

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars

To develop message for Wednesday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

ARIES	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Taurus	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Gemini	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
Cancer	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
Leo	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56	57	58	59	60
Virgo	61	62	63	64	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72
Libra	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84
Scorpio	85	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
Sagittarius	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104	105	106	107	108
Capricorn	109	110	111	112	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
Jan 20	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128	129	130	131	132
Jan 29	133	134	135	136	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144
Feb 7	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152	153	154	155	156
Feb 16	157	158	159	160	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168
Feb 25	169	170	171	172	173	174	175	176	177	178	179	180
Mar 5	181	182	183	184	185	186	187	188	189	190	191	192
Mar 14	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200	201	202	203	204
Mar 23	205	206	207	208	209	210	211	212	213	214	215	216
Mar 31	217	218	219	220	221	222	223	224	225	226	227	228
Apr 8	229	230	231	232	233	234	235	236	237	238	239	240
Apr 17	241	242	243	244	245	246	247	248	249	250	251	252
Apr 26	253	254	255	256	257	258	259	260	261	262	263	264
May 5	265	266	267	268	269	270	271	272	273	274	275	276
May 14	277	278	279	280	281	282	283	284	285	286	287	288
May 23	289	290	291	292	293	294	295	296	297	298	299	300
May 31	301	302	303	304	305	306	307	308	309	310	311	312
Jun 9	313	314	315	316	317	318	319	320	321	322	323	324
Jun 18	325	326	327	328	329	330	331	332	333	334	335	336
Jun 27	337	338	339	340	341	342	343	344	345	346	347	348
Jul 6	349	350	351	352	353	354	355	356	357	358	359	360
Jul 15	361	362	363	364	365	366	367	368	369	370	371	372
Jul 24	373	374	375	376	377	378	379	380	381	382	383	384
Jul 31	385	386	387	388	389	390	391	392	393	394	395	396
Aug 9	397	398	399	400	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408
Aug 18	409	410	411	412	413	414	415	416	417	418	419	420
Aug 27	421	422	423	424	425	426	427	428	429	430	431	432
Sep 5	433	434	435	436	437	438	439	440	441	442	443	444
Sep 14	445	446	447	448	449	450	451	452	453	454	455	456
Sep 23	457	458	459	460	461	462	463	464	465	466	467	468
Sep 30	469	470	471	472	473	474	475	476	477	478	479	480
Oct 9	481	482	483	484	485	486	487	488	489	490	491	492
Oct 18	493	494	495	496	497	498	499	500	501	502	503	504
Oct 27	505	506	507	508	509	510	511	512	513	514	515	516
Nov 5	517	518	519	520	521	522	523	524	525	526	527	528
Nov 14	529	530	531	532	533	534	535	536	537	538	539	540
Nov 23	541	542	543	544	545	546	547	548	549	550	551	552
Nov 30	553	554	555	556	557	558	559	560	561	562	563	564
Dec 9	565	566	567	568	569	570	571	572	573	574	575	576
Dec 18	577	578	579	580	581	582	583	584	585	586	587	588
Dec 27	589	590	591	592	593	594	595	596	597	598	599	600

The Medical Roundup

by *Walter Alvarez*

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PROBLEMS OF THE TEEN-AGER

Five years ago I told of a fine book I had found on the "Facts of Life and Love for Teen-agers," by Dr. Evelyn M. Duvall. It was the best I had ever seen on the subject, written frankly and honestly and with a touch that teen-agers would enjoy.

They could see that Dr. Duvall is a real person, a good scout, who knows what is going on, and who will not preach. She will just try to help youngsters to get good answers to the questions in their minds.

Actually, the book needs to be read by those thousands of parents who keep saying, "What on earth am I going to do with this teen-age child of mine?" I can't understand him (or her). That many thousands of persons loved the book has been shown by the fact that it has gone through eight printings and now a new edition.

Dr. Duvall tells of Lester Crow's study of more than 1600 boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 17. The boys said they liked a girl who acts like a girl and not a tomboy. They liked a girl who doesn't hang around

students, the girls all said they wanted a man who was intelligent and with good sense. They wanted him to be honest, straightforward, a good conversationalist, well-poised, and neatly dressed.

Considerate of Others

They all wanted him pleasant and cheerful, and with a good sense of humor. They wanted him to be a good sport, a person who acts natural and is considerate of others.

In another college study, many of the men said that they broke off dating a girl when she lacked interest, or had low morals, or when they learned something unpleasant about her. The women said that they stopped dating a man when he showed disrespect for them; when he got too serious right off, or when they learned something unpleasant about him.

