Town and Campus Doings

on Christmas Day, the majority of us had a merry Christmas.

Sitting in my home reflecting over many incidents and events that took place prior to this day, it was not surprising to find several huge chuckles tripping over my lips.

PLEDGEES ENTERTAINED

My, but didn't the Ivy Pledgee Club of the AKA Sorority of Morgan State College give unique affairs this year? That lunch-box affair was a humdinger! There was a jolly Santa as portrayed by Mr. Bailey, a member of the faculty, and a big Christmas tree with all the trimmings. Lunch-boxes were auctioned off from 5 cents to $2. Highlight of the evening was Bill Byron and Celestine Russell's dancing.

Ivys and Scrollers there were: Anne Brown, Geraline O'Neil, Ethel Purnell, Cis Lavarr, Billy Reid, Sara Prettyman, Doris Stewart, Viola Valentine, Celestine Russell;

Eleanore Jones, Charles Tilden, Lewis Lowman, Charles Wood, Wilbur Johnson, Donaldson Barnes, Ramon Carpenter, Spider Bruce, Fatdaddy Jones, Charles Jones and Dickie Burke.

DANCE AT MORGAN

Then there was the Ivy-Scroller dance at Morgan. The theme was "In the blue of the evening." The affair was very elaborate, with a band hidden behind a blue screen, a crescent moon in a blue ceiling and refreshments served in the lounge of the Christian Center.

Guests were Scrollers from Howard and Cornell, Cleota Minor, Millard Dorsey, Sonny Smith, Terry Day and Fannie Minor.

At the post-office this year were Chink Patterson, Florence Hodges, Lanita Lykes, June Butler, Ophelia Mann, Susie Jackson, and Nancy Coleman, along with a host of others.

JUNE STRAYHORNE IS HOSTESS

Blanche Davis breezed into June Strayhorne's Christmas Eve. Watching June trim the tree were: Evelyn Chander, Bill Morton, John Dare, William Larkins, Robert Johnson, Larry Moore and James Parker.

Blanche and Sara Hughes will attend the Omega Conclave in Washington on the 27th. Ray Hall, James Gaskins, Edward Collins, Marsden Rawlings, Roy Green, James Thomas, Hillary Booker and Gerald Scott are at home for the holidays.

Lenny Ford, Big House Gaines, Cal Irwin and Fred Burgess featured a home-coming in Baltimore. Lenny is matriculating at Michigan U; Big House is teaching; Cal Irwin and Fred Burgess are both at the University of Illinois.

Oh, yes, before I forget, ye old grapevine revealed some awful secrets to me the other day. No names, no blame, but it seems that a certain miss from Howard was visited by a certain University of Michigan star on her first day at home. Whoever made Baltimore chicks would have given their eye teeth to have been in her shoes? Savvy?

Clubs

INDEPENDENT MISSES —met with Miss Louella Hurtt of 421 Cummings Court, Monday. A call meeting was held with Miss Betty Foster of 1031 McDongh St. Wednesday.

EMBO ACES — the pinochle club gave a pantry shower for the N. M. Carroll Home for the Aged, Sunday. James Pinkney is president.

JOLLY ART AND CRAFT — held a Christmas party Saturday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Duke Bell, 4208 Evans Chapel Rd. Cards was played, after which gifts were exchanged.

Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Price, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown;

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Brown, Mr. and Mrs. William Carroll, Miss Myrtle Young, Miss Blanche Young, Miss Evelyn Woodson, Mrs. Nellie Nash, James Dorsey and Mr. Banking.

The next meeting of the club will be held at the residence of Mrs. Neader Nash, 601 N. Calhoun St., on Jan. 3.

ELKS' USHER BOARD — Past Grand Dt. Ruler Pearl Brown entertained the Great Southern Temple Usher Board at dinner at her home, this week. Each member and guest received a Christmas gift.

Dt. Estelle B. Lee became a member of the usher board.

