

Expect to File Gas Suit Appeal Request by Friday

LATHRUP — Application for leave to file appeal of the Highland Oil suit is expected to be submitted to the Michigan Supreme Court by City Attorney Everett F. Hayes before Friday.

Hayes said Tuesday that Oakland County Circuit Judge Frank L. Doty had certified all facts Nov. 21 which Hayes planned for use in his appeal.

The Village's attorney also said that Speedway Petroleum Company's pending suit, originally scheduled for Dec. 1, had been moved to Dec. 15 on the circuit court calendar.

MEANWHILE Lathrup residents were reviewing a letter sent out by Leonard A. Watchowski, city administrator, and signed by all five members of the council, notifying them of a meeting Dec. 2 at 8 p.m. in the Lathrup school auditorium.

Purpose of the meeting is to sample public opinion on whether to go ahead with similar suits pending and others that may come in the future.

Last of the last suit, in which Judge Doty ruled that Highland Oil Company should be granted a building permit over city objections, was about \$7,500 for legal fees and witness.

A TRIP to the supreme court would mean another \$3,500 bill, said the letter, which points out that allocation among homeowners still in the circuit court suits is another oil company suit, that of Spang-Varnum Co., who wishes to build at the NE corner of Sunland and Southfield. Highland has property at the NE corner of Highland and Southfield, while Speedway owns a site on the SW corner of Southfield and 12 Mile.

Hayes said he doubted if any answer would be forthcoming from the supreme court before Jan. 1, on the appeal request.

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Franklin Village
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Club Members to Aid Novices At Annual Greens Workshop

With the thought that Christmas decorations should have the personal touch, the Franklin branch of the Woman's National Farm and Garden association will hold its third annual greens sale and workshop at the community hall from 10 a.m. until 9 p.m. on Saturday, Dec. 10.

All ladies in the area are urged to join the members in making their own holiday wreaths, swags, sprays, centerpieces and mantel decorations.

Experienced members will be on hand to provide ideas and assistance and there will be table work space for all.

Materials to be available at the workshop will include greens, holly, berries, pine cones, interesting nuts, ribbon, freshly made unadorned wreaths and a variety of small decorations.

For those not inclined to the "diy" type, a theme finished indoor and outdoor handmade decorations will be on sale. Workshop chairman Mrs. Kenneth Wagner and co-chairman Mrs. George Wisler are being assisted by Mrs. Harry Barr, president of the Franklin branch and chairman of the group active in the outdoor decorations.

She and her committee of ten are working on wreaths at her home on Meadowdale lane. Mrs. Oliver Garwood and her group are busy with indoor decorations.

Don't forget the "Christmas Box" in the social room at the Franklin community church this Saturday. Christmas cookies, baked goods, preserves, toys and handmade gift items will be on sale by the Evening and Fellowship circles.

Mrs. Dixon was hostess at two tables of bridge on Friday, with Mrs. J. Bradford, Mrs. C. H. Bay, Mrs. Albert Yost, Mrs. Lloyd Greenleaf, Mrs. Phillip Cartwright, Mrs. Fred Parsons and Mrs. Herbert Wassinger as her guests.

The Richard Burkhardts joined his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Elliott, in a family holiday dinner at the Elliott's Sherwood Forest home in Detroit, with his brother and family, the John C. Burkhardts of Detroit, in attendance also.

Mrs. Emil Zillmer came from Grand Rapids to spend the holiday with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Skeels, and grandchildren Ellen and Richard.

The Wilford Smiths, Garden Way, celebrated Thanksgiving at a family gathering at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Road Hartz, in Grosse Pointe.

Joining their son and family, the Ellis Premos, at their home on Willowgreen road for Thanksgiving dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Premo, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Dragovich and family celebrated the holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Dragovich, in Detroit.

The Donald Khuses entertained his relatives this Thanksgiving, with brother Kenneth and family here from Saginaw, and his brother Charles and family and his sister and her family, the Frank Komenders, out from Detroit for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barr and their children Gaitskill, Elyse and

List Bingham Farms Fire Phone Number

BINGHAM FARMS — Village residents should know their fire department telephone number, and since service has been changed with incorporation from Southfield to Bingham Farms, The Electric would like all Farms citizens to be aware of the new number.

