

Model Plane Class Plans Seven Meets

The Birmingham YMCA Club (Plymouth Air League) which is the model airplane group for boys meeting each Monday from 6:30 p.m. at the Y House, has announced a series of seven weekly out-of-door meetings continuing through June 5.

An outdoor contest in Detroit on May 29 will feature competition between boys on hand-launched gliders, towline gliders, jets powered engines, control line stunt for engines from 500 to 1000 cubic inches piston displacement, and control line stunt for Class ABCD.

Local members are busy getting their models in order, and kits may be obtained from the Y on Thermic hand-launched gliders, tow line gliders, jet powered kits, and A.A. gas kits. Boys who wish to build large gas models should consult their local model shop, Robert Potter of Wayne University is the local leader and Mrs. Ed Howitt is sponsor for the group.

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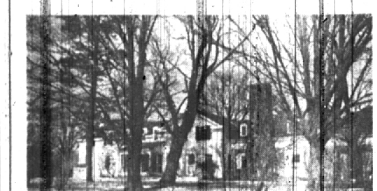
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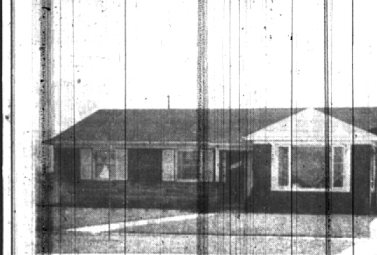
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Ask City to Take Appeal to State Supreme Court

A decision is expected next Monday night from Birmingham city commissioners on whether the city will appeal a circuit court decision to the state supreme court.

The case involves a right-of-way the city granted in 1922 across a piece of city park at the south end of Hawthorne street in exchange for permission to install a sewer across a piece of private property.

Several residents in the subdivision seek to prevent the present property owner, Harvey Rosso, 771 Terrietta, from using the easement granted by the city. This would make it inadvisable for Rosso to continue with a new home already under construction there.

CIRCUIT JUDGE George Harrick Monday entered a decree enjoining Rosso from using the city property on the grounds that the city had no right to make the 1922 agreement.

Rosso's attorney, C. C. Patterson, said if the city does not get the decision reversed, his client has a valid claim against the city for considerable damages.

This would include court costs and money spent to date on the house and land fill he claimed.

Commissioners asked City Attorney Forbes S. Hascall to write an opinion regarding the city's possible liability in the matter so it can be discussed at the April 20 commission meeting.

United Services Group To Head Annual Reports

Reports of committee chairman will highlight the annual meeting and that of the Central Valuation Bureau, United Community Services of Metropolitan Detroit, which is scheduled for April 22. The affair will be from 4:5 p.m. at 4421 Woodward.

Mrs. Edwin J. Anderson of Orchard Ridge road, Bloomfield Hills, is a member of the bureau's subcommittee.

Holy Name Holiday

There will be no school for Holy Name school children Wednesday, April 22. Students will attend an observance of St. Joseph's Day.

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He also cited the similarity in property damages, which for February were \$5,800 and for March, 1952, \$6,020.

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Freezer Advantages To Be Shown Saturday

Miss Lucille Ingram will discuss and demonstrate ways of preparing food for freezer storage at the food forum which Dean Coffin, Inc., is sponsoring at the Community House April 17. Her demonstration, which will also include cooking foods from the freezer, will be open for those with reservations at 5:30 a.m.

A color-picture will give additional information on the processing of foods for the home freezer, buying in quantity for home storage, and the preparation of these foods for the table.

Delinquent Account Rolls

A hearing on delinquent accounts for services rendered to property owners by the city is scheduled for May 1, by Birmingham city commissioners. The accounts total \$1,524.97.



PVT. NIGHT AS R. MOHR and his wife, Doris, are expected home April 18, on furlough from Fort Sill, Okla. to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Mohr, 364 W. Lincoln. A graduate of Baldwin High school, Mohr entered the Army Oct. 10, 1952 and has recently completed his basic training.

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Informal Zone Hearing For Porritt Property

Property owners abutting the 40-acre so-called Porritt property on Adams road at next Monday night's commission meeting will have an opportunity to review the intentions of the property developers and gain a tentative knowledge of what the city plans to do in zoning the area.

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Bates-Southlawn Stop Sign OK'd

The city commission, acting on a request for a traffic study at the Bates-Southlawn intersection, decided Monday night to erect a stop sign on Bates at the intersection.

The request was referred to the police department which also made traffic checks at the Henrietta-Southlawn and Pierce-Southlawn corners to check speeding in the area of Pierce school.

Police Chief Ralph W. Moxley reported that the stop signs did not change going to and from the school had little trouble making the street crossings.

Commissioner Lennie Minor stated that it was time for the commission to heed the wishes of these residents and the commission approved the installation of the stop sign at the one corner.

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