

YOUR PROBLEMS

by Ann Landers

'Enjoying His Second Childhood...'

Dear Ann Landers: The widow who lives next door is a woman in her 40's. She is pleasant but we have never said anything more than "Good morning" or "Good evening" to one another.

Our dining room window faces her bedroom window. Whenever my husband sees her bedroom light go on he rushes into the dining room and starts to play solitaire. The woman never pulls her shades down. She would have to be blind not to see my husband facing her window, taking everything in.

I have never said a word to him about this because I don't want to make an issue of it. He is 73, and definitely over the hill so far as romance is concerned. I hope I have made myself clear. Any suggestions would be appreciated.—OLD DUFFER'S WIFE

Dear Wife: Don't just sit there like a clam with a broken hinge. Tell him you are wise and that you hope he is enjoying his second childhood.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm not dictating this letter to my secretary because she is out to lunch. But I'm so burned up I can't wait until she returns, so please excuse the mistakes.

I have telephoned my wife 11 times this morning at fifteen minute intervals. The line is still busy. This has happened to me before. Once I got so mad I sent her a telegram and told her to get off the telephone. On another occasion I asked the operator to cut in but she said her supervisor wouldn't let her cut in unless it was an emergency. I told her it WAS an emergency, that somebody was going to get shot. It didn't work.

Tell me, Ann Landers, how can a person gabble on about clothes, recipes, kids, gossip and other trivia hour after hour after hour? Don't their mouths get dry? Don't their arms get tired from holding the receiver?

Will you help me pressure the telephone company into an automatic shut-off after seven minutes? That's enough

(Continued on Page 32)

Welcome Board Members

Torrance YWCA New Officers Are Named

The election of Mrs. C. B. Mitchell, 1537 W. 220th St., as president of the Torrance YWCA was announced here today. Mrs. Mitchell, a resident of Torrance for many years, has served on the Board of Directors for the Torrance YWCA for two years, one year as treasurer.

The new president is currently employed as lending officer at the Torrance Branch, Bank of America. She has served as president of the Pilot Club of Torrance, 1960-61; and president of the Torrance Woman's Club, 1941-43.

Other officers elected to serve with her in directing the YWCA activities for the coming year were Mmes. Victor Bernard, first vice president; Jack Dean, second vice president; Don Reining, secretary; and Kenneth Clutter, treasurer.

Newly-elected members to the Board of Directors welcomed at the board meeting on May 13 were Mmes. J. K. Burchfield, Clifford Easley, Adam Krauszer, Charles Roper, Andrew Silver and Leondrus Stamps.

Re-elected for a second term were Mrs. Clara Conner and Mrs. Paul Crossman.



MRS. C. B. MITCHELL, ... New YWCA President (Photo Arts Studio)

Attend State Junior Conclave

Attending the 35th annual state convention, California Federation of Women's Clubs, junior membership, in session from today through Saturday at the Disneyland Hotel are a number of members of the Torrance Junior Woman's club.

At the convention are Mmes. Ronald Forestal, president; William Faulds, president-elect; Robert Valencia, first vice president; Jack Dean, John Howland, Vernon Nickles, L. A. Schulwitz, Donald French, Jack Bohn and G. G. Gmur.

Alumnae to Close Year

The last spring meeting of the Palos Verdes Alumnae Chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha will be held on Monday, May 27, at a luncheon given by Mrs. Georgia Cooper at her home, 2610 Maple Ave., Manhattan Beach. Time of the gathering is 12 noon.

Guest speaker of the afternoon will be Miss Sally Bencangey, expert on wig-making. Together with Mrs. Curtis Ivester, owner of the Play Girl Beauty Salons, Miss Bencangey will demonstrate the art of making wigs. She will explain what comprises a good wig and what to consider before buying one. The all-important price will be considered. Also, the care and upkeep of wigs will be discussed, and the difference between real and synthetic hair-pieces. The factor of measurement will be analyzed, as well as the art of setting and combing. A question and answer period will follow the demonstration.

