

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers



'Only One Benefit To a Customer . . .'

Dear Ann Landers: Why would a fellow ask a girl out and then not show up? Wouldn't you think if something happened at the last minute a gentleman would telephone a lady and let her know?

Three months ago a fellow stood me up twice in one week. Last night it happened again. The man who stood me up last night works right in this office. I waited for him (with my hat on) for two hours. It was humiliating in front of my folks and my sister. I had my hair set specially for the date and I bought a new purse and a pair of silk gloves.

This morning he said "hi" as if nothing happened. Since he offered no explanation I kept quiet, too.

Some of my girl friends have had the same experience. Why do men pull this? Should a girl telephone a fellow and ask what has happened to him? — DISAPPOINTED.

Dear Disappointed: A young man who would intentionally stand up a date is irresponsible and inconsiderate.

I don't recommend telephoning a fellow to find out "what happened." But when you work in the same office and see him the next day it certainly seems to be a logical question.

There's always an outside chance of a misunderstanding, in which case the fellow should be given the benefit of the doubt. But, remember, Toots, only one benefit to a customer.

Dear Ann Landers: When I married my husband his ex-wife was pregnant but she did not tell him. Their baby is now three months old.

Dennie has received several telephone calls from his former wife asking him to come over and see the baby. Whenever I hear her voice on the phone I get weak in the knees. I wish she'd forget about him but I'm sure she won't.

Dennie wants me to go over to her house with him and see the baby. I dread the thought of it. We've hashed and rehashed this until I am blue in the face. Neither of us knows for sure if it is the right thing to do. We've decided to abide by your decision.—SECOND WIFE

Dear Second Wife: If your husband wants you to go with him—GO! Many women (Continued on Page 30)



A PARODY IN FASHION . . . In fun these three members of the Dianias pose in their literal version of fashions to be shown at their benefit show on Nov. 10 at the Horizon room, International Airport. From left, Mrs. Charles Hillinger wears a "spring" coat and hat; Miss Sara Mitchell, models a "box" jacket and hat to match; and Mrs. Eric Lindgren wears a "shopping" dress covered with money. Proceeds will go to the club's philanthropies.

AAUW Members At Workshop

Stimulated by new ideas to share with their fellow members of Palos Verdes-Rolling Hill Branch, American Association of University Women, are 10 members who attended the California State AAUW workshop over the weekend in Glendale.

Those present from the local branch were Mrs. Harold O. Simar, president; and Mmes. Thomas Harding, Raymond Oddone, Frank C. Fisher, Robert S. Fraser, John C. King, Joseph P. Jay, Peter B. Thorpe, D. F. Dyrsmid and Richard D. Smith.

Christine Buckley Becomes Bride of James R. Strunk

At an 11 o'clock nuptial mass and ceremony at the St. James Catholic Church in Redondo on Sept. 29, Miss Christine Buckley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Buckley, 21317 Grant Ave., Torrance, exchanged her marriage promises with James R. Strunk. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. James L. Strunk, 21402 Howard Ave., Torrance.

The Rev. Jerome Thompson officiated at the marriage and the mass as Mr. Mary Busch played a background of nuptial music.

Mr. Buckley escorted his daughter to the altar. She wore a traditional wedding gown of white lace fashioned with a scalloped neckline, long pointed sleeves and a bouffant skirt. Her fingertip illusion veil was held by a pearl tiara and she carried white orchids and stephanotis.

Miss Mary Lou Alford was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Geraldine Secules, Mary Jan Strunk and Susan Dodd. All of the attendants wore emerald green brocade gowns and each carried a bouquet of white roses tied with green ribbons. Little Rosemary Buckley, in a white organdy dress trimmed with green, was the flower girl.

Michael Zupparde stood as best man and ushers were Bill Bender, Jerry Likens and Gary Foster.

A reception for the 125 guests was held at the Redondo Women's clubhouse. Carol Lynne Doran registered the guests.

