AFRO's Mrs. Santa raised $17,613.94

Howard Security Agency brought baskets of food to Mrs. Santa. Here from left: Lt. Larry Heywood, George B. Guest, vice - president; Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Vanessa Johnson; Mel Blanheim, president.

Charles Griffin, Ten Plus, Inc. gave $100 to Mrs. Santa. He is shown here with Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Vanessa Johnson.

Baltimore Area Alumni Association of Alpha Phi Omega National Service Fraternity presented Mrs. Santa a check for $100. From left are: Leon Jones, vice president; Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters and Melvin Bordley.

Beta Club of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. presented $20. and toys and canned goods to Mrs. Santa. Shown here are: front, Ruchell Reed, secretary; Antonia Gray, Vaughn L. Johnson, president. Standing: Steven James, Advisor; Kevin McDaniel, Kevin Watkins; Mrs. Santa's helper, Arnetta Lottier, Charles F. Neal Jr., advisor.

Mrs. Agnes Douglas, treasurer (left) and Mrs. Bessie M. Joyner, corresponding secretary (right) present Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Vanessa Johnson, a check for $50 from the D.C.-Md. Regional Chapter of the Booker T. Washington Association (BTW) of Rocky Mount, N.C.

ST. Francis — Fr. Charles A. Hall School will sponsor the opening night of the musical Raisin on Friday, Jan. 7 at Morris Mechanic theater. Shown here, from left are: Sister Reginald, principal, Mrs. Lillian Wainwright, chairman of fund raising: Mother Mary of Good Counsel; Superior General of the Oblate Sisters of Providence; Miss Beverly A. Carroll, president of Board; Sister Mary Magdelen, business teacher.

Last minute contributions

$150
Garwyn Medical Center
$125
Beta Omega Epsilon Fraternity
$70
American Friends Service Committee
$63
Calvert Adult Education Center
$50
Mrs. Frederick H. Dedmond
Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc.
Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority
$47.70
AFRO-AMERICAN Employees
$25
Iota Phi Lambda Sorority, Kappa Chapter
Joseph N. Butler
Ms. Joyce Winston Owens
Freight Drivers & Helpers Local #557
Calvin Thompson
Mr. & Mrs. James T. Perry
$20
Mr. & Mrs. Charles Chase
Ms. Charlotte M. Perry
$15
Edward & Diane Lynch
Herb's Lounge
$10
Alvester Saunders
Ms. Mildred A. Williams
James Robinson
$5.00
William Solomon
Wayne Brown
Mrs. Margaret Jefferson
Mrs. Regina Bowman

Mrs. Santa's helpers

Beta Omega Epsilon Fraternity presented $100 to Mrs. Santa. Caroll Smith and Lawrence Little were their representatives.

Gwynns Falls Elementary School No. 60 student council brought toys and canned goods to Mrs. Santa last Wednesday. They helped make it possible for the National Guard to give youngsters toys when they delivered the food baskets to the needy.

Calvert Adult Education (Math class) brought toys and money to Mrs. Santa. They collected the toys which included a two wheel bike and rocking horse. They collected $63 in money. Mrs. Masalina Robinson, teacher, brought some of the students to the office. They included Eugene Brooks, Mrs. Mary Ward, Miss Carolyn Stanley, Mrs. Cynthia Dismel, DeLonzo Jiggets, James Jordan, Tommy Stiff.

The Sunrise Social Club, Inc. had a shrimp party and donated 50 cents for every ticket sold to Mrs. Santa. They donated $50 to the Christmas fund. The group would like to thank everyone who helped make the affair a success. Mrs. Santa would like to thank them also.

John Wesley United Methodist church at North and Bloomingdale, adopted 15 of Mrs. Santa's families. William D. Parrish came to the office for the names of the families. Rev. J. Lloyd Garrison is pastor.

The 30 Flat Club donated five big baskets of food with large roasting chickens in them.

Thanks also to Yvette Chapman for the toys she brought in. They really came in handy.

Thanks to Mrs. Jupiter's neighbor, Reggie Johnson, Johnson's Produce, for bringing all of nice clothes in for Mrs. Jupiter. Many thanks folks were so happy to get them.

Mrs. Geraldine Watty, 700 blk. B and A Boulevard, all the way in from Glen Burnie to bring clothes to Mrs. Santa.

Mrs. Beatrice Lee, 100 N. Payson St., sent lovely clothes to the office. Her daughter, Mrs. Glenda Sydnor of the 5400 blk. Sarril Rd. brought clothes along with her mother's and promises next year she will try to help us early. That's just wonderful, we can us it.

Mrs. Karen Griner Brown of 3100 blk. Artaban Place saw the people lined up waiting outside the Mrs. Santa's office, waiting to get clothes and toys. She was so moved she came back that afternoon and brought all kinds of lovely toys, clothes and household items.

Thanks to City Fair for the $25 check they sent to Mrs. Santa. It was most thoughtful.

The Joe Hayes of the 3300 blk. Clifton Ave. gave a sofa to Mrs. Santa for some needy family.

The students of Mathematics at the Calvert Adult Education Center No. 456, gave books, toys and money to Mrs. Santa. At Thanksgiving, they collected over $100 to fix baskets for five families. The baskets included such goodies as fresh fruit, cake mixes, breakfast foods, chickens as well as turkeys and many other extras.

Tomorrow's Hope Club adopted one of Mrs. Santa's families.

Mrs. Barbara Golden of the 3600 blk. Marmon Ave. adopted three families.

Neighbors of the 2600 and 2700 blks of W. North Ave. collected toys for Mrs. Santa. Mrs. Minnie Mitchell is AFRO Clean Block advisor and little Sharon Davis is captain. Sharon's grandmother, Mrs. Evelyn Arrington, was kind enough to bring the large box of toys and clothes to the office with Mrs. Mitchell.

