

Hollywood Reporter

By Mike Connolly

Dear Mike: Tony Curtis sounded terribly conceited in an interview I read recently. In which he bragged about all the great things he has accomplished. Has success spoiled T.C.? — Mrs. James L. McFadden, Pittsford, N.Y.

Dear Mrs. McFadden: Not that I've noticed, personally. Tony has always raved about how wonderful it is that a kid from the wrong side of the tracks can become a movie star in this wonderful country of ours. He wouldn't have sounded boastful if I had interviewed him, because he isn't and I wouldn't have made him sound as though he were. Blame it on his boyish exuberance.

Dear Sir: What's this about discord in the Joanne Woodward-Paul Newman marriage? — John Boyle, New Haven, Conn.

Dear John: You're 'way behind with the news. There was trouble but it's all over now. It started, I'm told, because there was "too much togetherness;" 24 hours 'round the clock doing a play in New York for one thing. But now they're working to separate movies and all's nifty with the Newmans again, praise be.

Dear Mike: If Elvis Presley was my neighbor I wouldn't try to get him evicted. I'd borrow a cup of sugar. — Mary Elizabeth Carrino, Livingston, N.J.

Dear Mary Elizabeth: Tell that to his neighbors in Bel-Air who can't sleep because of those all-night parties staged by Sir Swivel's bodyguards while the star's out of town. The way they feel, they'd all rather go on sugarfree diets than go within two feet of that Bedlam.

Dear Sir: Is Mary Pickford's real name Gladys Smith? — Walter P. Eastlake, Castro Valley, Calif.

Dear Walter: No, it isn't. America's Sweetheart admits that much of her "legend" is false but, for some strange reason, refuses to say what her name really is. She has already written her life story but says she may write a sequel in which she'll give out with the real low-down and her reason for being so mysterious about it all these years.

Dear Mike: Why doesn't some columnist tell us what became of some of those great

stars we often see on TV's Late Show? For instance, what has become of Randolph Scott, Constance Moore, Jean Parker and Kay Francis? — George D. Butwin, Kearny, N.J.

Dear George: Scott, one of our wealthiest stars, is retired and living off his brilliant real estate investments. Constance, the wife of agent-turned-realtor Johnny Maschio, occasionally works in the nightclubs. Jean, when I last spoke to her, was about to start a chain of beauty salons. Kay is retired and living in New York City along with such other Hollywood expatriates as Greta Garbo, Marlene Dietrich, Lillian Gish, Glenda Farrell, Leatrice Joy and so many others who prefer live in the Big City to splashing around in this publicity-crazy fish-bowl.

Dear Mr. C.: Why don't we see William Windom in other shows besides "The Farmer's Daughter" on TV? Could it be that he is lazy or, being married into such a wealthy family, finds it easier to just loaf? He is a fine actor. — Sue Parker, Napa, Calif.

Dear Sue: He believes in taking a vacation during his vacation breaks and I don't blame him.

Dear Mike: Why can't we have more movies like "Shenandoah" and less of the other trash like "Harlow" and "The Yellow Rolls-Royce"? — Nancy G., Covina.

Dear Nancy: "There's one born every second," as a showman named Barnum once said, and as long as they continue pouring off that sucker assembly line there'll be producers to meet their needs.

Dear Sir: I am sick and tired of all the attacks on "Peyton Place." I have lived in a comparatively small town (although I am an executive secretary in New York City now) most of my life and, if this show is filth, then so is life. The acting is consistently better than good and the stories couldn't be improved upon and are true to life. — Harriet Ford, Allendale, N.J.

Dear Mrs. Ford: I lived in a fairly small town myself once (Champaign, Ill.) and if "Peyton Place" is true to life all I can say is I sure was missin' a lot of kessin'.

Mike Connolly will try to answer your questions in his column. He gives no personal replies by mail.

New Catalina Terminal To Open in San Pedro

New million-dollar Catalina Terminal facility in the Port of Los Angeles, San Pedro, will officially open Friday and all major transportation lines to the island will originate from there.

Location of the new Catalina Terminal is at the foot of the Vincent Thomas bridge, with entrance on Harbor Blvd. just one-mile beyond the end of the Harbor Freeway.

Operated by Catalina Terminals, Inc., the all-purpose depot will be managed by Charley Stillwell, president of MGRS, Inc., owners of the S.S. Catalina (Big White Steamer).

Besides the Big White Steamer, the new terminal will be home base for the Magic Isle, Catalina Seaplanes, and motor cruisers traveling to Catalina Island.

The new facility, Stillwell said, will provide augmented year-around services to Catalina by sea and air.

station building complete with passenger waiting rooms, restrooms, ticket offices, and baggage depositories.

The main building is centrally located to boat docks and plane ramps and contains many features specially designed for passenger comfort and convenience.

Landscaping includes the multi-color "Fountain of June" in the main courtyard. Wide circling driveways provide direct access for passengers and baggage.

The S.S. Catalina will operate daily from the new terminal when it resumes its daily schedule to the island next spring.

During the fall and winter months daily passenger service to Catalina will be provided by the Magic Isle, Catalina Seaplanes, and the motor cruisers.

Auto Shop Gets Station Wagon

BUILT AS THE new "Gateway to Catalina" by the Los Angeles Harbor Department and leased to Catalina Terminals, Inc., the terminal is said to be one of the most modern and functional transportation facilities in the Southland.

It covers 12 acres of ground, with spacious parking areas (for 1,100 automobiles), and a modern admini-

Lewis H. Advison of Los Angeles has donated a 1949 model station wagon to the Torrance schools.

The gift was accepted by the Torrance Board of Education. It will be used in the automotive shop at South High.



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