Reservations may be obtained by calling Mrs. Fayze Fandey.

Illinois Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph King, 2508 Lesserman, have as their houseguests for two weeks, Mrs. King's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray D. Withrow of Albion, Ill.

The Kings and their guests left Friday morning for San Francisco. En route they stopped at San Jose State to visit the King's daughter, Pat, a student there. They returned to Torrance Monday for another week of sightseeing.

In San Clemente

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Hester of Torrance were recent vacation guests at the San Clemente Inn and Spa in San Clemente, where they took part in the popular "Fun in the Sun" program.



A GOAL OF 1,000 HOURS... Mrs. R. A. Bingham, credits chairman for the Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, presents pin awards to a group of auxiliary members, who have completed 1,000 hours of service to the hospital. They are, front row, from left, Mmes. Robert R. Rojo, John E. Popovich, John P. Schwartz, and Charles

B. Wiley. Back row, Mmes. James C. Anderson, Dean L. Sears, Irwin O. Kasten, Don Hyde and Henry Heinlein. Other 1,000 hour recipients not pictured were Mmes. W. E. Grubbs and Harold Hayes. Pins were also given to members who had completed 500, 200, and 100 hours of service. (Herald Photo)

Honor Prospective Members

Auxiliary Gives Service Awards

Highlighting a luncheon for prospective members of the Torrance Memorial Hospital Auxiliary, held last Tuesday in the staff room of the hospital, was the presentation of pins denoting the hours of service to the hospital by auxiliary members.

Mrs. R. A. Bingham, auxiliary credits chairman, presented pins to women who had completed 1,000, 500, 200 and 100 hours.

Receiving 1,000-hour pin awards were Mmes. James Anderson, W. E. Grubbs, Don Hyde, Henry Heinlein, Harold Hayes, Irwin Kasten, John Popovich, Robert Rojo, Dean Sears, Charles Wiley and John Schwartz.

For 500 hours of service to the hospital, awards were given to Mmes. Richard Cusimano, James Colella, Phillip Halloran, Harvel Guttenfelder, Robert Jungkind, James Lees, James Kimble, Ben Smith, Robert Sleeth, Sidney Thompson and Paul Winn.

Two hundred hour awards went to Mmes. Henry Creeg-

er, John Carson, N. F. Jamieson, Clifford Lackey, James Noal, Carl Pritchard, John Schwartz, Sidney Thompson, Leon Warne and Howard Wood.

For completion of 100 hours of service recognition was paid Mmes. Ronald Blacker, Louis Dyer, Gilbert Derouin, James McClaran, Charles Mullen, James Noal, Sidney Thompson, Howard Wood and Leon Warne.

In June, the auxiliary will honor its prospective members at a swimming party and smorgasbord.

Ralph Sprouts Announce Melba Jean's Engagement

Culminating a romance, which began with their activities at the St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, is the announcement of the engagement of Miss Melba Jean Sprout and David Beard.

The bride-elect, whose family has long been identified with the Torrance area, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sprout, 1327 Beech Ave. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sprout, Mrs. Maggie Savage and the late Levi Savage, early Torrance residents.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Beard, 2312 W. 246th Pl., Lomita. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. William Bury of Massachusetts.

Miss Sprout will be graduated from Torrance High School next month. She has been active in Tartar Ladies, Torrettes, Homemakers Club, class council and was a member of the 1963 Prom Court.

Her fiancé, a 1961 Narbonne High graduate, is enrolled at DeVry Technical Institute and is employed at



MELBA JEAN SPROUT ... Accepts Ring (Portrait by Seeman)

Mayfair Creamery in Torrance.

A definite date for the wedding, which will take place at St. Andrew's Church, has not been announced.



