

YOUR PROBLEMS
by **Ann Landers**

'Needs Help But Won't Get It . . .'

Dear Ann Landers: My son, who is 29 years old, makes his home with me. He is attractive, well built, has an excellent professional rating, makes about \$18,000 a year, and has the first dime he ever earned. If I didn't throw out his old shoes and suits he'd wear them till they fell apart. He will not take out a girl because it costs money. He has invited a few girls to the house for dinner, but that is as far as he goes.

For Christmas, Mother's Day and my birthday he gives me a check because, according to him, "You can't beat money." I don't know how he got so dollar-crazy. His father was never like that, and heaven knows I am not.

He has few friends because he doesn't want to go any place that costs money. I am heartsick that he is missing out on so much that is wonderful and interesting. He won't even take a trip, although I know he has \$43,000 in the bank. What can I do?—**HIS MOTHER**

Dear Mother: He needs professional help but of course he won't get it because it would cost something.

Ask him which relatives or charities he wants to leave his money to. Your question may jar him into realizing that if he doesn't enjoy his hard-earned loot, someone else will.

Dear Ann Landers: I can't sign my name to this because if the fellows ever heard I wrote to Ann Landers they would die laughing.

I had seven dates with a nice girl. We got along great, and she was a perfect lady. The other night a gang of us fellows were talking about girls, and there was plenty of bragging. I didn't want to be the only guy who didn't have something to brag about, so I said a few things about this girl which were not true.

Well, her best friend's brother was in the crowd, only I didn't dig the connection till later. He went back and blabbed everything. She passed the information on to the girl. Yesterday at school the girl said she never wanted to see me again.

I am sick about this and want to square things. What can I do?—**HATE MYSELF**

Dear Hate Yourself: You've had it, Buster, and it couldn't have happened to a bigger louse.

Your chances for squaring things are mighty slim, but go to each of the guys and admit you lied. The word may (Continued on Page 32)



MRS. WILLIAM STOGDON
... On Honeymoon
(Portrait by Seeman)



PLAN FUTURE CALENDAR . . . These new officers of the Torrance Jaycettes look over the scrapbook of activities for the past year to plot their course of events during 1963-64. They are from left, Mmes. Douglas Hedde, president; Harold Smith, vice president; Thomas Stade, recording secretary; and George Brewster, outgoing president. Installation will take place June 15. (Herald Photo)

Mrs. Douglas Hedde President

Jaycettes Will Install At Dinner on June 15

Torrance Jaycettes will install new officers at the annual Junior Chamber of Commerce installation dinner and dance on Saturday evening, June 15, at the Hacienda Hotel in San Pedro. Mrs. Robert Vroman will conduct the installation.

A cocktail party for members and honored guests will be held from 6:30 to 8 p.m. at the home of outgoing Junior Chamber president, George Brewster and Mrs. Brewster, 20610 Annrita Ave.

New officers to be installed are Mmes. Douglas Hedde, president; Harold Smith, vice president; Thomas Stade, recording secretary; William Burbank, corresponding secretary; and Gerald Russell, treasurer.

Permanent committee chairmen are Mmes. Robert

Vroman, ways and means; William Walters, historian and parliamentarian; Douglas Nelson, publicity; and Ronald Davis, decorations.

For the installation dinner, the blue and gold Junior Chamber of Commerce colors, will be used in decorating.

Mrs. Ronald Davis is chairman of the decorating committee, composed of Mmes. Douglas Nelson, William Douglas, and Milo Lystne. Flowers for the centerpieces are being made by Jaycette members.

Penny Brannon Becomes Bride of W. J. Stogdon

Neighborhood Church of Palos Verdes was the setting last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock for the wedding ceremony in which Miss Penny Sue Brannon, daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Francis E. Brannon, 30257 Via Victoria, Palos Verdes, became the bride of William J. Stogdon. Parents of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. James M. Stogdon, 446 Avenue E, Redondo.

Mr. Brannon escorted his daughter to the altar. She wore a gown of white silk organza over satin. Alencon lace appliques adorned the bouffant skirt and bodice. A tiara held the silk illusion veil and the bride carried a small white Bible topped by a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis.

Mrs. Carol Brannon was the matron of honor. She was gowned in lavender organza over taffeta and carried lavender roses.

Bridesmaids were Misses Megan Disario, Nancy Faller, and Carol Watt, wearing yellow organza dresses. Their bouquets were of yellow roses.

Linda Martin, in a white organdy frock, was the flower girl.

William Varney performed the duties of best man and ushers were Gary Bonham, Francis Brannon and Steve Glad.

Dr. Ronald I. Hargis officiated at the marriage ceremony.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Frances Jo Varney was in charge of the bride's book.

The newlyweds are now on a honeymoon in Monterey and Carmel. Their new home will be in Torrance.

The bride is a graduate of South High School in Torrance and El Camino College.

Her husband was graduated from Redondo High and El Camino.

Lunch at Scandia

To close their year, members of a local bridge club enjoyed a luncheon at the Scandia restaurant last Tuesday afternoon.

Making the trip were Mmes. Ralph McNeil, B. W. Roberts, Alma Smith, William Crocker, Delbert Thomsen, Laura Felker, Roy Adams and Jerry Dix.

