

Woman's World

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ANN LANDERS



Answers Your Problems

Dear Ann Landers: We've been married 23 years and have a lovely family of five children. A situation has cropped up that threatens to ruin it all.

My husband and I started to play bridge with his brother and his wife. These two are experts. They never say one mean thing to each other no matter what happens in the game.

My husband is always bidding no trump, whether he has it or not. He thinks I should do the same and this is where trouble starts. I don't believe in bidding no trump unless I have four suits covered.

The other evening he opened the bidding with one no trump and I failed to raise him, even though I did have four suits covered. When I put my hand down the fireworks started. He took the cards and flushed them down the toilet. Then we drove 21 miles home, and he didn't say one word.

I'm at my wit's end. Shall I refuse to play cards with him, or suggest to my sister-in-law that they let us win a few games so life will run smoothly for a while? I'm sure they'd cooperate as they are very lovely people. — **Card Blind.**

Dear Blind: When the score pad of a bridge game becomes a battlefield, it's time to toss in the deck permanently. Suggesting that the other couple throw the game so "life will be livable for a while" puts you and your husband in a most unattractive position. Your husband seems to have a fix on beating this couple which is darned near sick. Refuse to play cards with him and suggest that he work out his aggressions bowling, on the golf course or mowing the lawn.

Dear Ann: My husband's family is ruining our 18-month-old boy. Whenever I say "Don't touch the books, Donnie" my mother-in-law says "Don't pick on him so much. It's just playing." They constantly ask him "Who do you love most, your Mommy or your Daddy?" This burns me up. I've suggested to my husband that he speak to his folks about this but he says he doesn't want to start any trouble in the family.

When my in-laws are in the house Donnie's bedtime doesn't mean a thing. They won't let me put him in bed and he goes from one lap to the next until he finally falls asleep on the floor. What can I do when I get no cooperation from my husband?—**Ignored.**

Dear Ignored: When you get no cooperation from your husband you pull up your socks and do the job yourself. Tell your in-laws there'll be no more questions such as "Who do you love most" . . . etc. And don't smile when you say it. When you tell Donnie not to touch the books, let him know you mean it. And when bedtime comes put him in bed no matter whose lap you have to take him from. If you use the authority that is yours you won't have any problem.

K. Have Named To Rainbow Office

The North Powder Faith Assembly 54 Order of Rainbow for Girls held their regular meeting Monday evening in the Masonic hall.

Reports were given on the Grand Assembly, which was held at La Grande. Kathy Haver received an office as the Grand Representative to the state of Iowa.

Lois Pfeil was initiated into the assembly.

Refreshments were served by the refreshment committee.

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Family Holds 14th Reunion

The Hill Clan held their 14th annual reunion Sunday at the Blue Mountain Grange hall.

A potluck dinner was served at 12:30 p.m., followed by the business meeting. Maude Ryder, president, called the meeting to order.

Lynn Hill was elected president, Etha Hill, vice president; and Maude Ryder, secretary treasurer. The date for the next reunion was set July 10, 1960 at the Blue Mt. Grange hall, Barbara Moore, Anna Parks, and Nellie Hill were appointed for the program committee.

Lynn Hill gave a Centennial speech and put on a skit. The rest of the afternoon was spent socially.

Some of the members attending were, Maude Ryder, McCall, Idaho; Mrs. Dessie Hatch and sons, Lyle and Lynn, and Mrs. Ethel Cummins, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Park of Summerville; Mr. and Mrs. Louie Hale, Elgin; C. A. Hill, Telocaset; Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Moore and daughters, Pamela and Geri. Mr. and Mrs. James Wise all of La Grande; Mr. and Mrs. George Hill, Union; Mrs. Pearl Hudson, Lyons, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Crunson and daughter Nicki, also from Lyons.

Rev. Rogers Will Speak In Elgin

Rev. Warren A. Rogers of Detroit, Mich., is well known in the Church of the Nazarene. For the past decade he has appeared in camp meetings and revivals in all parts of the nation. At the present time he is the District Superintendent of the Gulf Central District of the Church of the Nazarene.

Rev. Rogers is an outstanding musician and speaker. His ministerial readings and novel instruments are entertaining. He feels a definite call to preach and his ministry has been outstanding in many ways.

Rev. Rogers plays the common hand saw, trombone, banjo, Spanish guitar, and sings duets with himself.

He will be holding services in the Church of the Nazarene in Elgin this weekend, and Sunday morning and evening July 5. The public is being invited to attend. Services will begin at 7:30 each evening.

RN Social Club Holds Card Party

The Royal Neighbors Social Club party met the evening of June 24, with 14 members present. Matilda Tsatsios was hostess for the meeting, assisted by Emma Becker, Myrtle Thompson and Kate Talbot.

Prizes for the cards played went to Ella Gulzow, high; Aileen Tall, fourth; Olga Peterson, 300 pinochle; and Maude Holman, five nines.

