

Boy Should Have Chores

By ANN LANDERS
Dear Ann Landers: A recent column in which you enumerated things a 14-year-old girl should be doing around the house was wonderful. It was the first time I had seen anything specific on the subject.

I happen to be the mother of sons and I would very much appreciate it if you would tell me what should be expected of a boy who is 14 years old. Many of my friends would also benefit since there seems to be a great deal of divided opinion among the women in our group. Thank you in advance.—ANOTHER DUMB MOTHER

Dear Mother: It's difficult to set down flat rules for all 14-year-old boys because some boys at 14 are more mature and stronger physically than their peers.

Generally speaking, by the time he's in high school a boy should be responsible for some heavy chores such as upkeep of the lawn and removal of snow from the walk. Running errands, carrying out the trash, and other odd jobs, such as fixing the fence or painting the garage should be his responsibility. Helping with the dishes now and then (not every night, however) is good training, and should not be considered girl stuff.

A 14-year-old should be receiving an allowance and the chores and responsibilities should be tied to it. No child should get an allowance just for breathing. If kids get the idea early that there's some connection between work and reward, they will be less likely to develop into loafers.

Dear Ann Landers: I've been married 13 years and have three lovely children. The trouble is I'm overweight and my husband makes my life miserable because of it. He calls me a fat slob, a pig and many other names which are unprintable. I admit I'm fat but I'm not that hard to look at. He refuses to be seen in public with me, which means I have to go everywhere alone or with friends.

My doctor says I eat because I am emotionally disturbed. The reason I'm emotionally disturbed is because my husband makes me feel like I'm nothing. Why should I deprive myself of good things to eat for him? If he loved me he'd overlook the bulges. Plenty of men love their fat wives. Am I right?—PATSY

Dear Patsy: If you really wanted your husband's approval you'd kneel yourself out to get it. He's told you how he feels about your excessive weight, but you'd rather eat than please him.

Some men just don't like fat women and you're married to one. Now stop making excuses for yourself and get on a doctor-supervised diet. Not only will your husband like you better, but you'll like yourself better.

Dear Ann Landers: I just read your column about Gamblers' Anonymous. You listed chapter addresses and added "Las Vegas—naturally." Why does everyone assume Las Vegas is made up strictly of slot-machines, crap tables, 21-girls and roulette wheels? We've lived in Las Vegas 20 years and have never gone near a gambling casino. There are many other happy and normal people who live quiet, useful lives in Las Vegas. We raise families, go to church and share a strong civic spirit. It's the vacationers who gamble here, not the local citizens. You owe us an apology.—SOLVENT CITIZEN

Dear Solvent: I'll apologize, pardner, but since gambling is the city's major industry you must admit it was a reasonable assumption.

Does almost everyone have a good time but you? If so, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "How To Be Well-Liked," enclosing with your request 20 cents in coin and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope.

(Ann Landers will be glad to help you with your problems. Send them to her in care of this newspaper enclosing a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Reports Some Growers Cheat

SALEM (AP) — Hugh Taylor, chief of the Plant Industry Division of the state Department of Agriculture, today said recent inspections indicate some potato growers are taking advantage of high prices and are not maintaining quality.

In some instances, he said, producers have failed to label the container or have labeled it falsely or the produce has not been inspected at all as required by state law.

Taylor said producers are required by law to obtain state inspection before potatoes can be offered for sale.

They'll Do It Every Time



THANK AND A TIP OF THE HAT TO TED PLOMAS, 4222 FOX AVE., LAKEWOOD, CALIF. © 1960, King Features Syndicate, Inc. World Wide Syndicate.

BASIN BRIEFS

Tulelake
MR. AND MRS. THOR BEN REIBEN and their three children, Judy, Billy and Ricky, were Christmas guests of Reiben's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Reiben. Thorben Reiben is in an administrative capacity with Boeing Aircraft of Seattle.

Bonanza
MR. AND MRS. JACK KELLY were hosts over Christmas to Mrs. Kelly's mother, Mrs. Ada Kruger; her brother, Owen Kruger, Grants Pass, and brothers and sisters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Kruger, Grants Pass; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kruger, Talent, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kruger, Mount Shasta.

MRS. JIMMY SEATER and Mrs. Clara Seater, Ashland, were Christmas visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Seater and their family here.

MRS. CHARLES PARTRIDGE and her mother, Mrs. Grace Blaser, spent Christmas Eve and Christmas Day at Tulelake with friends.

MR. AND MRS. LEON ROBERTS and their two children have returned to Bonanza after spending six months at Cheyenne, Wyo., with her parents.

LARRY WOOLRIDGE, Bonanza High School senior, is spending the holidays with relatives at Peetz, Colorado.

