1-5 p.m., closed Mondays.

Free food

The APSU chapter of the National Broadcasting Society will provide free hot dogs and beverages on Thursday, Oct. 2 in front of the Music/Mass Communication Building from 3:30-5:30 p.m.

Italian course offered

An introduction to the Italian language course will be offered by Austin Peay Business and Community Solution Center through the Office of Extended Education.

The class is designed to introduce the Italian language and culture, but will focus mainly on oral communication. Students will get a basic understanding of the language, providing them with a means of conversation.

The course will be instructed by Italian native Laura Bertuzzi Weeks. It will meet from 6-8 p.m. on Thursdays from Oct. 2-Nov. 20 in the Kimbrough Building, Room 111. The course has a fee of \$60 and a textbook charge of \$16.

The deadline for registration is two working days before the class begins. Anyone over the age of 18

is welcome to attend extended education classes.

For more information, telephone 648-7816.

Democratic membership social

The democratic party will host a Clarksville/Montgomery County membership social on Monday, Oct. 6 at First Federal Bank on Wilma Rudolph Blvd. The event will begin with hors d'oeuvres at 5:30 and Misty Floyd, president of the Austin Peay college democrats, will speak at 6:30.

Disability information session

A session on Disability Services: Disability Orientation/Information Session will be held on Monday, Oct. 6 at 4 p.m. in Clement Auditorium for all students with disabilities. Beulah C. Oldham, director of disability services and Roxanne R. Banks, coordinator of vocational rehabilitation services, will conduct the session.

Book discussion offered in library

The Women's Studies Brown Bag Series Fall '97 is sponsoring "Promiscuities: The Secret Struggle

for Womanhood," by Naomi Wolf on Wednesday, Oct. 8, in library study rooms five and six. Susan Calovini will be discussing this book women's sexual coming of age.

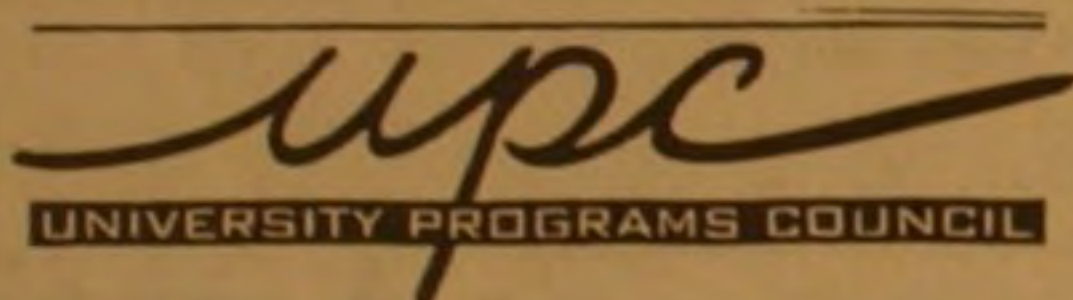
Trip planned to see Wells in Atlanta

Go see Bubba Wells of the Dallas Mavericks against the Atlanta Hawks on Wednesday, Jan. 14. The cost is \$50 per person, which covers your ride and your ticket to the game. Money must be received by Nov. 1 in order to reserve a spot.

The bus will be leaving at 10 a.m. on Jan. 14 Atlanta. For more information contact Scott Pedigo at 307-3961 or Cyndi Michals at 572-1159.

Internet programming course

"Internet Programming" will be offered Wednesdays, Oct. 8-Nov. 12 from 7:15-9:15 p.m. in the Solution Center. The course is an introduction to Internet programming, including HTML, JavaScript and VBScript and ActiveX.



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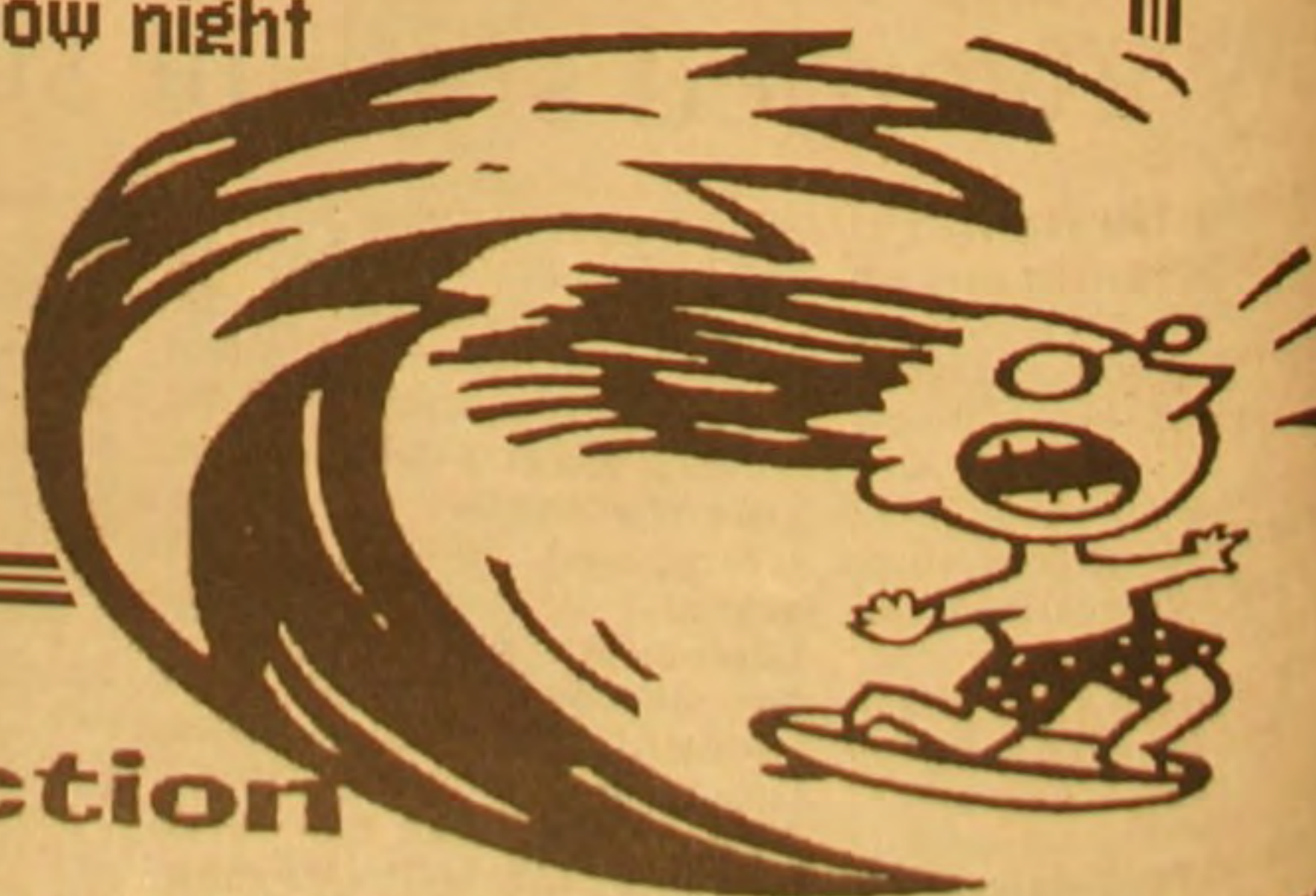
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Does P-A-T spell GOD?



By
**JONATHAN
SCOTT
CARTER**
Opinion Editor

Earlier this month, Christian Coalition Chairmen Pat Robertson revealed his plan to abolish the United Nations and make himself the Emperor and Grand Pooh-Bah of the planet. Well, okay, he didn't really say all of that, but Robertson did unveil the Christian Coalition's plan to control the GOP Presidential nomination. In a closed-door meeting of the Christian Coalition, Robertson outlined his political strategy for electing officials on local, state and federal levels. Robertson said that, through prayer, God had told him to model the Christian Coalition's organization on the political machines of the past, "on the Tammany Halls and Hague and the Chicago machine and the Byrd machine in Virginia and all the best of them."

Hmmm...How appropriate that Robertson has chosen to follow the model of Boss Tweed, the notoriously corrupt leader of Tammany Hall. Tammany Hall was the corrupt political machine that controlled New York City a century ago. The religious broadcaster also seemed to derive inspiration from Sun Tzu's *The Art of War*. Robertson said that the Christian Coalition's strategy should be based on "you know, the principle of warfare that has been used forever by those who wish to beat another enemy (that is, you know, divide and conquer.)"

