

## Ask Mrs. Manners—

## Two Girls In Love With Married Man

Dear Mrs. Manners:

I WORK IN AN OFFICE and there fell in love with a married man with two children. I didn't know it, but the girl who sits next to me whom I will call "Tizzie" is in love with him too. This causes a lot of hard feelings. So I gathered up all my will power and tried to forget this man.

I talked with the husband of "Tizzie" and he was also very unhappy. He and I are now madly in love but she won't give him up just for spite. She is the boss's favorite and makes me do all her work but the boss doesn't see it.

I am very unhappy. What should I do? I am 23, and have a husband and a baby.

You're unhappy because you aren't playing fair. You can't cheat at marriage and make it a good one. No one pleases you because you can't respect yourself.

You haven't any business falling in love—you're married and so are the men on whom you have designs. Gather up your will power. Work for the paycheck and fondness for your job—or else stay home and out of trouble.

We make our own consciences and our consciences make us, it has been said. Yours needs making over.

**How to Sell Used Clothes**

IS THERE any place in Indianapolis where one could sell good used clothes?

How would one go about getting children to tutor—primary grades, 1 through 4?

Advertise your clothing or take it to rummage sales advertised by various groups, and to second hand shops.

File your name in offices of public and parochial schools to find tutoring jobs.

**Wife Won't Talk to Me**

I'VE BEEN MARRIED 27 years and for the last four or five years my wife seldom talks to me. She sits at home with a magazine. When somebody comes in she puts down the magazine and talks. Where she works I see she can talk to the janitors—and laugh—but it seems like she won't take time to talk to me.

I get the "blues" sitting at home with nobody to talk to. I used to help around the house. Seems like I don't care about doing anything any more. We don't step out with anybody. I don't like to live that way. Can you advise me?

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Yours is an unusual case—most men think their wives talk too much.

You can't be good company with the "blues." Get over them by becoming busy. It doesn't matter much what worthwhile thing that you do just so you do it enthusiastically. In becoming interested, you'll become more interesting.

**Seek Place of Entertainment**

PEOPLE WRITE and ask about a clean place of entertainment. There is a place Saturdays after 8 p. m.—the Widows, Widowers, Maids and Bachelors Lodge. They dance and play cards at 17 W. Morris St. Elderly people are welcome.

I hope this will help some lonely folk.

Thank you for your interest. Your letter may change the life of a lonely person.

**Has Bank Account Problem**

SHOULD I HAVE a separate bank account from my husband? He feels I shouldn't and when I explained why he good-naturedly accepted my reasons, but I don't think he fully understands. I am working with him and we don't have any children, so I see no reason for not working.

We agreed that he would pay all bills such as rent, food and insurance and bank as much as possible. I am to buy my clothes, help with food bills and pay my insurance and book club dues.

After Christmas I decided to start an account of my own and you can't know just how proud I am of that little red book. If I see something frivolous I can buy it and if the money was in a joint account I might want it with all my heart but wouldn't feel free to purchase it. I don't intend to be wasteful but it's money I earned so I think I should spend it as I see fit without feeling guilty.

Please don't get the idea that my husband would refuse me or begrudge me if I asked for money or object if I went ahead and checked some out. I just want my own account to do with as I see fit. I never before had a bank account and I imagine I'll be worse than a miser when it comes right down to it. I'll hate to write a check. My husband is going to buy a home and I'm beginning to save for furniture.

I do think you give the best of advice.

**MRS. C.**

You can't live completely for yourself or within yourself and make marriage successful. Why do you object to working and saving together? You're being downright selfish. You'd howl if your husband wanted to stow his savings away separately.

You're doing your share in paying expenses—but also do your share in saving. Your husband probably didn't demand that you work. He might prefer to have you stay home and manage a house.

Let Mrs. Manners and readers of the column share your problems and answer your questions. Write in care of The Times, 214 W. Maryland St.

## Judge Scores Delinquency Among 'Overprivileged'

**'Keep Adolescents' Mental Processes on Right Track,' Miami Juvenile Expert Urges**

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 20 (UP)—Dade County Juvenile Court Judge Water H. Beckman said today that "delinquency of the overprivileged" is a more serious social problem than the petty crimes of underprivileged children who may be driven to lawlessness by force of circumstance.

Judge Beckman, whose rulings involving 20,000 children never have been appealed, said he was particularly disturbed by the wanton vandalism of delinquent children of prominent families.

He referred to a group of teenagers who recently wrecked parked automobiles in Atlanta, Ga., for a "thrill."

"They apparently had so much in life they adopted the reckless attitude that they had special privilege to destroy what they pleased," he said.

The soft-spoken jurist, who holds informal court sessions in his seventh-floor office at the Dade County court house, said the best corrective measure for juvenile delinquency is "to keep the adolescent's mental processes on the right tracks."

Too much of our welfare work, he said, is concerned with helping the delinquent physically. "But you can't dance, feed or play a youngster into being good," he added.