Mrs. Porter Young, 1200 blk. Aisquith St. sent clothes to Mrs. Santa.

Mrs. Marie Frazier brought in the nicest toys for little boys. These toys went out in less than an hour.

Many thanks to everyone who helped Mrs. Santa and Merry Christmas to all.

Happy New Year

Members of the Student Council of Gwynns Falls Elementary School No. 60 collected toys and canned goods for Mrs. Santa. Included in the picture are: Mrs. Oglatha Pinkney, parent; Anita Pinkney, student council; Mrs. Curry, advisor; Antonia Crawford, AnthonyCrawford and Curt Wise, members of the Student Council.

Allen Thieblot and Alexander, attorneys at law contributed $50 to Mrs. Santa's fund. Here from left to right are: Ms. Debora Winslead, Mrs. Santa's helper, Miss Sharon Jordan and Ms. Vanter Vereen.

Beta Omega Epsilon Fraternity gave $125 to Mrs. Santa. Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Vashi McKenzie, receives check from Caroll Smith and Lawrence Little.

Special Thanks

Mrs. Arnetta Lottier
Deputy Director
Public Relations

Mrs. Vanessa Johnson
Secretary

Photographers

Benjamin Phillips
Norma Spencer

Mrs. Ida Peters
Mrs. Santa

You cared and shared. Thanks!

happy new year

Hoe's Heights Inprovement Association, Inc. donated four large baskets of food to Mrs. Santa. Kneeling from left are: Roy Anderson, Herman Sauiter, Joycelyn Hudson, Jeffry Anderson, Jacqueline Wilson. Rear: Alisa Anderson, Marion Willis, Deborah Pulliam, Gail Wilson, Bernadette Parker, Lydia Wilson, Mrs. Gladys J. Gunther, wife of President James E. Gunther. Denise Green, Larry Wilson, Horace Bryant, Herbert Gardner, Mrs. John Frazier, William C. Brown, president of board of directors.

The Cardinal Gibbons Student Union gave baskets of food and money to Mrs.Santa. Shown here are: from left, Frank Katz, moderator; Stephen Coffey, chairman; Marvin Bryant, chairman; Jerome McArthur, treasurer. 2nd row: James Watson, Nate Holly, Tom Cousin, Reynold Brown, Warren Hart. 3rd row: Everett Dunlap, Tony Harris, Norman Thomas, Sr.; Kevin Crowell, Demanuel Butler.

Drs. Lionel Desbordes)left) and Johnny Yap presents Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Vanessa Johnson, $75 for the fund.

Mt. Lebanon Lodge No. 22 P.H.A. and A.M. presented $250 to Mrs. Santa. Shown here, seated from left are: Nathaniel Jones, public relations, Herbert Nelson, Worshipful Master; William Henson, junior deacon. Rear: Raymond A. Bynum, district deputy Grand Master at Large; Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters, Ernest Powell, past master and treasurer.

The Naomi Grand Chapter—Order of Eastern Star, Hiram Grand Lodge, A.F. and A.M. affiliation contributed $150 to Mrs. Santa. Shown here are: Miss Ruth Clayton, chairman of Charity Committee; Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters. Miss Helen V. Benton, Grand Worthy Matron. Not shown is Ms. Shirley Thornton, grand lecturer, and School of Construction, gave $100 and the $50 came from the Charity Committee.

Chesapeake Channel Breakers, Inc. gave $300 to Mrs. Santa. Shown here from left are Anne Williams, (Poor Lady), secretary; Leonard Veal, (Cocoa Butter), president; Leonard Veal, Jr., Vernon Savage, (Colombo), vice-president; Rosa Pryor, (Rambling Red Rose), business manager; 2nd row: Henry Groissette, (Gun Rod); Robert Tarter, (Spock); Mrs. Santa's Helper, Mrs. Vanessa Johnson; Henry Echols, (Captain Dry) and Andrew Easter, (Mr. Drew).

Noble Columbus McNeil, has been elected to the office of Imperial Grand Potentate of the Imperial Grand Council, AAONMS of North and South America and Canada. Noble McNeil is the first Baltimorean to be elected to the office of Imperial Grand Potentate of this organization.

George Brown, C and P Telephone Co., gave Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters, $300 from the company.

Mt. Ararat Church gave three large baskets of food and $49 to Mrs. Santa. Shown here are: Constance Brown, Norman Douglas, Michele Douglass. Mrs. Clarissa Evans, Philmore Hart, Steven Edwards and Mrs. Marion Hart. Not shown is Mrs. Pauline Gunther.

AFRO-AMERICAN Employees collected $47.70 from the different departments for AFRO-Mrs. Santa's Fund. The Rev. James Gray, advertising dept.; Ms. Patricia Taylor, cold type dept.; Mrs. Santa's helper, Mrs. Arnetta M. Lottier and Ms. Theresa Humphrey, national AFRO.

Will Franklin, owner of Franklin's Laundromats, contributed $500 to the AFRO Mrs. Santa's Fund. Will Franklin, AFRO Mrs. Santa, Mrs. Ida M. Peters and Ms. Margo Hudson.

Red Cross Club and the Mental Health Club of Eastern High School brought toys and food to Mrs. Santa. Shown here with Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters, are students Wendy Jenkins, Denise Miles, Saundra Wooden, Jutta Harris, Sharon Davis, Denise Conway, LaDetra Johnson, Karen Stepney, Peggy Kenney, William Blake, counselor; George Mallock, Pedro Wilson, employees.

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Mrs. Enolia McMillian, executive director of the Baltimore NAACP, presented Mrs. Santa, Ida Peters, a check for $150 from the Youth Group of the NAACP who had a fund raising in Mondawmin last Saturday.

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