

Ask Mrs. Manners— Loves His Wife But Doesn't Like Fights

DEAR MRS. MANNERS:
MY WIFE and I had two fights and I left her because I hate to fight. But I came back, thinking we could make it.
I told her we were going to get along and that I wasn't going to leave her anymore, regardless of what happened, for I love her and our baby. But we don't seem to get along.
I don't run around or stay out late, throwing away my money. I bring it home, pay bills and buy food and clothes for my family. I work every day.
My wife tells me she doesn't love me any more. Whenever she does wrong I try to show her right, and we usually end up arguing and fighting.
Should I stay with her or leave her and live by myself? I hate to leave.
S. EAST SIDE.
You sound pretty critical and set in your ways, Mr. S.—Maybe a little older than your wife. Men have a habit of expecting their wives to know that they love them, without telling them about it—and women have a habit of resenting that attitude.
Your wife may not cook like your mother did—or run your house on the orderly basis you have in mind. You don't do everything right either, you know. I doubt if she tries to tell you how to fix your car or handle your job. Besides, you love her and all your orderliness (and your own way) don't make you happy when you're away from her. You'd better stick around and stop fussing. She can't argue without help.

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Asks State Flowers

WHAT ARE the flowers and songs for Delaware, Washington, Iowa, Texas and Tennessee?
MRS. N., SOUTHSIDE.

They follow: Delaware—peach blossom—"Our Delaware"; Washington—rhododendrum—no song; Iowa—wild rose—"Iowa"; Texas—bluebonnet—no song; Tennessee—Iris—no song.

Bashful Boy, Bashful Girl

I LIKE a fellow well and think he likes me, but we're both bashful. Can you give any suggestions how we can get over our bashfulness and understand each other better?
B. J. J., CITY.

Remember your first day at school, when you were just a little girl, B. J. J.? I'll bet you were as shy as could be, like the other youngsters were. After mixing with some other children, you felt at ease. It's the same now.
You two are embarrassed because dates, like school, are new to you. You wouldn't have overcome your bashfulness in school if there had been but one other student. You won't get over being bashful now if you limit your dates to one boy.

Going Steady Problem

DID I do right telling a boy I didn't want to go steady when there is another boy I like?
J. L.

Of course you did right, J. L. Wait until you run into a boy who wants to go steady with instead of deciding you want to go steady and hunting a man to fill the bill. There's no reason you must go steady. You think you'll learn to love those boys after you've gone steady a while. You probably never will, so why waste all that time?

Herbert Hoover to Get Variety Club Award

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2 (UP)—Herbert C. Hoover has been chosen for the Variety Clubs International 1948 humanitarian award, the organization announced today.
Mr. Hoover, the unanimous choice of a panel of 50 prominent editors and publishers, was cited as "a loyal American, an able President, a conscientious servant and humane citizen of the world whose noble endeavors in behalf of humanity have placed him among the all-time great Americans."

Rains Sweep Morocco

MARRAKECH, Morocco, May 2 (UP)—Torrential rains in this region during the past 36 hours have caused at least nine deaths and heavy damage to crops and herds, police reported today.

Your Job— Seeks to Improve Efficiency Rating

Various Methods of Study Suggested

Could you offer me some advice as to what I could read or what evening courses I might take to improve my efficiency in my present position? I am an office worker.

By JAMES GRAYSON
If you are sure that you would really read and study there is much to be learned in this way. Another way is to get a tutor to help you with specific subjects. A third method is that of attending late afternoon and evening classes. A fourth is the taking of correspondence courses.

The public library attendants will be glad to help you. Take your problem to them. They will recommend a reading course broad enough to cover one or a series of subjects.
A tutor might be obtained to help you with a specific problem or in a specific course.

Both of our state universities have extension classes—both day and night—in various centers over the state.
There are also private schools and colleges offering day and night courses.

Correspondence courses are available through the state university and through private correspondence schools.
Once you get started in a self-improvement program you likely will want to keep it up. There is so much to be learned—and so few who really want to learn.

C-97 ON BERLIN RUN

FRANKFURT, May 2 (UP)—A four-engine C-97 "flying freight train" was readied for service on the Berlin airlift today. The plane, a cargo version of the B-50 world girdling bomber, arrived here yesterday. It carries 27 tons of freight.

Your Marriage: By Samuel and Esther Kling Happiest Couples Agree On Child-Training Method

Q—Does failure to agree on your child's training affect your married happiness?

A—Yes. Agreement on the care and discipline of the children is fundamental to the happiness of a husband and wife.

A study of over 500 young couples reveals that the greatest number of very happy couples and the least number of unhappy ones were among those who always agreed on the children's upbringing.

Where there was agreement most of the time, there were fewer very happy couples and more unhappy ones.

The least number of very happy marriages and the greatest number of unhappy ones were found where there was agreement only half or less of the time.

That failure to agree on child training is a major cause of friction in marriage is shown by several studies. One, of over 400 older couples, placed child training next to sex among problems on which the couples had never reached satisfactory agreement.

Another study of young couples showed that disagreements over children ranked next to in-law and money troubles in causing discord.

What form do these disagreements take? Frequently, one parent—usually the father—thinks the other is spoiling the children. Or one parent—generally the mother—complains that the other is too severe.

One believes in training by reasoning with the youngsters. The other expects their instant obedience without questioning.

One wants to follow a rigid schedule. The other doesn't think it necessary.

A common cause of conflict is one parent's countering the other's orders. Father tells Billy it's time to go to bed, but mother says he can stay up. When this happens each partner undermines the authority of the other, making it difficult to handle the child in the future.

Each also incurs the other's displeasure and the two are apt to quarrel, especially in front of the child. The youngster, for his

will find it easier to compromise your differences and embark on the right course with such expert help and guidance.

The child's physician can also be of service.
Attending lectures on child raising is helpful, too.

Husbands and wives who make an intelligent effort to agree on child training get the most pleasure from their children, and promote their own happiness as well as that of their youngsters.

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