MR. AND MRS. BILL BURNET and their family spent Christmas at Roseburg with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cain. They also visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Burnett, Grants Pass. They were accompanied by Richard Burnett, a student at Shasta College, Redding.

MR. AND MRS. DICK PEPPE and their three daughters, Butte Falls, are spending the Christmas vacation here with Pepple's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Pepple.

MR. AND MRS. ORVILLE DEVAUL are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fitzhugh, and their sons in Washington for the holidays.

MR. AND MRS. MIKE KETCHUM were hosts during the holidays to her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan McCord, and their family of Santa Rosa; her brother-in-law and sister, Dr. and Mrs. Don Thomas, Willows; their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Art Ketcher and their son, Brett, and the Ketchums' son, Ronald Ketchum, a student at Shasta College, Redding.

MR. AND MRS. AL MASTON and their son Danny, La Feria, Tex., are visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Noble, here. Their father, Will Rodgers, Tulelake, spent a few days with them.

MR. AND MRS. LESTER LEAVITT spent Christmas at Sacramento with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hodges, and their children. Their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Silva, and the Silvas' son, came from Ferndale to visit.

MR. AND MRS. GLENN HUFFMAN and their sons spent Christmas in Ashland with relatives and friends.

Mervyn Wilde visited his mother, Mrs. Vivian Murphy, in Bend recently. Mrs. Murphy has been ill.

MR. AND MRS. D. P. REID were hosts over the holidays to their daughter, Mrs. Johnny Chardas, and her family of Madras. Their son, Roger, and his family of Bonanza also visited here.

MRS. EMMALINE SHEPHERD and her son, Darrell, Portland, visited this week with her mother, Mrs. Emma Wilson, here.

MR. AND MRS. EDDIE PIERCE, Livermore, visited relatives and friends here last week. He is a graduate of Malin High School.

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS LYON recently returned from Portland, where they spent some time visiting their daughter, Lynette, and her family.

DON MICKA, son of Mr. and

OREGON NEWS ROUNDUP . . .

Men Wanted In Arizona Are Nabbed

PORTLAND (AP) — Two men, wanted in Phoenix, Ariz., on a charge of flight to avoid prosecution on charges of murder and robbery, were arrested by FBI agents in Portland Thursday night.

The FBI said that Charles Edward Hart, 21, and Carl Edward Davis, 28, surrendered quietly when taken into custody at a Portland boarding house.

FBI agent Joseph E. Thornton said they are accused of the fatal beating of William Zorbas and the serious injury of Henry A. Craig in the course of robbery of a Phoenix bar last Sept. 28.

Mrs. George Micka, is spending a 30-day leave from the Army with his parents here. He has been stationed in Augsburg, Germany, where he will return by Jan. 1.

MR. AND MRS. LARRY TANKERSLEY, Portland, are parents of a boy, named Ty, born Nov. 28. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lyon of Malin.

MR. AND MRS. HERB STRUNK are hosts currently to Mrs. Strunk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hellenga, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snyder, Three Oaks, Mich. The visitors drove to Chicago, then flew to Klamath Falls.

MR. AND MRS. BILL OWENS JR. and their daughter, Corvallis, visited relatives here last week.

MRS. KATHY EDWARDS, home economics teacher at Malin High School, visited her son, Tom, and his family in Paso Robles during the Christmas vacation.

MR. AND MRS. DEAN GEIST and their son, Harold, Eugene, spent last week visiting the George Smalleys here. Geist is a student at the University of Oregon. He is majoring in business and personnel.

MR. AND MRS. EARL WILSON entertained their daughter, Rox Ann, an elementary school teacher in Bend, and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vaughn here recently. Mrs. Vaughn is teaching in a Pleasant Hill elementary school.

MR. AND MRS. A. J. PRECOTT are vacationing in Balboa, Calif.

MR. AND MRS. RON STEVENS and their daughter, Kim Marie, Hermiston, have been visiting Mrs. Stevens' parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Micka, and other relatives here. Stevens is assistant varsity coach at the high school there.

MR. AND MRS. ALLEN LOMMASSON and their family of Walla Walla have been visiting Mrs. Lommasson's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pope, here, and Mr. and Mrs. John Madden of Klamath Falls. Lommasson is Mrs. Madden's brother.



NEWLY APPOINTED Fire Defense Chief for Klamath County and Area Fire Defense Chief for Klamath, Lake and Harney counties is the Kingsley Field assistant fire chief, Fred Barmore, center. He is shown discussing Civil Defense plans with Joe Searles, left, and Raymond LaMarches, right. Barmore was appointed chief of fire services in the County Civil Defense organization and LaMarches an alternate. Appointments were made under the Emergency Conflagration Act and Civil Defense Emergency Action Procedures for planning and coordinating activities of all disaster control agencies in the county.

