

ANN LANDERS



Sitters Do Get Hungry

Dear Ann Landers: I just read the letter from the woman who complained about a sitter who helped herself to a third of a pie and ate large holes in the company ham. I agree a sitter has no right to do this but there are two sides to every story. May I speak for the thousands of baby sitters who get so hungry they almost pass out?

I have sat in homes where a cockroach could starve to death. I realize the people I sit for don't owe me a banquet, Ann, but a growing girl who runs after kids for five or six hours needs something to keep her strength up.

A bag of potato chips and a soft drink is not going to bankrupt anybody. If Mrs. Housewife would set something aside for the sitter she wouldn't have to worry about being eaten out of house and home.—MISS REASONABLE

Dear Miss: Thank you for your suggestion on how Mrs. Housewife can best protect her company ham and guest pie against the famished sitter. I agree a sitter is entitled to a little refreshment, and a thoughtful lady will provide it.

Dear Ann Landers: I was impressed with the answer you gave "Ceiling Zero." I only hope the dumb bunny listens to you. If the kept women in this country knew what their married sweethearts really thought of them there would be a lot less back street action.

Three years ago I suspected my husband had a friend on the side. He denied it for two years and then I ran into him—checking into a motel one Saturday afternoon. She was outside in the car. I had dropped in to get some ice cream. When they saw me they'd like to die. My husband handed her money to take a taxi and then followed me home in his car. We had a frank talk and I told him he could have a divorce if he wanted it.

Did he accept my offer? He did not. He said she was nothing but a plaything and he would never marry her—that she wasn't fit to shine my shoes much less fill them. We both had a good cry and he begged me to forgive him and let him prove what a good husband he could be. I agreed to try it.

The following morning the woman called and asked me to forgive her. She said my husband had told her I was an invalid and she was shocked to see me walk into that place.

So you see, Ann, liars play it both ways. Please publish this. It could be a post-graduate course in life for your readers.—HOLDER OF THE DIPLOMA

Dear Holder: Are you listening, students?

Dear Ann Landers: Please help me, Ann. My folks are too old and too square to know anything about love. Besides, all they do is fight. I am 15 but could pass for 19. I can buy beer in any tavern without showing an ID card. My problem is I have fallen in love with a very handsome guy who is an actor. Neil is 23 and I'm sure he'll be a big star some day. He wants me to marry him but we have no money and he isn't working at present. I could go to work and tide us over until Neil gets a good part. Don't tell me I'm a foolish kid because love is for the young and this is the real thing. Give me some encouragement.—JONQUIL

Dear Jonquil: How lucky can a girl get? You're only 15 and you can buy beer any place and now you've found an out-of-work actor who wants to marry you! Two months of boardinghouse beans will shake the rocks out of your head, Kiddo. Tell the guy "Good-bye and good luck."

What awaits you on the other side of the marriage veil? How can you be sure your marriage will work? Read Ann Landers' booklet "Marriage—What To Expect." Send your request to Ann Landers in care of the Press-Herald enclosing 50¢ in coin and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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

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School District Adds To Administrative Staff

Dr. Ralph E. Wilson of Los Alamitos and George McCoy of Palos Verdes Peninsula have been named curriculum consultant and assistant, respectively, by the Torrance Unified School District.

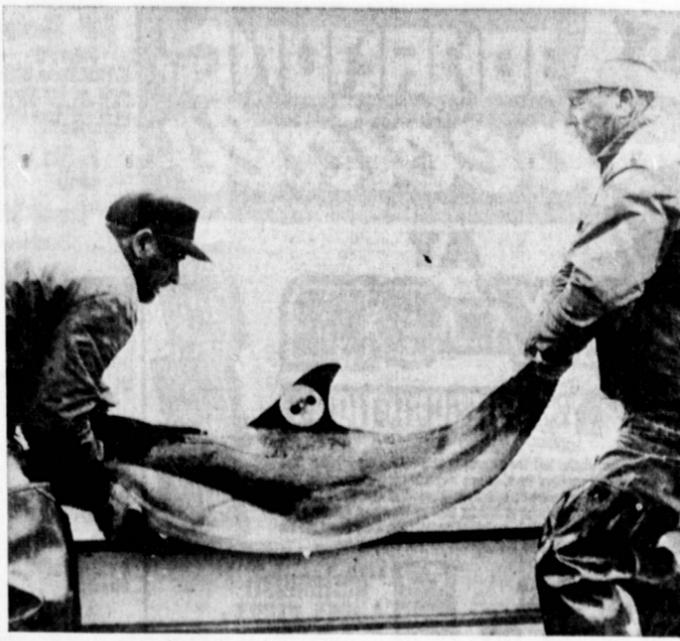
Dr. Wilson, 37, has been employed by the district for the past 13 years, serving as principal for Hickory and Adams elementary schools, vice principal at Fern-Greenwood Elementary School, and teacher at Carr Elementary School.

