

# Try and Stop Me

By BENNETT CERF

LON TINKLE tells about the West Texas cattle raiser who was asked what he did in the summer between the time he alighted from his air-conditioned automobile and got into his air-conditioned ranch house. Replied the Texan, "I run like heck."



Little Suzie, a hepcat and rock-and-roller from way back, wasn't so good when it came to less important things like reading and writing. In fact, she mistook a hay-and-feed store for a music shop. Snapping her fingers and wiggling her tiny posterior, she demanded, "Have you got Two Hot Lips and Eleven Kisses?" "No," smiled the hay-and-feed man, "but we have two tom cats and eleven kittens." "Is that a record?" asked Suzie dubiously. "Well, if it isn't," said the hay-and-feed man, "it's the next thing to it."

A dieting co-ed fainted on the campus one morning. The head of the philosophy department picked her up and drove her to the infirmary. When she came to, she asked a nurse, "How did I get here?" The nurse answered, "The Stoic brought you."

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# Attitudes of Fair Play, Sportsmanship Urged in Children

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Team or individual sports involve competition and the nature of games encourages a desire to win. The schools generally stress cooperation. Is this contradictory to the competitive nature of our society? The aim actually is to develop attitudes which stress fair play, sportsmanship, and team work along with an effort to win. An individual should learn to be a good loser as well as a humble winner. Gives False Age Consider the case of Fred, a twelve-year-old, who joined the local bowling league and gave a false lower age. Naturally he was put in with a group of younger children. After several sessions, it was clear that he was going to win several awards. One afternoon

his father watched one of the sessions. He realized that Fred was bowling with a younger group of boys. The father was concerned. Had Fred's desire to win become so strong that he lost his integrity? The situation called for a discussion. This attitude towards competition was not healthy.

On the way home from the bowling alley, the father congratulated Fred on his fine showing. He asked if Fred knew these boys from his class in school. Fred indicated that they were not in his class. After a little more discussion Fred said that the boys were in a lower grade. Explains Fair Competition The talk which followed was aimed at explaining the meaning of fair competition. Fred's triumph was not truly going to be satisfying since he had the unfair advantage of age. At one point Fred seemed confused as he indicated that his mother always said she was 21. The father laughed as he explained this to his son. Of course, the point of this incident is to observe some effects of competition. Fortunately the father was able to turn the situation into an excellent learning experience. Parents should be constantly on guard for attitudes which lead to an overemphasis on success and winning. Continuous pressure on children to be on top can lead to an improper approach to competition. Children should learn that success is most satisfying when achieved through fair competition and that it is unfair to compete against individuals who may be less able because of age or lack of ability.

# Council of Blind To Meet Here Sunday

The Jackson Council of the Blind will hold its monthly business session Sunday, May 5, at 2 p.m. in the Southwest District office, Commission for the Blind, 248 East Stewart ave. The meeting is being held one week earlier than usual because May 12 is Mother's day. Refreshments will be served following the meeting. All interested persons are invited to attend. Transportation will be provided by contacting Dorsey Lowe, 772-8958.

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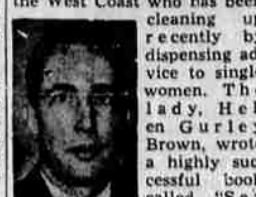


by Alice Brooks

# Advice To Bachelors

## Night Baseball Presents Problems For Single Men in Pursuit of Girls

By DICK WEST  
Washington - (UPI) - There is a married woman out on the West Coast who has been cleaning up recently by dispensing advice to single women. The lady, Helen Gurley Brown, wrote a highly successful book called "Sex and the Single Girl" and now she is conducting a syndicated column along similar lines. Her qualifications include the fact that she used to be a single girl herself. Well, now. I used to be a single man myself and I have been wondering if there might not be market for someone to do for bachelors what she has done for spinsters. I figure that bachelors must be just as confused about everything as single girls are and would welcome a chance to put their troubles into a sympathetic ear. I know that I was plenty confused when I was a bachelor and as far as I can tell things haven't changed a great deal since then. I don't, however, want to be called a copycat, so I thought I would depart from Helen Gurley Brown's format and offer my service under the title "Night Baseball and the Single Boy." It seems to me that night baseball has become an even bigger problem than sex. At least, the attendance is larger. Every wholesome, clean-cut, red blooded, 100 per cent American unmarried male finds himself with divided instincts. He is a victim of what



the psychiatrists refer to as the "Romeo - Casey Stengel complex." One half of him would like to ask his girl friend for a date to the movies, or a dance or a grouse hunt. The other half of him would rather go to the ball game. Torn between these basic urges, many single men have sought to escape reality by taking their girl friends to the ball game. On paper, this would appear to be a logical solution.

In practice, however, it has never worked out very well. The poor fellow is unable to concentrate on either the game or the girl. Hence the evening becomes one of total frustration. He has failed to advance romantically and he has loused up the scorecard. This is the sort of problem that Helen Gurley Brown, operating from the single girl's standpoint, tends to gloss over, but it is one that I expect to explore in depth.

