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RALPH J. TOTTEN, RETIRED DIPLOMAT, VISITS PRESIDENT AND M R S. CLAXTON

Rajh J, Totten of Washington, D C, retired U. S. diplomat. is visiting his first cousin. Mrs. P, P. Claxton, and Dr. Claxton. Mr. Totten is very versatile. In his early days in Nashville, he was quite days in Nashville, he was quite doing techniqued Cubans in the war with Spain. He is an artist, doing etchings and oil paintings: a hunter and writer, but having a first of the property of the power of the property of the pr

During his 30-odd years it foreign service of his country he served as consul, consul gen real or minister in Santa Dumin go, Uraguay, Spain, Abysainia and Union of South Africa, M also had a detail as foreign service inspector of European Districts and as Chief of Per

Mr. Totten is a bachelor, but he insists he has had many flattering offers. One being when he visited a local Indian chief in Venezuela, with an American friend as interpreter

He was very much flustered when he was informed that the chief had offered him the hand of his daughter for a hundred dollars, as he considered Mr. Totten said to his friend, "what hall I say?" "Don't worry. I'l fix it up," answered John, After the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased respect, gifts were exchanged respect, gifts were exchanged to the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased respect, gifts were exchanged to the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased respect, gifts were exchanged to the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased the chief was the chief bowed to Mr. Totten with what seemed like increased the chief was the chief wa

Winners In French Tourney Announced

THIRTEEN ELIGIBLES
COMPETE IN FINALS AT
PEABODY

The Austin Peay Norma School ion Saturday, April 1 was one of the eleven regions centers in which the primary French Tournaments were held there were forty-four who tool part in this contest under the supervision of Miss Mary Katheryn Tanner. There were representatives from Ashland City Centerville, Charlotte, Clarks Wille, Erin, McEwen and Waver

From the large body of students who took part in the French Tournament at Austin Peay Normal School, thirteen winners were announced on April 15

in French I, Virginia Cantlon from Clarksville High School won frst place; Joanne Farrell Centerville, came second Ant Orgain, Clarksville High School third, and Frances Porter, fron Clarksville High was fourth

averaged only a few points low er than these, but will go to the finals at Peabody College May 13, are Harry Orgain, Jr., Betsy Ann Ledbetter and Mildree Chandler, all from Clarksville and Frances Suggs, from Erin. In French 2. Claude Stephen

and Frances Suggs, from Erin.
In French 2, Claude Stephen
son, from Centreville, took firs
prize; Bryan Dority, Clarksville
took second; Menno Frazee, Me
Ewen, came third, and Priscill
Wheeler, from Waverly, cam
fourth. Priscilla Pickering
Clarksville, will also attend the

SPECIAL QUARTER OPENS AT APNS

ENROLLMENT OF TEACHERS IN SERVICE—3 NEW INSTRUCTORS

It was reunion at Austin Peay, Graduates of the two-year course were back, after a long or a ahort interim, to renew their education. Some were looking for courses to do them immediate good in their work in the field. Others, with their eyes on a B. S, degree, were planning majors and minors.

Preparations have been made for an enrollment of 150. The dormitories were filled. New teachers were offering additions courses. It was the beginning of a new era for the Austin Pea Normal School—a time of expan sion and larger service to the state.

This was what the specia quarter, April 24, meant to thos who watched with a knowin eye, to those who ten years ag had seen the school opened wit 90 freshmen and 7 sophomores.

had seen the school opened wi 90 freshmen and 7 sophomores. New courses offered to this year students are: Art in the El mentary Grades, Elementa Science in the Rural School Practical Physics, Rural Econor ics, Social Psychology, Educatic

Modern Literature in Transla tion, Georgraphy of South America, History of International Real Info. Georgraphy of South America, History of International Real Info. Georgraphy of South American Info. Georgraphy of South Info. Georgia Inf

nessee Polytechnic Institute, M S. in Agricultural Education. University of Tennessee; Samuel Bernard Thompson, M. A. and Ph.D., Vanderbittl University. Miss Zoe Cowen, A. B., Buford College, M. A. and most of work for Ph.D., George Peabody Col.