The newlyweds spent a honeymoon in Coronado and are living in Santa Monica, where Mr. Strunk is employed by Douglas Aircraft.

Both the bride and her husband attended El Camino College.

At International Airport

Dianas Will Present Fashion Show Nov. 10

Redondo Beach Dianias, California Federation of Women's Clubs, Junior Membership, Marina District, will have their annual fashion show on Saturday, Nov. 10, at 12:30 p.m. and 3:30 p.m. in the Horizon Room of Western Airlines, Satellite No. 5 at the Los Angeles International Airport.

Proceeds will be donated to the club's philanthropies which include the Las Palmas Girls' School, and the South Bay Health Center.

Mrs. Jerome Lesinski is general chairman of the event, assisted by Mmes. Martin Galos, Robert Carington, and Chris Saunders. Mrs. Eric Lindgren is in charge of the invitations.

Holiday fashions will be professionally modeled from a Redondo Beach shop, and wigs will be shown by a Redondo Beach salon.

Scandinavian Airlines System will provide the "Viking II" ten piece travel wardrobe designed by Don Ioper, Beverly Hills couturier, which will be modeled by Mrs. John Kenny with commentary by Mrs. Raymond Williams.

Champagne punch and hors d'oeuvres will be served during both shows by Western Airlines stewardesses.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Jerome Lesinski before Nov. 8.

NuDyke-Gregory Troth Is Announced at Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rector entertained at a champagne cocktail party Sunday afternoon at their home, 552 Calle Mayor, Hollywood Riviera, during which the engagement of Mrs. Rector's sister, Miss Carol NuDyke of Hollywood, and Raymond L. Gregory, 4718 Sharynne Lane, Torrance, was announced.

The wedding will take place April 5, 1963, at the Rosewood Methodist Church in Los Angeles.

The future bride attended Redondo High school and has visited in Torrance often. She received her teaching credentials from San Jose State College and is teaching physical education at a Junior High school in Covina.

Her fiancé was educated in the Torrance schools and is employed by Alcoa Aluminum.

Attending the engagement party were Mrs. H. M. NuDyke, mother of the bride-elect; Frank Woodruff, an uncle; Mrs. Mary Stathes; Messrs. and Mmes. Rick Arnold, Truman Adkins, Donald Edwards, F. W. Fahne-

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PAT GARRETT
... Will Wed

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Rand Garrett, 2279 239th St., Torrance, announce the engagement and wedding plans of their daughter, Pat, to Jim Satterfield of Redondo Beach.

The wedding will be solemnized Dec. 1 at the First Baptist Church in Torrance.

Both Miss Garrett and her fiancé were graduated from Torrance High School in June 1961.

Moore's Are Honored On Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore, 908 Cranbrook Ave. were guests of honor at a surprise party given Oct. 2 in celebration of their 25th wedding anniversary. Co-hosts for the party were Messrs. and Mmes. Clyde Anderson, Roy Zhe and E. V. Winkelbauer, who had invited the Moores to join them for dinner.

When the celebrants arrived at the Anderson home they found a group of friends gathered for the party. A buffet supper was enjoyed after which the Moores showed movies of their wedding which took place 25 years ago in Chicago. The honor guests were given a shower of cards in which silver dollars were enclosed.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore have lived in Torrance for the past 11 years. He is employed by the Dept. of Employment in Compton.

Joining the hosts and the Moores for the party were Messrs. and Mmes. Tom Randall, Kip Randall, Cliff Graybehl, Clifford Trezise, Roland Petrat, Les DeMott and Murray Rudnick.

Kansas Vacation

Mrs. Marguerite Kelsey, 817 Madrid, returned by plane Sunday evening from a three weeks vacation spent in Wichita, Kansas with her five sisters and one brother.