A tape-recorded copy of Robertson's speech was released by Americans United for Separation of Church and State. Its authenticity has been verified by the Christian Coalition. You can bet that Robertson had not planned to make the outcome of the meet-

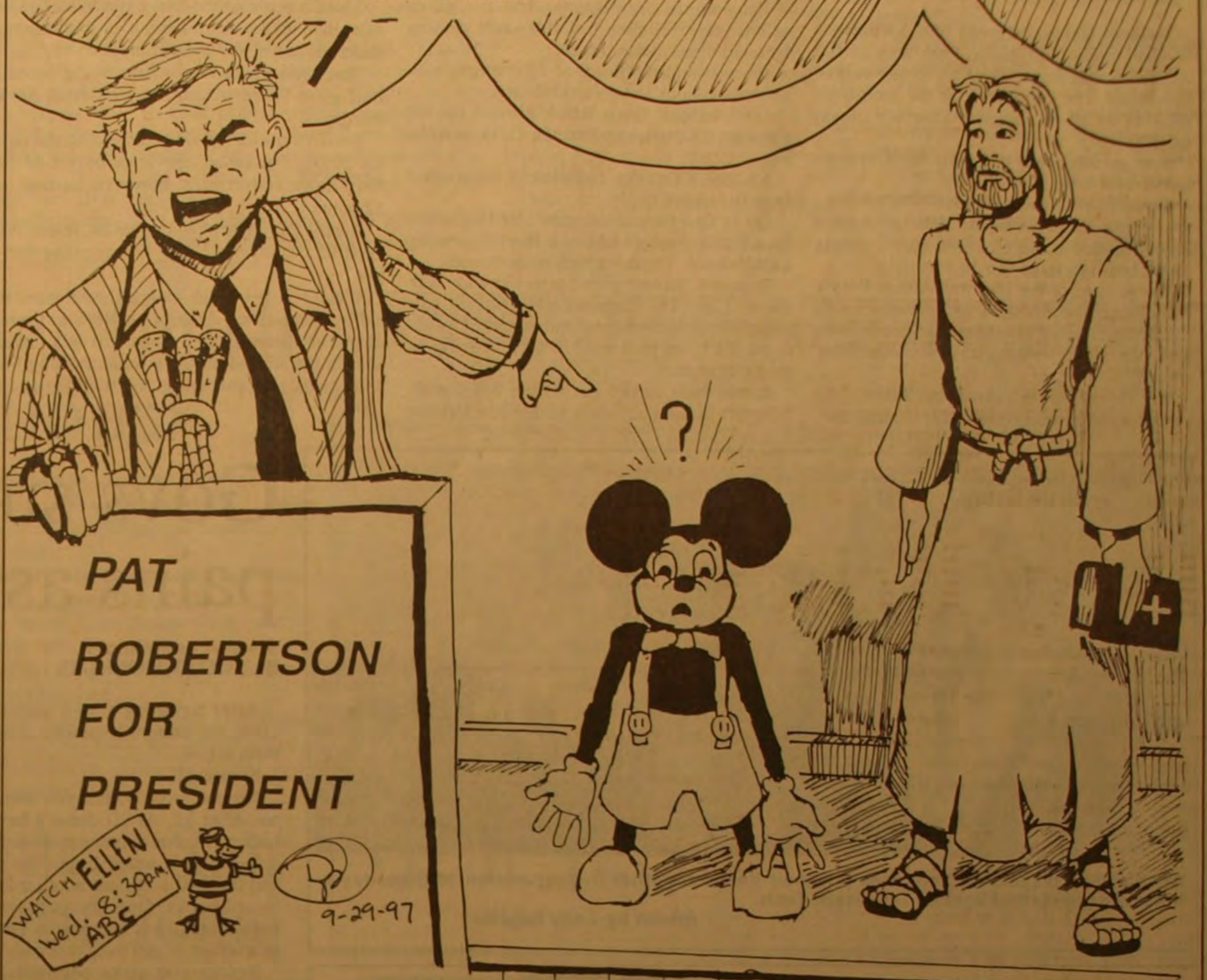
ing public. At one point in the meeting, the fundamentalist leader commented that "this is sort of speaking in the family. It's speaking out of my heart and not from any kind of prepared text. If there's any press here, would you please shoot yourself."

The organization that released the tape said that Robertson's comments raise serious questions about the Coalition's compliance with federal tax and election laws. Berry Lynn, executive director of Americans United for Separation of Church and State said that "we have repeatedly charged that the Christian Coalition is nothing but a hardball Republican political machine with a thin veneer of religiosity. Pat Robertson is a fundamentalist Boss Tweed, preaching morality while running one of the most venal political machines in history." Lynn went on to argue that the IRS should remove the Christian Coalition's provisional tax-exempt status.

The tax-exempt status of an organization is based on its being non-partisan, and it is not allowed to endorse, or work, for candidates. Groups with a tax-exempt status may not engage in "politicizing" as their primary activity.

Robertson is well aware of this fine line he has to walk, but apparently is not too worried about it. "I don't think that at this time and juncture the Democrats are going to be able to take the White House unless we throw it away," Robertson mentioned. "I know that all these laws say that we've got to be careful," he continued, "but there's nothing that says we can't have a few informal discussions among ourselves."

GOD HAS SPOKEN TO ME! NOW I KNOW THAT BROTHER SWAGGERT HAS BEEN IN TROUBLE! I KNOW THAT BROTHER BAKKER HAS SEEN HARD TIMES! AND I KNOW THAT SISTER TAMMY FAYE'S MAKE-UP IS UNHOLY, BUT I HAVE SEEN THE FACE OF EVIL AND THIS IS IT! AND WILL SOMEBODY PLEASE GET THIS HIPPIE OFF OF THE STAGE!!!



Robertson said the Coalition's overall goal was to "overturn the established order and take power away from a bunch of liberals and give it to those who love this country." Of the Republicans in Congress, Robertson said "we just tell these guys 'Look, we put you in power, and we want you to deliver. We're tired of temporizing. Don't give us all this stuff about you've got another agenda. This is your agenda... We want to be team players, but it's time for us to lead the team.'"

I don't think that there is anything wrong with an organization

trying to elect officials that support a particular philosophy or point of view, but it becomes wrong (and illegal) when that organization claims to be a religious one, and therefore exempt from federal income tax. Robertson and the Christian Coalition are engaged in a conspiracy to evade the law. These are people who believe that they have a divine mandate to work outside of the law.

Other goals that Robertson mentioned included amending the Constitution with a "religious freedom amendment" in order to end

separation of church and state, something that he said is a "distortion of what the framers of the Constitution intended."

While Thomas Jefferson did consider himself to be a Christian (of sorts), he was also very aware of the perils that entangling church and state involved. Jefferson wrote that he was "averse to the communication of my religious tenets to the public" primarily because he thought that public opinion would take the place of people's consciences. Jefferson further believed that we should not betray "the common right of independent

opinion, by answering questions of faith, which the laws have left between God and himself."

Robertson lays claim to the "high moral ground" of Christianity. He claims to be following the precepts of a God of love and peace. However, I think it highly unlikely that a God who is concerned about love and charity and social justice is directing Robertson to run his organization like a corrupt worldly political machine.

God may work in mysterious ways, but He sure isn't working through the likes of Pat Robertson and the Christian Coalition.

Ghost from All State's past offers career advice

Letters to the editor

So my illustrious career at Austin Peay came to an end and I moved on to the real world of resumes and portfolios.

So, you ask me, where did my photojournalism and broadcasting skills take me?

Off to Atlanta for a chance at CNN? A blossoming career at National Geographic? Perhaps I could become one of the infamous paparazzi?

Not quite. Like sailors drawn to the sweet and fatal voices of the Sirens, I wandered aimlessly back to Clarksville. Click your heels, Dorothy, we're off to the Laugh Comical, er um, I mean the Leaf Chronicle.

The same people that print this fine publication are now my employers. The fruit truly does not fall far from the tree. I can't begin to explain the glamour and daily drama that is incorporated in a news-

paper's mailroom. To say that it is a promotion would be a joke. To call it a lateral move would be a compliment.

I'm not sure if it's the sparkling personalities of the administration or the effervescent lure of the cafeteria. This Bermuda Triangle has sucked in the best of us alumni. All day I have been greeted by fellow lost souls with "What are you doing here?" and "I thought you were gone."

Fortunately, I soon will be rescued by a lifeline thrown by the U.S. Army. My commission will serve as my escape ticket from this primordial tar pit.

Graduates, seniors, take heed to my warning: Run! Go far, far away! Join the Peace Corps, join the Merchant Marines. Hell, join the circus and get out of town.

Don't become a wasted degree, a townie, a, a, a, ME! I shall be your martyr, take a different path. Don't let the sweaty clutches of the Governor steal your soul.

REMEMBER: Excellence by choice. Just ignore the little voice.

TBR issue prompts faculty response

The following commentary reflects the views of Dr. Randall as a member of the Faculty Senate. They are not intended to reflect the opinions of the Senate as a body nor those of the Executive Committee.

Given the All-State's interest in the Senate resolution to TBR, it is important for the university campus to understand the bigger issue that is involved in recent Senate actions.