Those present were:

Dts. Lulu Nelson, president; Marie Mason, Bertha Bennett, Ora White, Blanche Nickings, secretary;

Dts. Evelyn Travers, Esther Peoples, Mary Thomas, Ernestine Carter, Alice J. Moulton, reporter.

Guests were:

Dt. Ruler Viola O. White, Ardella Galmor, Rebecca Fitcher, Rena Turner, Estelle B. Lee, Lillian Hebron, Maud Johnson, Bessie Randalls, Alverta Washington;

John Gibson, Sgt. Bernie Peoples, Lawrence White, Sgt. R. Galmor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lowman.

Next meeting will be held at the home of Dt. Blanche Nickings, 621 N. Carey St.

FAITHFUL FEW — will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Craig of 1134 W. Mulberry St. on the 2nd. Mrs. Minnie Harris is president and Mrs. Lucille Kenney, secretary.

YOUNG MATRONS — met with Mrs. Idella Corbin on Thursday. Gifts were exchanged and plans for a party at which their husbands will be guests were made.

Mrs. Geneva Thomas of 1129 Harlem Ave. will entertain the club on Jan. 10. Mrs. Rena Brown is president and Mrs. Eva Smith, reporter.

HONEY DRIPPERS—The group met with Mrs. Mable Mills of 535 Mosher St. this week.

TWAINS — The monthly meeting of the club was held on Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hodsden, 1627 Edmondson Ave.

The club sent a cash gift of $25 to the Maryland Home for Friendless Children at Catonsville.

NORTHWESTERN — The community club was sponsor of a program at the St. John Methodist Church, Patapsco Park, on Sunday afternoon, for the benefit of the parsonage association.

Ed Hudgins presented the Sunflower Community Club and Mr. Hyner, violinist.

Thomas O. Randall is president of the club.

Stokes-Phillips Betrothal Told

CLEVELAND, Ohio. — Announcement of the engagement of Miss Laura Phillips to the Rev. Rembert E. Stokes of Cambridge, Mass., has been made by her parents, Bishop and Mrs. Charles H. Phillips.

The wedding will take place on March 2, 1946.

Fisk Graduate

Miss Phillips is a graduate of Fisk University, Class of 1941, and received her masters degree in science of social administration at Western Reserve University in June 1945. She is a management assistant in charge of community activities in Carver Park, a Metropolitan Housing Estate; member of Lane Metropolitan CME Church, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, and the Debs About Town.

The Rev. Mr. Stokes graduated from Wilberforce University with the B.S. degree in 1940 and received his S.T.B. degree from Boston University in 1943 and has studied at Harvard University. He is pastor of St. Paul AME Church, Cambridge, Mass., and is a member of the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity.

Favorite Philly Dishes

MRS. BARBARA S. THOMPSON of 150 Yewdall St. offers an eggnog recipe for the holiday season.—(Peace photo).

If you want to be the charming hostess for the Yule season now in full swing, Mrs. Thompson says that eggnog should be on your "must" list.

Here is a simple way to make it. Mrs. Thompson explains, without losing any of its ehrn hing flavor:

3 eggs
¼ cup of sugar
1½ tablespoons of vanilla flavor
1 cup of water
½ teaspoon of nutmeg
2 cups of light or heavy cream

Beat eggs until they are light and fluffy. Add a few grains of salt, then put in vanilla flavor. Stir mixture in cream and sprinkle with nutmeg. (You may use ½ cup of cherry wine instead of vanilla flavor, if you prefer.) Chill before serving. Serves four persons.

Personals

CRAWLEY — Mrs. Annabelle Crawley of Blackstone, Va., was dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Anderson of 1057 W. Fayette St., Tuesday.

MORTON — Joshua Morton of 1627 E. Madison St. has returned from Prince Edward County, Va., where he went to attend funeral services for his mother, Mrs. Edlen Morton.