for Ph.D., George Peabody Col lege for Teachers, Mr. Phillip will teach agricultural subjects Miss Cowen will teach classes is eduation; and Mr. Thompson wil

28 BAND INSTRUMEN TS PRESENTED SCHOOL BY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Thirty-Four Students Are Working Daily Under Direction of Hague; NYA Girls Making Uniforms To Be Ready By Fall

BAND COMPETITION HELD ON SHEARER FIELD APRIL 21

CLARKSVILLE HIGH WINS DRILLS; CHATTANOOGA, CONCERT

The Middle Tennessee School Band Association's Festival was staged on Sheare Feld at Austin Peay Normal on the afternoon of Friday, April 21.

The 81-piece band of Clarksville High School ranked first in the Class A drills, while Tennessee Industrial School of Nashville, ranked second. Both of these bands are eligible to compete in the national contest to be held in Little Rock, Ark-

Springfield and the senior band of East High, in Nashville came first and second in the Class B drills and are also eligible to go to Little Book

Donelson High was the only band to take first division and become eligible for the national in the Class C drills

Carney Thweatt, Ann Morgan and Evelyn Davis of Clarksville took first rating in the drum major contest of Class A, James Scott Hardy, Gallatin and Marguerite Pendley. Springfield, ranked first in the Class B contest, and Albert Smith of Donelson came first in the Class C

The Central High band from Chattanooga, playing in the APNS auditorium, won first place in concert competition with T. I S. of Nashville taking run-

Due to the bands parading on the APNS athletic field, school was dismissed for the afternoon so that all students and the faculty who so desired were free

Robert L. McReynolds as the representative for the Clarks-ville Chamber of Commerce, formally presented to the Austin Peay Normal School in chapel on April 19 instruments for a new band to be organized, leases conducted by Guy Lynn

The band consists of 35 pieces, 28 new instruments provided by public subscription collected by the committee, and the rest privately owned by students. The band will have new uniforms by the begining of the fall quarter. The N. Y. A. girls will make the red and white uniforms and the caps and accessories will be pursuing the pu

Dr. Claxton reviewed briefly the history of the Clarksville college then introduced Mr McReynolds who in turn introduced H. D. Pettus, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and members of the band committee. Jack Miller, Arch Northington. Harvey Hunt, Dave Lee, Buddy Bates, E. B. Dickson, J. M. Dickson, and Maurice Martin.

Mr McReynolds presented Dr. Claxton with a French horn, symbolic of the group of instruments; Dr. Claxton gave the symbol to Professor Hague with instructions to produce a band for Austin Pear

Members of the student body are working daily now on their chosen instruments. Tryouts for various instruments are now under way. For the six trumphets, Bob Keeling, Ann Harris, Wilma Gilliam, Herbert Harris, Lewis Dickson, Earline Lax, and Whitney Watson are working every

Woodall Taylor, Catherine Shelby, and Bernice Randolph are trying for the trombones. Th drummers will come from Irene Manning, Tot Barker, Margaret Davidson, and Charles Ed Smith.

Edna Earle Castleberry, Evan (Continued on Page 2)

Sea-Food Mama, or Crappies, (Or What's That Got To Do With The Price Of Eggs)

ED. NOTE: All names used herein are purely ficticious. Any name corresponding to that of an actual person is merely coinci-

VESPER SERVICES

This piece of literature (?) is dedicated to the piscatorial catch made by love-hungry Spring weather, which, with unbaited hooks, on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday (as well as Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday and Sunday), lures APN students into

To lay aside figures of speech and get down to brass tacks (we always say "brass tacks", students' thoughts are literally (and I do mean literally (and I do mean literally santched away from the clays-room to that thing which is so predominant at this season and which so deranges one's mentally as to cause a great number to say, in answer to the question: "Its not as cold as it is, was it?" "Its not as cold as it is, was it?"

