

The Family Council

Editors Note: The Family Council consists of a judge, a psychiatrist, three clergymen, three editors and a women's editor. Each article is a summary of an actual case history. The Council reports on problems that have been dealt with by responsible agencies and counselors.

Mrs. A. H.—My husband slaps our son anywhere, any time.
Mr. A. H.—She leaves the dirty work to me.

Mrs. A. H.—We have a 7-year-old son and I worry about what my husband is doing to him. My husband believes in instant correction to make an impression.

Last Sunday we went to Atlantic City with another couple and their two children, a boy Donald's age and a little girl of 4. As we walked along the Boardwalk, a strong wind came up and we stopped to put sweaters on the children. Then I remembered I had left Donald's sweater in the car. Just showing off, Donald said to me, "You're one big dope!" My husband slapped him instantly. Donald yelled and sulked a while. But then we all had frozen custards and he forgot about it. I hope.

But this kind of thing shouldn't continue. It's embarrassing. Other parents wait to discipline their children at home.

Mr. A. H.—It will be more embarrassing if Donald gets punched in the nose some day by somebody else, for blurted out something insulting. My wife says she hopes he forgot the slap. I hope he didn't.

All I know is that he's picked up a lot of fresh talk and he better learn where to use it. He thinks when we're out in a crowd he can say any old thing. I want to nip that fast.

And I don't believe in long speeches and explanations, or in waiting a few hours to tell him he shouldn't have talked like that before. One quick swat is better than all that.

I'm sorry if this upsets my wife. I only want it to upset Donald enough to make him think twice before he misbehaves. She gets him all mixed up with her soft ideas. She says he'll grow out of it, no matter what she smashes and what trick he pulls.

With her he's never sure about what's right and what's wrong. I leave him no doubt.

The Council: "All's fair in love," they say. That applies to discipline, too. If it's guided by love for your child—and not some leftover anger—it's usually all right.

Mr. H. is defending one of the basic laws of learning, that is, associating cause and effect. But, in view of the fact that Donald is learning a few other things from the quick public slap, his father might do well to consider some alternatives for correcting a young boy.

Donald may be learning that it's O.K. to say things as long as Dad isn't around. And Dad's extra mean because none of the other fathers slap children in front of their friends. And anything Dad hits you for is wrong and whatever he doesn't hit you for is right. Those are some of the fringe effects of strong arm treatment and Mr. H. might not want them in the punishment package.

We suggest that Mr. H. try the quieter methods first of calling Donald up short—a warning, a reminder, even a look. This brings Donald further along the road to self-discipline than physical assault. And self-discipline is the ultimate goal. A parent must gradually relinquish the job and trust that the child can recognize right from wrong himself.

Another objection to the heavy slap is the possible injustice of it. Suppose Donald had been taunted by other children, or suppose he was bursting with anger because his mother had kept him from the ferris wheel? We don't know what preceded his outburst. Mr. H. didn't stop to find out, either. A child, no less than an adult, is entitled to explode once in a while too. The parent's function is to lead him to "socially approved" outlets, and away from the name-calling and flailing about that comes naturally. A slap may silence him, but it doesn't lead anywhere.

Mrs. H., in turn, must do her share as a guide. Children don't always just "get over" things miraculously. A bad habit may get deeply entrenched merely because a mother laughs it off as smart or cute. Donald is entitled to clear-cut signals from both parents. Such direction is a form of love.

All discipline, in a sense, is a form of love because it's a protection. It teaches a child to cope. This is the long-range purpose. A slap is but a punctuation mark, all right occasionally to make a point. But it's no substitute for patient and calm explanations of the WHY of rules.

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Bidding Brisk on Three of Four BLM Timber Offerings

Bidding was brisk on three of the four tracts of timber offered for sale by the Medford district of the bureau of land management at an oral auction Thursday. The four tracts, containing 16,938,000 board feet of timber located in Josephine and Douglas counties, were sold for a total of \$431,965.20.

The first tract was sold to Rough and Ready Lumber company of Cave Junction, the highest of four bidders. The tract, located on Little Grayback creek in Josephine county, contains 1,836,000 board feet.