In San Clemente

A. Ahlgren of Torrance enjoyed a California holiday in the sun and surf at the San Clemente Inn, San Clemente, recently.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED . . . Mr. and Mrs. George Lyden, 18408 Yukon Ave. announce the engagement of their daughter, Karen, to Michael Kimble, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Kimble, 17103 Wilkie Ave. Both are graduates of North High school. No date has been set for the wedding. (Hedman Photos)

Installation June 27

Mrs. Roy Menashe To Direct Las Vecinas

Las Vecinas club activities for 1963-64 will be directed by newly-elected Mrs. Roy A. Menashe.

Mrs. Menashe has served as a board member with "The Neighbors" working with publicity and membership, and has been active in all phases of club philanthropic and social activities during the last six years.

She and her husband, both native Californians, have resided in the area for seven years. Other members of the family include Jack, 19, and Nancy, 16. Mr. Menashe is a supervisor for a local loan company.

Other newly-elected board members include Mmes. Donald Meyer, first vice president; John Barton, second vice president; William McDonald, recording secretary; Edward Cleveland, corresponding secretary; Roy Anderson, treasurer; Frank Carroll, membership; Ray Hickman, philanthropy chairman; William Doty, publicity; and Donald Edwards, ways and means chairman.

Officers will be installed at a luncheon meeting to be held at 12 noon, Thursday, June 27, at the Smith Brothers Fish Shanty, Walteria.

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BRINGS HONORS HOME . . . Mrs. Robert Klaesgas, right, grand regent of the Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters, presents awards to court winners upon her return from the state conference in Sacramento. Martha Lee Junior, sixth grader, left, accepts check for her prize winning poem in a statewide CDA poetry contest, Mrs. Don Bryant receives first place award for the court's year book, and Miss Kathryn Shaughnessy, World Mission Group chairman, accepts honorable mention for work accomplished by her group. (Herald Photo)

On Catalina Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pedace and two children, Lori and Sammy of Lakewood are spending this week vacationing in Catalina. The other two Pedace children, Michele and Pamela, are spending the week with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Derouin in Harbor City.

Poetry, Mission Work, Year Book

Local CDA Court Wins Awards at Conference

Torrance Court St. Catherine, Catholic Daughters of America, was the recipient of three awards at the 20th bi-annual conference of the Catholic Daughters of America, held in Sacramento last week. Martha Lee Junior brought honor to the court by winning first place in Division 1, 4, 5, and 6 grade students, in the State Court Poetry Contest sponsored each year by the Catholic Daughters. Martha was also one of the local winners in the contest sponsored by Ct. St. Catherine. Her winning poem entitled "The Greatest Day" has now been entered in the national contest.

The young poet is a sixth grader at Nativity School and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Junior. Her award consisted of a check for \$25.

The World Mission Group, under the chairmanship of Miss Kathryn Shaughnessy, was awarded honorable mention for their display. With a beautiful handmade quilt, there was an afghan, layette, including handmit booties, mittens, and doctor gowns, made from men's white shirts. This group is very active and meets twice a month to sew. The fruits of their work not only go to foreign missions in Africa but also to (Continued on Page 32)



MARY ANN DAVIS
Future Bride-elect

Couple Will Recite Vows In September

On Sunday afternoon May 26, following graduation services at Bishop Montgomery High School, Mr. and Mrs. Donald D. Davis entertained at a party at their home, 1512 Beech Ave. to announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Ann, to Daniel G. Leftault.

Mary Ann was a member of the graduating class. The party guest list included close friends and relatives.

The couple plan to be married in September at the Nativity Catholic Church.

The future bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Florence Leftault, 1566 W. 215th St., Torrance, and the late Daniel W. Leftault.

He was graduated from Washington High school in Los Angeles in 1960 and is manager of a catering firm on Crenshaw Blvd. in Torrance.



ARLINE ALLEN
... Accepts Ring

Arline Allen Engaged To Thos. Foral

Mr. and Mrs. Volney C. Allen, Sr., 1663 W. 215th St., Torrance, announce the engagement of their daughter, Arline Sharon, to Thomas James Foral, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Foral, 26220 Senator Ave., Harbor City.

No date has been set for the wedding.

The bride-elect is a member of this month's graduating class at Narbonne High School.

Her fiance, a 1960 graduate of St. Anthony's High School in Long Beach, will receive his associate of arts degree in petroleum technology at Harbor College in June 1964.

Housewarming For Laursens

Mr. and Mrs. Anker K. Laursen, who recently moved into their new home at 309 Onrado, were given a surprise housewarming last Sunday afternoon. The party was arranged by Mrs. Anker Laursen, Sr.

The honor guests were presented with gifts for their new home and the 25 of friends and relatives enjoyed a potluck supper.

Mrs. Laursen is the former Janet Coleman.

Local Woman to Be Installed

Mrs. James Foster of Torrance, employe of the Pacific Electric Railway here, will be installed as second vice president of the Los Angeles Chapter of the National Association of Railway Business Women on June 9. Installation ceremonies will take place at the Stalter Hilton Hotel.



MRS. ROY MENASHE
... Las Vecinas Prexy
(Carrington's Photo)