APOLLO — Mrs. Theresa Fonreca entertained the whist club on Wednesday evening at her residence, 1111 Mosher St.

Cards was played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Beatrice Dabney, Mrs. Nellie Frazier and Mrs. Bertie Briscoe. Members exchanged gifts.

$125,000 in Victory Bonds

NEW YORK—The United Mutual Life Insurance Company has purchased $125,000 in victory bonds in the current campaign, Walter A. Miller, treasurer of the company, announced last week.

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Miss K. Estellena Birche, Dancer, Scores at Recital

Miss K. Estellena Birche, modern creative dancer, supported by the Baltimore Symphony choir, inc., gave two interesting presentations, Sunday, at the YWCA during the "Christmas Concert for Youth."

Offering first a Christmas spiritual, "Go Tell It on the Mountain," Miss Birche showed much originality and poise. Equally well done was the interpretation of "A New World A' Comin'," one of her own choreographies, which was well received by the young audience.

Other soloists were: Sgt. Irvin Bryan of Camp Crowder, Mo.; and Sgt. John Garcia, assistant chaplain at Fort George E. Meade, and director of the choir. William Meredith H. Birche Jr., pianist.

Boy, 10, Soloist

The choir's offerings varied from Bach chorales to the traditional Christmas carols. In the lighter vein were the school de favorite, "Santa Land," sung by 10-year-old soprano, Nathan Jones; "I'll Be Home for Christmas," by Sgt. Bryan; and "I'm Dreaming of a White Christmas by Miss Cecilia Cox.

The request program was an experiment to note the response of audience wrote answers to a series of questions, and gave their reactions to the concert.

A reception followed, during which awards and citations were given members of the choir by the director.—L.K.

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PLANTER — The Rev. George A. Planter, pastor of the Union Chapel Church, Blue Ridge Summit, Pa., and a resident of this city, is spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Honor Langford of McDaniel, Md.

Personals

PLEASANT — Mr. and Mrs. Lawyer Pleasant and their daughters, Mrs. Loretta Lomax, Miss Vera Holmes; and nephew, Edward Pleasant, all of 407 N. Gilmor St., are touring to Florida and Alabama to visit his relatives over the holiday.

LAWYER — Mrs. Annie Lawyer and daughter, Mrs. Annie Craig of 542 W. Lanvale St., are spending the holidays in Edenton, N.C., and Norfolk, Va.

BROWNE — Miss Gladys Browne of the Bronx, N.Y., spent her birthday here as guest of Mrs. Juanita Newman and Mrs. Bertha Baskerville.

GATLING — Mr. and Mrs. Gatling entertained at dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. James Keen of 401 N. Parrish St., Christmas Day.

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HARRIS-SHORTER—Elmer, 33, widower; Helen, 33, 1708½ McCulloh-st.

HORNE-BRIDGES—William G., 20, 1416 W. Franklin-st.; Beatrice, 16.

TALLIAFERRO-LAW—Purnell, 22, 1807 E. Madison-st.

PARKER-BRIGHT—Jesse Otie, 28, 810 George-st.; Christine, 21.

COBBS-BROWN—Edward S., 24, 740 W. Monroe-st.; Mary C., 20.

SMITH-HUTCHINS—Isaac, 39, divorced, 327 W. Biddle-st.; Estella K., 45.

HARRISON-WRIGHT—Gilmore, 26, 313 Pine-st.; Mary P., 25.

SOUTHALL-BLAKE—James W., 37, divorced; Thelma, 26, 425 Heavenor-st.

CHAPPLE-JOHNSON — Charlie, 39, divorced; Anna, 38, 1135 Woodyear-st.

CAMACHO-CARTER — Philip, 39; Ruth M., 27, divorced, 408 E. 34th-st.

SHULER-RONEY—T. F., 21; Eddie M., 20, 1207 McCubbin-st.

NANCE-HALL—Thomas, 17, 1739 Ormond-ave.; Dorothy, 16.

