

School Need Talk
Scheduled Feb. 28

Members of the Farmington Board of Education will speak at an open meeting at 8 p.m. Thursday, February 28, at the vocal music room of Farmington High School.

The board will discuss the organization, operation and planning of the schools with respect to present and future needs of Farmington.

All residents of the Farmington Public School District are invited to attend to gain a better understanding of local school problems prior to the special school election, March 4.

Sponsored by the American Association of University Women, Mrs. R. N. Grinager and Mrs. Elwyn Baldwin are co-chairmen for the evening.

Democratic Women's Day
Planned At Northland

Farmington area women are invited to attend the Oakland County Democratic Women's Day to be held at Northland Center Community Concourse Auditorium from 12 noon until 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, March 16.

Mrs. Neil Staebler will introduce representative Ed Carey, who will speak on the Governor's Legislative Program.

There will be a telephone technique "out the vote" workshop. Also, workshops on highways, mental health, etc.

A luncheon of sandwiches, cookies, coffee or tea will be served. Mrs. David Brody of Oak Park is general chairman. Call her at LI 3-6217 to make reservations.

Public opinion is, with multi-titudes, a second conscience; with some, the only one.

—W. R. Alger

"High Ground"
Has Top Direction

In directing the melodrama "High Ground," Muriel Donegan brings a lifetime of theatre experience to the year old W. Bloomfield Township Players group.

"High Ground," to be presented March 8 and 9 is the story of a young convicted murderer on her way to execution, who with her guards is forced to take refuge in a convent during a flash flood.

Muriel Donegan began her acting career at the age of five, touring midwestern cities in stock companies. She had the advantage of working with many of the leading thespians of the day, who traveled from company to company playing their starring roles with the support of various local casts.

Mrs. Donegan switched to musical comedy during her teens, touring major American cities and participating in Broadway runs.

After touring the vaudeville and song and dance circuit for some seasons, Mrs. Donegan and her husband—an ex two-day hooper—moved to the Detroit area in 1948. Mrs. Donegan began acting in local amateur groups, and Mrs. Donegan became a homemaker.

After taking up little theatre as a hobby, the Donegans founded the Township Players with a few of their new West Bloomfield neighbors last year.

Reserved tickets for "High Ground" may be purchased by calling Mrs. Irene Kopp at MA 6-3034 or Mrs. Vera Greene at MI 6-6230.

Plan Symphony.
Here April 28

Miss Minnie Zielke entertained members of the A.A.U.W. Arts Committee at supper Sunday night, February 24, at her new home in Kendallwood.

Plans for the presentation of the Plymouth Symphony orchestra concert were discussed. The concert will be given in the Farmington High School auditorium on April 28, at 4 p.m. The committee is very enthused about possible specialty numbers in the concert program.

Present were Mrs. Douglas Hamill, president of the Farmington Chapter of A.A.U.W., Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stoll, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Noren, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Layton, Mrs. W. E. Shouquist, Mrs. John Allen, Mr. Louis Chavira, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kerr, Miss Edith Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Lapinski. Also present was Miss Zielke's sister, Miss Elsa Zielke.

WOMAN'S CLUB

The Farmington Woman's Club will meet on Wednesday, March 6, at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Fred Cook at 33724 Oakland Avenue. A representative from Goodwill Industries in Detroit will speak.

The meat of an older chicken, stewed or steamed until tender, cooled in the broth and cut from the bones, is the start for a variety of good dishes. You may like it in a king, in a loaf or croquettes, as souffle or in chicken chop suey.

Farmington Garden Club
To Meet Monday, March 4

The Farmington Garden Club will meet at the Knox House on Monday, March 4, at 1 p.m., and will have as guest speaker Frederick Duranec, Northland Center Landscape Foreman.

Mrs. Duranec will speak on the topic, "Modern Gardens of Northland."

Prior to the business meeting dessert and coffee will be served. Mrs. Dawson Hubert, hostess, chairman, will be assisted by Mrs. L. W. Clark, Mrs. Delos F. Hamlin, John Dravold and Mrs. R. O. Easton.

Blanchard-Antaya
Wed February 9
At St. Agatha's

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald S. Antaya

At a Nuptial Mass at 9 o'clock Saturday morning, February 9, at St. Agatha's Catholic Church in Detroit, Annette Blanchard of 2008 Gill Road became the wife of Gerald S. Antaya of 20405 Dearborn, Livonia.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Father Bauer before an altar adorned with white chrysanthemums.

A white nylon net over white satin gown was worn by the bride. Annette Blanchard of 2008 Gill Road became the wife of Gerald S. Antaya of 20405 Dearborn, Livonia.

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The groom's brother, James Antaya, served as best man. Danny Hillen was a groomsman. He and the best man also ushered.

For her daughter's wedding, the groom's mother, Mrs. Edward Antaya, wore a light blue satin dress with dark blue accessories and a red rose corsage.

A reception was held at the home of the groom's parents from 2 to 8 p.m. with a buffet dinner being served. The home was decorated with flowers and streamers. Over 100 local and out-of-town relatives and friends were in attendance.

The newlyweds are now at home to friends at 27830 Long Street in Livonia. The new Mrs. Antaya is employed as a secretary for Howard Richards, Farmington lawyer. Mr. Antaya is employed with Tait Wood Products. He was a Marine Sergeant and served in Korea for three years.

Store Reveals
Prize Winners

Winners of prizes at the grand opening celebration of the Melody House in Farmington last week were announced this week by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wahlberg, proprietors.

Joel Schlereth of 22731 Brookdale and Gerald Cox of 32425 Cloverdale each won record players.

Record player stands were won by Sally Waters of 29720 Owenwood and Terry Jenkin of 34016 Edna.

Gift certificates were won by Pat Austin, 33933 State; Elizabeth Cook, 31809 Shaw; Jerry Hedgecough, 24040 Orchard Lake Road; Diane Banfield, 34219 Grand River; J. J. Evans, 30764 Ridgeway; Fred Pepper, 34184 Alta Loma; R. E. Snyder, 33798 Glenview; Mrs. Earl Howie, 1601 E. Lake Drive, Walled Lake; Susan Graham, 23512 Brookdale; and Betty Boythe, 27720 Seven Mile.



ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Cleo N. Violette of 22465 Springbrook announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara Constance, to John Dean Maas, son of Fred W. Maas of Drake Road, Farmington, and Mrs. Joyce Cobb of Mason Place, Detroit.

Miss Violette attended Farmington High and is now employed as a bookkeeper with the Michigan Business Service. Mr. Maas was graduated from F.H.S. and is now serving with the U.S. Navy aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga.

A March 16 wedding has been planned.

Urges Improved Community Health

A strong plea for improved community health services was made recently by Dr. Albert E. Heustis, State Health Commissioner, who warned against a let up in efforts to control contagious diseases, and also said that much needs to be done to face up to never-ending health problems.

Dr. Heustis urged more vigorous efforts to encourage immunization against communicable diseases, particularly poliomyelitis, and said, "We cannot afford to let a lackadaisical attitude on the part of the public for immunization go unchallenged since such complacency can have only bitter results."

Pointing to growing health needs, the Commissioner said: "When

you consider what needs to be done to curb diseases such as cancer, heart disease and diabetes, you cannot assign the job to any one profession or agency, but rather have to stir the mobilization of all usable community resources."

Dr. Heustis reported that venereal disease, especially gonorrhea, among teenagers calls for "immediate and cooperative community action." He said about one out of six cases of gonorrhea are turning up in the 15-19 year old age group.

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