

Does your matrimonial mate snore? If not, you are fortunate. One in four persons in this country snore. Not as many women snore as men. However, the women snore louder. Snorers are measured by that unit of sound called the decibel. There are 40-decibel snorers and 90-decibel snorers. The former are somewhat gentle snorers. Their roommates can get used to them. The 90-decibel snorers are really major menaces to slumber. They should have separate rooms. And the rooms should have sound proof walls.

Show Business

New York stage attractions are announced a month in advance. Mail orders are invited. A theatrical enthusiast informs me she regularly sends mail orders for coming attractions a month in advance but does not get an answer until two or three days after the show was opened. If the reviews have been especially good indicating the show is a hit, she gets a letter saying there are no seats for the date she named. If the reviews are bad, indicating an early closing of the show, she gets the tickets. This indicates that in some cases there may be unholy alliances between theatrical producers and ticket speculators. It is a form of racketeering that should have the attention of the Better Business Bureau or some similar organization. It appears to also come under the jurisdiction of those who are required to enforce the laws concerning ticket speculators.

Asking

Queries from clients. Q. Did the prophet Nostradamus predict war between Russia and the United States? A. According to those who have faith in the prophet you mention, he predicted a battle between the "Bear and Eagle." This was interpreted by the followers of Nostradamus to mean war between Russia and the United States. He said the Eagle would win. Q. What was the age of the oldest thoroughbred ever to participate in a race at a major track? A. Couldn't say definitely. However, there was a noble animal named Budweiser which was still racing and winning at the Maryland tracks when 19 years old!

Sidelights

The most colorful wrestler of all-time was "Man-A-Minute" Gama of India. Inspiration of Gama's nickname was that he once threw 30 men in 30 minutes. When your dreams are logical, it is an indication you are not having a good sound sleep. Your mind is not getting a complete rest. When your dreams are wild and illogical it is because your thinking system is taking a good rest.

Guide to Guys

How about Capricorn (Dec. 22-Jan. 20) men as husbands? Such is the query of a feminine subscriber. The Capricorn male has a passion for privacy. He is a kind of a male Garbo. Must be provided with a study to which he can retire and be alone with his thoughts. He is allergic to talkative wives. He likes a woman who can cook skillfully, iron shirts quickly and cleverly, keep a house spotlessly clean and account by the budget system for every cent she has spent. Capricorn men are usually good providers and generally loyal to their wives but are rarely great doer types. In other words, they are dull but dependable. Or, so say the stargazers.

Passing By

Tyrus Raymond Cobb, America's richest ex-ball player. He is a millionaire. Ty's first major league salary in 1906 was \$1,500 a year. In 1907 he was raised to \$2,500 a year. At the peak of his career as a player his salary was \$9,000 a year. As playing manager from 1920 to 1926 he received \$40,000 a year. In 1928, his last year in the game, he received for playing only a salary of \$70,000 from Connie Mack's Athletics. Cobb acquired his huge fortune from investments made on the advice of smart and influential admirers of his baseball prowess.

Russia's Open Skies Accepted With Strings

London (U.P.)—The United States has accepted Russia's proposal for a partial "open skies" disarmament plan in Europe provided Moscow agrees to widen the area under inspection.

One car is stolen in the United States every two minutes.

Two Are Sentenced In Circuit Court

Barry Eugene Baer, 21, Central Point, was given a one-year suspended sentence in circuit court Wednesday by Judge H. K. Hanna.

Baer, who previously pleaded guilty to charges of failing to stop at the scene of an accident involving bodily injury, was arrested last month by Central Point police after the car he was driving reportedly failed to stop at a red light and struck a car driven by Mrs. Ethel Mae Bennett, Selma.

He was ordered by the court to make restitution for medical expenses and damage done to the Bennett automobile, and pleasure driving privileges were revoked for a year.

Also sentenced in circuit court was Melvin Loren Haakinson, 24, Shady Cove. He was sentenced to two years in the Oregon state penitentiary after pleading guilty to charges of grand larceny.

Haakinson was arrested in March by sheriff's deputies in connection with the theft of 2,355 pounds of steel magnesium from the G and C Mining and Milling company of Eagle Point.

John D. Abel of Canyonville appeared in circuit court Wednesday on charges of obtaining money by false pretenses. Sentencing was postponed by Judge Hanna when Abel requested representation by counsel. Allen Holmes was appointed by the court.