FLOWERS AND TEACUPS . . . Practicing teacup arrangements and making corsages for Garden Section's program and tea at the Torrance Woman's club on Oct. 24 are, from left, Mmes. J. P. Bay, president; R. L. Rudy, V. E. Benstead, and Roy Apsey, garden section chairman. After the judging of the "teacup" arrangements, a flower arrangement demonstration will be given by Chelsea Hendrix.

Sobada Plans Guest Night Saturday Eve

Sobada Dance Club will stage its October dance Saturday evening at the Palms restaurant. A Halloween theme will be carried out in the decor.

This will also be "Guest Night" for the club. Dancing will begin at 9 p.m.

On the committee are Messrs. and Mmes. Roy Zhe, John Moore and Ray Donaldson.

In La Jolla

Mr. and Mrs. S. Robert Saunders and sons, 5128 Merrill St. spent last weekend in La Jolla where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Prue.

At Woman's Club Oct. 24

Garden Section Plans 'Teacup' Flower Show

Garden Section of the Torrance Woman's club, CFWC, Marina district, will present a "Teacup Floral Arrangement" program and silver tea at the clubhouse, 1422 Engracia Ave. on Wednesday, Oct. 24, at 1 p.m.

Mrs. Roy Apsey, chairman of the garden section, and section members will serve as hostesses for the event.

Members of the Woman's club, Junior Woman's club, district and local garden clubs have been invited to participate. Each is asked to

enter a teacup floral arrangement.

There will be four categories of competition: most humorous; most original; one kind of flower, and most beautiful.

Judging the arrangements, which will take place from 1:30 until 2 p.m., will be Mrs. Mildred Gilkes, Mrs. Virginia Lindsley and Mrs. Beulah Bennett. Ribbons will be presented to the winners.

Chelsea Hendrix, guest speaker, will present a flower arrangement demonstration at 2 p.m.

A silver tea will follow and a door prize will be awarded.

William A. Whittington Claims English Bride

A wedding of interest in this area took place on Aug. 30 at the All Saints Church, Narborough, Leicestershire, England, when William Allen Whittington of Torrance, stationed at the Bruntingthorpe Base in England, claimed as his bride, Miss Jill Petrina Walton. The bride is the

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Walton, Tudor Cottage, Narborough, Leicestershire, England.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Vaun Whittington, 1230 Hickory Ave., Torrance.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of blush pink organ-

za and lace. The gown, fashioned with a long lace torso, had a scalloped neckline and long lace sleeves. The bouffant skirt was of pink organza. Her full tiered veil was secured by a floral headpiece and she carried a tulle posie handbag trimmed with a spray of real pink fairy roses.

Serving as bridesmaids were Miss Daphne Jennifer Walton, sister of the bride, and Miss Patricia Hoggson. They were gowned in white silk. Five rows of failed tulle trimmed the bottoms of the skirts. Each wore a picture hat and carried pink roses.

Three small bridesmaids wore full length pink silk dresses and carried posies of sweet peas and wore crowns of pink tulle. In the bridal party were two small page boys, dressed in white suits trimmed with lace and black velvet ribbon.

David Whitehat performed the duties of best man. Rev. Garrett officiated at the marriage and the Boys and Girls choir sang the nuptial music.

A reception for the 62 guests followed at Tudor Cottage.

The bride was graduated from Richmond House and Collegiate Grammar school.

The bridegroom, a 1954 graduate of Torrance High School, received his degree in civil engineering from USC in 1959. He is serving with the United States Air Force.

Next June, he and his bride will return to the States and will come to Torrance. Mr. Whittington will resume work on his masters degree in civil engineering.



MRS. JAMES R. STRUNK
... Living in Santa Monica
(Photography by Stanfords)



CAROL NUDYKE
... Spring Bride-elect

stock, Jack M. Goetz, Charles Gregory, William Kofahl, Ivan McElroy, R. G. Montgomery, Willett Rowlands, Maurice G. Wilson.

Also Dr. and Mrs. Ted M. Brox and Mr. Harold Gregory.



MRS. WILLIAM ALLEN WHITTINGTON
... Weds Local Air Force Man