Slowly, inch by inch, over the past few decades, we faculty have become less involved in budget and organizational decisions in universities across the nation. Since both of these areas have major influences on academic programs, this also means that we have slowly contributed to an erosion of our role in academic decisions. In other words, over the last few decades, persons who have little or no classroom experience, the bean counters and the professional managers with degrees in higher education administration have absorbed more and more power. This erosion has reached a critical point in many universities including APSU. The most important significance of what happened last week is that the APSU Faculty Senate took position to try to correct this situation and preserve the academic integrity of this institution.

THIS IS NOT A POWER MOVE. The faculty are not trying to take over the university. We are communicating to our administration and to the Board of Regents that the erosion of past years needs correcting.

Since it is the faculty who must implement the academic program, who are, so to speak, the ones in the front line trenches, we MUST have a major, not merely pro-forma, role in all decisions which

impact the classroom. This means that faculty must be seriously involved in decisions concerning budgets, academic programs and academic reorganizations.

I say again, this is not a power move to control anything but to encourage a decision making process that is at risk in much of academia.

Last week in approving the resolution to TBR, the Faculty Senate took a courageous and firm stand in support of the faculty role in our universities, a role that can only contribute to a better quality education on our university campuses.

Dr. Bert Randall

I. Rob Suckers

We have known for years that they were out to get our money anyway they could, but the charges have just been proved by the confessions of their own. The evil IRS! But let us stop the abuse a moment and consider the good they have done.

Yes, they have done some good, namely Al Capone, who for years evaded the authorities but could not outrun the tax police. Let us also look at the good they meant to do. Consider the hero who robbed from the rich to give to the poor and perhaps you may see the logic behind their thievery. You may want to call them the Internal Robin Hood Service!

Indeed, they confiscate the income of those who cannot defend themselves in an effort to recycle their taxes for the benefit of the poor. What about tomorrow's children? Perhaps their thoughts were upon our young as they swindled the money from our pockets in hopes that the extra taxation will be applied to decreasing the national debt. It could happen! With this in mind, let us be careful what evil we say against big brother or our own earnings may end up being

donated to eradicate the debt!

How ironic that they who pass judgment on we who cheat upon our taxes, now find themselves in the guilty seat.

Mike Warren

Nazis and Elves

Thank you for a well-written and thoughtful article. It was a welcome relief coming from the All State.

I just finished reading your article "FDA's next target: the Keebler Elves," and I want to qualify the following comments by making it clear that I do not use tobacco in any form. I don't grow tobacco and I don't know anyone who does. I have asthma and allergies that make it very difficult for me when I am in the presence of cigarette smoke.

Nevertheless, I am much more concerned about the overbearing arrogance of the federal government in its attempts to regulate tobacco than I am about inhaling second-hand smoke. I can avoid the smoke or move away from it.

What I cannot avoid is federal government intrusion into places that it has no right to be. Every American should turn pale with fear and anger when the federal government inserts itself into our personal lives as it is doing here.

I believe the attempt to control tobacco through the levying of unreasonable taxes is unconstitutional and it is tyranny in its highest form. We Americans should make it clear to our representatives that we will not tolerate this type of behavior from any administration. But I have to admit that it is less surprising that it comes from Bill Clinton.

If they get away with this, the question you have to ask yourself is "What is next?"

Clifton Whittaker

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Sports

Govs 56-3 loss largest in school history

By SCOTT HOSKINS
sports editor

Eastern Kentucky went into Saturday's football game with Austin Peay with an 0-3 record after losing to three nationally-ranked opponents. The Colonels took out their frustrations on an outmanned Governors team quickly.

Five minutes into the game the Colonels held a 14-0 lead.

Those 14 points would prove to be all Eastern Kentucky (1-3) would need as Austin Peay's offense managed to put only 3 points on the board en route to a 56-3 loss.

The margin of the loss was Austin Peay's worst since becoming a four-year school. Eastern Kentucky continued its dominance over Peay (0-4), winning its 20th consecutive contest.

The Govs' defense surrendered over 500 yards for the second consecutive contest, this

time allowing the Colonels 597 net yards. The Colonels rolled up 367 yards on the ground.

Peay could only muster 166 net yards offensively, including just 100 yards passing by quarterback Adam Pineo.

Pineo completed just 9-of-37 attempts with no interceptions and no touchdowns.

Gov tailback Chris Black ground out 68 yards on 18 carries to lead the Govs in rushing.

Eastern Kentucky completely dominated from the outset.

On its first play of the game, EKV quarterback Simon Fuentes lobbed a 48-yard pass for a touchdown. The drive took nine seconds.

Eastern's second possession likewise was short, 1:10. The Colonel's Derrick Logan broke free around the end and darted 61 yards to put EKV up 14-0 with 10:42 remaining in the first quarter.

Austin Peay finally got on the board with 7:54 left in the half when kicker Jon Palmer

booted a 22-yard field goal. That made it 21-3.

The Colonels added two more touchdowns after that, a 14-yard run and a 48-yard run, to make the score 35-3 at halftime.

Three more touchdown runs in the second half gave Eastern Kentucky its final 56-3 margin.

The Governors lost despite holding the ball for 30:02. The squad converted only 1-of-16 third down conversions, however, leading to 12 punts.

Austin Peay's next opponent is Tennessee Tech for Saturday's 2 p.m. homecoming contest.

Tech (1-2, 0-1 Ohio Valley Conference) is led by quarterback Andre Caballero and running back Brent Billen. Caballero is a threat both in the air and on the ground, rushing for 358 yards and throwing for 971 yards in 1996.

Scoring Summary

Austin Peay	0	3	0	0-3
Eastern Kentucky	21	14	14	7-56

First quarter

EKV—Washington 48 pass from Fuentes (Wright kick), 12:51
EKU—Logan 61 run (Wright kick), 10:42
EKU—Menendez 74 pass from Fuentes (Wright kick), 2:18

Second quarter

AP—FG Palmer 22, 7:54
EKU—Butler 14 run (Wright kick), 4:43
EKU—FG Posey

Third quarter

EKV—Hill 17 run (Wright kick), 8:51
EKU—Durham 16 run (Wright kick), 5:53

Fourth quarter

EKV—Butler 3 run (Wright kick), 10:41



Austin Peay players and coaches put their heads together in preparation of Saturday's homecoming contest against Tennessee Tech.

(photo by Andy Segelke)

Govs suffer growing pains as stepchild of OVC

Sports commentary
By SCOTT HOSKINS

After Saturday's 56-3 pasting at the hands of OVC foe Eastern Kentucky, Austin Peay's football team is 0-4.

Surprised?

No one would think you were crazy if you said no. After all, APSU doesn't have a stellar football history. No one is going to mistake us for Florida.

Last year's squad began the season 0-4 as well, and finished 1-10, just another losing season for the record books. Over the past seven seasons Austin Peay football has compiled a 17-60 win/loss record, an average of just over two wins a year.

Before you make comparisons with teams of years past, though, stop and look at the 1997 squad a little closer.

While it's true that the Govs are winless so far on the season, look at the circumstances surrounding the team. The nonscholarship squad has over 40 new players, the majority of them freshmen who have been forced into action because of the small number of players overall.

Head coach Bill Schmitz realized the task at hand before taking the position. He knew that Austin Peay would take its lumps on the field. At the press conference announcing his hiring, he said that he wasn't going to pull any rabbits out of hats. I haven't seen any bunnies hopping around the football offices.

The rebuilding process is going to take some time. You can't slap a band-aid over a deep gushing wound and expect it to heal immediately. It takes

patience and a good physician.

Austin Peay has a good physician in Schmitz. Now, if everyone would just listen to him, the first thing we need is patience. Once we get settled—we can get through this first year, this program will be very successful," he has said.

This year Austin Peay is the stepchild of the OVC. APSU is being served as fodder for OVC scholarship schools.

I'm sure that each opponent licks their lips in anticipation of an Austin Peay game on its schedule.

Yes, Austin Peay has been annihilated in two losses by a combined score of 109-10. But have lost to the number three team in the Western Kentucky and a team (Eastern Kentucky) that lost its three games to ranked opponents. Those losses are an unfair gauge of where Austin Peay football is at this point of the season.

Of course the Govs don't have the same level as WKU, EKV or Murray. Most OVC schools don't either. But if you were one of the 30 Governors Stadium for the first home game, you saw the team play its heart out, losing a game they should have won.

The same can be said of the Morehead State team. How many times can you say that they have even been competitive in two games a season?

This team will have to suffer some growing pains. After all, it's a rare person who walks and crawls. But like every child, if he has the solid support behind him he just might learn to faster than normal.

TENNESSEE TECH

Tennessee Tech facts

Location: Cookeville, Tenn.
Nickname: Golden Eagles
Colors: Purple and Gold
Head coach: Mike Hennigan
Hennigan's overall record: 6-8
Primary offense: Multiple slot
Primary defense: Multiple
Lettermen returning/lost: 37/14
Offensive starters returning/lost: 7/4
Defensive starters returning/lost: 7/4

VS.

AP

Series record: Tennessee Tech leads 26-13

Result of Last Meeting: Tenn. Tech won 23-17 in last year's Homecoming game.