It is MAYFAIR 6-3221. Keep this number within reach of your phone.

School Closes When Faulty Drain Bottles Up Water Supply

BEVERLY HILLS — About 300 children at the Beverly school had an unexpected one-day vacation Monday when a clogged sewer line backed up and water had to be shut off to allow workmen to get at the line.

Discovery of the malfunctioning sewer was made when workmen attempted to tie in a sewer line from a seven-room addition to the trunk line.

Malcolm Ferguson, school principal, praised room mothers who had contacted parents of all the

children and had the school cleared by 11:30.

WATER HAD to be shut off before this to allow workmen a chance to pump out the septic tank.

Teachers stayed on despite the water shortage. "It wasn't any holiday for us," said Ferguson, who held a teachers meeting in the afternoon. "We did a lot of work that we otherwise wouldn't have time for during the day," he added.

Repairmen worked late Monday so school could resume normal activities Tuesday.

Want Ads cannot be accepted after 5 p.m. each Tuesday.

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Pierce School Cub Scouts Hold Annual Party Tonight

Probably the first Christmas party of the year will be held today when Cub Scouts of Pack B-7 give their annual Christmas party for pack members and their families.

Santa will be there with a treat for each youngster and each den will have a Christmas Carol. The party will be held in Pierce school gym, 7:15 this evening.

Guests of the Detroit News on Saturday in a tour of the plant were 45 cubs and 16 adults.

Members of the Franklin Women bowlers, the Thursday afternoon league bowlers, in Birmingham, bowled for prizes for the Thanksgiving holiday. Irene Hanna, Frisken's Service, 58 pins; and Lydia Hyde, on the Great East Lake team, with 49 pins on the pinside. Honors for high individual game so far this year go to Margaret Thomas who bowled 232 recently.

Gift certificates for pins over average went to Margaret Thomas, Flora Bradley, of the Village Nursery team; 108 pins; Evelyn Charbeneau, Franklin's Service, 75 pins; Delores Hyers, Homer Hyde Real Estate, 66 pins; Irene Hanna, Frisken's Service, 58 pins; and Lydia Hyde, on the Great East Lake team, with 49 pins on the pinside. Honors for high individual game so far this year go to Margaret Thomas who bowled 232 recently.

Just as Mr. and Mrs. William Van Buren and family are getting settled in Lexington, Ky., new residents have moved into the former Van Buren home on Madeline. They are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kelly and Richard, 5, who moved here two weeks ago from Louisville, Ky. Kelly, a member of the Optimist club, is executive vice president of Russell Kelly Office Service in Detroit.

Today Mrs. Claude Shephard is entertaining Mrs. Richard Kelly and 15 of her neighbors at a "coffee" in the Shephard home on Madeline.

Thanksgiving day was celebrated two different ways this year in the Gerald Bonner home on Kirkshire. First the traditional dinner was held with maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Penner as guests and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goodell and daughter Phyllis and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilde.

In the evening a birthday cake was served in honor of the birthday of Domes and daughter Delene. Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jones from Scottville were present at a birthday celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dawson returned to their home in Canfield, Ohio, Sunday, after spending the long Thanksgiving weekend with their son and his family, the Don-

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Bingham Council Rejects 37-Acre Tele-13 Mile Plat

BINGHAM FARMS — Bingham Woods subdivision, a 37-acre tract at the NE corner of Telegraph and 13 Mile road, was turned down by councilmen Monday because they said it did not meet minimum requirements of the village.

Owned by Graham and Joseph Orley, the 61-lot development would have contained 40 lots of about one-half acre, if approved.

William King, village president, indicated that lot sizes should be about 1 1/2 acres to meet minimum requirements.

PRESENT were the owners and Detroit builder, Samuel Heckman. We have no objection to doing the reasonable thing," said Heckman, "but we think that upgrading, which we plan to do, should be on a grander basis."

Heckman pointed to lot sizes below 13 Mile road and across Telegraph in Franklin, both of which were smaller than these proposed for Bingham Woods.

Councilmen told Heckman and the Orley brothers that they would undoubtedly approve the plat if it were brought up to minimum village requirements.

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