

### New Math' in School Topic

Jack Cleveland, principal of the Farmington School System and chairman of the Farmington School District Arithmetic Committee, will speak to the Curriculum Committee of the Citizens Advisory Council on Thursday, February 13, at 8 p.m. in the Farmington Junior High School library. He will give a progress report on "New Math—its place in the classroom."

### Schlah Transferred Here From Wisconsin

Mr. Robert F. Schlah, formerly of Kenosha, Wisconsin, has been transferred by American Motors, Detroit, Michigan, to the office in Detroit. Mr. Schlah has been promoted to Senior Purchasing Analyst. He, his wife, and two sons make their new home at 2345 Middlebelt Road, Farmington. **SHOP LOCALLY FIRST**

### World Affairs Discussions Set To Start Feb. 13

Farmington Friends of the Library are again sponsoring "Great Decisions," a discussion group on world affairs, which will meet weekly for eight consecutive weeks. The first meeting will be at 8 p.m. on Thursday, February 13, in the library of Farmington Senior High School at 3300 Shawnee. The eight topics the group will discuss are: "World Communism Today," "France and the Middle East," "Disarmament," "Castro's Cuba," "Indonesian Foreign Aid," and "Ideological Warfare." Great Decisions fact kits may be obtained from the Farmington Book Corner in Downtown Farmington Center. For more information please phone Mrs. Robert Simacek, CR. 4-7332.

## News From Briar Hill

**JAN PATTERSON** 626-9060 and **LOIS HOLMES** 626-6283. We have two new families to join the ranks of the Briar Hillites. The Wagenbergs moved into the Mysken's former home on Dec. 29 and the Hammonds who, as of Jan. 21, reside in the Ward's former home. Rae and Sonny Wagenberg come to us from Detroit. They are the children of Howard, 12, in the 7th grade at Dunckley; Sandy, 9, in the 4th grade at Alameda; and 2-year-old Debbie. Sonny is a salesman with the People's Outfitting Co. He was born in Windsor, Ontario and attended Assumption University in Windsor, where he played left tackle on the football team. Rae was born in Detroit, as were the children. She was active in charity work in Detroit and enjoys sewing and any kind of needlework. The whole family is very sports minded. The will celebrate their 16th wedding anniversary next June.

**BROWNIE TROOP 127**, under leader Amy Chabron and co-leader Shirley Sloane, toured the Farmington area and visited the Fire Station on Jan. 21. Drivers for the girls were Florence Nelms, Albinella Mott and Mrs. J. H. S. S. The girls returned to the Sloane home to practice the flag ceremony as of Jan. 30, at their weekly meeting at Alameda school. The troop was presented with an American flag by the American Legion Women's Auxiliary. **Shermy Britton** and **Cindy Monson** graduated as brand new Brownies.

**Janet Patterson** took her two boys, Dick and Jim, to visit in Kalamazoo for the two free school days, Jan. 23 and 24. They visited Janet's nephew, Paul Engel, who is a freshman at Kalamazoo College. While there, the Hedges, formerly of Bechtel, invited them to dinner and to spend the night. On the way home on Friday, they stopped at Battle Creek to visit the Kellogg plant.

### Named Copy Chief For Advertising Client

**Robert Guerrier** of 30321 Wicklow Road, Farmington, has been appointed copy chief and John C. Barbuscak, Jr., has been named account executive advertising on the AC Spark Plug account at D. P. Brother & Company, Inc. Victor W. Canever, agency senior vice-president and AC account supervisor, has been a senior writer and account executive on AC since joining D. P. Brother in 1959. His background includes writing assignments with the Jam Handy Organization and Elcor Inc., Detroit.

### Musicale at Beechview Set

Beechview Elementary School will present a mid-winter musicale this evening, Thursday, Feb. 6, at 7:45 p.m. in the school's multi-purpose room. To be presented by the fifth and sixth grade pupils the concert is entitled "Music in Many Moods."

### Scouts Receive Merit Awards In Cub Pack 48

A meeting of Cub Scout Pack 48 was held at Bond School on Friday, January 24, at which time a number of awards were presented following the opening flag ceremony and uniform inspection. Awards for Den 1: Paul Ellis, silver arrow; and Den 2: Gary Drapsak, assistant denner stripe; and David Winkler, Assistant denner stripe. Den 3 awards: Steve Ireland, 1-year perfect attendance pin, denner stripe; Mike Gluckstein, 1-year perfect attendance pin, denner stripe; assistant denner stripe, silver arrow; Roy Lee Sharp, 2-year perfect attendance pin; and Ronald Tamminga, 1-year perfect attendance pin, assistant denner stripe. Den 8 awards: Eugene Dählgren, wolf badge; Phillip Heck, wolf badge; and David Warner, lion badge.

### Four Get Degrees At Eastern Michigan

Four from Farmington were among 276 who were awarded degrees from Eastern Michigan University in Ypsilanti on Sunday, Jan. 26. The four were: Juanita J. Erid, B.S. and Elementary Prov. Cert.; Elliot B. Gluckstein, B.S. and Secondary Prov. Cert.; Jack S. Laving, B.S. and Secondary Prov. Cert.; and Ronald A. Steinberg, Secondary Prov. Cert.

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As Dr. Fermi said in 1945, "The country which first develops a breeder reactor will have a great competitive advantage in atomic energy."

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A skit, entitled "My Father Was a Merchant," was presented by Den 5 after which Mrs. Florence Sharp, Den Mother coordinator, presented a drawing of a Civil Defense movie regarding the proper handling of gasoline completed the program.

**THE DECEMBER** meeting was a Christmas party at which the Scouts decorated a tree with their own hand-made ornaments. Their Christmas games were the presentation of a million tree which they had filled for the Baptist Children's Home. The following awards were received at the December meeting:

Den 1, Tim Dodi, denner stripe; David Winkler, wolf badge; Robert Murray, bear badge; gold arrow, 1-year service star; and Brad Bratton, silver arrow. Den 7, Ronald Tamminga, silver arrow; Alexander 2, silver arrows; and Harry Davidson, silver arrow.

Den 7, Stephen Pratt, silver arrow; Larry Wilcox, silver arrow; and William Wilcox, wolf badge, 1-year service star. Den 8, David Warner, bear badge.

Robets received into the pack were Donald Morrison, Ken Tomlin, Bruce Wiekoff and David Winkler.

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