

LEGAL NOTICE

Applications will be received by the Southfield Township Civil Service Commission for a position as fireman in the Southfield Fire Department.

Application blanks are available at the Southfield Township Hall, 26080 Berg road, or at Fire Station No. 1, 10 Mile, and Evergreen roads.

Examinations will be held February 11th, at 9:00 A.M. o'clock in the Southfield High School room 107 or 109.

(Signed) Edward Tafelaki, chairman
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Bride Wears Powder Blue

Barbara Ann Neil wore an afternoon dress of powder blue brocade for her marriage to Thomas J. McCausland Jan. 26, at Mt. Calvary Lutheran church, Detroit. She wore accessories of matching blue and a white hat. Her only flower was a white orchid.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neil, Kinross avenue, Beverly Hills, are the parents of the bride. Her groom is the son of the Thomas M. McCausland, Royal Oak.

Judy Lundquist, Franklin, was bride's only attendant. Her pink dress was similar to Barbara's and her bouquet was of pink rosebuds. Gary Marzahi, Royal Oak, was best man.

Mrs. Neil chose a dress of gun metal gray and Mrs. McCausland wore a lighter shade of gray. Both mothers' corsages were of pink carnations.

Following a wedding trip to Washington, D. C., the newlyweds will reside in Clawson.

Barbara graduated from Birmingham high school last June and is employed at Jacobson's. Thomas is with Hubbell, Roth and Clark.



VIRGILIA PETERSON

Literary Critic Speaks Today At Town Hall

Literary critic, author and book reviewer, Virgilia Peterson, will speak today and tomorrow on Birmingham Town Hall's last offering of the season. The 11 a.m. lecture will be at Birmingham Theater.

Born in New York, Miss Peterson was educated at Westover school in Connecticut, at Vassar college and at the University of Grenoble in Southern France.

She has written articles for the New Yorker and Harper's magazine and her book reviews appear regularly in the New York Herald Tribune's Books.

She is a frequent guest critic on radio and television and has moderated the TV program, "The Author Meets the Critics."

MISS PETERSON is reported to have a knack for making her listeners understand the books she talks about. She is said to be one of the most popular literary commentators on the lecture circuit today.

Jean Lloyd, local librarian, will introduce Miss Peterson both days at the theater and at the celebrity luncheons at Birmingham Country club.

At the speakers table on Thursday, besides the honored guest and Miss Lloyd, will be the Rev. Harold E. Towne, rector of St. James church, and Town Hall committee members Mrs. Charles B. Kass, Mrs. Harlan Splawn, Miss Mable Toumy, Mrs. Margaret Stringham, and Mrs. James E. Smith.

On Friday Town Hall committee members will be Mrs. G. W. Ferris, Mrs. C. E. Brook, Mrs. George Cary and Mrs. Grant Watt.

Birthdays, anniversaries, guests, births, parties are all new-calls the society editor about them.

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Alums Meet; Make Plans

Mrs. Charles Eddy, Henley road, Birmingham, will be hostess at a Valentine party for the North Woodward alumnae of Gamma Phi Beta sorority on Monday evening at 8. Mrs. James McWilliams and Mrs. R. J. Reason will assist the hostess.

Preceding the party, a brief business meeting will be held to discuss plans for the annual fashion show and tea which will be presented at the Birmingham Community House in Feb. 23.

Essort fashions from a Birmingham shop will be modeled and proceeds from the show will be donated to the National Association for Retarded Children, one of the sorority's national philanthropic projects.

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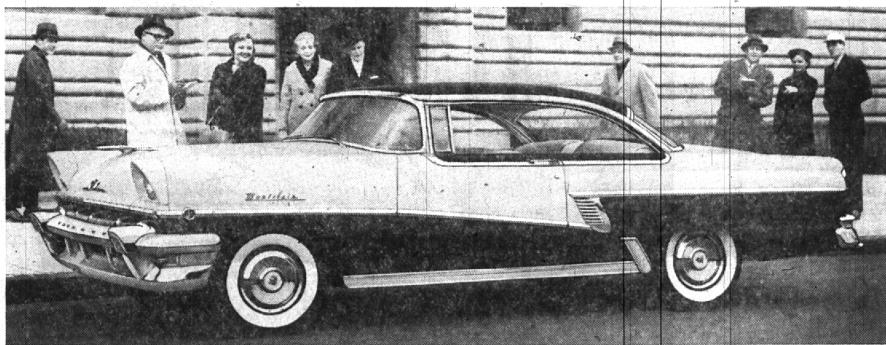
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