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GATEWAY TO The Gayway

By KNIGHT KLUBBER

"Merry Christmas"—the words of the greeting are old—but the message is ever new. Each year at this season it is repeated as the symbol of faith and hope for the future. And so, I say it again . . . my sincere wish for each of you—"A MERRY CHRISTMAS, EVERYONE."—George D. Tyler.

As one of the right hand men for the old gate with the whiskers on every calendar about this era, I like to latch on to some righteous jive and bust my conk spieling about the merry time, digging the hep cats and trying to wizen up youse guys and gals on the mellow side of the gayway.

Yep . . . **it's swell to be back . . . and I can't thank you enough for the sincere welcome. I'll try and live up to what you expect . . . and forgive me for my shortcomings. Special thanks to Tim Moore, Detroit Red and all of youse for those lovely Yuletide lines.**

I'm still trying to get my bearings around town, so this column stuff will be meagre until all good Dawn Patrols come to the aid of this ink-slinging cat.

Get together Planned: I hear from reliable sources that as the calendar gets ready to finale, a group of grops are preparing to trillie down to ye Comedy Club to dig an agreement on rotating entertainers in local circles. There are about ten spots in this classification and at two weeks a turn

you arrive back at your starting point, fresh and new. Hope the boys won't toss me a nix in the inaugural.

Real Swing Devotee

I'm just an average cat but I'm strictly for the high-powered jump music of the Calvin Wilson type at the COMEDY CLUB. Cal is a real swing devotee and can pick a wicked pianny as well as some terrific trumpeting. A new bass slapper has been added and to my mind he'll soon have the ickies and squares beating their gums about his style.

I can laff: Because I know the owners of the CLUB HARLEM are all set to have old Santa truck on down to lay his loot on his hoip lightly. I even know what is in the sack.

Henry Mitchell's wide experience gives him a kepn age in tackling from all angles. Orgie Kimball is strictly the sentimental type and treats her ballads swell. Peaches Rankin has the wherewithal for the "cool hot type" (low, down and dirty) instead of sweet songs. Ellis Lamb and his sax are recent additions.

Here're Red and George

When the gang gets hep about the reeteous times exploding at the CLUB ORLEANS then everything will be ready. As I've oft beefed before, Detroit and George Craft latch on to this dawn patrol racket like a duo of vets that know the score and are headed for greener pastures.

I'm not much for blare and blast and, believe you me I really enjoy the soft, mellow licks of the jamsters here. Then I get right grooves and snuggle down as Naomi Price, the chubby kitsy witsy sweet singer from down Virginny way, and delectable Bettye Cobb, shift here and there with a lead-me-on smile, rock me against rhythm. Bea Lemons is back in harness after several weeks of illness.

Daybreak has another seasoned comedian to share the load at TILLIE'S. This time it is Grasshopper that riots the east end strollers with his gab fest. Bus Miller, popular emcee, and Herman Higgs, master mic man and vocalist, share the spotlight with Alma Petery and Elizabeth Bradley. Both gals are charming and talented.

King Oliver and his group at the GAY NINETIES were knocking the specs out with a few hot licks and getting off with some tough arrangements while Cliff Morris laved this spiel on the squares who didn't now the score but they can't stay on the wrong riff when Fifi warbles—they just isn't the same. Her singing and the wet gauge really charge the cats.

Then I love a lot to dig those sharp chicks, the Charms, and What A Man Rastus Murray continues a one-man comedy rout.

I think I'm setting you straight—the character known as Saint Nick that has brought the CON GA ROOM some snazzy jerst pepper-uppers is dropping off Marion Miller at 21 Oliver Street. It was here she rode to the crest of fame as the legome of the Four Knights and a Lady, a creation of Lou Schloss.

Elaine Johnson is the get happy type that really sends you, Jackson, and the music is jazz and improviso.

Hot copy: Daniel Heath, vet bass player, and now a special cupper, as jolly as old Santa himself, celebrated his 72 natal a few days gone by . . . Cab Calloway first arrived on December 25 . . . Earl Hines began the begoine Dec. 28 . . . John Kirby was a stork delivery on New Year's Eve.

Final Bar: "Bass" Moore, musician, formerly with Bubby Johnson and the Preson Duncan orchestras, this week after a brief illness.

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Sizzling Top Tunes

Hep jivesters find the recordings sizzling and soothing at the DIAMOND SUBWAY with "Sweet Slumber" among the top tunes. Amazing service, Glamorous waitresses and experienced mixers of note make the OLDE MILL a spot to gloat over . . . Sincere greetings and best wishes to all extended by Mrs. Wise and her crew. SUGAR HILL TAVERN continues to hold its own because of fair prices, super service and high quality merchandise.

He's In: Chauncey Haughton, former local lad, has given up his sax chair in Duke's orchestra. Been inducted!

Will Jones and Moe, plus the MANHATTAN regulars, were on hand Saturday night glad handing Charlie Tilghman who is back in harness and still carrying that famous smile. Bobby Forrester, who swings a mean tray here, will drop out for a day soon to visit frans in Philly.

