

YOUR PROBLEMS

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'I'm in Deep Trouble at Home...'

Dear Ann Landers: Last Friday evening there was a movie I wanted to see so I went by myself. (I'm a girl, 16) As I walked into the theater a clean-cut man (I guess his age to be about 25) smiled at me. I kept right on walking.

A few minutes later he was sitting next to me. He offered me some popcorn, started a conversation and we exchanged a few remarks.

When the movie was over he asked me if I'd like a soda and I said yes. His car was parked in a lot nearby and we drove to a little cafe. It was all very respectable. He didn't try to get fresh or anything. When he took me home I gave him my phone number.

My mother was waiting on the porch and saw me get out of the car. She asked me who the man was and I told her how we met. She almost took my head off.

I think a girl 16 is old enough to pick her own friends, don't you? Please help me. I'm in deep trouble at home. — ROSE

Dear Friend: A Rose by any other name is still a pick-up when she gets into a car with a stranger. He may have looked "clean-cut," but many a decent-looking guy has been known to hit a girl over the head with a beer bottle — or worse yet.

I am opposed to girls taking up with strangers any time and any place. You say he appeared to be about 25. It just may be that he was 35 — with a wife and six kids.

You're home free on this one, Toots. Consider yourself lucky and promise "never again."

Dear Ann Landers: I have been dating a young man who is from another city. He moved here a few months ago to take a job. Two weeks ago I invited him to have dinner in our home so he could become better acquainted with my family.

I have two brothers who are a couple of little brats. They are 10 and 12 years old, have no manners whatsoever and I'm really ashamed of them. The boys came to the table with dirty fingernails.

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Mottet-Hoff Marriage Solemnized in Hawaii

At the Church of Hawaii in Honolulu at 8 p.m. on June 30, Miss Aileen I. Mottet, 4174 W. Redondo Beach Blvd., Torrance, became the bride of Wilbur G. Hoff of Los Angeles. The bride is the daughter of R. J. Russell Hall, Ontario, Canada.

For her wedding, the bride wore a pale blue silk waltz length gown. A single silk rose held her short blue veil and the bride carried a white pearl Bible topped by a white orchid and pekake.

Mrs. Emma A. Goldsmith, also in pale blue and carrying a bouquet of pekake, was the matron of honor.

Joel S. Goldsmith stood as best man.

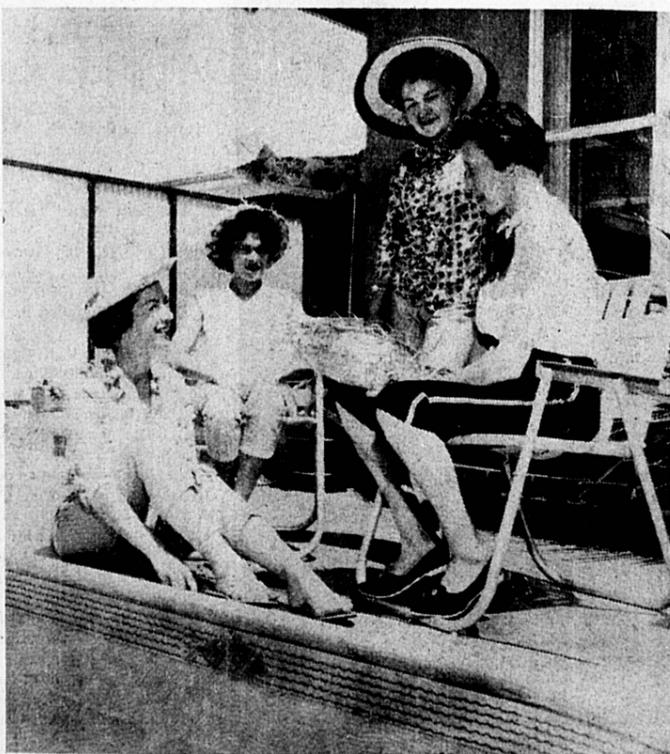
Officiating at the marriage ceremony was the Rev. Samuel Keala.

A reception for the 75 guests was held in the ballroom at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel, which was beautifully decorated with palms, orchids and anthurium. Miss Dorothy Crookard of Long Beach was in charge of the guest book. Lena Guerrero's Wahine trio played for the wedding and the reception.

After a two weeks honeymoon touring the outer islands, the newly married couple will be at home at

At Glen Ranch

Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Jones had as their guests at their mountain home at Glen Ranch, near Fontana, over the Fourth of July holiday, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Levy, Mrs. Emma Warner and Mrs. Plu Whyte.



BEACHWEAR FASHIONS... Lady Elks will don their favorite beachwear for their "Surfers Night" next Tuesday at their clubhouse on Abalone. Barbershop quartet singing, prizes in the beachwear contest, and refreshments have been planned. Modeling what they will wear are from left, Mmes. Marv Erickson, Otto Stiefel, Anthony Augustyn and Don Lemen.

