

Entrepreneurs address network

A panel of three women entrepreneurs will discuss "Developing A Small Business" at Professional Women's Network of Farmington (PWN) at its 7:15 a.m. breakfast meeting Friday, Feb. 13, in Farmington Community Center, 24705 Farmington Road.

Sandra Cook operates Far Corners Importers Ltd., an import and wholesale business of selling costume jewelry, gift items and folk toys. Clientele consists primarily of museum stores and retail stores throughout the U.S.

Carolyn L. Romick practices dentistry in Farmington Hills Dental Associates. In 1985 she was chosen by Farmington branch of Business and Professional Women of America to be the recipient of its "Young Career Woman" award.

The Greater Detroit Chamber of Commerce chose Gayle Sarkisian, owner of Green Plant Design Inc. in Livonia, as its 1986 "Female Entrepreneur of the Year." Founded in 1977 the company leases live tropical foliage plants for display in offices.

The foremost local business of its kind in this field, the firm expects to reach \$1 million in sales this year.

Reservations and advance payment must be received in Farmington Community Center by Wednesday, Feb. 11. Cost is \$5 for PWN members and \$8 for non-members. Call the center at 477-8404 to make reservations.

Children's books are especially welcome, as are recent bestsellers, books on art and travel, biography and autobiography.

Used books for sale

The first used book sale of the new year will be held by Friends of the Northville Library from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11. The sale will be in the library conference room, 215 W. Main.

Proceeds will go toward the purchase of a computer for the library with the capability of conducting database searches for patrons.

The collection of sale books has been enhanced by the contributions of many residents who brought books to the library in time for an income tax deduction for 1986. In addition, many books from a gift of about 1,200 paperbacks and hardbacks will be available. The collection of a discriminating reader was owned by a Northville resident who has moved away.

All hardbacks are 50 cents, paperbacks are 25 cents and children's books 5-25 cents.

The library accepts donations of books with the following exceptions:

textbooks for grades K-12, magazines including National Geographic, Readers Digest Condensed Books, encyclopedias older than 10 years and business and technical books prior to 1980.

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Washington's first cabinet

George Washington was born Feb. 22, 1732, and was elected the first President of our nation in 1789. The four members of his first cabinet were Thomas Jefferson as secretary of state, Alexander Hamilton as secretary of the treasury, Henry Knox as secretary of war and Edmund Randolph as attorney general.

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Patients who are referred to me because of intermittent sudden loss of vision may describe this episode as a grey-out rather than complete loss of vision. Some complain of loss of a part of their visual field. There are several causes for this complaint, but the most common is arteriosclerotic blood vessel disease.

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artery will produce a blockage with subsequent intermittent interruption of blood flow. Any stoppage of blood flow will first affect the eye and temporary loss of vision will occur. The next consequence can be a total and permanent loss of vision or a stroke. Small pieces of these plaques can break off and lodge in the small arteries of the retina. There the ophthalmologist can see them. Anyone having transient ischemic attacks or sudden intermittent loss of vision should consult an ophthalmologist and have their carotid arteries investigated. As I have said many times before, an eye examination is good for many reasons!

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'Scandinavia Alive,' comprised of Hans-Lennart Rasek (above left) Marta Svenson and Dr. Lars Dunberg, stop in Faith Covenant Church to share their Christian faith on their encore tour throughout the U.S.

Scandinavia Alive stops here on tour

"Scandinavia Alive," three people from Sweden who join in word and music, will appear at 11 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 15, in Faith Covenant Church, 35415 14 Mile to share the Christian faith and challenge the audience to become more involved in world evangelization.

Following a successful tour of the U.S. in 1985 "Scandinavia Alive" has returned by request for a 1987 encore tour to entertain and inspire audiences throughout America. "Scandinavia Alive" is sponsored by Living Bibles International, a worldwide Bible translation and distribution organization.

Dr. Lars B. Dunberg, international executive director of Living Bibles International, is the speaker for "Scandinavia Alive." He has completed 40 around-the-world trips in his efforts to help bring the Christian message to people worldwide. Dun-

berg will give a first-hand report learned from his experiences in world evangelization.

Marta Svenson is the featured soloist with "Scandinavia Alive," one of the most popular gospel singers and recording artists in Scandinavia. She has made numerous television appearances, has recorded several albums and was featured soloist at the Amsterdam '86 Conference for Itinerant Evangelists. She has been invited to perform at the 1987 National Religious Broadcasters Conference in Washington, D.C.

Hans-Lennart Rasek, the third member of "Scandinavia Alive," is a gospel pianist, who has been performing for audiences around the world for more than 20 years. He has appeared as the featured pianist for Billy Graham's crusades in Scandinavia.

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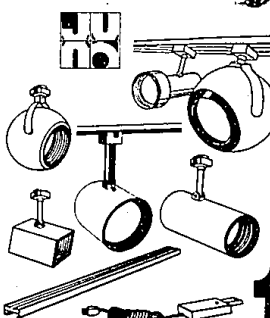
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