Troubles of wartime seem to have no great effect on patronage at the SAVOY or Ben's disposition for its really on the jump. The juke box is loaded with hot tunes and some righteous boogie beating.

Frank Culley is out at the KNOTTY PINE and a smoother cat takes over. Simpkins plans to head a musical combo here that will be the talk of the town. Fred die also mixed . . . Yet there are no dull moments with Madman Happy Jack Rags Henderson, Bertha Jones and Elsie Coleman on tap to give jump rhythm, comedy, sweet songs, blue songs and hot songs. No special matinees are planned for the Yuletide.

Mary (Brown Gal) Dixon, currently at the Comedy Club and formerly of several other spots, underwent an operation at Johns Hopkins Hospital yesterday (Thursday). The gang is pulling for you, Mary.

The long list of gates who have moved to our City during the days of upheaval brought about by Adolf and Tojo, a couple of squares, really swoon with the courtesy that prevails at the VILMA and list it as their No. 1 spot of joy . . . Wendel was fighting off a cold and I hope by now he is completely recovered.

And as the girl said to her last pair of nylons: "I hope you'll be with me next week."

Ye Olde Knight Klubber.

BILLIE HAYES,

currently rated as one of the outstanding blues singers of the day, is currently filling an engagement at Gamby's Tavern in Baltimore, where she is creating raves with her throaty singing and personality. She is a former chirper with Jimmie Lunceford's orchestra, and has played the leading spots in New York and vicinity. She was recently featured in Bills and and Look Magazines for her rendition of "Man Shortage Blues."

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SONGS FOR KYSER MUSICAL

Columbia has assigned Julie Styne and Sammie Cahn to write the music for the forthcoming Kay Kyser musical.

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Sunday Morning Worship . . . . . 11:15 A. M.
Sunday Evening: Children's Service . . . . . 7:30 P. M.
Theme: "The Savior Is Born."
New Year's Eve Worship . . . . . 8:00 P. M.
(Celebration of Holy Communion)
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6:00 A. M.—Praise and Prayer Service.
7:00 A. M.—Devotional by Choir. Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: Christmas and its Message.
SUNDAY SERVICE
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
11:30 A. M.—Sermon by the Pastor.
3:30 P. M.—Missionary Service.
7:30 P. M.—Christmas Program.
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11:20 P. M.—Midnight Mass.
CHRISTMAS DAY — DECEMBER 25th, 1943
9:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist.
SUNDAY—ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR
DECEMBER 26th, 1943
7:00, 9:30, 11:00 A. M.—Holy Eucharist
MONDAY—ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST
DECEMBER 27th, 1943
9:30—Holy Eucharist.
TUESDAY—HOLY INNOCENTS
DECEMBER 28th, 1943
9:30—Holy Eucharist.

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11:00 A. M.—Sermon by the Pastor.
8:00 P. M.—Preaching
TUESDAY, DEC. 28
8:00 P. M.—Sunday School Program. Mr. Clarence Murphy, Chairman.
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GREETINGS
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CHRISTMAS SERMON, DECEMBER 25TH
5:30 A.M. Subject: "The Wonderful Counsellor."
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26TH
Sermon by the Pastor, subject: "Cooling the Flames."
8:00 P.M.—Christmas Exercises.
REV. M. P. CLARK, Pastor.

An Appeal
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CHRISTMAS EVE, DECEMBER 24th (Tonight)
8:30 P. M.—Prayer Service and Baptizing.
CHRISTMAS, DECEMBER 25th
4:00 A. M.—Early Prayer and Praise Service.
8:00 P. M.—Sunday School Exercises.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26th
11:00 A. M.—Preaching by the Pastor. Special Music by the Senior Choir. Preaching to the Overflow, Rev. W. L. Evans, Assistant Pastor.
3:00 P. M.—Annual Communion and Fellowship Service. Morning Star Baptist Church, Guest. Dr. G. J. Garnett Preaching.
8:00 P. M.—Preaching by the Pastor.
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Church School Has Yule Party

Children at St. James P.E. Church School in Baltimore enjoy Christmas party held last Sunday. Alfred Prettyman passes out candy to Charles Covington, Ann Todd, and Roselyn Stewart. Mrs. Gladys Derry head the school.

Enon Pastor Urges Youth, Other Eligibles to Register

"People who don't vote have no voice in this country today," the Rev. A. J. Payne, pastor of Enon Baptist Church, told the AFRO this week in endorsing the NAACP Votes for Victory Campaign.

At present, efforts are being made to get 21-year-olds and persons who become 21 in the State to register so they can vote in the 1944 election.

During almost three months of the current campaign, the Rev. Mr. Payne has distributed over 700 circulars in his church in the interest of the drive.

Weekly, he has made an appeal for members of his church and visitors to go to the Court House, Fayette and Calvert Streets, and register to vote.

Urges Spread of Gospel

Not only has the minister, who he has asked them to carry the voting gospel to non-voters in their communities.

Eligible to register to vote in the 1944 election are persons becoming 21 years of age before November 4, 1944, persons born and reared in Baltimore, and persons who obtained declarations of intention forms before November 4.