The high bid of \$59,701.45 for the tract included bids of \$32 per thousand board feet for the Douglas-fir and \$188,795.95 for the total tract. There was no competition for the second sale purchased by Bate Lumber company. This tract is located in the Galice area of Josephine county, and contains 3,143,000 board feet and was sold for \$49,929.65. The price for Douglas-fir was \$15.70 per thousand.

Eight operators took part in the bidding for a tract containing 3,666,000 board feet located in the Upper Grave creek area of Josephine county. Superior Logging company of Glendale was the high bidder with a bid of \$37.10 per thousand for the Douglas-fir and \$133,538.19 for the tract.

Unsuccessful bidders included Double Dee Lumber company, Southern Oregon Plywood, Inc., Sunny Valley Lumber company, Oregon Veneer company, Bate Lumber company and Caveman Lumber company.

The next sale planned by the Medford district will be held Dec. 8 at which time three tracts containing 7,668,000 board feet appraised at \$134,225.30 will be offered for sale, according to John Carnegie, district sales officer. These three sales are also located in Josephine and Douglas counties, according to Carnegie.

ULLMAN IN SWEEP
Portland—(UPI)—Complete, unofficial returns from Eastern Oregon's 2nd congressional district showed that Rep. Al Ullman, (D-Ore.) led Republican Ron Phair in every one of the district's 18 counties in winning reelection to Congress. The tally was 62,069 to 42,320.

AVIATION PIONEER DIES
Southport, Conn.—(UPI)—Dr. Joseph Wickham Roe, 89, aviation pioneer, past president of the Society of Industrial Engineers and former professor and chairman of the Department of Industrial Engineering at the University of New York University, died Thursday at his home.

Lumber Mill Closes For Indefinite Time
Williams—Brown Brothers mill closed recently in Williams. The planer will be in operation for a short period, then it will shut down.

Low prices and lack of lumber demand were given as reasons for the halt in operations. Officials state that the mill will be closed indefinitely, until prices rise and there is more lumber demand.

SCHOOL NEWS

St. Mary's School

Ken Arbuckle, a humorist from the National School assemblies, entertained the student body Tuesday with a program on early American folklore. Some of his stories were based on the stubborn Yankee character and concerned the origin of typical American stories and songs.

Nine weeks tests were completed last week and first report cards will be issued to the high school Tuesday.

In a poll taken shortly before the elections, Kennedy's supporters overrode Nixon's 2 to 1.

St. Mary's Homecoming, held the week end before last, was termed a "crackling success." A large number of alumni attended both the game with the Malin Mustangs and the homecoming dance afterward. Queen Anne Manno and her court, Princesses Mary Pat Naumes, Patricia O'Hara, Kathy Newcomb, and Judy Dunlevy, were presented at both functions.

Thursday the St. Mary's football team was given a hearty send-off to the quarterfinal game with Maupin. A pep rally, highlighted by a skit presented by Jim Viola, Dave Roubier, and "cheerleaders" Dan Laubacher, Dean Gradwell, and Ric Carrara, preceded the departure. The student body watched the team leave in a chartered bus.

Last week, to promote school spirit, the Pep club sponsored a contest—each homeroom decorated its door in a theme based on this week end's game. The tying winners were Sophomore A and Sophomore B rooms. Both doors featured miniature three dimensional football fields.

Many students traveled all the way to Maupin to cheer the Crusaders at the game last night. With Mr. and Mrs. John Hockstatter were their daughter, Mary Kate, Annette Burich, Mary Walsh, Kathy Zappell, and Dixie Duggan. With Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ashburner were their daughter, Robbin, and Judy Dunlevy. Jane Evans accompanied her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Evans; and Jean Boat, her mother, Mrs. Frances Boat and Mrs. Sam Mete.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Doyle took their daughter, Carole, Kathie Hout, Mary Jo Batzer, and Carol Valentine. Mr. and Mrs. Van Calhoun took their daughter, Patricia. Andrea Lewandowski, Daryl Zappell, and Anne Bennett. With William O'Brien went his son, Mike, Dean Gradwell, John Snider, and Mrs. Viola. Laura Batzer, Barbara Lewis, and Jennifer Espey went with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pruitt. Mr. and Mrs. David Lowry drove with their daughter, Marylee, Mary Ann Carnegie, Ingrid Bergstrom, and Sarah Robinson. Mrs. Elsa Mogerman drove with her daughter, Kathryn.

