DON'T MISS THIS!

Special Pennsylvania Avenue Column Will Appear in Tuesday's Edition (Dec. 21) of the AFRO, Telling Santa What to Bring Its Readers and Friends.

Powhatan Girl Married to Fine Creek Mills Man

POWHATAN, Va.— Miss Ellen Taylor and George Harris of Fine Creek Mills were married here Aug. 27 in the home of the Rev. J. F. Lightener, who performed the ceremony, it was announced last week.

Attendance at the marriage were Miss Peggy Lightener and Herbert Harris.

CAREY • LAFAYETTE

WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 1948	WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 1948
"A Merry Xmas To All"	"A Merry Xmas To All"
Sunday-Monday Dec. 19-20	Sunday-Monday Dec. 19-20
ALLAN LADD BONNA REID in "BEYOND GLORY" PRISCILLA BENNY "BOOSIER HOT SHOTS in "ARKANSAS SWING" "SUPERMAN" No. 10 "CARTOON	JIMMY WAKELY JENNIFER HOLT in "Range Renegade" BETHEL WILLIAMS JIMMIE DURANTE in "On An Island With You" CARTOON COMEDY
Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 21-22	Tuesday-Wednesday Dec. 21-22
FRANK BUCK "CAPTIVE GIRL" in "BRING 'EM BACK ALIVE" —Also— "CAMPUS HONEYMOON" "DAUGHTER OF DON Q" No. 4	DEAN MARTIN THURSTON HALL in "KING OF GAMBLERS" GLEN FORD • EVELYN KEYES in "MATING OF MILLIE" Feature COMEDY Wed.: "PHANTOM RIDER" No. 5
Thursday Dec. 23	Thursday Dec. 23
NAT PIERCE JANE MARTIN in "MAIN STREET KID" EDDIE DEAN "STARS OVER TEXAS" ALL STAR COMEDY	BING CROSBY JOAN FONTAINE in "EMPEROR WALTZ" HOAGY LARUE FUZZY ST. JOHN in "Guns, Town Renegade" "PHANTOM RIDER" No. 5
CLOSED ON FRIDAY	CLOSED ON FRIDAY
Saturday Dec. 25	Saturday Dec. 25
CHARLES STARRETT SMILEY BURNETTE in "BUCKAROO FROM POWDER RIVER" ALLAN LANE ROBERT BLAKE in "OREGON TRAIL SCOUTS" "SUPERMAN" No. 10 "FEDERAL LADIES of UNDERWORLD" No. 5 "BUCANEER BOUNTY" "SLEEPY TIME DONALD" CARTOONS	CHARLES STARRETT SMILEY BURNETTE in "ELDERADO PASS" BOOTS, LUCKY & WINDY in "MARAUDERS" "SUPERMAN" No. 4 Serial in COIN' WEST "FRANK & JESSE JAMES" No. 9 Bugs Bunny in "BUCANEERS"
COMING— "FOUR FACES WEST" "RANCHO RECKLESS" "ROSE OF RIO GRANDE"	COMING— "BEYOND GLORY" "MAGGIE" "BERLIN EXPRESS"

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Four Years Make a Big Difference

The Four Knights, NBS singing team, who four years ago were singing in a North Carolina Church Choir, are currently featured on the Red Skelton Friday night radio show, shown during a rehearsal with the comic maestro.

POEM TO BE IN ANTHOLOGY

SAVANNAH, Ga.—Charles Davis of Macon, Ga., a special student at Georgia State College, recently had his poem, "Corn Field," selected by the board of judges of the National Poetry Association to be published in the Annual Anthology of College Poetry.

Champion Typist Beats White Reporter in Speed Contest

MINNEAPOLIS (ANP)—Bob Murphy, well-known white reporter for the Minneapolis Star, a daily, came out a poor second in a typewriting speed contest, last week, with Cortez W. Peters of Washington, D.C., national champion typist on portable machines. Murphy, who says he is something of a speedster, typed as usual. Peters wore thick red mittens.

Murphy chalked up 72 words a minute while Peters did 156 despite his mittens. Lifting a "speed sentence," Peters has typed as high as 319 words in a minute. In a solid-hour he has typed 141 words a minute on a standard typewriter and 130 on a portable.