Game preview: Tenn. Tech is coming off a 10-7 loss to Eastern Illinois. Peay is playing only its second home game of the season.

Prediction: APSU 21-17

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Lady Govs drop first OVC volleyball match

By SCOTT HOSKINS
sports editor

After starting the Ohio Valley Conference slate with a perfect 4-0 record, the Lady Govs' volleyball squad finally tasted defeat at the hands of Tennessee Tech.

In Cookeville, the Lady Eagles (8-6, 3-1 OVC) defeated the Lady Govs in four sets, 15-13, 15-12, 2-15 and 15-5.

"They were pretty evenly matched games," APSU head coach Cheryl Holt said. "We outthit them and outdug them, but they played a little bit smarter than

we did."

The Lady Govs (10-4, 4-1) were without the services of middle blocker Kim Smith for the second straight game. She was replaced in the lineup by freshman Amber Grundhoefer.

Holt said Smith was currently at about 70 percent and that she may try to use her for this week's games off the bench. Smith has a third degree sprain and that is hampering her mobility.

"Being without Kim hurt us," Holt said. "We missed the experience and power that she gives us."

Grundhoefer finished the match with

four kills and 11 digs in relief of Smith.

"Amber has done a great job in the middle," Holt said. "She's a good defensive player."

Freshman Becky Sowinski, fresh off OVC defensive player of the week honors, led the Lady Govs with 27 kills. She also had 13 digs in the losing effort.

Annie Glieber, another freshman, continued to play well from the setter's spot. She finished with 40 assists, 15 digs and six kills.

Laura Mitchell added 18 kills and 18 digs and Jenny Wenning 13 kills and 13 assists as well.

The Lady Govs were victimized by eight service errors and seven reception errors in the loss. In addition, they managed only a .265 attack percentage.

"It comes down to passing and serving," Holt said. "We weren't mentally in the game."

Earlier in the week when the Lady Govs defeated the Tennessee State University Lady Tigers (3-8, 1-4 OVC) by a 15-9, 15-12 and 15-8 count.

Mitchell had 19 kills and 14 digs in the victory. Sowinski totaled 15 kills and 14 digs and Wenning and Diana Hart each had 11 kills.

Glieber contributed 31 assists and 11 digs, while Jennifer Anderson had 19 assists.

Results of last night's game with Middle Tennessee State were unavailable.

The Lady Govs' next home game is Oct. 7, when OVC rival Murray State comes to the Dunn Center for a 7 p.m. contest.

That is followed by a crucial road trip on Oct. 14 to perennial OVC power Southeast Missouri State.

Admission is free with a valid student I.D.

Cross country teams finish fifth at USI Invitational

By SCOTT HOSKINS
sports editor

Austin Peay's cross country teams placed fifth at the Southern Indiana Invitational at Evansville, Ind., last weekend. The men's squad totaled 147 points while the women's team had 123 points in their finish.

Teams competing in the event in addition to APSU were Southern Indiana, Vanderbilt, Murray State, St. Joseph's College and Hilldale College.

Host Southern Indiana captured both men's and women's competitions with 26 and 18 points, respectively.

In the men's bracket, Peay finished ahead of Van-

derbilt (151 points) and St. Joseph's College (165).

The squad was paced by Mark McNeil, who placed 16th overall by completing the course in 28 minutes, eight seconds.

Also competing for the Governors were Mike Lusso (29th, 28:46), Danny Cowell (34th, 29:07), Jay Walls (42nd, 30:04), Luke Finely (49th, 30:37) and Charles Bloodworth (65th, 39:56).

Lora Price led the Lady Govs with a time of 21:21.86, good for 18th place.

Other runners for the Lady Govs were Ann-Marie Browne (29th, 23:00.14), Toshankia Moore (32nd, 23:48.13), Melissa Olivo (37th, 24:19.08) and Melissa Stokes (38th, 24:22.37).

APSU golfers seventh at San Diego Montecito Invitational

By SCOTT HOSKINS
sports editor

After winning their previous tournament, the Austin Peay golf team finished seventh in the Montecito Invitational at the Carlton Oaks Country Club in San Diego, Ca. The Govs three-day total of 918 (+54) put them 34 strokes behind winner San Diego State University.

San Diego State's James Stew-

art won the individual championship by shooting 215 (-1).

John Swigart finished 12th overall with a total of 224 (+8) to lead the Govs.

Doug Peterson tied for 31st with a score of 231 (+15), while Scott Crider's 233 (+17) placed him in a tie for 38th.

Scott Niewland shot a 234 (+18), tied for 42nd and Boyd Mickle fired a 239 (+23), good for a tie for 54th.

After the first round the Govs stood in a tie for third after shooting 299.

A poor second round doomed the Govs, however. The squad slipped to a 314 on the second day.

The final round saw the Govs rebound to shoot a score of 305, but it wasn't enough as San Diego State shot a tournament best 291 on the day to capture the event.

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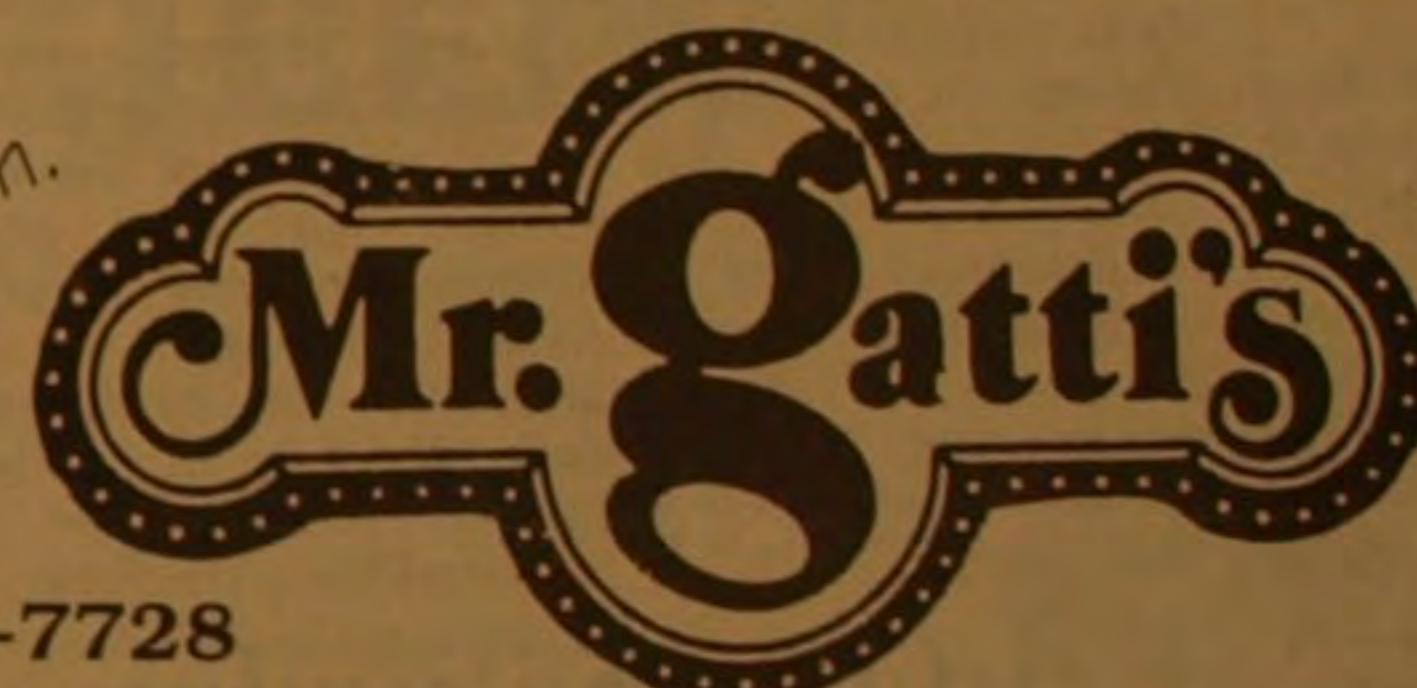
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HAP—PEAY HOMECOMING 1975

Runoff held

17 per cent vote; tally becomes controversial

By PAM ROBERTS

Friday's runoff election for the 1975 homecoming queen attracted a meager 17 per cent of APSU's student body to the polls as Sharon Schreiber was elected to the prestigious position for this year.

A TOTAL OF 583 votes were cast in Wednesday's election in which no candidate gained a majority.

The runoff election was held between the top two contenders, Gisele Brown, representing the Black Student Association (who polled 95 votes Wednesday), and Schreiber, the sophomore class representative (with 85 votes).

The remaining three queen candidates from last Wednesday's top five will combine to form Schreiber's attending court in the homecoming festivities which will begin Friday. The three are: Monida Biggers, candidate from Kappa Delta sorority; Marsha Bolen, representing Sigma Chi fraternity; and Karen Person, Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity representative.

PARTICIPATION in Friday's runoff between Brown and Schreiber numbered 675. The final tally gave Schreiber the winning majority with 372 votes to Brown's 305 votes.