These studies show that many boys and girls feel insecure, shy and uncertain with each other. They do not meet people easily; they do not respond to friendly advances in an easy, friendly way; they are too self-centered, and are constantly concerned with themselves. Many are afraid to go on a date because they do not know what to talk about.

It is good to find in this book sensible discussion of homosexuality, normal sexuality, and the problems of the unwed mother. One of the best things in the book is the fine description of the differences between "loving" just for the sake of petting, and loving that is real, or the differences between puppy love or mutual infatuation, and love that will endure. It tells teenagers how they can tell the difference between a poor type and a good type of early love.

Jumping as One Falls Asleep

Many persons ask why so often they jump the moment they fall asleep, and hence come awake again. They wonder if it

indicates serious disease of any kind. It doesn't. Thousands of people have this difficulty. The best explanation I have heard for the phenomenon is that when a person loses consciousness his muscles suddenly relax and, because of this, the position of some of the bones in an arm or leg can suddenly change. They may perhaps bump together, and with this, the person will jump awake. The next question is "Why then, don't we always jump awake on going to sleep?" I do not know. It may be that at times we are too sensitive and reactive, or at times we

may go to sleep with our joints in a certain position. Persons with inflamed joints are said to suffer particularly from such jumping.

Certainly, it is nothing to worry about. I know of no drug that is likely to change the situation unless, perhaps, it would be a sleeping-pill.

Dr. Alvarez hopes his readers will understand that it would be impossible for him to answer requests for information or to attempt to diagnose by mail.

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CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Answer to Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS

- 1-Plata
- 2-Buccaneer
- 3-Rescue
- 4-Beast
- 5-Queen of fairies
- 6-Minus
- 7-Eucalypt
- 8-Promont
- 9-Pole
- 10-Poker stake
- 11-Tender hair
- 12-Land
- 13-Derive
- 14-Frenchmen
- 15-Chimney
- 16-Waste metal
- 17-Experiences
- 18-Fixes solidly

DOWN

- 1-Conture
- 2-Flagged
- 3-Collection of facts
- 4-Exalts
- 5-Fraying
- 6-Resolute
- 7-Those who go by reputation
- 8-Capital of Latvia
- 9-Chemical compound
- 10-Checked woolen cloth
- 11-Church
- 12-Blunt end of nail
- 13-Ornamental loop on lace
- 14-Unmarried woman
- 15-Pedal digit
- 16-Fairy
- 17-Offshoot
- 18-Monster
- 19-Locks of hair
- 20-Large groups of persons
- 21-Sloping
- 22-Plaster
- 23-Pasty cement
- 24-Oration
- 25-Check
- 26-Singing voice
- 27-Crevise
- 28-Heavenly event
- 29-Skill
- 30-Kind of male
- 31-Preposition

The Family Council

Editor's Note: The Family Council consists of a Judge, a psychiatrist, a newspaper editor, a women's page editor and two newspaper writers. These consult with clergymen of all faiths and denominations. All letters are held in complete confidence.

Leonard—They don't know how to rear children.

R. S. W.—He's come back distorted from the Army.

Leonard—I have just come home after two years in the Army as a draftee and find our home full of tension, bitterness and quarreling. I am the oldest of four children, and we are spaced about two years apart. My brother, 13, is the youngest and there are two sisters in between.

My parents seem to be meriting all that the modern world has learned about bringing up children and are creating a mess of trouble for themselves and us. They will not let my younger sister go out on dates at all, and they are being so strict with my older sister that I am certain she will soon take to deceiving them, if she has not done so already.

I have tried to reason with my parents and to make them understand that in this age of world tension, sudden death and broken lives, it is not possible for young people to accept all the conventions by which they were brought up. Our parents seem to be demanding trouble from their children.

R. S. W.—I'm afraid our boy has come back from the Army with distorted ideas. I do not know what experience he had to make him feel that way, and he doesn't seem friendly enough for me to find out. I do know that the tensions and quarrels he complains of did not exist while he was away or before he went away.

It is not true that we are over-strict with our older girl. We let her go on dates and trust her, but we object to Leonard drawing her into his new circle of friends because they strike me as a fast and loose crowd. As for our younger girl, she is only 15, and we think it is reasonable to want to know whom she goes out with and to veto "steady dating."