**Promoted in Germany**

Charles L. Murray, son of Mrs. Elma Murray, 1219 Ringgold Ave., has been promoted to technician fifth grade. He is assigned to the First Constabulary Brigade Headquarters in Heidelberg, Germany, where his duties are message center clerk.

## U. S. Embassy In Rome Under Rigid Watch

## Virtual Wartime Security Invoked

By JOHN A. THALE

Times Foreign Correspondent

ROME, Jan. 20—The American embassy in Rome is operating under virtually wartime security regulations. The embassy telephone directory just issued has stamped in red ink on the cover this warning:

"Caution. All telephone lines can be tapped. Do not discuss classified matters over the telephone."

For some time visitors have been required to get a pass before visiting the offices in the 60-year-old palace, formerly owned by Queen Margherita.

**Names in Register**

Their names are inscribed in a permanent register and on their pass is written the name of the official they are to visit and the time they come in.

On leaving, the official signs the pass and inserts the time of departure. Visitors must return this to the front office to leave the building.

An embassy spokesman says the regulations were in line with the general security program of the State Department.

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## NACA Chapter to Hear Howard Greer Tomorrow

Howard C. Greer will talk to the Indianapolis chapter, National Association of Cost Accountants, at a meeting to be held tomorrow in the Lincoln Hotel. He is vice president and general manager of Kingan & Co.

Mr. Greer will speak on "Budgeting Management Performance."

Charles R. Israel will preside.

## NYC Auxiliary to Meet

Ladies' Auxiliary of the New York Central Railroad were to meet at 1:30 p. m. today in the central YMCA.

## Social Committee Meets

The Sahara Grotto Auxiliary social committee will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Inez Crowley, 1215 Shannon Ave.



**GOOD BOY**—James C. Petrillo, president of the American Federation of Musicians, hooks his thumbs in his vest and smiles triumphantly after his acquittal in Chicago's District Court. He was tried on a charge of violating the Lea Act, which Congress passed in 1946 to curb his power. It was the second time the government had sought and failed to convict the AFL union boss.

## Dr. Stricker Heads Shrine Guild to Hold Fund Benefit Meeting

The monthly meeting of the Shrine Guild will be held tomorrow in the home of Mrs. Paul Patterson, 4654 Norwalk St. Card games will follow a luncheon.

Proceeds of the meeting will go to the organization's fund for the Shrine's Hospital for Crippled Children. Mrs. Ken Keeney is the hospital chairman.

## Plans Anniversary Fete

Charter members, 25-year members and past matrons and patrons will be guests on honor at the 51st anniversary meeting of Golden Rule Chapter 413, O.E.S., to be held Friday, Gladys Iverson is worthy matron and James E. Berry is worthy patron.

## DUVOW UNIT TO MEET

Catherine Merrill Tent 9, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, will hold a public apron card party at 1:30 p. m. Friday in the Colonial Furniture Co.

## Pay Boosts Urged For Top Brass

## Committee Outlines Army, Navy Schedule

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20 (UP)—Top brass of the Army and Navy would receive a healthy pay boost in proposed new wage scales.

The recommended increases would be for the lowest ensign to generals of the Army.

In addition, general officers would receive longevity pay at the rate of \$30 per month for every five years of service, up to 30 years. Generals do not receive such pay now.

The increases were recommended to Defense Secretary James Forrestal by a joint Army-Navy personnel pay committee. The committee is considering a separate report on pay for the U. S. Air Force.

## \$13,320 Top Pay

Under the proposed new scale, the basic pay and allowances of major generals and above their equivalent ranks in the Navy would be boosted from \$10,740 to \$13,320 annually.

A major general, if he had 30 years of service, would draw an additional \$2160 in longevity pay to give him a total of \$15,480 in pay and allowances.

The proposal would give lieutenant generals an additional \$90 a month, generals \$210 and generals of the Army \$420 in personal allowances. This would apply also to their navy equivalents.

Here is the proposed pay scale:

Rank	Annual Base Pay	Monthly Allowance	Subsistence	Old New	Old New	Old New
Maj. Gen.	\$10,740	\$13,320	\$120	\$120	\$42	\$42
Brig. Gen.	9,600	12,180	120	120	42	42
Col.	8,460	11,040	120	120	42	42
Lt. Col.	7,320	9,900	120	120	42	42
Major	6,180	8,760	120	120	42	42
Capt.	5,040	7,620	120	120	42	42
1st Lt.	3,900	6,480	120	120	42	42
2d Lt.	2,760	5,340	120	120	42	42

## Officers Urge Increases

Army officers, pointing out that they will lose their war-time \$1500 tax deduction at the end of 1948, say some increases are necessary.

They say the proposed new pay scale compares favorably with the pay scale of industrial executives.

Mr. Forrestal recently expressed concern over the large numbers of high caliber men the Army has lost to private industry because of higher salaries.

Similar pay increases and adjustments are proposed for enlisted men but the schedule is not available.

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