Variety Show Promoter Held on Check Charge

Pocatello, Ida. (U.P.)—Sheriff Charles Strawn, Coquille, Ore., Tuesday returned a variety show promoter to Oregon to face a charge of issuing no-account checks.

The promoter, D. H. Luce, 27, Ellensburg, Wash., was arrested by Pocatello police last week on the basis of the Oregon warrant. Luce was in Pocatello to arrange a benefit show for the local Moose lodge.

Officers said the man also was wanted on similar charges in Garden City, Ida., and Clarkston, Wash.

The Family Council

Editor's note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, a newspaper editor, a woman's editor and two writers. Each article is a summary of an actual report. The Family Council does not give advice; it merely reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Mrs. R. E.—We want to help Pauline.

Pauline M.—We don't want to be indebted to them.

Mrs. R. E.—My husband and I are very unhappy about our 22-year-old daughter, who is married and lives quite far from us.

Pauline married against our wishes two years ago and we have seen her only twice since then. When she and Anthony came and told us they were married, we simply gave them our blessing and a good sized check to get them started in their married life. They said they would take it as a loan, but not as a gift.

Since then, we have sent them other gifts of money, clothing and household necessities, but they returned everything. We have never gone to see them because they have not invited us. But a relative, who was passing through their community, stopped to see them and told us that their living conditions were frightful. Pauline and her husband are musicians and do not work steadily.

Pauline is our only child and we want her to be happy and comfortable. We can well afford to help her. Why is she so stubborn?

Pauline M.—All my life my parents have been telling me how much they did for me and how little they had when they

were my age. They poisoned every drop of food by telling me that I didn't appreciate all I had. My mother worked in my father's business, although she didn't want to. She kept telling me she was doing it all for me and someday I would realize her sacrifice.

I knew they wouldn't like Anthony even before I brought him home, but I didn't expect them to come down on me the way they did. They said he had no "background." They didn't know how to act or dress and would never make a living. It happens that his parents are poor and immigrants, but they are the most wonderful people I've ever known. It is hard for them to give us the gifts they've given, but we've kept them because we know they are sent with love.

My family has a distorted sense of values. Our living conditions are poor, but not "frightful" and we don't want to be indebted to my folks.

The Council—It took many years to create all the bitterness Pauline feels toward her parents and the damage cannot be undone in a day. If Pauline has given a truthful picture of her early life, her parents made a serious error, but she should realize it was simply an error.

They wanted her to understand that she had unusual advantages and they wanted her to be aware of what they knew so well—that such advantages

Ellsworth Nomination Confirmed by Senate

Washington (U.P.)—The Senate has confirmed the nomination of former Congressman Harris Ellsworth to be a member of the Federal Civil Service Commission.

The long-time Roseburg Republican is expected to be sworn in to his new post tomorrow and then appointed chairman of the commission.

are not easily come by. They told her this, not because they begrudged her the advantages, but because they wanted her to understand that life can be pretty tough.

Pauline should also realize that she may be exaggerating and distorting her parents' attitudes because of an obscure psychological resentment against them. This deeply rooted resentment against parents is not uncommon. Many individuals seize on trifling factors to give some basis in reality for the feeling. If Pauline tries to look back over her life objectively, she will undoubtedly find many examples of her parents' love, goodness and understanding.

In any case, Pauline should grow up enough to understand that her parents send their gifts with as much love as Anthony's parents. The fact that they are economically more able to give doesn't lessen the love one bit. Pauline's conduct toward them is cruel and childish. When she feels differently toward them, she will know she is beginning to grow up.

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21 Prizes Slated For Hunt Winners

A total of 21 prizes will be offered Saturday in the Medford Kiwanis club's annual Easter egg hunt for youngsters of the vicinity.

The scamper for eggs will start at 9 a.m. at Hawthorne park.

Children will hunt in three sections of the park in age groups 1 to 3, 4 to 6, and 7 to 9. Seven eggs in each of the sections will be marked entitling the finders to prizes. There will be a grand prize egg in each section.

All children of the area are invited to participate.

AFL-CIO Orders Beck Trial To Proceed

Washington (U.P.)—The AFL-CIO has brushed aside objections by the Teamsters Union and ordered that the trial of President Dave Beck and the union itself on corruption charges proceed as scheduled.

AFL-CIO President George Meany flatly rejected "negotiation or bargaining" with the teamsters over trial procedures to be adopted at the hearings.

The teamsters Executive Board, at a meeting in Galveston, Tex., Tuesday, offered to set up a five-member group to negotiate on procedures with the parent labor organization.

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