

YOUR PROBLEMS
by **Ann Landers**



'Take Away His House Key...'
Dear Ann Landers: Help! Last week my mom got a letter from my aunt who lives in Texas. She is sending cousin Trudy to visit us for two weeks when school is out in June.

I saw Trudy last year at my grandmother's funeral and she is a moose. If they would let girls play on the football team Trudy would make All American. I'll admit she's pleasant and has a cute sense of humor about her size. But, Ann, I know I'm going to have plenty of trouble getting her dates.

All the fellas want to see a picture of her and I'm afraid to show them a picture. Please give me some hints on how to get Cousin Trudy fixed up. —TEXAS HEADACHE

Dear Headache: If there's any oil in the family, it wouldn't hurt to drop the word.

In the meantime don't try for the dreamboats who have dozens of girls chasing them. Instead, ask the quiet, less-in-demand fellows. They might welcome a fixed-up date.

Dear Ann Landers: My husband's son by a former marriage is 17. Bill lives in town with his mother. He is welcome to spend weekends with us but he has never shown much interest in doing so. He drops in occasionally on a Sunday and that's all.

Bill has a key to our home and this is what I'm writing about. Yesterday my neighbor told me that last month when we were away Bill brought a young girl and another couple into our home. This neighbor is not a gossip or a trouble-maker.

Should I tell my husband? If so, how? After all, Ann, I'm not the boy's mother. Please advise at once.

—TROUBLED
Dear Troubled: You aren't the boy's mother, but the home is half yours and you should not knowingly provide a 17-year-old boy with such a setup.

Tell your husband to ask Bill for his house key and to make it clear he can visit only when you are at home.

Dear Ann Landers: Seven months ago a young girl came to work in this office. She is about 21, sweet, refined and has a lovely, warm personality. Several of the fellows asked her out but she said she was engaged and couldn't accept dates. (The girl wore no ring.)

Last week she came to work looking pale and ill. She fainted at her desk and I carried her to the infirmary. An hour later the nurse called to ask if I would drive her home.

On the way home the girl sobbed out her story. She is pregnant, she can't work much longer and doesn't know what to do. The fellow she was "engaged" to is a married man who lied to her about his marital status. He offered her money to "get lost" but she refused and wants to go it alone.

I am seriously thinking of asking her to marry me. I know this sounds wacky but I think we could have a good life together even though we've never had a date.

I am 30, have never been married and am willing if she is. Should I ask her?

—LONG SHOT
Dear Long Shot: If you marry the girl out of pity—or if she marries you because she's in a spot—the marriage is doomed from the start. Remember, this girl is virtually a stranger to you—and you to her.

I suggest that you steer her to an agency that will see her through the difficult days ahead. If you continue to see her and if the friendship blossoms into love, that's another story.

ANN LANDERS' booklet, "How to Be Date Bait," gives sound and solid rules for teen-age dating. To receive a copy, enclose with your request 20¢ 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.



AND THE RACE IS ON . . . Mmes. Robert Eatherly, left center, and Kenneth Geer, right center, back into starting gates at Hollywood Park for "Volunteers for Children." Mmes. James Cassel, left, and John McLennan, serve as starters for a prize "purse," sale of tickets for "Volunteers for Children" day at the races May 21. Funds will bolster depleted VFG treasury for use in its services to Los Angeles County Harbor General Hospital. Mrs. Eatherly serves the organization as board member and Mrs. Geer as ways and means committee chairman.



