

American Radio Archives

Austin Peterson Collection

Austin Peterson served with Armed Forces Radio Service (AFRS) during World War II and achieved the rank of major in the U.S. Army. After working for AFRS in Hollywood, he was based mostly in the Western Pacific theater. This collection includes papers related to Peterson's service with AFRS from 1942-45. The materials are contained in three bound volumes.

Volume 1 includes: reports, photos, memoranda, scripts, radio spots for AFRS (1944-45).

Volume 2 includes: miscellaneous AFRS radio scripts (1944-45).

Volume 3 includes: AFRS radio scripts for Command Performance, U.S.A. (1942-43).

Scripts

28 Special Service Company Orchestra	03-24-1945	
4 Flames, The	03-02-1945	
Abandon Sack	---	sample script #1
	---	sample script #2
	---	sample script #3
Blue and Gold Quizz Court	02-04-1945	
Calico City	08-31-1944	
Chapel of the Jungle	08-17-1944	
Church of the Islands	---	

Command Performance, U.S.A.	---	
	12-24-1942	Christmas Special
	01-02-1943	
	01-10-1943	
	01-16-1943	
	01-23-1943	
	01-30-1943	
	02-13-1943	
	02-20-1943	
	02-27-1943	
	03-06-1943	
Concert Miniature	09-18-1944	
	12-25-1944	
Date with Betty	12-23-1944	
Fateful Year, The	12-31-1944	
Here's to You	---	
Invisible Enemy, The	01-15-1945	They Call me George
	01-15-1945	Philippine Holiday
	01-15-1945	The Case of the Jap Battle Flag
	01-27-1945	Saturday Bank Night!
	01-28-1945	Two Heavyweight Champions
KWAJ Lodge	08-28-1944	
	11-29-1944	
	12-25-1944	Christmas Party
Lane's Cafe	---	
	01-10-1944	
Maptalk Series	02-08-1945	Voices out of the Past
	02-19-1945	Portrait of a Puppet
Matinee with Margie	12-28-1944	
Musical Comedy Favorites	10-28-1944	
Navy Chapel Choir	02-04-1945	
News - This Week in History	12-31-1944	

Pattern of Victory	11-05-1944
Payday Varieties	---
Porgy and Bess Troupe	02-04-1945
Prelude to Invasion	05-23-1944
Prevue Parade	12-20-1944
Prisoner of War	02-15-1945
Red Cross Club of the Air, The	03-08-1945
Requestfully Yours	12-21-1944
Stars and Gripes Hour	04-26-1944
Top of the Morning	12-26-1944
Tune Tonic Time	04-25-1944 04-26-1944 04-27-1944 04-28-1944 04-29-1944
Valentine Vanities Preview	02-14-1945
WVTD Open Forum of the Air	02-15-1945
Year of the Return, The	12-31-1944