A controversy centered around a discrepancy in the total ballots cast (677) and the actual number of students whose names were marked off the master list of students as they voted (675).

Apparently, two votes were "stuffed."

Two APSU students, Andy Fullton and Joe Gullet Jr., registered complaints with Bonita Wilson, vice president of the SGA, that they witnessed a ballot "stuffing" in Friday's election.

THE "STUFFING" allegedly took place between 11 a.m. and noon at the University Center poll where Pam Adams and Edith Webster, two freshman senators, were working. No election board

members were present at the time.

Adams explained the questionable incident by saying that a black voter took an extra ballot which he marked and put into the box. Discovering what had occurred, Adams gave a white voter an extra ballot in an attempt to equalize the "stuffing."

Mary Dowlen, election board chairperson, stated that some white students complained that there was more than one such incident, but, Dowlen added, "I feel like there was only the one

incident. With this many complaints, however, we need to make some changes before next year in the manner in which the election board oversees the voting procedure."

DOWLEN SUGGESTED some possible improvements such as "clamping down on security, moving the ballots further out of reach of the voters and making sure that an election board member is present during the voting."

The election board is composed of seven members, including one black student.

Friday, Saturday events summarize homecoming

By JASMIN RIVERA

Was it 7 p.m. or...

If you find yourself confused about where you should be at what time on homecoming weekend, *The All State* will now attempt to get you where you are going.

On Friday at 11 a.m. the Annual Varsity-Alumni Golf Match will take place at the Clarksville Country Club.

AT 8 P.M. the University Social Activities Board will sponsor a concert in Memorial Gymnasium ("Little Red Barn") featuring Barefoot Jerry and Mother's Finest. Tickets for the concert are available at several locations throughout Clarksville and at the University Center information desk. Tickets are \$3 advance admission and \$5 at the door.

A military science breakfast at the Holiday Inn will signal the beginning of Saturday's activities.

At 8:30 a.m., the department of nurse education will hold a breakfast at the Plaza Restaurant.

THE HOMECOMING parade will commence at 10 a.m. and the procession will continue through downtown Clarksville. The

judging of the floats will take place at the intersection of Third and College Streets. Announcements of winning floats will take place during the homecoming football game Saturday.

The homecoming game between the Middle Tennessee Blue Raiders and the Austin Peay Governors will kick off at 1:30 p.m. at Municipal Stadium. Coronation of the 1975 homecoming queen, Sharon Schreiber, will take place at halftime.

At 4 p.m. the Alumni Association will hold an Alumni Social Hour at the Emerald Hill Alumni Center.

THE ALUMNI homecoming banquet will be held in the University Center ballroom. The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. and entertainment for the evening will be provided by Nancy and Mike Moffitt and Barbara Richardson.

The alumni homecoming dance will begin at 9:30 p.m. and continue until 1 a.m. The dance will be held in the Clarksville Jaycee Building, and music will be provided by the Al DeLeon Combo.



1975 Homecoming Queen Sharon Schreiber and runner-up Gisele Brown.

Schreiber is new queen, to be crowned Saturday

"Blue jean queen" might be an appropriate title for newly-elected homecoming queen Sharon Schreiber.

Schreiber, the sophomore class representative, was elected in a Friday run off with Gisele Brown.

THE 19-YEAR-OLD Schreiber, 5-foot-8 and blue-eyed, is presently a sophomore majoring in sociology. She is a Pikette and participated in coaching softball during the past summer.

When asked her reaction to the election, the queen said it was "wild" because, "I'm not the type for a beauty queen. That's

just not me.

"This week will be kind of wild, putting away the jeans and putting on a dress—I never wear a dress."

SCHREIBER'S friends asked her if she will wear a blue jean dress during halftime. The queen replied, "I might surprise them."

Mr. and Mrs. Leon E. Schreiber of McEwen, Tenn., are the parents of the homecoming queen.

The new queen will be crowned at the halftime celebration of the homecoming game on Saturday.

Homecoming parade and building decoration award winners were released during the Austin Peay—MTSU football game Saturday.

Winners of the float competition were Sigma Chi fraternity, first place (\$100) and winner of the Alumni Victory Award; the Church of Christ Student Union, second place (\$50); the Art Club and the A.P. Playhouse, third place (\$35); and Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, fourth place (\$20).

IN THE CAR competition Alpha Kappa Psi won first place (\$25), Delta Sigma Theta was second (\$15), Alpha Phi women's fraternity won third (\$10), and Sigma Phi Epsilon took fourth place (\$10).

Killebrew Hall won first place (\$25) in the residence hall decoration competition.

Ellington Hall took second (\$15), while Rawlins Hall won third place (\$10).

Between the two women's residence hall entrants Miller Hall won first place, a \$25 award, and Harned Hall was awarded second place with \$15.

FRATERNITY HOUSE and university-related organization winners were Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, first place (\$25); Alpha Tau Omega, second place (\$15); and Sigma Phi Epsilon, third place (\$10).

Approximately 75 units participated in the Homecoming Parade.

"We were most gratified at the student interest, making the parade such a success," commented Doytt Redmond, chairman of the float and building decoration award committee for homecoming.



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Concert groups play for small audience

By BOOGIE BILL WARDEN

Barefoot Jerry, the group spoken of in a Charlie Daniels' Band song, "The South's Gonna Do It Again," played to a small audience of about 650 in the Little Red Barn Friday night...a let-down as far as standards for homecoming concerts are concerned.

Soulful Mother's Finest, was also on the bill.

THE CROWD was surprised when Barefoot Jerry was the first to take the stage. The loudest audience reaction came when Jerry went into a rendition of "You Can't Get Off With Your Shoes On," which is also the title of their fourth album for Monument Records.

In a pre-concert interview, Barefoot Jerry was asked who was instrumental in their success. They were quick to point to "Charlie Daniels," because of the mention in the CDB's hit.

Barefoot Jerry's latest release coincided with the date of the concert. It is entitled "Making It Better."

THEY COMPOSE all their stuff for their albums. But for the new release and their new album due sometime in January, they went outside the group for material, for a change of pace.

The crowd's reaction to Jerry was mixed...some liked it, some didn't.

The most astonishing part of the concert was the show put on by Mother's Finest of Atlanta, Ga.

THEY HIT THE stage with red flares glowing, and went off in a puff of smoke. This group's show was an experience. Their music was all original, with the exception of one Led Zeppelin number.

They are now cutting on the Epic Record label, and stated that they hope all the brothers and sisters will go out and buy their first album.

For those who vacated the premises after the Jerry portion, you missed one exciting show. And Mother's Finest didn't even include all of their on-stage antics.

IN AN INTERVIEW following the show, group members related that because of limited space conditions in Memorial Gym-

nasium and the placement of dressing rooms, the entire show was not staged. It seems they have two rockets that burst onto the stage and then a gigantic gorilla jumps on the stage.

When asked about future plans, they stated that getting their new album out was the main objective at present. The group has been together for just two years, and for such a short period of time, they are putting out quite a remarkable sound.



Groovin' to the sounds of that 70s supergroup Barefoot Jerry!

Govs beat MTSU

Lone ray of sunshine falls on APSU

By LARRY SCHMIDT

Somewhere in the midst of the drizzling rain and the cloud covered skies, a ray of sunshine fell upon Austin Peay Saturday as APSU staged a come-from-behind victory over Middle Tennessee 17-13 before a crowd of 4,000 that had turned out for the Governors' 1975 homecoming.

Jack Bushofsky, APSU head football coach, described the win as "one of the biggest since I've been around."

"We were well prepared for this one. Our kids went out there and played their hearts out. We played without mistakes, something that has been killing us before," said Bushofsky.

The Governors entered the ball game a 21-point underdog and the Blue Raiders quickly attempted to stress that particular point as they scored on their first possession of the contest. The scoring drive covered 90 yards

and it took only eight plays to cover the distance.

MTSU runningback Mike Moore made the big gainer in the 90-yard march when he took a pitch from quarterback Mike Robinson and rambled 65 yards around the left side of the APSU line. To cap the drive, Bobby Joe Easter took it around the right end and hit APSU paydirt with 8:13 remaining in the first quarter. M.A. Robinson added the extra point and the Govs trailed 7-0.

Both teams exchanged punts during the remainder of the first quarter but finally with just minutes ticked off of the second quarter clock, APSU's Tim Maxwell booted a 32 yard field goal to put the Govs on the scoreboard, trailing 7-3.

Maxwell's field goal was his eighth of the season. This mark set a new APSU school record and leaves him three short of the OVC standard of 11.

Defenses, on both teams, tightened the reins and Raiders held a 7-3 advantage during the half time festivities.

Third quarter action belonged entirely to the Govs as Al quarterback Randy Christel left the Middle Tennessee defensive corps dumbfounded he marched the Govs to M paydirt on two occasions.

On the first score with remaining in the third quarter Christophel snuck it in from yard out to cap a 51-yard scoring drive.