He is a member of Educare, Torrance Elementary Schools Principals Association, Torrance Education Association, National Education Association, and California Teachers Association.

McCoy, 42, who has been teaching in the district for nine years, taught at Walteria and Flavian elementary schools in addition to five years as a high school music teacher in Texas before joining the district.

He will serve on the staff of the district's Education Materials Building, replacing Neil Lewis, who will head the media center in Inglewood.

A veteran of World War II, he served as a sergeant in the U. S. Air Force.



DOLPHIN OVERBOARD . . . A common dolphin, tagged in a study of dolphin migrational patterns, is hoisted overboard by Frank Calandrino (left), skipper of the Geronimo, a collecting vessel for Marineland of the Pacific, and mate Benny Falcone. Marineland and Naval Undersea Warfare Center are conducting this study together. Purpose of the survey is to determine whether the dolphin, found in every ocean in the world, migrates over a large area or is confined to its immediate waters. Officials hope the results of these tests will provide a better basic knowledge of the sea.

Dolphins Tagged to Watch Migration Patterns, Habits

Sixteen dolphins have been tagged in ocean waters off Los Angeles in a unique research project that is attempting to trace the migrational patterns of dolphins for the first time.

Director by Marineland of the Pacific and the Naval Undersea Warfare Center, the history-making program—tabbed Operation Sea-See—is being carried out by Marineland's collecting crew aboard the oceanarium vessel, Geronimo, and NUWC's 50-foot catamaran, Sea-See.

Each "tag" is a white plastic spool, with an easily discernible, black marking, that fits snugly onto the dolphin's dorsal fin without hindering the animal in any way.

OF THE 16 animals tagged so far, all have been common dolphins. Each one has been tagged over a period of three weeks and immediately returned to its school. One of them was a young animal still swimming with its mother. She stayed with the boat until the baby dolphin was returned to the ocean and they swam off together.

After catching and tagging two more dolphins—either common (delphinus) or striped (lagenorhynchus) dolphins, like the ones which leap 22 feet in formation during Marineland's Top Deck Whale Show—oceanarium personnel and Navy scientists will put radio transmitters on two additional animals.

Together they hope to track the radio-dolphins

throughout the area. The catamaran is equipped with an octagonal, 7½-foot-wide compartment extending 10 feet into the water and permitting 180-degree visibility fore and aft which will permit underwater observation and filming, as well as surface viewing.

WILLIAM E. EVANS is Sea-See project manager at NUWC's Marine Bioscience Facility at Point Mugu and is directing the entire project. In charge of the Marineland phase are John Prescott, curator, and Frank Brocato, director of collections.

But while these men are spearheading the research a call has been issued to all yachtsmen, boating enthusiasts and sailors on the entire West Coast and Mexico to be on the lookout for and report any dolphins tagged in the program.

"Such reports," says Evans, "will give us early indications of patterns and these will be most helpful. All reports of sightings should be telephoned or addressed to either the Marine Bioscience Facility at Point Mugu, or the Marineland of the Pacific at Palos Verdes Peninsula.

THE TWO radio-dolphins will receive special attention. Their attached transmitters will send only when the transmitter is out of the water. "In other words," says Prescott, "the 'blips' heard aboard the Geronimo and NUWC's catamaran can

be recored only when the dolphin is surfacing to breathe." The transmitters can be heard 20 miles away and are expected to last at least three months.

Dolphins are warm-blooded, air-breathing mammals, even though they live in the ocean and swim like fish.

The two radio-equipped dolphins will be placed in the ocean in late July when the catamaran and the Geronimo rendezvous. Evans, aboard the catamaran, will try to follow the 'blipping' dolphins and chart their course. He will also be able to observe the animals underwater in the Sea-See compartment.

ONCE THE first phase has been completed, results will be analyzed and equipment feasibility decisions made. A second phase will follow.

"No one has ever attempted to chart the migrational patterns of dolphins before," says Prescott. "We're attempting to add to man's basic knowledge of the sea. We want to find out if the dolphins, both striped and delphinus, stay in one area or whether they move up and down the coastal region adn across the deep ocean." Prescott points out that delphinus are called common dolphins because they appear in all oceans of the earth.

The common dolphin also is the animal Aristotle observed 2,500 years ago and used in his famous animal commentaries.

Dinner-Dance to Mark Opening of GOP Office

More than 500 GOP volunteers will be celebrating the opening of the new Republican Party headquarters in downtown Torrance when they gather for the gala Republican Headquarters Benefit Friday, July 26.