Newcomers, in accordance with an antiquated Maryland law, must file declarations to vote a year before actual voting. Despite this barrier, NAACP campaigners are pushing the registration of newcomers. Mrs. Juanita Mitchell is director.

St. Katherine to Have Yule Service

Christmas services at St. Katherine P.E. Chapel will begin at 11:30 p.m. (tonight) Friday, Christmas Eve, with the choir singing familiar carols. Midnight mass will follow the carol service.

The Rev. Gerard Rubino, vicar, will be in church Christmas Eve for confessions and Christmas Day there will be an 8 a.m. mass.

At 7:30 p.m., Tuesday, there will be a community Christmas party.

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Prayer meeting by Deacon Duncan.
SUNDAY, 11 A.M.
Sermon by Rev. C. Z. Parker, B.D.
6:30 P.M.—B.T.U.
Mrs. Enolia McMillan, Directress
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8:00 P. M.—Service by Rev. Sister Scott Healing and Test.
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HOLIDAY GREETINGS!
DECEMBER 25th
6:00 A. M.
Christmas Message by the Pastor
DECEMBER 26th
11:00 A. M.
Sermon by the Pastor
8:00 P. M.
Communion
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REV. SAMUEL A. LEWIS, Pastor
6:00 A. M.—December 25, Christmas Service.
9:45 A. M.—December 26, Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—December 26, Divine Service. Topic: The Meaning of Christmas.
8:00 P. M.—Annual Christmas Program.
A MERRY XMAS TO ALL.

EASTERN METHODIST CHURCH
McElderry St. nr. Patterson Park Ave.
"The Little Homelike Church in the East"
REV. D. I. FOWLER, Pastor
11:00 A.M.—Special Sermon by the Pastor. Subject: "The New King"
3:30 P.M.—Sunday School Program.

Jerusalem Baptist Church
926 Pennsylvania Ave.
REV. P. H. DOUGLASS, Pastor
CHRISTMAS MORNING SERVICE
11:00 A. M.
Sermon by the Pastor
SUNDAY SERVICES
11:00 A. M.
Sermon by the Pastor
3:00 P. M.
Sermon by Rev. W. H. Pettis
8:00 P. M.
Program by the Willing Workers

John Wesley Methodist Church
MONTGOMERY and SHARP STREETS
Christmas Services
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26th, 1943
11:00 A. M.
Sermon by the Pastor
Subject:
"GOD'S CHRISTMAS TREE"
Special Rendition Of Christmas Music
by the Senior and Gospel Choirs, Prof. W. L. Wilson at the organ. Mr. Herman Jackson, Minister of Music.
3:00 P. M.—Church School Christmas Recital.
5:00 to 6:00 P. M.—Community Song Festival by All Singers of the Choral Groups of the Church.
7:00 to 8:00 P. M.—COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE and FELLOWSHIP HOUR.
Officers and members join with the Pastor in wishing all people God's Blessings during the Christmas celebration.
F. J. FRYE, Minister
CHARLES V. SMITH, Charge Lay Leader
MRS. ADA THOMAS
SPONSOR OF THE COMMUNITY CHRISTMAS TREE

And He shall be called—Prince of Peace
LET THERE BE JOY IN OUR HEARTS THIS CHRISTMAS DAY
THE CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS PROGRAM FOR
NEW METROPOLITAN BAPTIST CHURCH
DR. W. J. WINSTON Minister
McCULLOH AND MOSHER STREETS
The Choir, Under the Directorship of Mrs. Goldie Green, Has Prepared Special Music For the Christmas Services
CHRISTMAS MORNING — 6:00 O'CLOCK
PRAYER AND PRAISE MEETING AND SPECIAL SERMON BY THE PASTOR.
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 26th
11:00 A. M.—Sermon will be delivered by Rev. Paul J. Harris.
3:30 P. M.—Unveiling of Plaque in Honor of the Late Rev. J. H. Green—Rev. A. St. Clair Phillips. Some of our leading ministers will take part in this service. The Gospel Chorus, under the leadership of Mrs. Bertha C. Winston, the Senior Choir and the Junior Choir will render special numbers.
8:00 P. M.—The Grand Lodge of the Ancient Free and Accepted Masons and the Eastern Star will be the guests of the church. Grand Master Dr. Willard W. Allen will deliver an Address and Sermon by the Pastor.
MONDAY, DECEMBER 27th
A GREAT QUARTET CONTEST—YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO MISS THAT
Sponsored by Rev. W. C. Hudness and Mrs. Bertha C. Winston.
Superintendent, Mr. Edmund Rowlett, will give the Sunday School its Christmas Treat as usual. Mrs. Mollie Bailey will give a Special Program for the B. T. U.
Rev. Dr. W. B. Sa... the Noted Evangelist, will commence Revival Services at the Church, Friday evening, December ... and continuing for two weeks. The public is invited and welcomed.
REV. W. J. WINSTON, Minister. MRS. GLADYS H. TAYLOR, Secretary.