KATHERINE ANN EVANS
... To Wed Jack Ward

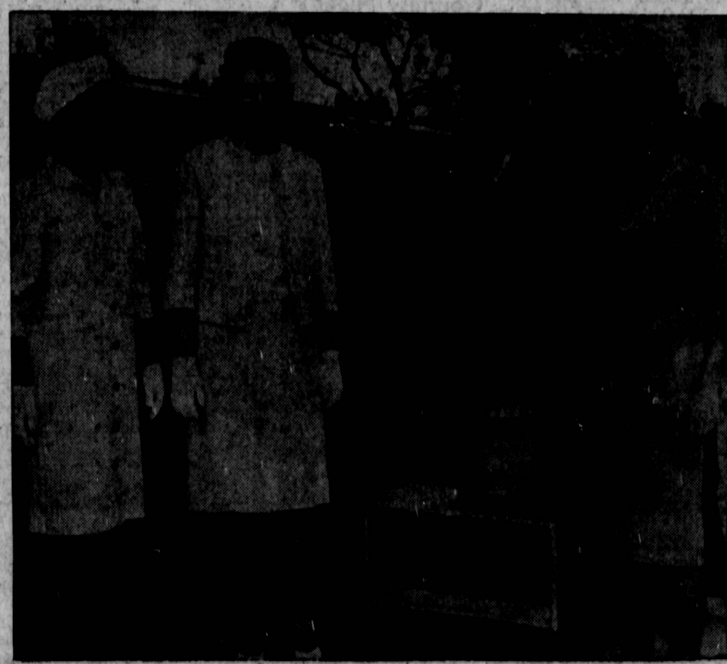
Miss Evans Plans June Wedding Day

The engagement of Miss Katherine Ann Evans to Jack R. Ward has been announced by Miss Evans parents, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Evans of 1221 Arlington. Mr. Ward is the son of Mrs. Paul House, St. Louis, Mo.

The bride elect is a senior at Torrance High School and is employed by the South Bay Credit Bureau.

Mr. Ward is with the National Guard of Torrance and is employed by American Can Co.

The wedding will be held June 27 at the South Bay Church of God.



PICK YOUR HORSE . . . Members of Las Vecinas Women's Club participating in the club's "Day at the Races" May 21 at the Hollywood Park Race track are: Mmes. Donald Edwards, ways and means chairman, from left; Roy Menashe, president; and Carl Benson, race day chairman. "Prosaic One," five-year-old owned by Grenstead Stables is center of attention. All proceeds from "Day at the Races" will be donated by Las Vecinas to the Torrance YMCA building fund.

'Recognition Night' Will Honor Harbor Hospital Volunteer Groups

Volunteer organizations and other friends of Los Angeles Harbor General Hospital will be honored at "Recognition Night" Wednesday, 7:30, in the facility's dining room, 1000 W. Carson. David Jacobsen, executive assistant, will present the special awards.

It will mark the ninth annual presentation of awards to members of the Auxiliary, Volunteers for Children, Candy Strippers, Gray Ladies, and representatives of other groups which have assisted at the hospital with volunteer work.

Mrs. Charles (Ruby) Groh top volunteer this year with more than 11,000 hours devoted to hospital services will have her name inscribed on a gold plaque which will be on display permanently in the patient services conference room. Mrs. Groh headed the volunteer list last year also with 8,104 hours to her credit.

Following the tradition of "Recognition Night" there will be the presentation of several special awards revealed during the program, according to Mrs. Marguerite Broen McAllister, chief of patient services who will preside at the program.

Program speakers will include Robert Edgecumbe, executive director of Commission for Administrative Services in Hospitals; and A. L. Thomas, Harbor General administrator, who will give a welcoming address.

L. R. Smith, assistant ad-

ministrator, will present silver bars to members denoting 1,000 hours of service and Miss Alice Gorschaki, secretary to Thomas, will award pins recognizing 500 hours of service.

Scope of work during the 1963-64 year by the Auxiliary, Volunteers for Children, and Candy Strippers, will be

Diana Past Presidents Feted at 'Graduation'

"Graduation" night was honored by the Redondo Beach Dianans, on May 4.

Events of the evening included honor awards for years of service to the club to three past presidents, Mmes. John Hansford, Charles Hillinger, and Paul Taylor. Each was presented with a wooden clock, depicting important occasions in their lives. Mrs. Eldon Pratt presented the clocks.

Funds in the amount of \$402 were appropriated for

Returns Home
Mrs. Larry Drury visited her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Baker, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McMullen. Mr. Drury is stationed in Newfoundland with SAC. Enroute to Newfoundland Mrs. Drury visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reiman, in Topeka, Kan.

philanthropy to South Bay YMCA, St. Michael's Mission in Arizona for reference books, Medic-Alert tags, Toberman Settlement House, and the Cancer Fund in memory of Irma Dale Rouse.

Mrs. Arthur Callen reported on the Mexican Fiesta held in April for the girls at the Las Palmas School. A Mexican style dinner was served to the girls and they were given a large white throw rug for the cottage and some jewelry.

A highly successful husband's night at Higgins' Brick Yard was discussed by Mrs. Eldon Pratt. Diana husbands who entertained were Messrs. Joe Diamond, James Newkirk, Ray Gorsuch, and Wallace Opstad. A ladies' barber shop quartet completed the musical highlights.

Mrs. Kenneth Newton, Area "C" vice-president, was the guest speaker at the formal initiation held during April at the Hunting Horn Restaurant. Ten Dianans were installed, having completed their year as provisionals at the dinner meeting. Hostesses for the evening were Mmes. Eldon Pratt and Martin Galos.

The Redondo Beach Dianans are affiliated with the California Federation of Women's Clubs, Marina District, Junior Membership.