Then after holding the Raiders for the next series of downs Austin Peay retained possession of the football on the 50-yard stripe following a MTSU punt.

With only a minute ticked the clock since the Govs score, Christophel threaded needle through the Blue Raiders secondary and found receiver Ron Bailey open for a 54-yard touchdown strike.

Maxwell converted both extra points and when the third quarter came to a close, it was Austin Peay 17 and Middle Tennessee 3.

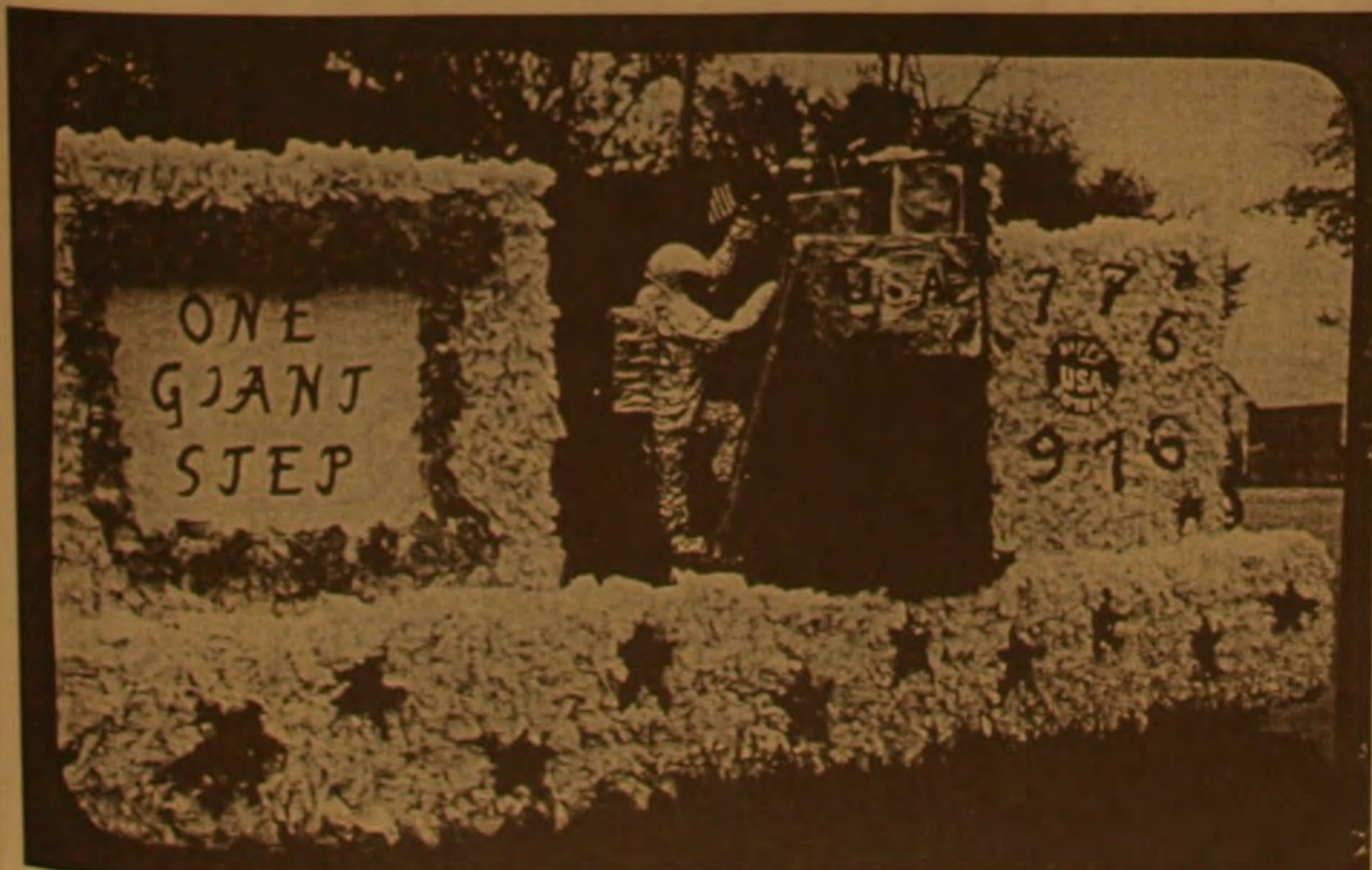
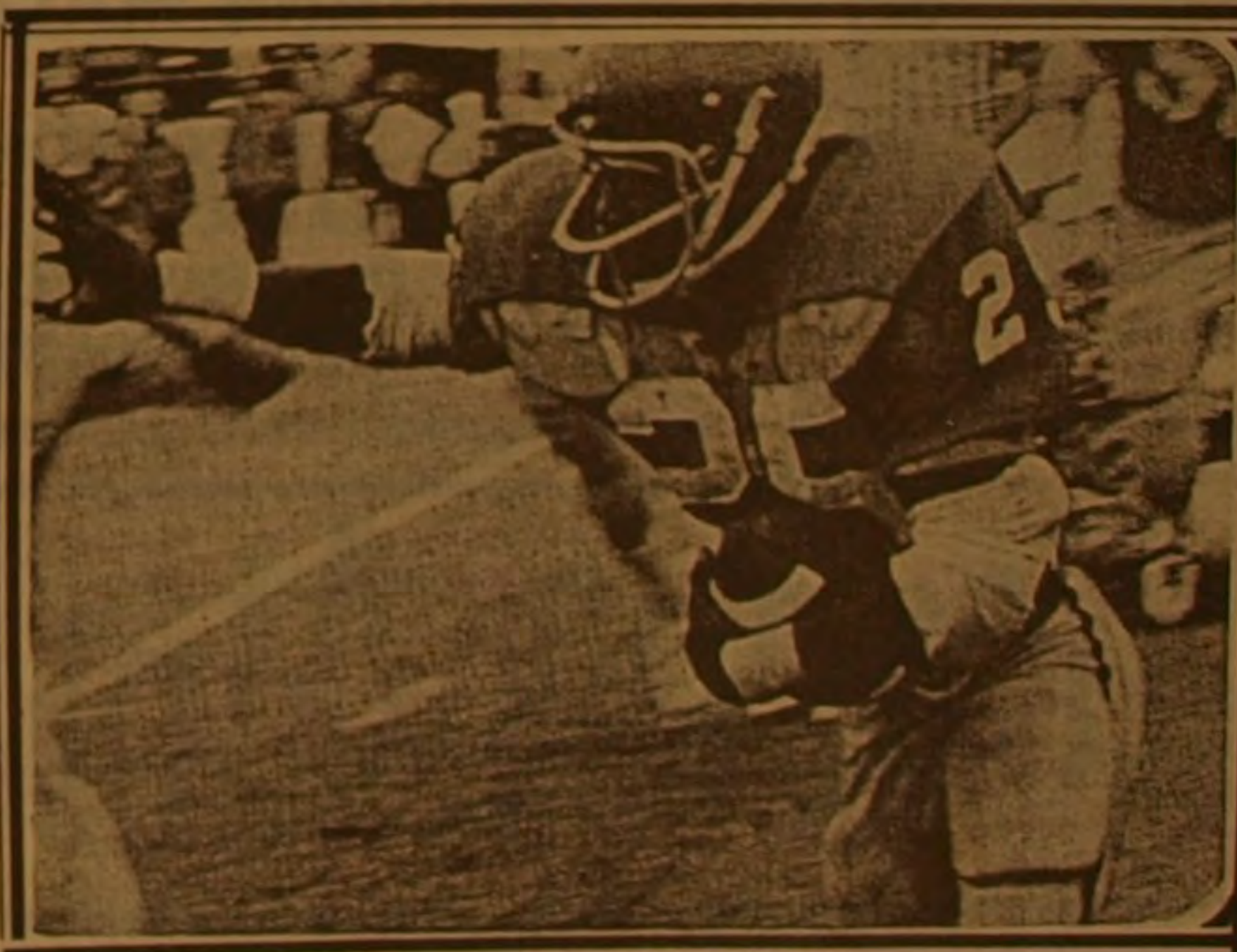
In fourth quarter action Middle began to march on Govs as runningbacks R. Steadman and Moore, pounded the Austin Peay line chewing three to four yards a rush.

However with a third and 11 the APSU 34, MTSU quarterback Jack Fuqua had a pass picked by APSU linebacker Tom McCabe.

McCabe returned the ball yards and was hit, coughed up ball and gave the Raiders a life with a first down on Governors 37 yard line.

Ten plays later Steadman scored from one yard out. Forced to go for the two-point conversion, Jack Fuqua's pass was complete to Leigh Kolka. The MTSU tight end was ruled not have had possession in endzone. And the score remained 17-13 when the final sounded.

The mark upped Austin Peay to 2-5-0 overall and 2-2-0 in the Ohio Valley Conference while Middle dropped to 3-4-0 2-2-0 worksheet in the OVC.



