

Reporter, Traveler, Medic Headline Three Town Halls

FARMINGTON



Famed newsman Bob Considine, winner of countless journalistic awards, will speak at the Farmington Town Hall program at 11 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, in the Northland Theater.

Syndicated columnist and weekend radio commentator, Considine will tell of his acquaintance

with the most famous, including a report on his recent Vietnam visit with Vice-President Hubert Humphrey.

A celebrity luncheon in Glen Oaks Country Club will follow the talk. Reservations may be made before Monday, Nov. 18, by calling 474-1111, 474-1126 or 474-8100.

LIVONIA

A first-hand report on the hopes and dreams of millions in Asia will be brought to the Livonia Town Hall by speaker Grant C. Butler at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Nov. 20, in the Terrace Theater.

Butler is director of international lectures for Pan American Airways and interviewed many governmental leaders in a recent far Eastern tour.

Reservations for the celebrity luncheon in the Mayflower Meeting House, Plymouth, are due by Friday. Call Mrs. John Layman, Ga. 2-5729.



GRANT C. BUTLER

NORTHVILLE



"Face fear frankly," is the advice of Dr. Lester Coleman, speaker for the Northville Town Hall lecture at 11 a.m. Thursday, Nov. 21, in Northville High School.

Dr. Coleman is well known as physician, writer and lecturer, and has created a network television program, "Here's to Your Health."

He also will appear at the celebrity luncheon in the Mayflower Meeting House. Reservations accompanied by check must be mailed to Box 93, Northville, by Friday.

The Observer

Women



FRATERNAL FAMILY — In a most unusual situation, these three members of the Tobias family of Livonia all held top offices in Masonic organizations at the same time. Daughter Nancy, 16, was worthy advisor of the Plymouth Rainbow Girls from May to September of this year, while her parents, Donald and Mary Ellen Tobias, were serving as worthy patron and matron of the Plymouth Eastern Star. Their term ran from October 1967 until last month.

m. m. memos

One of our editors has a new scheme for getting newspaper and people in these parts better acquainted.

He put it in a reporter's assignment, instructing her to pick out a subdivision and "drive to an intersection and interview the housewives on all four corners."

Now, that's a great idea, but utterly impractical. I defy him to find a new subdivision anywhere in Observerland towns where there's a four-corner intersection.

Every one I've seen is full of curving streets that come to ends and loops that take you right back where you started. There's no four-square corner, anywhere.

I understand the purpose of the arrangement is to keep heavy traffic out of neighborhoods where children play. I sympathize with the aim, but the system serves to get me lost with great regularity.

When we moved to this area, the children wanted to play with schoolmates in a nearby subdivision. I got lost the first time I tried to take them there. Also the second, third and fourth.

In time, I managed to get on familiar terms with that subdivision, but that didn't help in any of the other developments I ventured into.

Just recently, late once again because I missed a turn on a curving street, I apologized to the lady I was visiting.

"Think nothing of it," she said. "After we bought this house, it took me several weeks to learn my way home."

Maybe that's why suburbanites don't know their neighbors better. They lose their way trying to make a visit.

—Margaret Miller

New Detroit Talk

A guest speaker from the New Detroit Committee will address members of the Oakland Hills chapter of Women's Organization for Rehabilitation through Training, set at 12:30 p.m. Tuesday, Nov. 19, in the home of Mrs. Fred Sikarchyk, 21640 Meadow Lane, Birmingham.

Williamsburg

Arranging Topic For Garden Club

Marshall Engle, flower arranger at Greenfield Village and the Henry Ford Museum, will be speaker at the Tuesday, Nov. 19, meeting of the Livonia branch of the Women's National Farm and Garden Association.

The meeting will be held at 11 a.m. in St. Andrew's Church. Engle's topic will be floral arrangements in the Williamsburg tradition.

Corn Husk Flowers Topic For Mrs. Fultz

Mrs. Ralph Fultz, a member of the Redford Township Garden Club, will speak on winter bouquets made from corn husks at the meeting of the Women's Association of Goodwill Industries at 12 noon, Wednesday, Nov. 20.

The meeting will take place in the Goodwill building, Brush at East Grand Boulevard, Detroit.

Mrs. Fultz, who has studied flower arranging at the Northwest YWCA with Mrs. Nina Seibert, of the Redford Garden Club, enjoys working with fresh flowers during the summer, but finds the more permanent dried arrangements of value during winter months.

She will be introduced by Mrs. Nathaniel Banks, also of Redford Township, program chairman.

Following the demonstration, women attending will be able to see her arrangements more closely during a tea hour.

Memberships in the Women's Association and its meetings are open to all who are interested.

Chi Omega Plan

The north suburban chapter of Chi Omega sorority will sponsor a bridge-luncheon at 12 noon Thursday, Nov. 14, in the home of Mrs. Nils L. Muench, 715 Oakleigh Drive, Bloomfield Hills. Reservations may be made with Mrs. Tom Hanson, 335 Booth, Troy.

Mt. Carmel Opens New Poison Control Center

Mount Carmel Mercy Hospital, as a community service, opened a new Poison Control Center, Nov. 1.

The center, which fulfills the requirements of the Michigan Department of Health, has as its primary purpose the quick dispensing of life-saving information.

Frequently the speed with which the information is given can make the vital difference between life or death.

The center will operate on a 24-hour, 7-day basis.

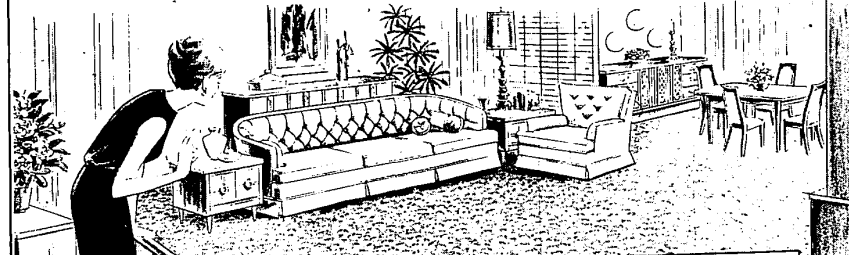
WITHIN MINUTES the caller will receive the prescribed antidote for the ingested poison. The staff member will also recommend that the caller immediately contact his physician.

Information would be immediately available should a caller need an antidote for bleach, furniture polish, various types of pills and medication taken in quantity.

Aside from poisoning occurring from items taken internally, other encountered dangers exist — bites from snakes, bees, wasps, centipedes and spiders. With the large numbers of new, potentially toxic household products today, the problem of accidental poisoning becomes increasingly complex. Foreign materials in the eyes, such as hair tints, sprays and paints pose an everyday threat.

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LBJ Congratulates Pair

A card from President and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson was among the congratulatory messages received by Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Schweizer of Farmington on their 50th wedding anniversary Nov. 2.

Several family dinner parties honored the couple, parents of five, grandparents of 14 and great-grandparents of two.

Walter Schweizer, who retired several years ago from the Evans Products Co., was one of five children born and raised on a family homestead at Grand River and Middle Belt. He and his wife, Eva, a native of Birmingham, N.Y., made their home on Tudor in Farmington for 32 years and later moved to their present home on Maple.

Their daughters and sons are Mrs. Edna West of Farmington; Mrs. Helen McKay of Redford Township; Mrs. Glen Fuller of Detroit and Walter Schweizer Jr., and Allen Schweizer of Livonia.



MR. AND MRS. WALTER T. SCHWEIZER