Leonard makes us out to be old-fashioned kill-joys. Actually I am young enough to have got into the world war and my wife and I are young enough to enjoy dancing and parties. And we are both young enough to have a clear memory of the pitfalls and

Strange As It Seems

by Elsie Hix

THE JACANA, South American bird, CAN WALK ON FLOATING LEAVES WITHOUT SINKING!

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Light Infection of Blight Reported

A light infection of blight has been found in valley orchards, according to County Horticulturist C. B. Cordy, and growers should be on the alert for the disease.

The bacterial disease enters the tree through blossoms and on reaching the cambium layer spreads up and down the branch. Although blossoms and leaves die they do not fall from the branch and remain firmly intact, Cordy said.

Blight is found in pear, apple, and pyracantha and once started may be controlled only by cutting, he said. The cut should be made from 12 to 18 inches below any visible discoloration. In cases of bad infection the use of ziram spray is used to prevent further infection of the orchard, Cordy added.

When cutting off infected tree branches, cutting tools should be sterilized after each cut. Cordy suggested using a solution of two tablets of mercuric cyanide and two tablets of mercuric choride in a pint of water for sterilization tools and painting cuts.

Cordy said fruit growers in the area have cut out blight so appearance of the disease has been reduced.

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BUZ SAWYER

IS YOU SHORE YOU LOVES DOGPATCH BASEBALL, HOPEFUL?

AH JEST "GODAW-LOVES IT, TINY, DEAR!!"

HAIN'T IT A QUINCEANCE HOW YOU TASTES IS LIKE MINE!!

PEOPLE WIF TH SAME TASTES HAS TH HAPPIEST MARRIAGES, THEY SAY—

CHUCKLE!—SHE'LL TRIP TINY YET—IF SHE LIVES THROUGH TH' COURTSHIP!!

BUT IN THE U.S. SENATE, HOPEFUL'S DREAMS ARE ABOUT TO BE SHATTERED.

DUCK INTO THE CLOAKROOM, BOYS!! PROFOUND'S HIMSELF!! GOING TO SPEAK!!

IT'S EVERY MAN FOR HIMSELF!!

BLONDIE

YES, CAPTAIN GAY, I'M HAPPY TO REPORT THAT THE TIPPECANOE WAS THE ONLY CARRIER THAT STOOD OFF THE SIMULATED ATTACK FROM THE "ENEMY" BOMBER.

BUT, ADMIRAL, I WAS 125 MILES AWAY... MY SHIP NEVER EVEN GOT NEAR THE "BATTLE."

EXACTLY THE POINT, JOHN! IT WAS YOUR BRILLIANT PLAN IN KEEPING OUT OF REACH OF THE "ENEMY" THAT 'W' COMMENDING!

BUT, SIR, WE COULDN'T OPERATE THE SHIP... IT HAD BEEN STOPPED... DEAD IN ITS TRACKS BY THE MUMPS.

NONE OF YOUR MODESTY, JOHN! ALL THE OTHER CARRIERS SUSTAINED HITS OR NEAR-HITS FROM THE "ENEMY" BOMBERS, WHEREAS YOU, WITH YOUR BRILLIANT DISPERSAL TACTICS, BROUGHT YOUR SHIP THRU UNSCATHED.

OH, GOODY, CAPTAIN! IT'LL MAKE FOR A SMASH ENDING FOR MY FEATURE ARTICLE ABOUT YOU.

BARNEY GOOGL and SNUFFY SMITH

WELCOME TO HOOTIN' HOLLER, MISS LOVARR—

WHO ARE YOU, SIR, AND WHERE IS MY FATHER?

YORE PAW WENT OFF TO TEXIZ ALL OF A SUDDEN HONEY POT, AN' I BE SNUFFY SMIF.

MR SNUFFY SMITH—OH, YES—FATHER WROTE ME ALL ABOUT YOU

IT'S A PACK OF LIES!!

MUTT and JEFF

MY FEET ARE KILLING ME TONIGHT

ELMO, I'LL GIVE YOU A DIME IF YOU RIDE ME HOME ON THE BACK OF YOUR BIKE

OHAY WE'RE IN BUSINESS

NOT SO FAST! LOOK OUT FOR THAT TREE! SLOW DOWN!

I CAN'T STAND BACK-SEAT DRIVERS

MUTT and JEFF

THE MEASLES!

IT'S THE FUNNIEST THING—MY WIFE WAS JUST ABOUT TO LEAVE ME WHEN THE KID GOT THE MEASLES! BOY, IS HE A SIGHT! HA HA HA!

SEE YA LATER, MUTT!