

Big Hearted Finds Real Steady Guest

By ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: Seven years ago a fellow got a job at the place where I work. I felt sorry for him because he had only one suit of clothes and I could see he was in tough shape financially. I brought him home to dinner almost every night, let him use my car and treated him like a brother.

After seven years I am still bringing him home to dinner almost every night, lending him my car and treating him like a brother.

My wife calls him at work and asks what she should fix for dinner. She makes his shirts by hand (she's great at sewing) although she has never made a shirt for me in the 15 years that we've been married. She also goes to his apartment to clean three times a week. I guess this is all my fault because I started it. Now how can I stop it?—BIG HEARTED

Dear Big Hearted: You can introduce this "brother" of yours to a nice single girl, or a lone-widow—the woods are full of 'em. The guy should have a life of his own and not attach himself to you and your family. Make this clear to both him and to your wife—promptly.

Dear Ann Landers: Shame on you for stooping to the low level of printing that tear-jerker. I refer to the dog who was hit by a car and left in the street to die.

I'm all for the driver. If I ever hit a dog I would not bloody up the inside of my car by taking him to a vet, nor would I stop to console the kids.

Dogs are stupid animals and they can't cope with traffic. A family that loves their dog will not let him roam around un-

leashed. In many areas there are laws against it. In my humble opinion, any family who cares so little for the family pet that they would allow him to run loose deserves whatever they get.—REALIST

Dear Realist: I agree that family pets should not be running loose, for a variety of reasons, but that was not the question nor the problem.

The driver who hits a dog should do whatever he can to alleviate the animal's suffering. The dumb brute is not to blame if he is allowed to run loose. Driving on and ignoring an injured animal in the street is not justifiable under any circumstances.

Dear Ann Landers: How do you feel about granting permission to a 12-year-old girl to go to an evening movie with a 13-year-old boy?

My husband and I are faced with this problem and we don't know how to handle it. Our daughter is perfectly willing to have the boy's father drive them to the movie in his car and pick them up afterwards. They want to go to a small restaurant for a cup of hot chocolate after the show. The boy's father would wait outside for them. Please answer in the paper. The pressure is getting heavy.—UNDECIDED

Dear Undecided: These children are too young for movie dates. Why subject them to the hazards of possibly suggestive dialogue and the stimulation of adult love-making. I say NO. And I hope you do, too.

Are you going steady? Making marriage plans? If so, send for Ann Landers' booklet, "Before You Marry—Is It Love Or Sex?" enclosing 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.



RUTH DYER, right, Klamath County home extension agent (home economics) taught key leaders the art of sewing during a tailoring workshop at the fairgrounds recently. The key leaders in turn train other leaders who conduct tailoring lessons for women of the 14 home extension units in Klamath County. Key leaders, left to right, are Mrs. N. M. Knauss, Mrs. B. L. Valk, Mrs. Cecil Lake, and Mrs. Wesley Clark.

Seamstresses Keeping Busy

Homemakers numbering 125 in Klamath County are busy seamstresses these days, reports Mrs. Ruth G. Dyer, county extension agent. They are taking part in the tailoring workshop which was started in February.

Ten key leaders are being trained by Ruth Dyer. These 10 key leaders are training 24 other leaders who are teaching tailoring to 14 groups of women.

This is the last of the clothing workshops which have been held in Klamath County for the last four years. To take the tailoring workshop, it has been necessary to have completed the previous three workshops.

Suits and coats are being constructed. Homemakers are learning tailoring techniques and are also learning how to handle many kinds of fabrics.

Key leaders being trained are Mrs. Wilbur Reiling, Poe Valley-Olene; Mrs. Wesley Clark and Mrs. Cecil Lake, LDS; Mrs. Ray Brackman and Mrs. R. A. Brackman, Shasta-Homedale; Mrs. Arma Stump, Mrs. N. M. Knauss, and Mrs. B. H. Valk, Buena Vista; and Mrs. Herbert Willey and Mrs. William Kunz, Altamont.