To be held at the American Legion Hall is San Pedro, the party will begin at 5:30 p.m. with a cocktail and social hour, followed by a buffet supper and dancing to the music of two bands, the Patriots, a junior high combo, and Ray Noble's Orchestra. The Legion Hall is located at 631 Ninth Street.

Tickets at \$2.50 per person are available at Republican Party headquarters, 1409 Cravens Ave., or 650 Seventh St., San Pedro. The \$2.50 admission includes dinner and one drink, as well as numerous door prizes donated by local merchants, according to Mrs. Charles Werre, headquarters chairman. Proceeds from the event will go toward the day-to-day support of both the Torrance and San Pedro GOP offices.

HIGHLIGHTS of the evening will be the presentation of local Republican candidates — Fred Fredericks from the 67th Assembly District; Paul Lookinland, 68th

Assembly District; Bob Beverly, incumbent from the 48th Assembly District; and Joe Blatchford, 17th Congressional District nominee. Dr. Max Rafferty, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, will be on hand provided his duties in Sacramento permit his absence. The candidates will be available throughout the evening to meet and discuss issues with party supporters.

Opening of the two new Republican headquarters signals the opening of a new era for the Republican party in the 17th Congressional District, according to William C. Johnson, chairman of the 17th Congressional District Republican Central Committee.

THE 17TH District, comprised of the 67th and 68th Assembly Districts, has, under 20-year-old years of Democratic rule, suffered from a complete lack of representation on every level," Johnson said. "The gradual loss of industry in the harbor area has not only meant a loss of jobs for local residents, but a steady erosion of the tax base, shifting more and more of the tax burden onto the small property owners.

"Creative new leadership is long overdue," Johnson continued. "The kind of leadership, the kind of representation, the kind of fresh new programs for growth and stability offered by the dynamic, articulate young candidates who have sprung to the forefront of the Republican party."

Republican Party headquarters house the precinct organization that forms the backbone of election victories. The offices are staffed and operated completely by volunteers, and are supported by fund-raising events such as the up-coming dinner-dance.

Sept. 12 Deadline For Registration

who have not re-registered since that time. Persons who have attained 21 years of age and not registered.

Persons who are new residents of Los Angeles County and who will meet the qualifications for voting by the date of the election.

To be eligible to vote, persons must be 21 years of age, a resident of the state for one year and of the county for 90 days, and able to read and write the English language.

Naturalized citizens must have been a citizen for at least 90 days prior to the election.

Persons convicted of a felony crime are eligible to vote.

Persons who have changed their residence address in any way since they last registered.

Persons who have changed their name since they last registered.

Persons who have changed their political affiliation.

Persons whose registrations were canceled because they failed to vote in the general election in 1966 and

Lennox Sheriff Wm. Kennedy Made Captain

Lt. William F. Kennedy of the Lennox Sheriff's Station, has been promoted to the rank of captain and transferred to command the Montrose Station, patrol division.

A resident of Lakewood, the 41-year-old Navy veteran has been with the Sheriff's Department since 1951.

Press-Herald Sunday Crossword

(Answer on Page A-3)

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down words.

COUNT MARCO

Learn How to Accept All Those Compliments

"What attractive shoes," I overheard a woman comment to another. "Oh, these old things," was the thoughtless answer. "They're not really good ones, just copies of a more expensive line."

The other woman's face fell and the smile faded from her lips. No wonder. What had been intended as a compliment was returned as an insult.

It was as though her friend had actually said, "You don't know the real thing, from the imitation, your taste isn't very good and neither is your judgment." What a rude thing to do.

Accept a compliment in the spirit in which it is given. A simple "thank you" is usually sufficient. It is not necessary to make a big issue of it, nor do you have to demean yourself. Accept it for what it's worth and let it go at that.

But you American women never know when to keep your mouths shut.

One of the other irritating habits you have is that with today's high noise level your voices get higher, louder and screechier, especially when compliments are being thrown at you.

You burst into hysterical giggles or loud sputters of confusion, sounding much like a motorboat dying for lack of gas.

How wonderful were the days when a woman accepted compliments graciously with a deep curtsy or at least a slight inclination of the head.

When receiving a flattering remark from a man you can't seem to leave well enough alone. You go on about it so much that more often than not he wishes he had kept quiet.

If you're thinking of handing out a bit of flattery yourself to a man, be careful not to overdo it. As a rule he doesn't appreciate flattery. A few words graciously said are more welcome to him than a long, windy discourse.

I remember a perfect example of this when during one of my visits to Rome I attended the reception for the then President of the United States, Mr. Eisenhower, at the Quirinale Palace. I could tell he was wearied of long-winded compliments and high-flying remarks. His eyes told me so. I merely leaned toward him and said, "Good show, Mr. President." He beamed broadly and appreciatively.

So, when passing out compliments, be brief, sincere and pleasant; and when accepting, a smile is worth a hundred crude words.