Woman Waives Court Hearing

A Klamath Falls woman waived preliminary hearing in district court Wednesday and was bound over to the grand jury on a charge of knowingly uttering and publishing a forged bank check. Lola Alice Johnson, 31, also known as Lois E. Scott, Lois Johnson and Mrs. Otto Shepherd appeared before Judge Richard J. Burke accused of passing a worthless \$43 check to The Corner Store, 636 Main Street, on Dec. 3. She was jailed in lieu of \$1,000 bail.

SIGN OF THE TIMES
CHARLOTTE, N. C. (AP)—A sign in front of a new medical clinic building here reads: "Go to rear of building for accidents and parking."

OFFICE MACHINE REPAIRS
Typewriters, Adding Machines cleaned, repaired, overhauled.
Guaranteed Workmanship
JONES' Office Supply
Phone TU 2-6608
We call for & deliver

WOW! What A New Year's Celebration

With **CHARLEY RYAN**
America's Top Western Recording Star
Here's The Formula For Your "Biggest Evening"
1. Champagne Supper...
2. Midnight Frolic with all the nitemakers and fun for '91.
3. Floor Show and Dancing till 3 a.m. . . .
4. Morning Breakfast Dance, snacks & eggs and wonderful music until 6:30 a.m.
Telephone Now For Reservations
WH 7-2155
HUNTER'S LODGE
Lake County's Fun Place To Go . . .
Just 2 Minutes North of Lakeview on Hwy 96

NOW! AT THE LUCCA CAFE
World Famous Delicious **BROASTED CHICKEN**
Root Italian Style **PIZZA PIE**
orders to go or eat em here!
LUCCA CAFE
PH TU 4 3276
2154 South 5th

Meet Mercury Meteor... the new and better low-price car



1961 MERCURY METEOR 800

MERCURY METEOR... Priced to compete with the low-price field
NEW NAME! 2 ALL-NEW SERIES! NEW SUPER-ECONOMY "6" AND V-8 ENGINES! FAR LOWER PRICES! • This year, with the Meteor 600 and 800 series, Mercury has 2 full series of low-price cars. • Prices start hundreds of dollars below last year. • Optional equipment and transportation cost far less too.
FULL SIZE! • There's more interior comfort than in last year's Mercury. Outside dimensions are trimmer for easier parking and garaging.
FAR MORE VALUE THAN OTHER LOW-PRICE CARS. • Mercurys are heavier (starting at 3708 lbs., curb weight) have a longer wheelbase (120 inches). • First with Cushion-Link suspension (absorbs small bumps you still feel in other cars). • More self-servicing features than any other low-price car... everything from a self-lubricating chassis to self-cleaning spark plugs. Why not get more, save more? Just see your Mercury dealer. LINCOLN-MERCURY DIVISION Ford Motor Company.
*Cushion-Link suspension is exclusive on all Meteor 800's, Montneys, and Mercury station wagons.

1961 MERCURY PRICE COMPARISON CHART

1. MERCURY METEOR 600 Priced right in the heart of the low-price field.	2. MERCURY METEOR 800 Priced to compete with the top series low-price cars.	3. MERCURY MONTNEY Finest, most luxurious of all 1961 Mercurys.
--	--	--

ASK YOUR MERCURY DEALER ABOUT HIS NEW EXTENDED WARRANTY ON ALL 1961 MODELS

JOE FISHER, INC.
677 So. 7th St.

WINNER OF 11 ACADEMY AWARDS including "BEST PICTURE"



METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER presents
A Tale of the Christ by PHILIP BARRETT
DIRECTED BY **WILLIAM WYLER**
STARRING **CHARLTON HESTON · JACK HAWKINS**
HAYA HARAREET · STEPHEN BOYD
RUGH GRIFFITH · MARTHA SCOTT WITH **CATHY O'DONNELL · SAM JAFFE**
SCREENPLAY BY **KARL TUNBERG · SAM ZIMBALIST**
TECHNICOLOR
Adults \$1.49 (incl. Tax)
Children (Under 11) 73c
Seating Available For All Performances.
2 Performances Daily Today
Sat.-Sun.-Mon.
Doors Open 12:30 - 6:30

TOWER HURRY, HURRY ENDS TONIGHT
ELVIS PRESLEY in GI BLUES
STARTS SATURDAY
REACHING NEW HEIGHTS OF EPIC GREATNESS!
THE MAGNIFICENT
VENETIA STEVENSON
JOHN MCINTIRE
MIDNIGHT SHOW NEW YEAR'S EVE
BOB HOPE · LUCILLE BALL
EXPOSED!
A PANAMA & FRANK PRODUCTION
THE FACTS OF LIFE