Costumes and Singing

Ladies of the Elks Plan Surfers Night

In a tribute to the "good ole summertime," members of the Ladies of the Elks will spark their regular July business meeting with a "Surfers Party" Tuesday evening when they meet at the Elks lodge on Abalone Street in Torrance. The hospitality committee, Peggy George and

Lucille Foster, are in charge of the evening's arrangements.

All members will arrive wearing the "latest" in beach fashions. There will be prizes for the most unusual and the most original. During the evening, the Song Dusters, a barbershop quartet composed of Iris Hultz, Winona Tate, Toni Mann and Beulah Sanders will entertain. The hostess committee will serve refreshments.

Mrs. Kenneth McRae, president, will conduct a business meeting at which time the club will complete plans for a salad luncheon for the public on July 26. The affair will be held at the Elks lodge.

Local Couples Touring Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boren, 1318 Elm and Mr. and Mrs. John Ritchie, 4037 Via Val Monte, are spending a month in Europe.

The foursome are attending the International Lions Club convention being held in Nice, France. Mr. Boren is president of the Torrance Lions club and Mr. Ritchie is a member. After the convention on the French Riviera, the localites plan to tour the continent and the British Isles. Mr. Ritchie will visit relatives in Scotland.

Club Hostess

Mrs. Phillip Halloran last Friday at her Beech Avenue home.

The hostess served luncheon, followed by the games in which Mrs. Gerald Eastham held high score. Mrs. Parke Montague, second, and Mrs. W. E. Grubbs, third.

Mrs. Halloran's guests were Mmes. Burton Easley, Walter Levy, R. J. Triplitt, Cam Blakely, Jack Brooks, W. E. Grubbs, Parke Montague and Gerald Eastham.

Mrs. Levy will hostess the club at its next meeting July 13.



MRS. WILBUR G. HOFF
... Married June 30
(Portrait by Seaman)

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EVELYN JONES
... Plans Wedding
(Portrait by Seaman)

Set July 26 For Nuptials

Miss Evelyn Marie Jones and Philip J. Rusch will be married at a nuptial mass at the St. Lawrence Martyr Catholic Church on July 28.

The announcement of their daughter's wedding plans is being made today by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin C. Jones, 22710 Draille Dr., Torrance.

Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Mervin J. Rusch, 418 E. 185th St., Gardena.

The bride-elect and her fiancé are both 1961 graduates of South High school. Mr. Rusch is serving with the United States Air Force and is stationed at Shepard Base, Wichita Falls, Tex.



OUTLINE PLANS... As committee members finish details for the benefit theater party next Sunday evening for the Immaculate Heart College Alumnae Assn., Mrs. Frank Augustine, left, serves coffee to Mmes. Donald Hoffman, Robert Jennings, and John O'Brien, seated from the left. A pre-theater party will be held at the Augustine home in Hollywood Riviera.

USA Beauty Admired By Travelers

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Thuss of Middlebrook Rd. and Mrs. Thuss' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barker of Fresno, returned last Wednesday from an interesting month vacation trip.

The foursome drove to Eureka Springs, Arkansas, in the Ozarks and to Roaring River State Park. They visited with relatives in Nevada, Mo., and with Mrs. Thuss' brother and other relatives in Kansas City.

Driving north, they visited Lake Namakagon, Wis., the ore shipping country in and around Superior, Wis., before going to Duluth, Minn. There they visited the famous Nelson Knitting Mills. In Hibbing, Minn., they visited the largest ore mine in the world.

From International Falls, Minn., they drove to St. Francis, Ontario, Canada, to enjoy the scenery. Returning to the United States, they toured the Paul Bunyan country around Bemidji, Minn., and on to the Theodore Roosevelt National Memorial Park.

Heading west, the travelers visited Yellowstone and the Jackson Hole country. Twin Falls, Ida., and the Shoshone Falls.

They spent several days in Reno before returning to the Barker home in Fresno.

Designer Show Set For Fall Theater Benefit

At the regular board meeting of the Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, held on July 2, in the staff room of the hospital, elaborate plans were discussed on the forthcoming "Art of Fashion" show to be held on Sept. 25, at the Broadway Del Amo Tea room. Top fashions from Europe and New York, refreshments and music will be on the agenda.

All proceeds from the affair will be donated to the Torrance Memorial Hospital.

It was also announced that a new service in Ident-Photo has been adopted by the auxiliary. Charm bracelets and key rings with the "new" baby's picture enclosed in a sterling silver charm will be available to the new mothers, starting immediately.

There will be no regular business meetings during the months of July and August.

For Scholarship Fund

Alumnae Slate

Mrs. Robert Jennings and Mrs. Joseph Bryant of Westchester have been appointed chairmen of the annual benefit for scholarships to Immaculate Heart College given by the South Bay chapter of the College Alumnae Assn. under the presidency of Mrs. John O'Brien of Torrance.