THOMPSON-THOMPSON — George, 39, divorced, 1420 Harlem-ave.; Helen, 36.

FRANCIS-VAUGHN—Lloyd W., 25, 1618 W. Lexington-st.; Christine C., 24.

MORENO-JOHNSON — Henry, 21; Rose, 20, 22 Exeter Hall-st.

ROSE-HUGHES—Bernard, 32, 15 N. Exeter-st.; Thelma, 20.

PENDERGRASS-GIBSON — William, 21, 1708 Druid Hill-ave.; Catherine, 20.

HILL-JAMISON—Oscar L., 22, Floraine Ct., 19, 540 W. Mulberry-st.

GORDON-SMITH—John, 42, widower, 1520 E. Eager-st.; Regina, 30.

NOBLE-HUNTER—James T., 36, 173 Dolphin-st.; Bertha, 34, divorced.

GREENE-BURT—Melvin A., 20, 1826 Westwood-ave.; Mary L., 19.

WOODBERRY-BIDDLE—Floyd, 46, 1739 Ormond-ave.; Joyce, 35.

CAMPBELL-SHEPPARD — Clarence, 28, 1316 Harford-ave.; Estella, 24.

FARRELL-AMELIA—Walter L., 46, divorced, 1738 McKean-ave.; Elizabeth, 33.

COOK-BAILEY—Oliver, 54; Bessie, 43, divorced, 804 N. Carrollton-ave.

LINDSAY-REDD—George, 24, 1707 McCulloh-st.; Evelyn, 24.

YOUNG-YOUNG—Edward, 45; Vivian, 35, 1 Gaisland-ave.

GILLARD-DRAYTON—William, 28, 931 Leadenhall-st.; Laura M., 25.

COLLINS-COLVIN — Harrison K., 21, Lanvale L., 18, 1415 N. Bevan-st.

MARKS-CORBIN—William B., 33, 324 N. Schroeder-st.; Dorothy L., 43.

MATTHEWS-JOHNSON—Leon, 21, N. 29, 1035 Edmondson-ave.; Ada V., 18.

HARRISON-CROSBY—Joseph, 37, divorced, 1641 Westwood-ave.; Ruth, M., 30, divorced.

SCOTT-BRIDGES—Charles S., 32, 624 W. Mulberry-st.; Mary E., 18.

JONES-WILSON—Guy, 35, divorced, 4 N. Durham-st.; Sarah, 35.

HILL-COLEMAN—Theodore, 22, 1606 E. Biddle-st.; Rachel, 19.

WINSTON-BAKER—Jesse A., 32, 1507 Mosher-st.; Vivian, 30.

GREEN-HOLLIDAY—Walter, 41, divorced, 1127 Madison-ave.; Mildred, 32, divorced.

HANBERRY-ROBERTSON — Oliver, 47, widower, 400 Wilson-st.; Ruth, 37, widow.

OWENS-JOHNSON—George W., 38, 918 St. Paul-st.; Mable, 35.

TURNER-DORKINS—James, 27, divorced, 1 Gaisland-st.; Joan, 23.

KNOX-CALDWELL—Lawrence, 24, widower; Carrie, 32, 2650 Boone-st.

MACKEY-WASHINGTON — William, M., 53, divorced, 526 N. Calhoun-st.; Audry, 23.

SPRUELL-PHILLIPS—David, 49, widower, 1713 N. Calhoun-st.; Emma, 37, widow.

DOBERRY-DUNLAP—Robert, 39, 1133 Bristol-st.; Helen, 22.

SELLARS-FARRELL — Henry, 50; Pinkney B., 42, widow, 132 Shieldings-ave.

CALDWELL-ANDERSON — Alexander C., 39, divorced; Irene M., 34, divorced, 425 Bloom-st.

BELLAMY-FAIRLEY—Jesse J., 37, 1618 N. Bond-st.; Myrtle, 26.