Travelling under auspices of the Royal Typewriter Company, Peters has toured the United States and Canada demonstrating in schools, colleges and business conventions. He has appeared before the Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions Clubs. He operates three business colleges in Washington, Baltimore and Chicago.

Jimmy Shorter Re-Elected Head of Musicians Union Local 274

PHILADELPHIA

The re-election of Jimmy Shorter as president of the Musicians' Protective Union, Local No. 274, American Federation of Musicians, was announced Monday evening, following the first election held in the unit's new building, 912 S. Broad St.

Incumbents were also re-elected to five other major offices. They are:

Harry Monroe, vice president; Henry Lowe, secretary; Gus Johnson, assistant secretary; Herbert Berry, treasurer, and Damon Fisher Jr., sergeant-at-arms.

Executive committee members:

Charlie Gaines Sr., Harry Marsh Sr., Danny McGuire, Selmer Payne, Stanley Peters, and John Berry.

James Tyree and Frank Shields were elected to the trustee board, and John Bowden, Charlie Gaines Jr., Dorothy King, Harold Washington and Earl Beckett were named to the trial board.

Landlords Can Try for Rent Boosts

Landlords who have obtained rent adjustments from the Area Rent Division under hardship inequities and other grounds may still negotiate leases for 15% increases provided the agreement is voluntary on the tenant's part.

Walter R. Heath, director of the rent office at 400 E. Lombard St., pointed out that some rental properties have received increases both by petition for adjustment and then by lease, so an overlap of the two totals has to be given consideration.

Although a lease increase is possible on top of a petition increase, a petition increase cannot be granted when a unit is under a rent increase lease.

New Radio Program to Make Debut Dec. 29

PHILADELPHIA

A series of half-hour broadcasts over Station WHAT will be opened Dec. 29, starring the C.B.F. Motion Picture and Theatrical Enterprises, which recently presented "Fear," mystery thriller written and directed by Abdul Ahmed Bey.

In Local Territory

Harvey (Emcee) Hill and Lorraine Hollis, husband and wife singing team, who just closed at Club Savannah, NYC, are currently playing the Rail Inn, a North Avenue spot, which recently dropped its color bar to talent. They'll open at Jones's Tavern, W. Lanvale St., New Year's Day.

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AN EASY STORY TO TELL:

Misfit Jobs Inspired Four Boys to Success

In the Tar Heel city of Charlotte some four years ago, they were having a difficult time adjusting to routine jobs.

All Had Unsuited Jobs

Eugene Alford, 26, was disgustedly dunking pictures in the developing trays of a photo shop, while John Wallace, 32, was daily wrestling with the wheel of a diaper delivery truck.

On the other side of town, 25-year-old Clarence Dixon was breaking in on a new job in a barber shop after several years in a Charlotte war plant. Last, but not least, 34-year-old Oscar Broadway was pounding away in a window shade manufacturing plant.

Not one of the boys liked the jobs, and so it was only natural that when work was over they should seek some sort of outlet. With these particular four it became singing. They were members of the same Charlotte church, and helped out each Sunday in the choir. One Sunday in 1944 the minister asked them to get together and practice up a few spirituals to entertain at a forthcoming church supper.

First Appearance Dull

The boys admit today that their first appearance wasn't too good, and so they got into the habit of meeting after work to practice harmony and technique.

Wallace played the guitar and sang tenor; Dixon was baritone; Alford, lead; and Broadway, bass. They called themselves The Southland Jubilee Singers and soon found they were in demand at dances and church gatherings.

A program director at Charlotte's NBC affiliate, WSOC, found a spot for the boys to record for a rival Charlotte radio station, and snatched them up immediately on the strength of a network, and bang! Success.

Answered New York's Call

Down from New York came a contract for the boys to record for a big transcription company. So off to the big city they went, and they went on the road with Bill (Bojangles) Robinson.

In mid-summer of 1948 Red Skelton began looking for a singing group for his Friday night NBC coast-to-coast program. He heard The Four Knights and was sold. The boys came to Hollywood and are living here now. They're tried television, they're still doing stage appearances and one day soon you may see them on the screen.

