

GILBERT'S "What Young People Think"

# Relax About Those All Night Proms; Survey Shows They're Pretty Tame

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Susie has gone to the prom and Mom and Dad are alone with their thoughts:

A big night for the kids, biggest of the year... some of them are pretty wild, bound to be some drinking... all of them have cars tonight... was it wise to tell Susie she could go to that all-night party?

Will this be a wild night? We asked the youngsters, 660 of them. It might be some comfort to Mom and Dad that most of the youngsters don't think of the prom as a wild affair.

Only 13 per cent of the teenagers we questioned said they make a wild time of it. Sixty-two per cent said they mind their manners and watch their conduct even on these big occasions.

"Most teen-agers are mature enough to control themselves and know what is best for them," says 14-year-old Binny Hersom of Claire Valliere of Hartford, Conn., agrees.

"We are out for a good time only, not for trouble," says Claire. "We are old enough to know that trouble is not wanted and we don't give it."

"It is a time to dance and try to do your best, in courtesy and dress," says Steven Cohanour, 16, of Coffeyville, Kan. And 16-year-old Jana Lynn Moore of St. Louis says proms are "extremely calm compared to adult shindigs."

On the Other Hand...

But there is, of course, a minority report.

Proms and the after-dance parties do get wild, says 17-year-old Larry Gross of Washington.

"They are the last link with high school," he says. Jim McClurg, 16, of St. Louis, agrees. But Jim adds, "Everybody has decent fun."

Several of the youngsters, even those who say the proms are mild occasions, mention a few who "have to spoil it... like getting drunk to be a showoff."

The teen-agers have definite ideas about rules of conduct for the prom and such things as chaperones.

About one-fourth of the teenagers say they and their friends usually stay out all night on prom night. And eight of 10 report their parents approve of the hour they get home. But in most cases the young people say their parents set a curfew or allow them to do so "as long as it's a reasonable hour."

"They leave it to me to decide," says 18-year-old Ivie Michaels of Chicago, "and I don't abuse the privilege."

When the Clock Strikes

Midnight is the most popular hour for leaving the dance. Thirty-



DANCING AND DREAMING: Teen-agers polled on the question of the big all-night proms assured they're tame affairs, and not cause for parental worry.

five per cent say that's when they depart, while some leave as early as 11 p.m. and others — 16 per cent — stick around until the last dance.

After the dance, 68 per cent of the youngsters say they go somewhere for a snack. A quarter of them say they go somewhere for more dancing, while 16 per cent prefer what their greying parents once referred to as "pitching woo."

Other favorite pastimes are late parties and car rides. Where do they do these things? Drive-in restaurants are most popular while a friend's home is next.

About three-quarters of the young people say their parents know about their after-prom activities and approve of them.

"I feel I should tell them, and they feel they can trust me," says 15-year-old Nancy Bohannon of Coffeyville, Kan.

"They know I wouldn't do anything wrong," says Joyce Johnson, 16, of Norman, Okla.

"They know where I am going, with whom, and when I expect to be home," says Isabel Lewis, 16, of Detroit.

Chaperones are no more popular, nor any less, than in mom's and dad's senior year.

Chaperones Unwanted

Sixty-four per cent say they have chaperones only during the dance, and that's all they feel they need them. Only 16 per cent say they think chaperones are necessary for the parties that follow the dance.

Most feel they are old enough to be trusted on their own. They say they are mature enough to handle any situation. Others say

they have to learn responsibility some time and that proms are opportune occasions to begin.

"If you are old enough to date and go to a prom," says 17-year-old Karen Boswell of St. Louis, "you should be able to take care of yourself."

But Joel McCord of Portland, Ore., voiced the opinion of the minority. He says, "It prevents trouble."

Only 13 per cent of those we questioned say parents' groups in their area are planning supervision of all-night prom activities. Two out of 10, however, didn't answer the question or didn't know.

Many of the young people who are aware of parental interest in the prom question are cynical of such endeavors.

"There's always somebody who's never satisfied," says 17-year-old John Birken of Valley Stream, N.Y.

"Let them mind their own business," says another youngster. And one girl from Duluth, Minn., says a "neighborhood group of frustrated parents" are interfering with prom activities.

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QUESTIONS ASKED  
1. Do you and your friends usually stay out all night on big prom nights?  
2. At about what time do you leave the school dance?  
3. What do you usually do after the dance?  
4. Where do you do these activities?  
5. Do your parents know about and approve of all your activities on prom nights?  
6. Do your parents approve of the hour you get home?

7. Does someone chaperone you on prom nights? All night? Only during the school dance?  
8. Do you think someone should chaperone all night?  
9. Are any parents' groups in your area doing anything about more supervision for all-night prom activities?  
10. Would you say in general that prom nights are wild?

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Hit-Run Cause Probed In Portlander's Death

PORTLAND (AP)—Police opened an investigation Tuesday into the death of Frank E. Hubert, 60, of Portland on the theory he might have been struck by a hit-run vehicle.

The coroner's office said injuries Hubert suffered Sunday could not have been caused by a fall to the pavement as first believed. An autopsy revealed a brain hemorrhage, hip and multiple rib fractures and blood in the lung cavity.

Tibetan Refugees Die

CALCUTTA, India (AP)—Three deaths were reported today among Tibetan refugees in the Missamari camp in Assam state. The report said one refugee died of exhaustion and the other two of sleeping sickness, or encephalitis. Refugees fleeing from Communist-occupied Tibet are arriving in Missamari at the rate of 250 a day.

What is the most useful section or feature in the daily newspaper? Its advertising — according to a survey conducted by Dr. George Gallup.

Milk Deliverymen Set Contract Negotiations

PORTLAND (AP)—Federal Mediator LeRoy Smith said Teamsters and Milk distributors of the mid-Willamette Valley area will resume negotiations Friday or Monday.

The contract talks affect some 200 employes in Salem, Lebanon, Corvallis and Albany. Both sides are eyeing the situation in Portland where local 365 of the Teamsters will vote Friday on a management offer, the terms of which were not disclosed.

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