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He Feels Park's Alive.

To The Commercial Appeal:

According to Mrs. L. E. Rosengren, Overton Park is dead. She is welcome to this opinion, but I feel that the Park is very much alive.

Alive with children enjoying the ever-improving zoo. Alive with adults as well as children meeting the challenge of the golf course. Alive with visitors from all over the country touring the Gallery and the Academy.

Alive with families eating picnics and walking through the woods. Alive with softball and baseball teams play-

ing on the few good diamonds in Memphis. Alive with citizens of all ages enjoying the free concerts at the Shell. Alive with the "filthy scum" enjoying music at a price no other city the size of Memphis could offer. Alive with Nature's beauty which is rarely seen any more.

Perhaps Mrs. Rosengren would like a high-rise apartment in her backyard or an expressway running through her living room.

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