The people in Hollywood who know talent when they see and hear it say that the success of the Four Knights is well deserved. The boys deliver a show of wonderful Afro-American rhythms mixed with popular melodies that sends the critics out to write rave reviews.

A long way from four unsatisfactory jobs four short years ago.

Westfield GI Finishes Air Force Clerk Course

FORT WARREN, Wy.—Pfc. Alfred E. Banker son of George A. Banker of Westfield N. J., has graduated from the clerk-typist course at the USAF Technical School here, according to an announcement by Col. John C. B. Elliott, commanding officer.

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No. 2—Mischa Auer - Little Tough Guys "IN SOCIETY"		
TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY	Big 3 Hit Show	DEC. 21-22
No. 1—John Garfield in "GENTLEMAN'S AGREEMENT"		
No. 2—George O'Brien in "BORDER G-MEN"		
No. 3—"The Vigilantes" Chapter 10		
THURSDAY	One-Day Only	DEC. 23
No. 1—Don Ameche in "THAT'S MY MAN"		
No. 2—John Wayne in "IN OLD CALIFORNIA"		
FRIDAY-SATURDAY	Big Holiday Show	DEC. 24-25
No. 1—John Wayne in "THE MAN FROM UTAH"		
No. 2—Lon Chaney in "THE MUMMY'S GHOST"		
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Pete Smith:
"I Love My Mother-in-Law, But"

Thurs.-Fri. Dec. 23-24
"THUNDER IN THE VALLEY"
with
★ Peggy Ann Garner
★ Lon McCallister
plus
"Drums of the Congo"
with
★ Ona Munson
★ Stuart Erwin
Adventure:
"Holiday In South Africa"
ALL AMERICAN NEWS

Sat. Dec. 25
"TRAIN TO ALCATRAZ"
with
★ Donald Barry
★ Janet Martin
also
"West of Sonora"
starring
★ Charles Starrett
Cartoon:
"Tepee Turkey"
ALL AMERICAN NEWS

DUNBAR

WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 1948

SUNDAY-MONDAY-TUESDAY	DEC. 19-20-21
No. 1—TYRONE POWER · BASIL RATHBONE · LINDA DARNELL in "MARK OF ZORRO"	
No. 2—JAMES BROWN · SHELIA RYAN · REGIS TOOMEY in "THE BIG FIX"	
Also—"CANADIAN MOUNTED" No. 10 — Plus News	
WEDNESDAY-THURSDAY	DEC. 22-23
DONALD O'CONNOR · MARJORIE MAIN · PERCY KILBRIDE in "FEUDIN' FUSSIN' & FIGHTIN'"	
No. 2—GLENN FORD · EVELYN KEYES in "MATING OF MILLIE"	
PLUS NEWS	
CLOSED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1948	
SATURDAY	DEC. 25
No. 1—MONTE HALE · ADRIAN BOOTH in "CALIFORNIA FIREBRAND"	
No. 2—BUCK JONES in "WHEN A MAN SEES RED"	
Also—"TEX GRANGER" No. 2	

Rio Theatre

WEEK OF DECEMBER 19, 1948

FRIDAY-SATURDAY-SUNDAY	DEC. 17-18-19
HUMPHREY BOGART · WALTER HUSTON in "TREASURE OF SIERRE MADRE"	
Plus CARTOON — NEWS	
MONDAY thru THURSDAY	DEC. 20-23
No. 2—DICK FORAM · ELYSE KNOX · LON CHANEY in "SON OF DRACULA"	
No. 2—DICK FORAN · ELYSE KNOX · LON CHANEY in "MUMMY'S TOMB"	
CLOSED FRIDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1948	
SATURDAY	DEC. 25
No. 1—WILLIAM "BIll" ELLIOTT · VERA RALSTON in "WYOMING"	
No. 2—GILBERT "Cisco Kid" ROLAND, MARTIN GARRALAGA TEALA LORING in "RIDING THE CALIFORNIA TRAIL"	
also NEWS	

Wagon Wheel Re-Opens With Glasco McCann as Manager

The newly renovated and redecorated Wagon Wheel Tavern, 1800 block Pennsylvania Ave., re-opened today (Friday), under the management of Glasco McCann, well known mixologist.