Sigma Chi winners of parade float



GROOVIN' AGAIN!

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BY TANGEE REYES
staff writer

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'The Edge' starring Anthony Hopkins and Alec Baldwin brings the great outdoors into the theater in a way only the big screen and surround sound can.

Anthony Hopkins portrays a rich man with a young beautiful model as a wife (Elle MacPherson). Of course being the model that she is, she must always travel with an entourage including her personal photographer (Alec Baldwin). That's the first thing that made me start wondering. I mean seriously, an old rich man and a gorgeous young woman with a cute little Alec on the side, there has got to be something to that, which is where the story actually begins.

On a photo shoot in almost uninhabitable mountains, the whole crew is staying in a rustic cabin. Anthony Hopkins is a genius of sorts and automatically remembers anything and everything that he

reads. Even if you haven't seen the previews, by the first five minutes of the movie, you know that he will be lost in the woods because he is reading, you guessed it, a wilderness survival manual (that's my leisure reading of choice).

So, Anthony, Alec, The Pilot (he's a goner, he didn't even score a name) and the other guy I fondly refer to as bear food, fly off into the great unknown to find this eskimo and convince him to let them use him as a model.

He's not home, so they go to look for him, off the beaten path, where no one will be able to find them. Then they crash. The Pilot is dead, bear food is injured, and darling Anthony is the only one who knows enough about the wilderness to save them.

Only he's also a paranoid freak and thinks that Alec is after his wife and wants to kill him. Alec reassures him that that could never be, and that they are friends. All throughout the movie you are trying to figure out just what is between him and the wife.

'The Edge' is mostly a slow movie. It has fast paced sequences, such as bear chases, but is seriously lacking in interesting dialogue. It's also very predictable at times.

But even with all of the drawbacks, it is still worth seeing, because it leaves you with the feeling that you just want to go out and enjoy clean, fresh, unadulterated nature.

"Latino Southerner" to give reading at Austin Peay

Award-winning novelist, nonfiction writer and poet Marcos McPeck Villatoro will read from his works at 7:30 p.m., Monday, Oct. 6 in the Gentry Auditorium of the Kimbrough Building. A book signing will be held immediately following the reading.

Villatoro's reading is part of the Visiting Writers Series, which is sponsored by the APSU Center of Excellence for the Creative Arts. The reading and book signing are free and open to the public.

He is the author of three books: "A Fire in the Earth," a novel based on 1932 El Salvador; "Walking to La Milpa: Living in Guatemala with Armies, Demons, Abrazos and Death," a memoir of his life in that country; and "They Say That I Am Two," a collection of poetry. Villatoro also is the recipient of the 1995 American Society of Composers, Authors & Publishers (ASCAP) Deems Taylor Award for his

writing on pop music.

Having grown up in San Francisco, Rogersville, Tenn., with relatives in El Salvador, the Appalachian Mountains, Villatoro is known as "Latino Southerner." The son of an Appalachian father and an El Salvadoran mother, he lived and worked for several years in El Salvador, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Bolivia and Mexico. Villatoro currently lives in Iowa City, Iowa, where he attends the Iowa Writers' Workshop.

A lecturer, storyteller and guitarist, Villatoro has spoken before thousands of people throughout the United States about writing, literature and language. He brings to his talks the richness of both heritages, combining the deep Latino ethnicity and heritage of the present-day South.

For more information, telephone 648-7031.

Art Scene

Upcoming events for Oct. 1-Oct. 7

Art Exhibit, Harned Gallery --

An exhibit featuring 10 years of purchase award-winning selections from the Larson Drawing Collection will be in the Harned Gallery through Dec. 12. Gallery hours are from 8 a.m.-4 p.m., Mon.-Fri. The exhibit is free and open to the public. For more information telephone 648-7333.

Art Exhibit, Trahern Gallery --

"Home and Yard: The Material Culture of the Rural Elderly Living Along the Mississippi River Valley in Southern Illinois," a documentary photography exhibit by guest artist Mark Rabung will be in the Trahern Gallery through Oct. 12. Gallery hours are 9 a.m.-4 p.m., Mon.-Fri. The exhibit is free and open to the public. For more information, telephone 648-7333.

Faculty Recital --

A faculty recital will feature Francis Massinon on the horn and Dr. Stephen Clark on the clarinet at 3:30 p.m., Sunday Oct. 5 in the concert theatre of the Music/Mass

Communications Building. The recital is free and open to the public. For more information, telephone 648-7818.

Literary Reading --

Novelist, essayist and poet Marcos McPeck Villatoro will read from his work at 7:30 p.m., Monday Oct. 6 in the Gentry Auditorium, Kimbrough Building. A book signing will immediately follow. It is free and open to the public. For more information, telephone 648-7031.

Nelson Riddle Orchestra --

part of the APSU/Clarksville Community Concert Artist Series, the Nelson Riddle Orchestra will perform at 7:30 p.m., Tuesday Oct. 7 in the concert theatre of the Music/Mass Communications Building. Admission is free to APSU students who pick up a ticket in advance at the Music Ticket Office. For more information, telephone 648-7876.

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Additional notes: There will be appearances by the Bud girls and opportunities to get team pictures with them.

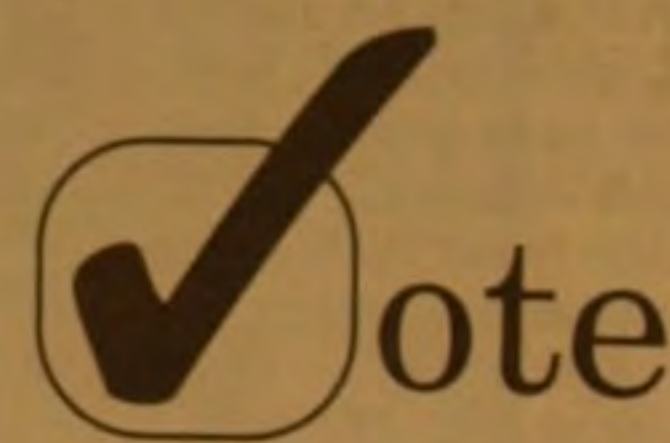
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By KRISTI WYATT
Features editor

Austin Peay senior Brian Covert never thought one phone call would change his life. Then one day it happened.

Covert, a Communication Arts major with concentrations in TV and Radio Broadcasting and Corporate Communications, received a phone number one day last semester from Yvonne Prather, assistant professor of Mass Communications.

She told him it was the phone number of a contact person at Prime Time Country in Nashville, production of Dick Clark Corporate Productions.

Covert came close to disre-

garding the number and continuing his normal life. However, the more he thought about what the summer held for him, the more convinced he became to investigate the opportunity.

He never imagined the other end of the telephone line would hold the dramatic career opportunity it did. Covert got a job as production assistant and stage manager of Honda America, a \$4 million program held at the Opryland Hotel. "This made me realize there was a lot more out there in this field besides news," Covert said.

Brenda McClain, a woman who worked for mpr public relations firm in Nashville, noticed Covert's work ethic during this

program and offered him a job. He worked with the firm as a publicist for the rest of the summer, and was then offered a full time position. With a semester of school remaining, Covert did not take the job.

McClain needed somewhere to refer her overload of clients, so she asked Covert if he had ever thought of starting his own firm. Covert saw this as an opportunity he could not pass up, so he jumped right in with McClain's help. He started his firm, Presentations, an affiliate of McClain's firm, and works in addition to attending school.

His duties include putting together press kits, biographies, introductions, demonstration

tapes and pictures for aspiring gospel music artists to send to promoters and booking agents.

"I always liked music, but not particularly gospel music. I couldn't pass up this job because of that though," Covert remarked.

Covert first became interested in journalism in the Army. Originally from Merced, Calif., he received a ROTC scholarship to Tulane University in New Orleans. After two years of studying civil engineering, he realized that was not what he wanted to do.

He enlisted for two years of active duty in the Army and was stationed at Ft. Campbell as a broadcast journalist. During this time, he received great experi-

ence in the field of journalism.

Two of his video stories were aired on CNN, and all of his print stories were put on the AP wire.

After his experiences in the Army, Covert was convinced news reporting was his calling.

He enrolled at Austin Peay main campus after taking some classes in journalism at Austin Peay at Ft. Campbell. Last fall he worked at TV 43 in Hopkinsville, Ky when he realized he did not want to be a "hard news" reporter. He said he could not put his feelings aside to cover stories, like most reporters must do.

At Austin Peay, Covert is a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon Fraternity and president of the National Broadcasting Society

(NBS).

The NBS is designed to promote broadcasting for journalism and mass media students. Students attend conventions that are great for networking and experience. "The NBS can be a great way to get your foot in the door," Covert said.

"In this field," Covert said, "it almost takes knowing someone to get started, and in Nashville you have to start at the bottom and work your way up." That is just what Covert is doing.

He sees a bright future in his firm, and he probably will never overlook a phone number that could be a potential advancement to his career.



Austin Peay senior Brian Covert spends his spare time promoting new gospel music artists.