of "about twice that much." To be more explicit—love. The Student Survey, an unaffiliated authority on campus opinion, interviewed a large number of students and other in-

terested parties on this sut and some of the reports v startling. Even the "Yank at At Peay," the Normal's truepride and joy, said in inter-

pride and Joy, said in interview with one of the Student Survey reporters, quote, Purgatory was proven that our friend, Mr. Sie, lentic is not alone in this belief, we refer you to a statement from our files which was made by a certain young could of Austin Peay. She prefers to keep the province of th

quote. To clinch our viewpoint on this seasonable subject we here quote ye olde campus cutup. Billy Rubel, who was very helpful to us with his characteristicly modest statement, quote, ((

Price Of Eggs) VISITING OF E

The Student Survey is absolutely unbiased in its opinion and its revealing statistics Alprising young group of truth seekers might have you believe lit, it is not affiliated in any way with Mr. Bondt safternon survitime to the seekers might have you believe in the seekers might have you believe lit, it is not affiliated in any way with Mr. Bondt unselfishment of the seekers with the property of the seekers in a business sort of way when Mr. Bondt unselfishment of the seekers with the seekers and interview. The results of the interview are as follow quote, Young man, I don't know quote, Young man, I don't know what I am going to have to de what I am going to have to de

Mr. Bond, however, was not the only faculty member who was interviewed in our report to the student body, nor was his statement the most enlightening which we encountered. Among the most enlightening was one contributed by one of our counry's most well-known educators

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APNS STUDENTS HEAR TOTTEN

VISITING DIPLOMAT TELLS OF EXPERIENCES IN SOUTH AFRICA

Mr. Ralph J. Totten, who is visiting Dr. P. P. Claxton, spoke in change of Priday, April 21. In the priday of the priday april 21. In the priday april

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Our Parking Problem

F—ailed in math.

L—aughed at the wrong time.

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we'll seek some
away,
And meat life's frown with
love's carcaress
And cleaver road to happiness.
—The Signal "Daffy definitions" from the Ward-Belmont Hyphen: Vanishing cream: Milk stolen

same!
You give me back no word, no sign—
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mine;
Ah! smiling lips, sweet eyes, the
same!

Lewis Maiden: "Gimme a kiss ke a good girl." Evangeline N.: "Well, all right, ut if I give you one like a laughty girl you'd like it bet. Lewis Maiden: "Gimme a kiss

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WANTED—Girls to understand that what I lack in size I make up in efficiency. WHITNEY WATSON

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EXIGENT — Anyone desiring to see me during history period, please take notice. I shall hold you responsible for all unneces-sary reductions in my grades. I shall expect?'s. PAUL SPENCER

MR. GILMORE

Through The Keyhole

Does Lax Register, or do

Hubert Harris, the woman-later, has turned softie. We saw tim escorting a cute girl about.

Matt Henry, Charlie, Tom, and Villard have graduated from igh school, but their hearts are ill there. Why doesn't Margaret Baker want her name in the keyhole any more? Are you trying to hide something, Margaret?

One of Jean's boy friends can make a hole in one, but the oth-er, well—Jean give him a break.

If Jimmy Bailey and George McMurry weren't good friends they might become rivals.

Ask James Gannaway how he feels about his sister's blonde girl friend. And Mary says the feeling is natural.

Wilma Gilliam now has the most choice position on Wood-all's list of socially acceptable

We wonder if Johnny B. o Columbia will succeed in selling Ann an insurance policy agains falling out of love.

What do you think of the fash-onable position marriage occu-pies on this campus, Mary Ann and Roy?

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tion's diritiday.

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WILLIE B. WORLEY

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Hunt will be guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine of
not less than three dates and notmore thanTERRELL McCURDY WANTED—Sufficient funds to purchase a new candid camera. Against my better judgment I took four shots of the All State staff.

Cecil R.: "What do the three balls in front of a pawnshop mean?" Sidney: "Two to one you don't get it back."

PAUL SPENCER
WANTED — A ghost layer.
Strange noises such as weirdly
Talting chairs, rolling cans, fall to the bank and cash !