Volunteers for Children

Hospital Group Slates Day at Hollywood Park

"Have fun and help children" is the double ticket being sponsored by the Southwest area "Volunteers for Children" Thursday at Hollywood Park.

The organization serves Harbor General Hospital throughout the year in its patient services volunteer groups and in the pediatric wards and clinics.

Under direction of Mrs. Kenneth Geer, ways and means committee chairman, "Volunteers for Children Day at the Races," will supply proceeds to replenish funds for the organization's work.

The VFC sponsors such programs as children's parties and holiday observations. Contributions include clothing, layettes, toys, books and equipment supplementing the hospital's in the pediatric areas.

"Most members would rather spend their

time working in the hospital than on money-making projects," Mrs. Geer said. "We appreciate how they feel, but we must have these fund raising campaigns occasionally, for after all, no organization can run without finances."

Mrs. Geer urged members and other friends of Harbor General to organize "carload parties."

"Total cost of tickets for the day's fun is \$5 which includes a \$3.50 donation to VFC, admission to a special seating section of the Clubhouse, federal and Inglewood city taxes," Mrs. Geer said.

Tickets may be had by calling Mrs. Geer, FR 4-0861, and her ticket sales committee-women, Mrs. Robert Eatherly, FR 4-6877, and Mrs. James Cassel, FR 6-6324.

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CDA DELEGATES . . . Mmes. Harvey Lee, left, and Charles Butterfield will represent Court Saint Catherine 1378, Catholic Daughters of America at the 21st biennial state convention to be held in San Francisco May 20 through May 24. (Herald Photo)

Mothers of Twins Club Sale Slated

The South Bay Mothers of Twins Club will hold an election meeting and white elephant sale at tomorrow's meeting at the Alondra Club, 16411 Prairie Ave., Lawndale, 7:30 p.m.

The white elephant sale and exchange table will feature clothing and various twin items.

Mrs. Andrew Meier, president, will be in charge of the meeting and Mrs. Guy Locas of Torrance, the exchange table.

In San Francisco CDA Delegates Leave To Attend Convention

Mmes. Harvey Lee and Charles Butterfield will represent Court Saint Catherine 1378, Catholic Daughters of America, at the 21st biennial state convention in San Francisco at the St. Francis Hotel Wednesday through Sunday. Mrs. Lee is grand regent of the local court and will serve as delegate and Mrs. Butterfield, vice regent, as alternate delegate.

The convention will open officially Thursday, following a harbor cruise Wednesday, with state officer and chairman reports. Mrs. Lucille Kennedy, supreme director of the Catholic Daughters of America, will be honored at the day's luncheon.

Election of state officers and delegates to the national convention will be held Saturday morning with the formal banquet scheduled for Saturday evening.

Closing ceremonies will be held Sunday with Holy Mass at St. Boniface Church, followed by an awards breakfast.

Local Residents Tour 36 States

Mr. and Mrs. Archie L. Phillips and son, Jeff, 5414 Hallison, have returned from a 9,200-mile trip on which they toured 36 states across the continent. Major cities visited were Chicago, Niagara Falls, Boston, New York City, Washington, D. C., Savannah, Ga., St. Augustine, Fla., Dallas, Tex., and Phoenix, Ariz.

Ct. St. Catherine will enter a world mission group display in the awards competition, which will include layettes, rolled bandages, doctor gowns, blankets, etc. which the group sends to missions throughout the world.

The grand regents scrapbook which has been under the supervision of Mrs. Robert Klages for the Court's district deputy, Mrs. Westly Muzik, for the past two years will be included in the competition.

Card Party Slated

A benefit card party for the Golden Bear Council 17, Daughters of America, will be held at the home of Nell Schernaerhorn, 1424 Acacia Ave., tomorrow evening at 8. The public is invited.

Members are requested to be present for the regular lodge meeting Thursday at 8 p.m. Alice Smith, councilor, will be in charge and a second nomination of officers will be held.

Day at Races Benefits 'Y' Building Campaign

Las Vecinas Women's Club will sponsor a "Day at the Races" Thursday at Hollywood Park. All proceeds will be donated to the Torrance YMCA building fund.

One race will be a "Las Vecinas Purse" with representatives of the club congratulating the winner of the race in the winner's circle. On hand will be: Mmes. Roy Menashe, president; Mrs. Donald Edwards, ways and means chairman, and Mrs. Carl Benson, race day chairman.

Mmes. Carl Benson, FR 5-2011, and Donald Edwards, FR 5-3238, are in charge of tickets, which entitle holder to reserved seating in the upper club house section.

Luncheon may be purchased by members and guests in the Turf Club dining room, with "post time" starting at 1:45 p.m.