

### NEWLY RENOVATED FIRE HALL VISITED BY CITY COUNCIL

Equipment Inspected by City Dads—Firemen Are Congratulated On Efficiency

An inspection of fire department headquarters was made last evening by the city council and civil service commission. Under the guidance of Chief Roy Elliott, the officials were shown the work of calsmining, painting and scrubbing which was completed recently by the firemen. The entire building was gone over, the firemen doing the work themselves. It required 575 pounds of calsmine for the job, the chief related. In addition, he explained as he escorted the officials about the building, the kitchen was painted, all the woodwork was washed, the floors were waxed and the drapes were laundered.

**Tasks Rotated**  
Every part of the building was inspected, the city officials being shown how the firemen live at headquarters, how their clothes are arranged to jump into if an alarm sounds at night, how lights go on automatically so that the men would not be groping in the dark. They were told how the firemen are rotated in certain tasks so that at all times some one has direct responsibility for a certain job.

The workshop also was inspected, the councilmen and civil service commissioners seeing the array of fine tools with which the firemen convert brokendown toys into new, shiny playthings for poor children at Christmas. The tools, Chief Elliott explained, have been bought out of proceeds from the firemen's annual ball.

Considerable attention was paid to the fire engines, Edward Canoose, assistant fire chief, explaining how the pumpers and chemicals function. The lights of the fire wagons are tested every night, the engines every morning, the inspecting party was informed. Electric heaters keep the engines warm so that they will start easily in any kind of weather. Mr. Canoose pointed out.

**13 On Duty at Night**  
With the volunteers, there are now 13 men on duty at headquarters every night. Chief Elliott said, adding that the volunteers are a valuable part of the department whose work means much to the city in the control of fire.

All the regular firemen who were on duty were introduced to the councilmen and civil service commissioners. The inspecting party congratulated the firemen on the way they maintain the hall and spoke highly of their work as fire fighters.

### BRITAIN CONTRACTS FOR FORD ENGINES

London, June 19.—(P)—Britain has contracted with the Ford Motor company of Detroit for 6000 Rolls-Royce Merlin airplane engines. Aircraft Production Minister Lord Beaverbrook announced today.

Production is to start within a month and deliveries will begin early next year, the announcement said.

### Der Fuehrer's Score Sheet Since 1935



Here in map form is the Adolf Hitler scoresheet to date of the campaign which started slowly in 1935 and rolled into a Blitzkrieg in 1939 and 1940. By numbers, they are:  
1. Seizure of the Saar in January, 1935. 2. Austria disappears, March 1938. 3. Sudetenland falls October, 1938. 4. Memel is taken in March, 1939. 5. Bohemia, Moravia and Slovakia disappear in March, 1939. 6. Poland is destroyed in September, 1939, part going to Russia. 7. The Blitzkrieg moves northward into Denmark in April, 1940. 8. Norway is invaded on its heels but fights through May and part of June. 9. Luxembourg is invaded in May. 10. The Netherlands fall in May. 11. Belgium capitulates May 28. 12. Paris falls and France asks peace.

### COUNCIL ACTION CLEARS WAY FOR PAVING HEARINGS

The way was cleared at last night's semi-monthly city council meeting for the calling of a public hearing on the paving of short stretches of a number of streets.

The streets and roads committee reported that estimates of cost had been prepared, together with the financial status of the Improvement districts, and the entire matter was then referred to the city superintendent and city attorney for appropriate action. It was indicated the next step would be the calling of the public hearing on the paving proposals.

The streets involved in the paving proposal were: Dakota from King to Peach; Beekman from Dakota southward; Park from Dakota to Belmont; and Catherine from Park to King. The paving improvements had been asked by property owners in petitions filed some time ago. The improvement cost would be assessed against the property.

H. S. Deuel, chairman of the finance committee and ranking councilman, presided in the absence of Mayor C. C. Furnas.

### Radio Highlights

By Associated Press.  
(Time is Pacific Standard.)  
New York, June 19.—Respite from war broadcasting will be offered Thursday night, if it doesn't rain, in an altogether different kind of a fight—the

return heavyweight battle of the fists between Champion Joe Louis and Arthur Godoy. The fight is slated for the Yankee Stadium. If the weather causes a postponement, broadcast time will be changed.

WJZ-NBC, using Sam Taub and Bill Stern, will do the transmission, starting at 6 o'clock.

Next week's broadcasting from the Republican national convention will include the Tuesday night address of former President Herbert Hoover.

Tonight: Europe—MBS 6:20; CGS 4:55, 6:30; WJZ-NBC 6; NBC 8.

WABC-CBS—6:15, interview of Roger W. Babson, prohibition presidential candidate.

WJZ-NBC—7:05, Preview of Louis-Godoy fight.

MBS—5:30, Charles G. Dawes discussing current developments.

### DIVIDEND VOTED BY DIRECTORS OF FIRST FEDERAL

A dividend of 3 1/2 per cent was voted by directors of First Federal Savings and Loan association of Medford, Tuesday, payable July 1, and on behalf of the directors, R. F. Kyle, secretary-manager, stated that "the dividend is in line with general trends of returns on insured savings throughout the state and nation. Our association," Mr. Kyle said, "previously has been paying 4 per cent. The yield has declined on all classes of sound investments in recent years, most associations still paying 3 1/2 per cent are considering dividend reductions in the near future. With occasional exceptions the savings banks are paying 1 1/2 per cent or less. Postal savings pay 2 per cent and the average yield on government bonds and high-grade corporation bonds ranges from 1 1/2 to 3 1/2 per cent. Bonds are subject to fluctuations in market value while insured savings are not and the savings in the First Federal Savings and Loan association of Medford are not only insured up to \$5,000 but are protected against market fluctuations, being withdrawable 100 cents on the dollar.

"Our association has always invited the savings and investments of people who expect a conservative investment," Mr. Kyle continued. "This conserv-

ative trend is toward lower dividends and higher reserves and places the leading department of the association in a position to compete for the very best home loans available in this community. Loan rates have probably touched bottom, although today we are taking a higher volume of loans at minimum rates than at any time in our history."

Directors of the association are Wm. H. Fluhrer, A. J. Hanby, P. M. Janney, B. H.

Bauer, W. H. Reichstein, W. C. Rookard, M. Peirce and Mr. Kyle.

**Publisher Dies**  
Tillamook, June 19.—(P)—Thomas Walpole, publisher of the weekly Headline Herald, died today following a brief illness.

**Weather.**  
Northern California: Generally fair tonight and Thursday but some cloudiness on coast night and morning and local

thunderstorms tonight over mountains of north portion; warmer in delta region Thursday; gentle variable wind off coast, becoming moderate north-west.

**Brave Farm Wife.**  
Canyonville, Ore., June 19.—(P)—Mrs. L. B. Goodreau, farm wife, heard her pigs squealing and discovered a 300-pound bear clawing its way through the fence. She repelled the invasion with a single bullet.

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