This year's event will take place on Sunday, July 15. The Hampton Players of Redondo Beach will perform the comedy "Lullaby" at 8:30 p.m. for the Alumnae and friends.

Before the play, the theater-goers will meet at the Hollywood Riviera home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Augustine, 421 Calle de Felipe, for cocktails from 6:30 to 8, under the direction of Mrs. Donald Hoffmann of Palos Verdes.

Honorary hostess will be the past president, Mrs. Joseph Mullin of Manhattan Beach. Door prizes will be given at the party and at the theater.

Mrs. Francis van der Linden of Inglewood will make the presentation of gifts of champagne, dinner for two at

some local restaurant, religious articles, and cosmetics. Reservations can be made by calling Mrs. Robert Jennings.

Other members of the chapter board assisting Mrs. O'Brien are Mmes. Hoffman, Francis Reilly and Robert Steinhauer of Los Angeles, John Smith of Torrance, and Roland Green of Lawndale.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bernabei, 17316 Haas, are on a two weeks vacation trip to Northern California, Reno and Las Vegas.

Program Is Announced For Meeting

Torrance Welcome Wagon club will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, July 12, at 12:30 p.m. in the Elks Club, 315 E. Esplanade, Redondo Beach.

Bob Franklin, fire inspector with the Torrance Fire Dept., will be the guest speaker. Mr. Franklin will show films and explain mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. A question and answer period will follow.

Members of the club will also vote for a candidate for entry in the Torrance Ranchero Days Rodeo Queen contest. Luncheon reservations may be made by calling Mrs. James Flanagan.

Bakersfield Trip

Mrs. John Agapito and children, Debbie and Vince, returned last Saturday from Bakersfield where they had spent five days with Mrs. Robert Stewart and family, formerly of Torrance.

Laila Willson Exchanges Rings, Promises with Malcolm D. Dorn

St. Peter's Episcopal Church was the setting for the mid-afternoon marriage ceremony on Saturday, June 23, when Miss Laila Diane Willson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willson, 26247 Ocean View Ave., Lomita, became the bride of Malcolm Douglas Dorn, son of Mrs. Frank E. Wood of Bellevue, Wash., and Mr. Douglas Dorn of San Francisco.

Mr. Willson escorted his daughter to the altar, which was decorated with baskets of white gladioli interspersed with cathedral candles. The bride was lovely in her Original Elegance wedding gown of silk-faced peau de soie ornamented with re-embroidered Alencon lace encrusted with seed pearls. The fitted bodice had an applique neckline and long pointed sleeves. The full skirt fell into a chapel train. A princess tiara held the chapel length veil and the bride carried a cascade of butterfly orchids, stephanotis and gladioli. She also carried her grandmother's white lace handkerchief.

Mrs. Gloria Fenter was the matron of honor. She wore a peacock blue peau de soie sheath and carried a crescent of white gladioli. Brides-

maids were Misses Patricia Travis and Joyce Loedige; Mmes. Nancy Maloy, Francis Murray and Lois Landis. All wore aqua sheath dresses with matching picture hats. Their bouquets were white gladioli crescents.

Robin Travis was the flower girl, wearing white silk organza over blue taffeta. Bobbie Ray was the ring bearer.

Earl Markham performed the duties of best man and ushers were Larry Willson, Harvel Maloy, John Edgar, Robert Fenter and Dick Jenkin. The Rev. Royer of Long Beach officiated at the double ring ceremony. Mrs. James Willacy played the wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Thomas Brohamer who sang "O Lord Most Holy" and "O Perfect Love."

The 450 wedding guests attended a reception at the Captain's Room at the Tasman Seas restaurant.

Tables were decorated with white net, orange blossoms and satin bows. Carmen Gonzalez was in charge of the bride's book.

A four-tiered wedding cake decorated with satin bells was served with champagne punch by Mmes. Eloise Grubbs, Curtis Bryant, Robert Clements, Earl Jones, Robert Rohl and Ted Leib. Others assisting were past honored queens of the Lomita Bethel of Job's Daughters, Sharon Allan, Carrol Wade, Polly Ray, and Heather Mewherter.

After a honeymoon in Carmel and San Francisco, the newlyweds are at home at 2129 237th St., Torrance.

The bride was graduated from Narbonne High school. She attended Harbor College and was graduated from the Career Institute in Long Beach. A past honored queen of the Lomita Job's Daughters, she is active in the House of Young Churchmen, is a past member of the Altar Guild at St. Andrew's in Torrance and is employed at Kaiser Hospital in Harbor City.

Her husband attended the Punahou Academy in Hawaii, the University of Hawaii and the University of Washington. He will continue his studies in hospital administration at USC in September. At present he is employed at a Redondo Beach physician.



MRS. MALCOLM D. DORN
... On Wedding Day
(Portrait by Seaman)