Jackson School
American Education Week has been a busy, but interesting week. Sunday, Nov. 6, the special chorus, the teachers' chorus, sang on a television program. Mrs. James Sullivan, Gary Custance, Larry Russell, Judy Rickard, Miss Eunice Gray and Bruce Metzger were members of a panel discussing the needs of American Education Week.

Twelve of the teachers attended the ASCD conference Wednesday evening, Nov. 2.

Open house will be Nov. 15, at 7:15 p.m. Jim MacDonald will be guest speaker.

Hedrick Junior High
The Bevis chapter of the National Junior Honor Society elected new officers for the 1960-61 school year at a meeting Nov. 10.

Elected were Chris Rasmusen, president; Jim Root, vice president; Paula Potts, secretary; and Angus Duncan, treasurer.

After the final dual swimming meet of the season which was held at the Medford YMCA last Friday between Sweet Home and the Medford team, swimmers are looking forward to the state meets. The first of these meets will be a district meet for the boys to be held Nov. 18.

A brief student council meeting was held Wednesday, Nov. 9, with no new business being discussed. Meeting was adjourned early because of nine week tests.

"Basketball starts the week after Thanksgiving," was the announcement by Head Coach Barney Riggs. The basketball coaches for Hedrick this year are Otis Swisher and Tom Colley, seventh grade; Don Stroh, eighth grade; and Barney Riggs, ninth graders.

PERMITS ISSUED

Central Point—Two building permits have been issued by the Central Point recorder's office totaling \$27,000. A permit to build a \$14,500 residence was issued to Dale Bush in Royal Heights subdivision, and another to W. R. Moore for a \$12,500 residence in the same addition. James Phipps also received a license to do business in this community as a plaster contractor.

MAGAZINE DRIVE

Sams Valley—Pupils of the Sams Valley Elementary school's student body recently completed their annual magazine drive in this community.

John De Pew was awarded an autograph and top salesman and Della Fitzgerald placed second.

Elmo Smith had 445. Dr. Edwin Durno won over Charles O. Porter, 531 to 353. Howell Appling was favored over Monroe Sweetland for secretary of state. Appling had 595 votes and Sweetland had 297 votes. For state treasurer Howard Belton had 559 votes and 313 votes were cast for Ward Cook. Carl Francis lost to Robert Y. Thornton for attorney general. Thornton had 465 and Francis had 395. For state representative, John Dellenback had 541; Robert B. Duncan, 491; John L. Gregory, 222; and Mrs. Evelyn Nye, 404.

On Monday, Nov. 14, Hedrick wrestlers will begin practice. Seventh, eighth, and ninth graders will be coached by Marty Ramp and assisted by Ralph Monroe.

Practices are held in the balcony of the gym. Monroe's eighth grade PE classes have been having wrestling matches.

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Aid To Blind Event Set for December 3

Shady Cove—Trail Lions club has set Dec. 3 as the date for their annual Aid to the Blind buffet dinner. According to club president, Earl Sheppard, the committee will start serving at 6:30 p.m.

This year they will feature fresh crab and chicken. In addition many other dishes will be served, including special salads, relishes, baked beans and dessert.

The dinner and dance will be held at the Rogue River Lodge, 24 miles northeast of Medford on the Crater Lake highway. Lions club members plan to set up a booth at the door to receive donations for their aid to the blind project. Each person donating \$1.50 will be given a free ticket for dining and dancing.

Lions clubs all over the world are noted for their sight and blind programs, club officials state. In addition, the clubs carry on a variety of youth activities and other community projects.

Club spokesmen say that Dec. 3 will be your opportunity to have an enjoyable evening and aid a very worthwhile cause.

FFA REPRESENTATIVE
Central Point—Crater FFA will be represented November 16, in the State Soil Conservation speaking contest at The Dalles, by Dave Foote, winner of the area contest at Grants Pass recently. Dave is also the student body president at Crater High school.

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