. . . Ann Landers

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only hatch new ones. — ALONE TOO

Dear Alone: Many women with absent husbands wrote in response to Polaris' letter but yours said it best. Thank you for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband's mother, who was a dear, sweet person passed away recently. Her relationship with her two daughters was not good. In the 20 years I have been in the family, my mother-in-law had suffered considerable anguish due to the selfishness of her daughters.

She was not a wealthy woman but was a collector of exquisite antiques and silver. She frequently told me she'd like me to have these objects when she passes on.

The day before the funeral her daughters went through her home and helped themselves to everything of value.

My husband is furious. He feels we should demand that they share some of his mother's treasures with us. I want no part of such a family fight. What is your opinion?—PREEMPTED

Dear Emptied: I'm with you. Nothing of material value could possibly be worth the ugliness which would surely result from getting into a hassle with the vultures.

It's too bad your mother-in-law didn't put her generous intentions in writing. This is the only way to make sure that worldly goods will be disposed of in accordance with the wishes of the owner.

Ann Landers' frank and informative new book "Teen-agers and Sex" ($2.95) is now available at your book store.

Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Olivers Announce Birth of Son

Corporal and Mrs. Richard S. Oliver announce the birth of a son on Jan. 7 at the South Bay Community Hospital. The young man, who weighed 8 lbs. 2 oz., has been named Vincent Gene.

Mrs. Oliver is the former Frances Gerber. She and Mr. Oliver are both graduates of North High School.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Gene Fulmer, 3439 Emerald St. and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oliver, 2517 W. 177th St. Cpl. Oliver is serving with the United States Marine Corps stationed at Camp Pendleton. Mrs. Oliver and the new baby are making their home with the Albert Olivers.

Visit Daughter

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Benner, 1219 Acacia Ave., spent the Christmas holidays in Pleasant Hill with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Al Sadunas and daughters, Marie and Linda.

Mrs. R. Gracey President

Republican Women Seat New Officer Panel

A Manhattan Beach woman has been installed president of the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women for 1964.

She is Mrs. Richard L. Gracey, who served last year as the organization's first vice president.

Mrs. Gracey succeeds Mrs. Tilden Mattox, also of Manhattan Beach. Mrs. Mattox has been appointed parliamentarian.

Officers elected to serve with Mrs. Gracey during the 1964 term are Mmes. Stanley Overby Jr., first vice president, Redondo Beach; Roland Blakeman, second vice president, El Segundo; Floyd Moffit, third vice president, Torrance; Nolton Jackson, recording secretary, Torrance; and Alexander Hume, treasurer, Redondo Beach.

Area directors are Mmes. Ina Arbuckle, El Segundo; Richard Newton, Manhattan Beach; David A. Burt, Hermosa Beach; Jewell Gifford, Redondo Beach; and Allan R. Brush, PV Peninsula.

Mrs. Manley Natland, district chairman of the 28th Congressional District, Los Angeles County Federation of Republican Women, and member of the 46th Assembly District Central Committee, was installing officer at the last meeting for 1963.

Mrs. Gracey assumed official duties as president at a luncheon meeting of the South Bay Club of Federated Republican Women held Jan. 9 in the Plush Horse Inn.

Before serving for almost two years as first vice president of the organization, Mrs. Gracey was Study Group chairman. In 1962, she was active as Manhattan Beach director for the Rafferty campaign.

Mrs. Gracey studied at Stanford University. Later, while residing in Whittier, Calif., she was associated with the Republican Women's Club there.

She attends First Orthodox Presbyterian Church of Manhattan Beach.

Mrs. Gracey has three children, David, 13, Don, 10, and Lynn, 8. The family lives at 1421 - 11th St.

Moose Women to Hear Speaker

Arlie Prowitt, Pilgrim's Degree, Loyal Order of Moose, will be guest speaker at Women of the Moose, Torrance Chapter Night Child Care Program, to be held Jan. 15, at Moose Lodge 785, 1744 Carson St. New officers presiding will be the Mmes. Lorraine L. Davis, junior graduate regent; Edward Peacock, recorder; Lula Soloman, treasurer; Patricia Rhue, chaplain.