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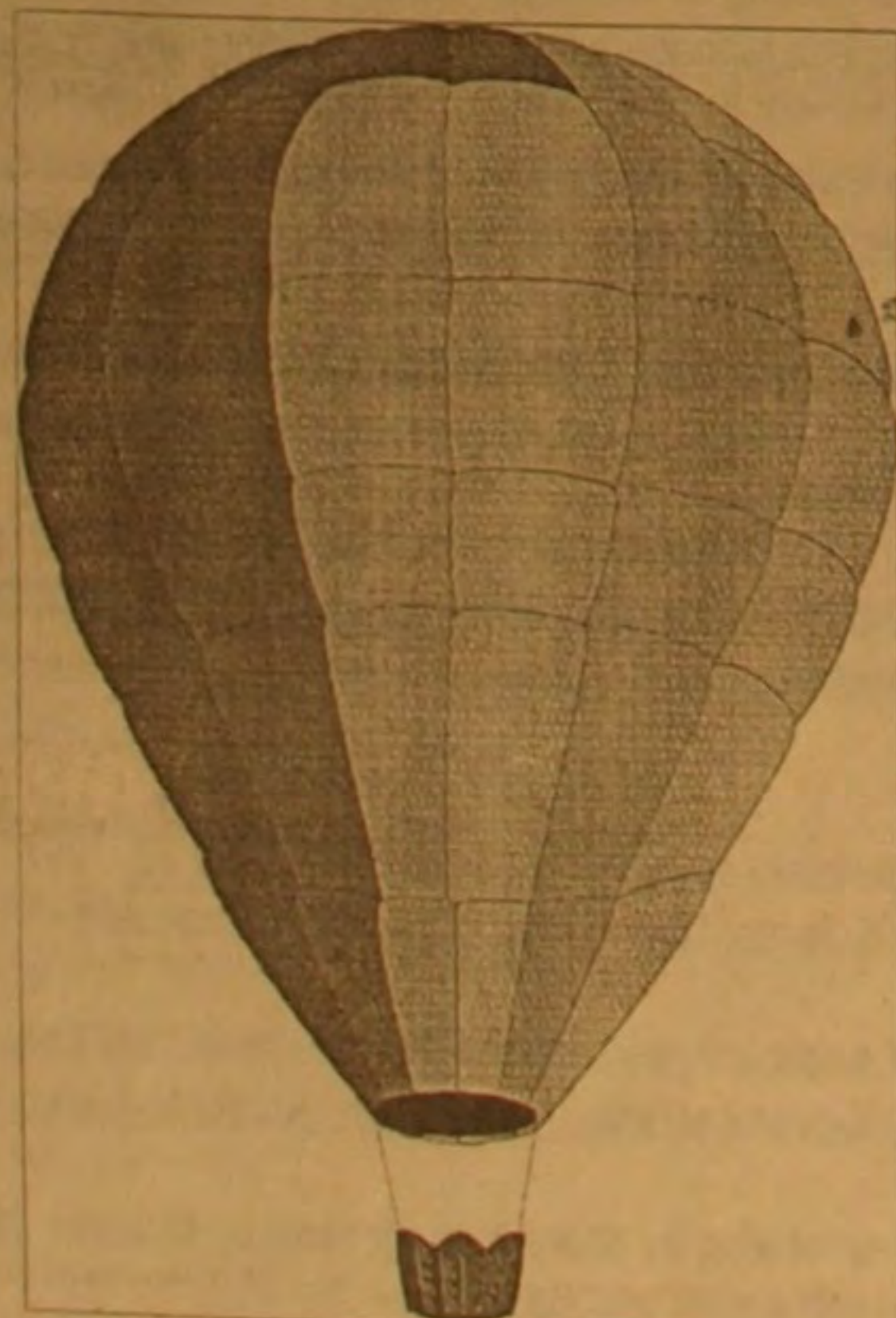
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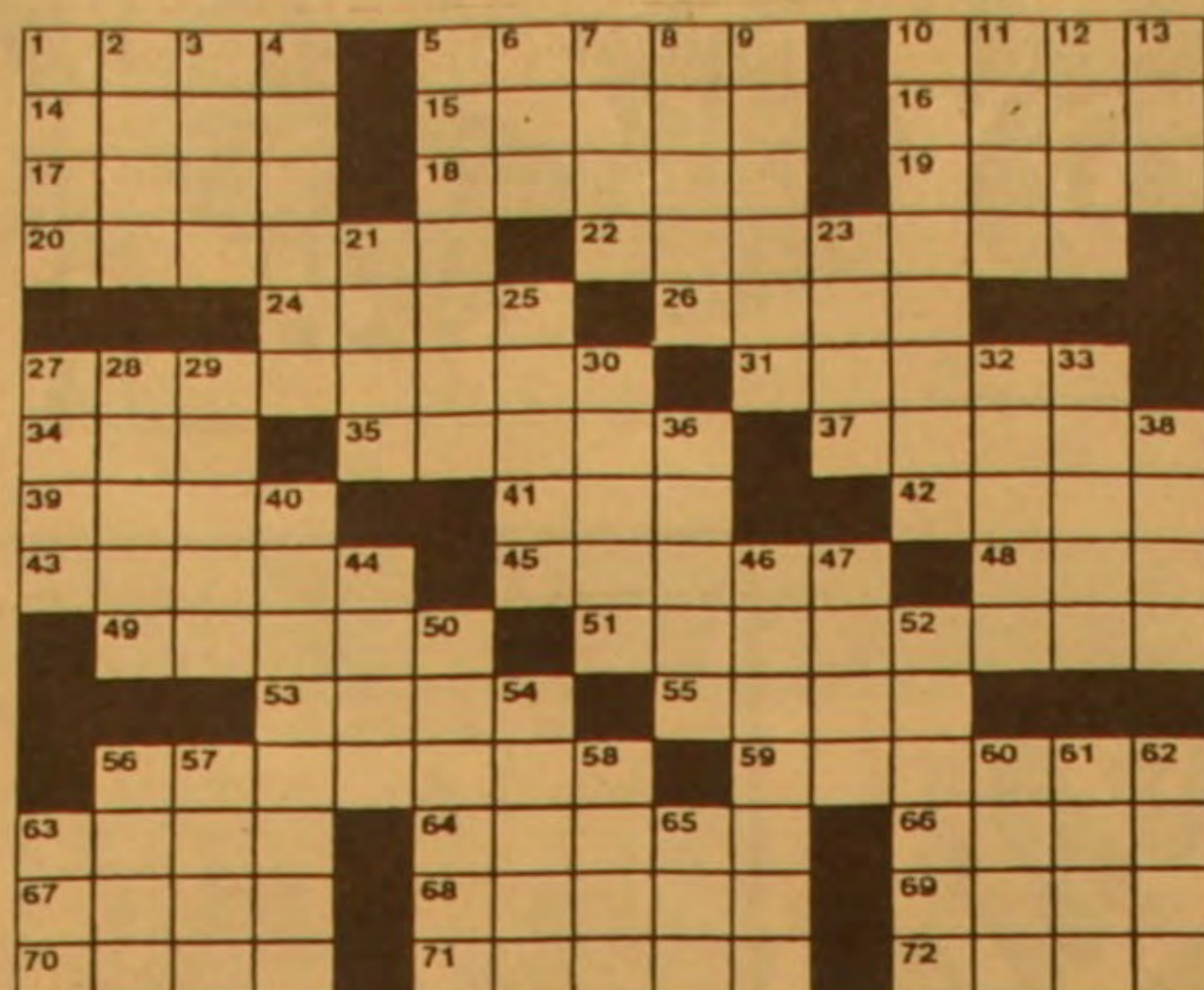
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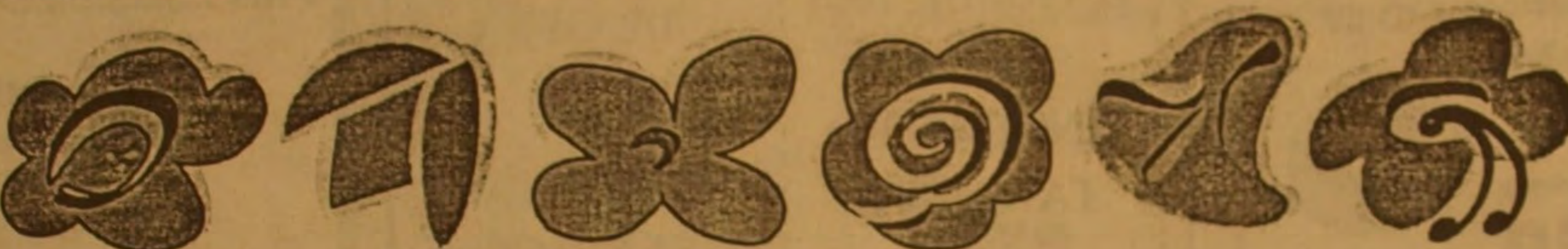
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