In addition to the many new features of the spot, the upper floor, closed to the public for a number of years, again will feature musical entertainment, beginning with a trio. However, the food department will not be open at the present time.

The business was recently purchased at a reported price of $10,000 by Gold Bass, young businessman and brother of Kenny Bass, co-operator of the Club Casino and owner of a laundrette and billiard parlor in the 1500 block.

The Wagon Wheel was formerly operated by the late Louvon Millard, who was succeeded by his brother, Clarence, and Ernest A. Brooks. Business had been suspended several months, following the death of Mr. Brooks.

Mr. McCann, recently of the Club Casino, takes over the management with a personnel of nine experienced night club workers, included are:

Howard E. Gibson and Billy Stockett, barmen; Marie and Delomer Whidbee, bartenders; Marie Ferguson, Zelma Folkes, Dorothy Reed, waitresses; Henry Trout, floorman, and Carroll Diggs, serviceman.

MORGAN CLICKING

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'One Man Show' at Comedy Club

Flink Johnson, who's billed as the "one man show" on Solovox at the new musical bar in the Comedy Club, boasting an unlimited repertoire of tunes from Bach to Boogie. Co-featured with the Jolly Jacks, a vocal-instrumental quartet, they will be held over for the holidays through public demand.

Pennsylvania Avenue

By E. B. BEA

DEAR PALSY-WALSY SANTA CLAUS: Nex' Friday night is the time you're s'posed to do your annual stunt, hoppin' from house top to house top and squirting down sooty chimneys. From this corner it seems that you have been sleep during the past few years by not taking advantage of the Atomic Age.

Why don't you get wise, Santa? Instead of having to crawl out of a warm bed, face up in furs from head to foot, ballin' your brains out over a pack of genus Rangifer (reindeer), Dasher, Dancer, Prancer, Vixen, Comet, Cupid, Donder and Blitzen, why don't you get "hep" to the times?

If you had the foresight of a Jules Verne, you could be in the groovey rides this year. You wouldn't have to be skipping from roof-to-porch-to-house-top.

You should have invented a "giveo." That's a device that would shoot the loot into the living room. Then there would be no need for chimneys, much reindeer.

All the kiddies and older folks would have to do would be let the loot on their "giveo," clear a way space and watch the swag dump out all over the floor.

For you, it would be "no sloop, no squat, no jump, no squint. You couldn't have to be burdened with heavy copies of the latest Plymouths and Fords; spoke on why Mr. Gallup and Mr. Roper galloped over and didn't hope Dewey for President; or a copy of Mr. Hooper's radio ratings, when even Mr. Hooper is staying home nights trying to win a refrigerator on those giveaway programs.

Why don't you do your share the "give-way"? Then you could sit back and listen to "Break the Bank," "Hue Hush" or "Stop the Music" the radio way.

Why be out filling socks when you might win Fort Knox, Lake Erie, a free vacation to Sun Valley, Idaho, or a home laundry? You won't have to take Williams, you'll just get Bendix.

Santa, you have one rival this Christmas. He's Uncle Sam, who's giving away all of our money and food and throwing in China to boot.

However, we'll still be expecting you, but our Yuletide won't be as cheery this year, because we have a new jingle that doesn't sound like "Jingle Bells," and it is not recommended as a Christmas Carol to be sung aloud to the family. It goes like this:

Whittaker Chambers, pumpkin-eater,
Had a secret that was a dairy.
He put it in a pumpkin-shell,
And, there he kept it very well.

The secret grew hot and the pumpkin cracked.
When the investigators began to act—
Why! the'y the probe would surely pain,
But, along came two brothers —
Hiss and Hiss.

The pumpkin hatched its microfilm,
Which made Whit' look like a Mae-West
Now pumpkins are spreading a
Stalin eye.
So, there won't be any "pumpkin pie."

Yet Santa, there are a lot of good deserving people. So prepare yourself for a lot of requests, because politics is a big business.

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WANNA PLAY SANTA CLAUS?

Four Little Kiddies Are Wondering: Is It True?

