

Entertainment

BILLIE ROWE'S NOTEBOOK

BLACKS KNOCKING ON FEE-VIEW DOOR

N'YORK CITY — Black sports promoters are knocking loud and clear on Pay-Per-View TV doors all over the scene. However, nobody is answering and closed-circuit TeeVee remains just that, barring the entrance of the vast majority of blacks into this highly lucrative arm-chair venture. The never to be forgotten Leonard-Hearns feevee numbers, in dollars and cents, was a knockout. Its gross nationally was in excess of \$7,500,000. The international take bested \$36,000,000 with another \$18,500,000 counted from closed-circuit coverage. Main Events, Inc., owner of the rights to the fight, could not tell us how many black promoters, if any, pocketed any of this loot, or were involved.

In hopes of breaking down seen or unseen barriers, Lou Brock, who stole a record setting number of baseball bases, Roscoe McCrary, a long time promoter, and Mike Williams, editor and associate pub., the St. Louis Sentinel newspapers, have made an aggressive move to steal into the payvee arena. They are knocking on the door of Don King hoping that the brother will take a favorable look at black payvee promoters the next time around for Larry Holmes. This trio has the up front cash necessary and the experience to make the venture work for an Equal Opportunity Employer. Come on Don, give the brothers a break!

EYES WRITE(— Alice Travis, a radio-TV personality pioneer, who got cutoff at the pass and switched to the designer's trade, is spending a small fortune in mailgrams. She is attempting to contact all her friends fast. An alleged former employee sent out an appeal letter over her name asking for a loan of \$500.00 from each. Allegedly her financial state has reached such an impass that prison was her next stop unless she, Alice, could come up with a brink size bundle of cash. AAc-

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PEACHES AND HERB now appearing twice nightly in the Congo Room at the Sahara Hotel through Dec. 2.



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MAYNARD FERGUSON, BILLY T HEADLINE NEXT JAZZ CONCERT

The Las Vegas Jazz Society (a non-for-profit organization) presents in Concert at the Dunes Hotel on Dec. 2 in the Crown Jewel Room Maynard Ferguson and his Big Band Sound.

Critics have accredited Maynard Ferguson as "a legend in his own time." Ferguson is dedicated to developing the talent of youthful musicians. He teaches clinics, writes and performs at high schools and universities when time permits in his incredibly busy schedule.

His band continues to breed solo artists of its own, most notably saxophonist Mark Colby. His latest release *It's My Time* takes us on Maynard's first musical journey of the new decade.
Maynard Ferguson...

man that will never quit working or show signs of slowing down. Maynard Ferguson, Bravo!



Maynard Ferguson

All of this plus the unique vocal stylings of Billy T. and his Trio! Billy puts a personal style in his songs. He sings and plays all the great standards along with all of today's music. Billy even sings some of his own songs which have recently been recorded on MCA Records and

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- ALBUMS
- SINGLES
- GOODBYE YOU, HELLO HIM - BETTY WRIGHT
INSIDE YOU - ISLEYS
CONTROVERSY - PRINCE
HEART OF GOLD - THE ESCORTS
I WILL FIGHT - GLADYS KNIGHT & THE PIPS
ALL I WANT - TWENNYNINE WITH LENNY WHITE
BODY TALK - IMAGINATION
HERE YOU COME AGAIN - THE EMOTIONS
TURN YOUR LOVE AROUND - GEORGE BENSON
YOU'RE MY LATEST, MY GREATEST INSPIRATION - TEDDY PENDERGRASS
- DANCING - MARY GOLD
I WANNA FEEL YOUR LOVE - CANDY BOWMAN
SIGN OF THE TIMES - BOB JAMES
LET THE FEELING FLOW - PEABO BRYSON
HIT AND RUN - BAR-KAYS
DESTINATION MOTHERLAND - ROY AYERS
WELCOME ABOARD - LOVE UNLIMITED
MOVE YOUR SEXY BODY - PURE GOLD
CLOUDS - SHADOW
(I FOUND) THAT MAN OF MINE - THE JONES GIRLS