Freight Cars Jump Rails at La Grande La Grande - (UPI) - Seven cars of a 90-car Union Pacific freight train went off the tracks one-half mile east of here Thursday, closing the main east-west line between Portland and Chicago for seven hours. The track was cleared about 9 p.m. A Union Pacific spokesman said cause of the derailment might have been a faulty mechanical switch. The cars which went off were near the middle of the train. There were no injuries. One passenger train bound for Chicago and an eastbound freight train were held up here until the line was cleared. Traffic was not rerouted.

# Heart of Cordova Said Pile of Ashes

Cordova, Alaska - (UPI) - A pile of steaming ashes was all that remained of the heart of this little fishing community today. Nearly 80 per cent of the main business district was destroyed Thursday in the worst fire in Cordova's history. No lives were lost but 150 persons living in apartments in the downtown area were left homeless. Gov. William A. Egan was in contact with federal officials to have the community of 1,200 declared a disaster area. Civil Defense Director Don Lowell placed the first official estimate of damages at \$1 million but unofficial estimates were put at \$2 million. McNamara believes there is a possibility that in a nuclear attack civil defense may take priority over military operations. Damage in the United States may be so extensive, McNamara said in a directive Thursday, that domestic recovery might be given precedence over requirements for military forces overseas.

# Some Roads Open in National Forest, Report Indicates

There are some roads open for week end recreation on all ranger districts of the Rogue River National forest, the Medford office announced today. The weekly recreation report, however, contains many precautions to be observed by motorists and fishermen as there are closed roads and poor roads in all areas. On the Applegate Ranger

district all trails are closed to horses but may be traveled on foot. All roads are open to the snow line. All facilities are in operation at McKee and Hutton, Fishing at Squaw lake is reported as "slow," with the biggest fish taken about 12 inches. There is snow at an elevation of 4,500 feet on the Ashland Ranger district. Fish lake is open and the Big Elk road has been plowed. The new highway is open to just one lane of traffic and is "dangerous," the forest service said. Campgrounds at Fish lake, Beaver dam and Daley Creek are open, and fishing is reported "good."

# Bills Approved By Legislature

Salem - (UPI) - Measures approved Thursday by the legislature:

- By the House: HB1049 - Financial responsibility. HB1512 - Regarding commercial fishing violations. HB1599 - Supplemental motor vehicle dealer licenses. HB1697 - Parking privileges for disabled persons. HJR34 - Study of public employees retirement system. HJR35 - Revision of public employees retirement act. SB65-337 - Regarding ad valorem taxation. SB72 - Enforcement of revenue laws. SB337 - Ad valorem taxation. By the Senate: SCR12 - Sorrow at death of Joseph E. Dunne. SB251 - Rerectorized license plates. HB1286 - Rural fire protection districts. HB1773 - Revises Motor Vehicle Department audit procedures. Signed by Governor: HB1087 - Validates certain school district matters. HB1140 - Department of employment. HB1149 - Authorizes county control programs. HB1385 - Regarding state police crime detection laboratory. HB1634 - Powers of port districts. HB2055, 2073 - Budgets for Legislative Fiscal committee, Department of Planning and Development.

# Eugene Man Killed In Portland Crash

Portland - (UPI) - John Wesley Morgan, 22, Eugene, was killed and two other persons injured early today in a one-car crash in North Portland. Police said the auto struck a utility pole. Injured were Roger Wilson, 20, Wilsonville, and Nancy Olsen, 21, Portland.

# Sen. Naterlin Reports Theft of Clothing

Salem - (UPI) - Sen. Andrew Naterlin (D-Newport), said Thursday someone had stolen a new suit of clothes from the front of his motel where a dry cleaner had left it. Naterlin is blind.

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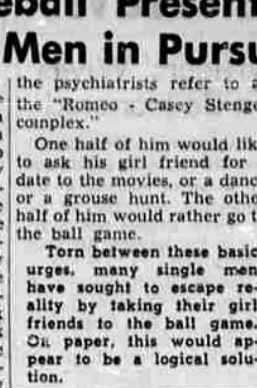
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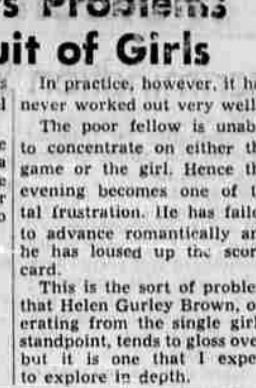
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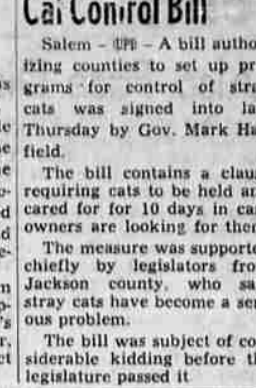
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