Would you like to help spread Christmas cheer to someone less fortunate than you are? Then here's your real chance. So, how about sharing in the real spirit of Christmas? This is no beggar's scheme and no scheme for personal gain. Only those persons mentioned here will profit. Materially—those E. B. BEA who contribute, should be happy. This will be the second year that Santa Claus pulls in his sleigh on the same be-for-kids-sake basis as last year. Only those persons mentioned here will profit. Materially—those E. B. BEA who contribute, should be happy. This will be the second year that this writer has acted a sympathetic go-between for those kiddies in his city who are made believe that there really is a Santa Claus.

They are being cared for by an aged grandfather, who has had to take a part-time job in order to support them. Such a job has forced by a married daughter, who has a family of her own. The grandmother died since the children's mother and father entered the hospital.

Persons desirous of contributing to this worthy cause may do so by writing or calling E. B. Bea, AFRO theatrical editor, at Mulberry 5345. Each and every contribution, cash, clothing, toys or Christmas goodies, will be acknowledged through the AFRO.

Thanks to Mrs. Florence H. Carter, 1617 Madison Ave., for the initial donation of $5 "for the children of Donald and Leroy Young."

Thanks to Mrs. Forrest C. Wright, 317 N. Arlington Ave., who called on Thursday with an offer of toys, books, etc., and Mrs. Howard Moreland, 1924 McCulloh St., offering clothing, etc.

Four children are involved. They are Donald, 12; Leroy, 10; Frederick Roger, three, and Ann Marie, four, the sons of Donald and Louise Young of 1539 N. Carey St. Their home is in very sorry condition, to say the least. It will be their second year as patients at City Hospital, and there's nobody they can go to to bring joy cheer into this home.

Schools Compete in Printing Week

Local school children are invited to enter the seven of seven contests to be held in connection with National Printing Week celebration to be observed during the week of Jan. 16.

Cash awards will be made to the three boys or girls showing the largest and most comprehensive collection of everyday items in which use of ink which printing is featured.

Entries should be listed on a sheet of paper containing the contestant's name, address and school and brought to the Printing Week Committee headquarters, 600 N. Paul St., on Jan. 15.

Another contest is open for pupils of junior and senior high schools and three similar cash awards will be made for the three letters on "Career Opportunities in Printing."

This will be Baltimore's first participation in Printing Week which was established several years ago to focus attention on one of the nation's largest industries.

Armstrong Set for B.C. Spot at $4,500

VANCOUVER

Armstrong's six-piece band is scheduled to open here at the Palomar Club, Jan. 3, for four weeks at a reported $4,500 weekly.

A Double Partnership

"Cush" and Gwen Garner, who recently entered the Holiness world, are co-operators of the Manhattan Newsstand, 2102 Pennsylvania Ave.

Joining the newsstand group in Avenue pool room again this year, Cush's matchless dangerous Wagon Wheel ready for target shots. Gwen's Seals and a cheery smile are being in some where.

Camilla Williams Stars in Opera

CHICAGO (ANP)—Camilla Williams, who was lauded as the high of Chicago's opera season by critics, will star opposite Jussi Bjoerling in the Chicago Opera Company production of the opera "Madame Butterfly" on Dec. 29 at the Opera House. The Chicago Opera Company is the Civic Opera House and Sesame Club of the city, with Tyrone Guthrie directing the opera company.

Baltimore Boys' Choir to Sing in Washington

Presenting its first concert recently, the Boys' Choir of Happiness, a Baltimore Boys Chorus will appear at the Washington concert hall on the afternoon, at 1818 St. Baptist Church in Washington.

Directed by W. Meredith Burke Jr., the youngsters will be presented by the Ladies Club and Senior Choir of the church with Professor Burke's opera company.

'Messiah' to Be Sung

BORDENTOWN, N.J.—The State of New Jersey Manual Training and Industrial School, Dr. W. R. Valentine, principal, will present its 150-voice choir in the fourth annual performance of "The Messiah," by George Frederick Handel, at 3 p.m. on Sunday, in the Chapel of the school.

The choir will be conducted by Charles Higgins, with Ann Bell as accompanist.

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