Colorado Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Woodis and daughters, Ginny Kay and Betty, 2814 W. 177th St. have returned from Deer Trail, Colorado where they spent the holidays with relatives of Mr. Woodis.

FOREIGN STUDENTS GUESTS . . . An outstanding program has been set up for the Yukon PTA meeting Thursday evening, Jan. 16 at 2:30 p.m., when the American Field Service students will be guest speakers. Mrs. Otis B. Hatfield, program chairman is shown here with two of the students, Marie Horne of Notedden, Norway and Hymie Luboff of Johannesburg, South Africa. Students will be presented by Mrs. Jack Hughes, AFS representative. Kindergarten pupils of Miss Taylor will also demonstrate their musical talents. (Herald Photo)

High Official Visits District Moose Women

Women of The Moose Chapters of the South Central District were honored by a visit of their Deputy Grand Regent, Mrs. Ted Hardeman, at a meeting in the Santa Ana Moose Home on Wednesday Dec. 4. Mrs. Hardeman is a member of the Salinas, California, chapter of the Women of the Moose.

Lenore Christenson, Senior Regent of Santa Ana Chapter, introduced the Deputy Grand Regent and presented her an orchid corsage then announced that the new members class being enrolled would be in her honor.

Members of the College of Regents Degree from many of the chapters in the area were present in full dress regalia. Also in attendance were many of the chapter senior regents including Lorraine Walker, Torrance Chapter 44. Special guests of the Santa Ana Chapter present to honor the Deputy Grand Regent were Steve Pipoly, president of the South Central District of the California Moose Assn.; James D. McCune, district vice president, past governor and trustee of Torrance Moose Lodge; Ray Hoffman, state scholarship chairman; Gil Rupp, state civic affairs chairman; Santa Ana Governor Walter Griffin and many other members of Santa Ana Moose Lodge.

Following the enrollment of new members, Mrs. Hardeman told those assembled of the major accomplishments of the Women of The Moose. Most recent of these was the construction of a sea wall and pier at Moosehaven, Florida, at a cost of half a million dollars. Also at present the second degree of the Women of The Moose is financing the building of Friendship Hall, named after the second degree, at Moosehaven at a cost the retirement center provided by the order for their of $250,000. Moosehaven is members.

Golf Club To Install Officers

Alondra Park Women's Golf Club will install new officers at its meeting Jan. 14 at the Club Alondra.

New officers are Mmes. Freeman Battershell, Torrance, president; Edward Will, El Segundo, tournament chairman; Newell Larson, Torrance, secretary; Barbara Simmons, Torrance, treasurer; and Richard Bell, Palos Verdes, handicap chairman.

Taking office on the board of directors are Mmes. Sid Pattison, Manhattan Beach; Polly Harris, Redondo; Ray Curry, Lomita and Raymond Dowd, Redondo. Mrs. Rex Ward, past president, will conduct the installation.

Committee chairmen for the coming year are Mmes. Lawrence McBee, Torrance, rules; Ray Curry, Lomita, membership; Polly Harris, Redondo, press; Raymond Dowd, program. Mrs. Judy McDonnold, Hermosa, will be A team captain and Mrs. Carl Benson of Redondo is B team captain.

Wyoming Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Reeves, and sons, John and Jim, 420 Avenida de Jose, Hollywood Riviera, have returned from a two weeks trip to Sheridan, Wyoming where they spent the holidays with Mr. Reeves' parents.

Voter League Continues Study Local Libraries

Libraries of Torrance are being studied by the Torrance League of Women Voters. League members examined the present make-up of the city's libraries at its first round of meetings. The only city in the county to do so, Torrance provides land, buildings and contracts to the Los Angeles County Public Library for books and services, said Mrs. William F. Radcliff, co-chairman of the local study project.

During the next month, League members will discuss future expansion of facilities, the American Library Assn. requirements, and the aspects of library finances.

A bus tour of Torrance library facilities will highlight the study on Jan. 28. The public is invited to make the tour and for further information, Mrs. Jack S. Thompson, library chairman, may be called.