BIRCH-TILLERY—William, 47, 219 W. Henrietta-st.; Georgiana, 43.

FOSSETT-TALIAFERRO — Clarence, 1004 Madison-ave.; Verleen, 22.

WILLIAMS-BRYANT — Sam, 36, 1402 Saratoga-st.; Sara, 35.

DULIN-ROSS—Cleod, 29, 819 Hillen-st.; Louise, 24.

GEE-HAWKINS—Lewis J., 36, 1612 W. Lexington-st.; Lila, 27.

QUARLES-DARBY—Leroy, 17, 1926 Pennsylvania-ave.; Ella M., 17.

MANNS-NOEL—Clarence E., 58, widower; Mary, 52, divorced, 1831 Leslie-st.

BRANFORD-YELLOWDAY— Davage, 52, widower; Blanche, 49, widow, 513 N. Carrollton-ave.

BATES-LITTLE—Gilbert E., 23, 739 N. Edens-st.; Bernice, 21.

BATTLE-TUCKER—George, Jr., 38; Adell, 34, 1 N. Biddle-st.

HOUGH-BACON—Eugene, 34, 1323 N. Carolina-st.; Helen, 32.

TYLER-LIPSCOMB—Alafon, 26, divorced; Pauline, 24, divorced, 924 Shields-ave.

JOHNSON-LYNCH—Paul A., 27; Kate, 27, 402 Robert-st.

TINSON-THOMAS—Calvin N., 28, 1438 E. Madison-st.; Mildred A., 21.

SESSOMS-MAGWOOD—James E., 18, 1 Gaisland-st.; Rebecca, 18.

SELLERS-ILLIAMS—Willie, 39, 1938 Biddle-st.; Ruth, 28.

SELLERS-JONES—Thomas J., 23, divorced, 2218 Pennsylvania-ave.; Elizabeth M., 20.

THOMPSON-BOWIE—Robert M., 66, widower, 550 Baker-st.; Lucy B., 45, divorced.

MAYO-WILLIAMS—Calvin C., 21, 1106 N. Central-ave.; Vernenl, 19.

PINKARD-HARRIS—Frank, 54; Valtie, 37, 2 E. Schroeder-st.

HOPKINS-BRIDGES—Thomas, 27, Eulalia G., 24, 1431 W. Mosher-st.

HOUSE-TAYLOR—Gernell, 22, 632 S. Pennsylvania-ave.; Jennie L., 21.

SCOTT-STEWARD — William, 33, 1314 Ruth-ave.; Hester, 32.

GRIFFIN-SMITH—William S., 59, widower; Rebecca, 48, divorced, 1357 N. Fremont-ave.

SAVAGE-WILSON—James F., 32, 238 Harrison-st.; Elaine, 19.

SIMPSON-SIMPSON—Peter, 48, widower, 826 N. Arlington-ave.; Julia, 43, widow.

BANNER-HOFFMAN—Astor, 42, widower, 1522 Madison-ave.; Mary, 32.

JOHNSON-STEWART—James C., 44, 448 W. Biddle-st.; Edith V., 23.

SCOTT-CURRY—Rudolph, 25; Dorothy, 26, 407 Barnard-st.

BROWN-THOMAS — William, 20, 1104 Druid Hill-ave.; Lowe-st.

PRICE-DORSEY—Alfred, 20, 1124 Pennsylvania-ave.; Bernice, 19.

LINCOLN-CARRINGTON—John, 26, Virginia, 30, divorced, 2524 Bycroft-ave.

HOWELL-CRISP—Benjamin, 25, 1407 McCulloh-st.; Virginia L., 26, divorced.

COPELAND-GREEN—Willie J., 21; Sadie, 22, 1508 Ashland-ave.

WRIGHT-BRIDGES—Vernon, 28; Mary, 26, divorced, 944 Appleton-st.

EVANS-LITTLE—James W., 41, divorced; Elnora, 24, 1134 Mosher-st.

