

Plymouth Women To Hear Of Herbs And Witch Doctor

"Granny's Herbs and the Witch Doctor" is the talk the Plymouth Women's Club will hear at its meeting at 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 2, in the Plymouth Masonic Temple.

The speaker will be Dr. C. Howard Ross, past president of the Michigan chapter of the American Medical Writers Association.

The well-known Ann Arbor physician also has served as president of the Tri-State Medical Association and the Northern Academy of General Practice, and has written extensively on geriatrics and infant care

and feeding, as well as medical ethics and economics, history and gardening.

Mrs. Ray Barber will be chairman of the meeting, which will be the annual guest day for the club.

Mrs. P.R. Hobbs is its chairman, and her assistants will be Mrs. Leo Crane, Mrs. Walter Campbell, Mrs. Arthur Jones, Mrs. Ralph Taylor, Mrs. Roger Vaughn and Mrs. R.E. Ward.

Mrs. J. Craig Bowley and Mrs. Austin Stecker will be greeters.

Providence Gets Grant For Nurse Training

A federal grant will help the Providence Hospital school of nursing shorten the time it takes a licensed practical nurse become a registered nurse.

The hospital recently announced it had approval from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare for funds for the first 12 months of a three-year project grant.

It is the first program of its kind in the country.

Specifically, the program will provide reorganization of curriculum content so that the licensed practical nurse who meets certain criteria can have advanced standing in a two-year diploma program offered at the hospital. She then could finish the program in 14 months.

Columnist Bombeck To Speak

Columnist Erma Bombeck will replace Betty Furness in the Livonia Town Hall series, officers have announced.

The housewife humorist, whose columns appear regularly in the Detroit Free Press, will speak at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 21, at the Terrace Theater, Livonia.

Her acceptance was reported as new officers took over for the 1968-69 season.

The typical beginning student with no previous nursing background completes the Providence program in two academic years, or 20 months. The successful, licensed practical nurse candidate could complete the program in one academic year and four months, or a total of 14 months.

The three year grant request is for \$55,653 and funds from this project will help offset the administrative, testing and selection services as well as advanced standing in a two-year diploma program offered at the hospital. She then could finish the program in 14 months.

Merrill Palmer Head To Talk To Volunteers

Community attitudes and their impact on urban progress will be discussed by Dr. J. William Rouse, new president of Merrill Palmer Institute, when the Women's Committee of United Community Services observes its 33rd anniversary at 12 noon Monday, Feb. 5, in the Masonic Temple Crystal Ballroom.

The luncheon program is expected to draw nearly 500 men and women from the tri-county area to hear Dr. Rouse speak on "The New Detroit: What Will It Demand of You?"

In announcing plans for the widely-attended annual program, Mrs. John C. Hopp, president of the UCS Women's Committee, said, "The shattering events of last summer made us acutely aware that we must continue to find more effective ways to carry out our basic concept of bringing information to as many people as possible and a special obligation to react in a practical way to the disturbing and massive exigencies in our community."

Engineers Wives Hear Of Norway

The Engineers Wives Club will meet at 8 p.m. Wednesday, Feb. 7, in the Ruchman Building.

The speaker of the evening will be Dr. Robert Goodman from Wayne State University. Dr. Goodman will speak on "North Through Norway" and will include films with his presentation. Husbands are invited for this event.

Hostess for the evening will be Mrs. Gerald Jansen. For reservations call Mrs. William M. Simms, 422-7896.

Proceeds will be used to aid the chapter's weight-lossing.

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Church. And afterwards she found time for a few minutes with Vicky Sechrist, center; Donna George, right and Pamela Conn, standing behind Donna. The pretty bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harding, of Farmington.

Willem Oltmans To Address Northville Town Hall Feb. 15

Willem Oltmans, journalist sometimes known as "The Flying Dutchman," will address the Northville Town Hall at 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 15, in the P. and A. Theater, Northville.

His topic will be "Trouble Spots in Focus."



WILLEM OLTMANS
pendent for Dutch and Belgian newspapers and television networks.

A celebrity luncheon in the Mayflower Meeting House, Plymouth, will follow the talk.

A check for luncheon reservations must be mailed to the Northville Town Hall Series, Box 82, Northville, no later than Feb. 10.

Oltmans, who was born in the Netherlands and educated at Yale University, has covered many major news happenings of the past decade, working as an American corres-

Wrong Note

Exams can get to teachers, too.

The local high school music teacher, who doubles as a choir director, was rehearsing his church group after a day of testing and then correcting papers.

"Take that section again," he said, "Start at the E-minus. No, I mean E-flat."

Definitely, too many exams.

Sorority To Hear Tips On Beauty

Tips on beauty and grooming will be the program for the monthly meeting of area alumnae of Chi Omega sorority at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 8, in the home of Mrs. Ronald Jenkins, 995 Pilgrim, Birmingham.

With a Dutch passport, he has been able to visit areas considered off-limits for American correspondents, such as Communist Cuba. He also has covered Asia, Africa, the Near East, India, Indonesia, Malaysia and southeast Asia.

Last summer he made an extensive tour of Africa, his fourth visit there in 10 years.

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Tops Group Plans Dance

The See Less O' Me chapter of TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) will hold a "Cupid's Capers" dance at 9 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 17, in the K. of C. Hall, Southfield at 13 Mile Rd., Southfield.

Proceeds will be used to aid the chapter's weight-lossing.

Those who dreamed up that mecca for families who love exciting toboggan runs, smooth ice for skating and the quiet of winter woods get a special vote of appreciation from our gang at this time of year.

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