Leaders being trained by key leaders and the groups they represent are Mrs. Dave Campbell, Mrs. Monte Cline, Bly; Mrs. Claude Olson, Mrs. B. K. Behnke, LDS; Mrs. Dale Beber, Mrs. Albert Grant, Poe Valley-Olene; Mrs. J. Lynch, Mrs. A. R. Monroe, Langell Valley; Mrs. Jack Brandon, Mrs. William Harper, Fairhaven; Mrs. Garrett Hilyard, Henley; Mrs. V. H. Barleen, Mrs. Frank McCormack, Klamath Falls; Mrs. E. T. Leech, Shasta-Homedale; Mrs. H. A. McClurg, Mrs. Dorman Spiker, Buena Vista; Mrs. P. E. Newham, Mrs. Earl Irvine, Merrill; Mrs. Lee Martin, Mrs. Jim Bunnell, Malin, and Mrs. W. T. Moore, Mrs. John Kloiber, Conger-Fairview.

The County Advisory Committee has planned for a style revue of some of the garments during the Spring Festival which will be held on April 27 at the fairgrounds. Everyone is welcome to attend the festival.

Sack Look Out

SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (AP)—Progress has won another round over household initiative in the arena of the Illinois State Fair.

Mrs. Wayne Archer, superintendent of women's events in the annual show, announced Monday that there will be no more prizes for home-made soap or clothing made from cotton feed sacks.



MRS. WILBUR REILING, right, Poe Valley-Olene Home Extension Unit, is one of 10 key leaders taught by Ruth Dyer, county home extension agent, to pass along her knowledge to 24 other leaders, who in turn are teaching tailoring to members of 14 units. Studying under her direction are, left, Mrs. John Kloiber, and center, Mrs. Dave Campbell.

Department Of Commerce Given State Senate Okay

SALEM (AP)—Legislation to create a state Department of Commerce was approved 22-8 today by the Oregon Senate in the first legislative test of Gov. Mark O. Hatfield's government reorganization plan.

It was the first time that either house had voted on any of the 20 bills that make up the governor's plan. The governor had said the vote on this bill would give an indication of legislative sentiment toward the entire plan.

The bill, which goes to the House, would group these agencies under a Commerce director who would be appointed by the governor: Banking, Planning and Development, Corporations, Insurance and Collection Agencies, as well as boards to license real estate brokers and salesmen, architects, engineers, accountants, watchmakers, auctioneers and pilots of river vessels.

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Baptist Survey Education Bill Would Aid Oregon

HENDERSON, Ky. (AP)—The very first time the doors had been locked at the new Green Valley Baptist Association headquarters here, someone broke in. Drawers were opened and the building otherwise ransacked, but nothing was missing. "Guess they were just taking a survey," remarked the Rev. Tom Francis.

SALEM (AP)—An estimated \$25 million in federal funds could come to Oregon for school construction and teacher salaries if the federal aid to education bill passes in Congress, Cecil Posey said Tuesday. Posey, executive secretary of the Oregon Education Association, reported to the Senate Education

Committee. He had just returned from a trip to Washington, D. C. He said beginning July 1 Oregon would receive \$20.10 per child based on average attendance. The second year that would be increased to \$22.99 per child and the third year it would jump to \$25.54. Under existing law it would be up to the superintendent of public instruction to decide upon the distribution of that money.

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4-H NEWS

PAISLEY
Six girls in 4-H fifth-year cooking class at Paisley prepared dinner and served it to their parents in the school cafeteria, Saturday evening, March 4. They were assisted by their leader, Mrs. Dave Green.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roper, Mrs. Harold Crocker, Dave Green, and Mr. and Mrs. James Foster. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murphy were unable to attend. Girls participating were Alice Green, Theresa Murphy, Edna Vernon, Velma Roper, Janice and Terry Ann Foster.

Methodists Meet

Methodist circles will meet on Thursday, March 9, as follows: Helen Reulos Circle in the church at 10 a.m.; Dorothy Harding Circle with Mrs. Almon Geiss at Oretech, 1 p.m.; Murden Woods with Mrs. George Gilchrist at 933 Washington, 1 p.m.; Evelyn DeVries Circle at the church with Mrs. E. W. Mocabee and Mrs. Allen Mocabee, hostesses, at 1 p.m.; Edna Holder Circle at the church at 7:30 p.m.

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