SWAN-BARTER—Elijah, 38; Elizabeth, 24, 19 N. Eden-st.

AUSTIN-HOGUE—Jesse K., 37; Josephine, 20, 1302 Hunter-st.

SLATER-PLACKS—Edward L., 27, divorced 604 N. Fulton-ave.; Lilyan, 18.

JONES-BROWN—Willie, 27; Burnetta, 23, 4 W. York-st.

GASSAWAY-THOMPSON — Charles, 55, divorced; Lulu, 38, divorced, 1537 Bright-ave.

MCCOY-WILDER—Booker T., 38, widower, 739 W. Mulberry-st.; Annabelle, 45, widow.

CONNER-RAGLEY—John, 31, 667 Stricker-st.; Irene, 32.

MOORE-AYE—Daniel, 22, 1922 Eager-st.; Saundra, 20.

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Old Friends Meet at Testimonial

Augustus Haston, left, singer, greets William (Billy) Morris, University of Pennsylvania trainer, at the testimonial dinner in Mr. Morris's honor last Tuesday at Houston Hall, at the Philadelphia institution. Mr. Haston, who has been abroad for a number of years, and Mr. Morris were members of a singing troupe, known as the Versatile Four, nearly fifty years ago.—(Peace photo).

Greet the People

with DOROTHY LYMAS

PHILADELPHIA

With the Yuletide message, "Peace on Earth, Good Will Toward Men," comes this extra blessing: The delegates from India and England at the preparatory commission for the UNO, meeting in London, have demanded that the United Nations Organization must be located in some place where there is no segregation, or to quote: where there is "absolute freedom of thought and movement." So Philadelphia would hardly do.

But speaking in a lighter vein of the holiday cheer that has either been or is being planned, Philadelphia's right in the groove.

Pre-Christmas Dinner

At the pre-christmas dinner given Sunday by Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith were Mr. and Mrs. E. Washington Rhodes, Dr. and Mrs. Charles Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Prince Edwonds, Dr. and Mrs. Forest Battis, Mr. and Mrs. Tanner Moore, Mrs. Anna Lennon, and Mrs. Abeline Mudgett.

From Washington were Mrs. Lillian Nash and Edward A. Johnson.

Welcome Home, Mrs. Dillard

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Hall invited fifty guests for cocktails in honor of Mrs. Hall's sister, Mrs Evelyn Dillard of Chicago, who arrived here Friday to spend the holiday.

Since this is Mrs. Dillard's first visit home in about ten years, the guest list was confined to her personal school day chums, and others with whom she was well acquainted before she married and left the city.

Assisting the host and hostess were Mrs. Dillard's two sisters and their husbands, Dr. and Mrs. John Graves, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Brown, also her brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Harold Farmer.

Here and There

The Charles Howards entertained on Christmas Day for their family and a few friends. Likewise, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Saulters, who had covers laid for twelve.

Mrs. Louise Cooper will hold forth at a bridge breakfast on the 27th. The same day the Paul Wilson are having supper and bridge. Saturday, Marian Hill and Marian Jackson will have a bridge luncheon at the home of the former, 1260 S. 22nd St.

Program Et Al

Miss Valeria Caldwell who is giving an elaborate luncheon on the 29th at Baptiste Hall has ordered a baby grand piano for the occasion. The luncheon, resplendent with artist program, is in honor of Mrs. Alice Holder of Louisville, Ky., who is the house guest of Bishop and Mrs. David Simms. Fifty guests have been invited.

The Jack and Jill Kids

The Jack and Jill Kiddies will hold their Christmas party on the 29th, which brings to mind that Mrs. A. R. Mapp of Columbus, Ohio, has written Mrs. Bernice Hopkins, asking her permission to initiate a Jack and Jill club in Columbus. Mrs. Dorothy Wright, president of the local chapter, has sent her the necessary details for getting under way.

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