The next meeting will be a potluck picnic July 22, place to be announced later. Hostesses will be Laura Bond, Evelyn, Borine, Fay Calvert, and Minnie Bragg.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

- July 3
Robert F. Suydam
Jack Laurence
K. A. Moffitt
- July 4
Rev. H. J. Gernhart, Twin Falls, Idaho.
Sylvia Turnbow,
Shirley Lee Mackinnon
Neal Anderson
July 5
Jack MacGregor
Charlie MacGregor
Fred W. Jarrard, Milwaukie
Mrs. Roe Buchanan



SUN OR SWIM—No matter whether you just sit by the pool in the sun or actually take the plunge, you can look pretty in the process. Most swimsuits were designed both for sun and swimming, though some are more purely decorative than others. The three suits shown here will take to water nicely and to sun as well. Fresh carnations bloom (left) on satin latex. Carnations are red on a white background; suit is simply styled to bring out the beauty of the print. Dressmaker suit (center) is teamed with jacket for trip to the pool. And there's a skirt, which the model holds in one hand, to turn the suit into a sundress. The slim sheath in black (right) has tailored bengaline bow at the bodice. (NEA)



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Hammerness Will Speak At Zion Lutheran

R. G. Hammerness, theological student at Warburg Seminary, Dubuque, Iowa, will be the guest speaker at the Zion Lutheran church this Sunday at the 11 a.m. worship, as announced by the pastor, the Rev. E. W. Kasten.

The guest speaker, who is visiting relatives in La Grande, and whose home is Kellogg, Idaho, will use as his theme, "Count it All Joy!" Ken Lillard will sing, "The Calvary Road," and Mrs. W. D. Spear will be organist for the services. Rev. Kasten will serve as liturgist.

Sunday school will convene at 9:45 a.m. with classes for all age groups. The Dorcas Circle will meet with Mrs. Charles Point 1202 Oak, on Wednesday at 8 p.m. The Ladies Aid will meet Thursday at Riverside park, beginning with a picnic lunch at 12:30 p.m.

News Around North Powder Area

By BARBARA ERWIN
Observer Correspondent

The North Powder Campfire Girls, under the leadership of Mrs. Willard Fordice, planted flowers about two weeks ago at the Community Church. The flowers are reported to be growing fine and some of them are blooming.

Mrs. Gifford donated the flower plants to the Campfire Girls. Edward Yarker has been hired for the summer to water and mow the church lawn.

Mrs. Ronald Patterson is home from the St. Elizabeth Hospital at Baker, she is reported to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Flowers and sons, his mother, Mrs. Clyde Jackson, and his two sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright of Heppner; Mr. and Mrs. Luren Maley and daughter, Sheila of Condon; and their granddaughter, Paula Mal-

Posies Tortured By Amateurs Says Florist George Cothran

By GAY PAULEY
UPI Staff Writer

NEW YORK (UPI)—Poor old posies. They're "tortured" by the way we amateurs toss together bouquets says a florist and lecturer on flower arrangements.

George Cothran, a slim, dark-haired man of 30 who came north from Georgia to show big city dwellers how to handle flowers, says that one look at most arrangements and he weeps for the blossoms.

"They're tortured," said Cothran. "Distorted by fire into shapes never intended. The best flower arrangements go along with nature. The flowers should not be bent into directions they do not grow."

To Cothran, the Japanese have the right idea in floral decoration. "All arrangements are built on three basic lines—horizontal, man and earth," he said. "The horizontal line points directly skyward; earth is the horizontal; man wavers in between, at about a 4-degree angle."

"This provides balance," said Cothran. "And the Orientals know what they're doing. Flower arrangement there has been one of the fine arts for centuries."

"Like A Painting"

One other Cothran rule: put the lighter colored flowers toward the top of an arrangement; the darker tones at the base. "Flower arranging is like a painting," he explained. "You want to lead the eye to the focal point."

Cothran is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cothran, who operate a peaches and watermelon-producing farm at Lithonia, Ga. He said he had been interested in growing flowers "ever since I was a teenager. I started with African Violets as a hobby."

He worked in flower shops to help pay for studies at Mercer University, Macon, Ga., and the

Look Who's Here

GRANDE RONDE
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lee Jr., Foley Apartments, have a daughter born July 1. They have named her Becky Louise and she weighs seven pounds, four and a half ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stoddard, 2701 North Birch, have a son born July 2. They have named him Richard Casey and he weighs seven pounds, six and a half ounces.

ST. JOSEPH
Mr. and Mrs. George Berscheid, 2812 Second street, have a son born July 1. They have named him Brian Scott and he weighs seven pounds and six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Naegeli, Union, have a son born July 2. He weighs six pounds, 10 and a half ounces, and is not named.

Mr. and Mrs. William DeMasters, 1009 12th street, have a daughter born July 2. They have named her Lori Ann and she weighs seven pounds and two ounces.

Funeral Services Held Wednesday For Mrs. E. Vails

Word was received here of the death of Mrs. Esther Vails, 70, who died June 27, at the home of her daughter at Condon, Wash.

Mrs. Vails was born March 16, 1899 in Kansas. She married the late James Vails in 1905 in Oklahoma. They came west in 1912 where they lived in old Wailula, Wash., until 1950 when Lake Wailula was formed.

Among survivors was a sister Mrs. Grace Briggs of La Grande.

Mrs. Vails was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist church. Funeral services were held Wednesday at Bruce Lee's at Pasco.

Pink Blue Shower Fetes Mrs. Simonis

NORTH POWDER (Special)—Mrs. Ernest Simonis and Mrs. Gary Erwin were hosts to a baby shower given in honor of Mrs. Keith Simonis, Friday at the home of Mrs. Ernest Simonis.

An evening of games and refreshments was held. Mrs. Simonis then opened her many gifts. They were passed around so everyone could see them.

Daughter Born To Lees

Word was received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Don Lee, (Donna Hutchinson) of Portland. They have named her Susan Ann and she weighs five pounds. Mrs. Lee was a former La Grande resident and Society Editor of the Observer.

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