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Will she love you as well as I? Do for you what I have done? See all the pups of the world as they grow up? ...

What is the best age for a woman to give birth to a child? Experts on the subject seem agreed that it is 24. What's the best age for a man to become a papa? That is, as far as the future of the offspring is concerned? Fathers over 45 and up to the age of 60 are said to produce many more talented children than papas under 45. So it would seem the ideal period for a couple to have a child is when the wife is 30 and the husband between 35 and 60. My mother was 31 and my father 42 when I was born so that lets me out. How about you?

—CAROLINE NORTON

Erasmus Mozely Augustine Stevens. The elder Stevens was the originator of that happy combination of a frankfurter and roll now generally known as a "hot dog."

Almost Confidential
An executive of long and varied experience says the best secretaries are happily married, green-gray eyed brunettes who are 26 years of age or older ...

Briefly
The majority of females appearing on television, especially the singers, lack the gift of simplification in attire. They just can't seem to prevent looking overdressed ...

Get It Right
Following are some questions asked which this department does not feel fully qualified to answer. Any information from experts on the subject will be appreciated. 1.—What is the lightest of all portable typewriters? 2.—In what way are cigars made of Cuban tobacco in Havana better than cigars made of Cuban tobacco in Tampa, Fla., or New Jersey? And why? 3.—Why do airlines bar widows and divorcees from the position of stewardess? On what do airlines base their belief that bachelor girls and spinsters are better qualified to be stewardesses than widows or divorcees?

As to Dogs
Most intelligent breed of dogs is the German Shepherd. Most lovable: Cocker Spaniel. Most loyal: Airedale. Most inclined to be one man dog: Chow. Friendliest: Dachshund. Makes most trouble: Wire-haired Terrier. Best sense of humor: Springer Spaniel. Hardest to make friends with: Pekingese.

Clash Results Over Rules Governing Oil, Gas Leases

Washington — (U.P.) — Interior Secretary Douglas McKay and a conservation organization have clashed over new federal regulations governing oil and gas leasing in U. S. wild life refuges.

In its weekly publication, the Wild-Life Management Institute said the new rules mean that "practically all of the 264 national wild life refuges were thrown open to oil and gas leasing."

In a telephoned reply from his home in Salem, Ore., McKay said Friday he is "amazed at the unfounded charges."

He noted that Dr. Ira N. Gabrielson of the institute served on an advisory committee which unanimously approved the new sense of humor: Springer Spaniel. Hardest to make friends with: Pekingese.

Mexican Workers Pact Extended By U. S.
Washington — (U.P.) — The United States and Mexico have extended their agreement on Mexican farm workers until Dec. 31, 1956.

The State Department said the agreement was continued for one-year with no changes. It had been scheduled to expire at the end of this year.

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