MRS. JAMES TRUMAN TIMMONS ... Recites Vows (Photo Arts Studio)



PLOTTING THEIR COURSE... New officers of the Torrance Lioness club gather around their new president for a look at last year's press book as they plan their course for the coming year. Mrs. Cecil Powell, center, newly-installed president is surrounded by, from left, Mmes. Robert Williams, secretary; Ernest Harris, hairpuller; Tom Burchfield, corresponding secretary; and Edward Gregory, first vice president. (Herald Photo)

Husbands Special Guests

Lady Lions Install Officers For 1963-64

Using a baseball theme, the Torrance Lioness Club held its 17th installation on May 11 at the Lococo restaurant with Mrs. Clarence Clark, retiring president, as installing officer. Husbands were special guests at the affair.

Tables were appropriately decorated to carry out the theme and the main door prize, two tickets to a Dodger game, was won by Walter Keberlein.

Mrs. Cecil Powell was installed as president of the Lioness Club for 1963-64. Serving with her will be Mmes. Edward Gregary, first

vice-president; Walter Keberlein, second vice-president; Robert Williams, secretary; Thomas Burchfield, corresponding secretary; Abe Robinson, treasurer; Ernest Harris, hair puller.

Mrs. Powell then announced her chairmen for the coming year. They are Mmes. Peter Redisch, sunshine; A. B. McToe, hostess; Clarence Clark, membership; A.F.R. Ewall, publicity; John Ritchie, auditor; William King and Milton Isbell, telephone.

After a dark month in July, the new officers will take over their duties in August.



CAROLYN CAMPBELL ... August Bride (Portrait by Seeman)

Nancy Sullivan Becomes Bride of J. T. Timmons

Miss Nancy Sullivan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Sullivan, 1806 W. 238th St., Torrance, walked down the aisle of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, on the arm of her father to plight her marriage vows with James Truman Timmons. The wedding ceremony took place at 2 o'clock on May 11.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney W. Timmons, 23633 Eshelman Ave., Torrance.

The bride's traditional wedding gown was of Chantilly lace, fashioned with a basque bodice featuring a square scalloped neckline and long pointed sleeves. The bouffant skirt, over hoops, was caught up in front and back with lace roses revealing a double ruffle of matching Chantilly encircling the underskirt. The back of the skirt cascaded into a circular chapel train. A crown of seed pearls secured the elbow length illusion veil and the bride carried a bouquet of white roses centered by white orchids.

Miss Joyce Takayama was the maid of honor and bridesmaids were Misses Dwan Wroge, Trudy Johnson and Joyce Miyamoto. All wore lavender satin sheaths with georgette overskirts. Each carried a bouquet of orchids. Pamela Penney, in a lavender and white organdy frock, was flower girl. David Bristol stood as best

man and ushers were Mel Young, Tracy Timmons and Michael Sullivan.

Bishop Hal Bradshaw officiated at the marriage service. Mrs. J. Cowger played the wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Clyde Barnes, soloist.

A reception was held in the church hall. Assisting were Linda Vorhe and Beth Kealey. Susan Stamps and Lynda Wilson were in charge of the bride's book.

After a honeymoon at Big Bear, the newlyweds are now at home in Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of Torrance High School and Cal-Western College.

Her husband was graduated from Torrance High School and El Camino College.

Expect Guests

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Scott, 114 230th Place, are expecting Mr. Scott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Scott of Vancouver, British Columbia, to arrive about July 1 for a six weeks visit here.

Announce Daughter's Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Campbell, 1122 Fonthill Ave., announce the engagement of their daughter, Carolyn Louise, to Dennis Lester Johnson of Eatontown, New Jersey. Parents of the future bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Royden Johnson of Lake Mills, Iowa.

The bride-elect was graduated from Torrance High School in 1959 and El Camino College in 1962. She then became a stewardess for United Air Lines, stationed in Chicago.

Her fiancé was graduated from Parsons College in Fairfield, Iowa, in 1960. At Parsons, he was on the dean's honor roll and was president of Phi Sigma Epsilon fraternity. Mr. Johnson is Eastern director of counselors for the college.

The wedding will be solemnized on Aug. 18 at the First Christian Church in Torrance.

Home From School

Miss Susan Stamps, freshman at the University of California at Riverside, will arrive home June 3 to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leondrus Stamps, 804 Acacia Ave.