Meeting schedule for next week is: Jan. 13, 7:45 p.m. Mrs. K. J. Lemke, 2718 W. 179th St., Torrance; Jan. 14, 9:45 a.m., Mrs. F. M. Adair, 416 Via Linda Vista, Torrance; Jan. 15, 9:45 a.m. Mrs. B. E. Belzer, 2926 Sonoma St., Torrance; Jan. 15, 7:45 p.m. Mrs. Charles Piper, 1619 3rd St., Manhattan Beach; Jan. 16, 7:45 p.m. Mrs. Paul Schwaighart, 417 Calle de Aragon, Torrance.

Luncheon Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Nelson, 1744 Arlington Ave. were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McKaig in Los Alamitos on Thursday. The Nelsons and McKaigs were friends in their former home, Springfield, Mass.

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JEFFERSON

"Holiday in Song" was the theme of the Jefferson PTA meeting in December.

A group of instrumental Christmas songs were played by the band under the direction of first grade teacher, Mrs. Kennedy. A play was presented about "Christmas Cards" by a group of students. A chorus group under the direction of third grade teacher, Mrs. Cramton and second grade teachers, Mrs. Crompton and Mrs. Nuffer, sang Christmas carols.

Stage decoration and paintings were done by Grade 2 and 6 with the help of Mrs. Pearsey and Miss Nunnally.

There was a short business meeting before the program.

HAMILTON

"Focus on the Child" has been chosen as the theme of Hamilton PTA's Jan. 16 meeting to be held at 7:30 p.m. in the cafetorium. Mrs. Eloise Shields, school psychologist, will discuss typical characteristics of children.

Mrs. Kenneth Watts, Torrance school board member, will explain the tax override measure to come before voters in February.

Following a display of arts and crafts created by the students, room mothers from the fifth grade will serve refreshments. Featured chairmen for the evening include Mrs. G. L. Johnson, parent education; and Mrs. Jack Higar, newsette.

Hamilton's honorary life chairman, Mrs. E. C. Johnson, and her elected committee, Mrs. Joe Marmalejo, Mrs. Rudy Esau, and Mrs. E. J. Clark met recently to consider nominations for the honorary life membership to be awarded in February.

Mrs. A. J. Stilwell, president; Mrs. William Rose, safety chairman; and Mrs. Keith McRoberts, citizenship chairman, attended the Los Angeles Safety Council luncheon at the Jump'n Jack Restaurant, Jan. 8.

CALLE MAYOR

Calle Mayor Elementary School PTA will meet Tuesday evening, Jan. 14, at 7:30 p.m. in the school cafetorium. American Field Service students attending local high schools, will present the program "Focusing on International Affairs."

PTA

First association meeting of the 223rd St. PTA will be held Jan. 14 at 1:30 p.m. when a teacher panel on Social Studies will be featured.

Mrs. Horace Slone has been ratified as the new Honorary Life chairman. On her committee are Mmes. Edgar Formanek, Paul Danford, Jimmy Morris and Kay Muramota. Mrs. Marie Lorenz, principal will also serve.

Mrs. Thomas E. Millard, president, has reported that during the Christmas season, 17 families received Christmas baskets.

HEP TO THE BEAT . . . Teenagers of Torrance are being offered a class in baton and flag twirling at the Torrance YWCA under the direction of Mrs. Peggy Shiner, experienced in this field. Ready to strut are, from the left, Donna Alexander, Rita Wells and Mitzie Cerda. Routines and marching techniques will be emphasized. A drill team will be formed. Information on this class, which will be limited in number, may be obtained by calling the YWCA.

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Busy Month For Chapter

A month of holiday activities concluded the year for the Eta Mu Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha.

On Dec. 16, members entertained the patients at the Ruth's Guest House. They took them on a tour of the area to see the Christmas decorations and then to the home of a member for refreshments and Christmas carols.

The chapter held its annual Christmas party and "Secret Sisters" were revealed.

On Dec. 26, members and their husbands or escorts enjoyed a Christmas dinner party and dance at the Ports O' Call restaurant and made the cruise on the SS Princess.

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