

CONTROVERSY LOOMS OVER FIRE STATION

Disagreement over the location of the new municipal fire station is looming according to expressions made at a meeting of the city council last night when Charles Thomas, resident of Mills addition, spoke in behalf of residents of that section.

Mr. Thomas stated that if more names are needed on the petition which was presented a week ago, signed by Mills addition property owners and requesting that the station be located on the east side of the Southern Pacific tracks, he will obtain them.

Van Camp Opposed
Councilman Van Camp was of the belief that it would not be necessary at this time as no action can be taken until later, but that when the station was first proposed it was to be in a centralized location and was of the opinion that people on the east side of the city are trying to upset all the plans.

He went on to state that the northern portion of the city needs more protection, too, since there are several large mills located in that district, and that when the station project was first brought up he took particular pains to ask if it would be centrally located.

Want Expert Opinion
Councilman Bagley took the stand that the ballot said "for construction of an additional station" but nothing about a centrally located station and certainly no one could make centrally located out of additional.

"If the people in Mills addition had not understood that the new fire station would be there some good that item would have been snowed under on the ballot," Mr. Thomas declared.

It was Councilman Driscoll's opinion that the only thing to do is to have the station located with regard to fire insurance and to obtain the opinion of an outside insurance man.

Offer Sites
The following property was offered for sale to the city as locations for the station:

Lots 5A and 5B, block 2, on Market and Spring streets in Railroad addition, submitted by the Klamath Development company; lots 5A, 5B and 9A, block 2, Railroad addition, on Spring and Martin streets, by Harry A. Lintner; lots 555 and 553, block 108, Mills addition, by John E. Orr; lot 2, block 291, Wagon and avenue, Mills second addition, by William J. Ousley; lots 32, 33 and 34, block 17 of Industrial addition, by Iona James; lot 19, block 4, on Klamath avenue facing Twelfth street, Canal addition, for \$80 per front foot, by R. E. Wright.

All the bids were placed on file for future reference.

To Improve Cemetery

The preliminary work for improving Linkville cemetery was discussed and a motion passed for Councilman Van Camp to take charge of cleaning up the cemetery. The cemetery committee was also authorized to investigate the cost of putting up a new fence.

An ordinance was passed to first reading approving the new plat of Linkville cemetery which is now under city management.

Airport Ordinance
The ordinance setting forth rules and regulations for the new municipal airport was adopted, following the third reading.

Councilman Van Camp wished to know if student pilots were allowed to fly over the city and asked that the matter be investigated.

No Objections

Last night being the time for the hearing of objections on the sidewalk assessment and as there were no objections, City Attorney Joyin was authorized to prepare an ordinance levying assessments, an ordinance levying assessments.

Authorized Contract

The ordinance was adopted authorizing the mayor and police judge to enter into a contract with the Central Pacific and the Southern Pacific railroads for an easement for right of way of a sewer line over property owned by the companies.

Bids Not Awarded

No reports were made on the bids for gas, oil and tires and feeding city prisoners.

Mr. Hale, proprietor of the Little Gem restaurant, was present and stated a report was going about the city that the bid for prisoners' meals was to be awarded to the highest bidder and he just wanted to tell the council that if it was so he put in his bid wrong. There was no comment when Mr. Hale finished and sat down.

Grant Licenses

Upon recommendation of the police committee, licenses to operate during 1931 were granted the Empire Hotel, Oregon rooms, Hart hotel, Fulton Theater rooms, Cascade hotel.

Applications for renewal of permits were received from a number of the hotels, restaurants, pool rooms and plumbers. John F. Robinson was the first applicant for a milk producer's permit under the new city milk ordinance. Both producers and distributors of milk are to be licensed under the new law.

Seven building permits, totaling \$6,425, were allowed.

FORT KLAMATH NEWS ITEMS

MRS. A. HOYT
FORT KLAMATH, Ore., Jan. 12 (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stanley of Klamath Falls motored to Fort Klamath Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Elgan and son Grover returned home Wednesday from Medford, where they spent the holidays with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Engle had

as their guests for dinner New Year's day Mr. and Mrs. John Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Copeland, John Jr. and Margaret Engle. Cards were played in the evening, and a pleasant time was had by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Gray and children, Donald, Barbara and Ann, spent New Year's day with Mr. Gray's mother and sister, Mrs. George Gray and Alice Gray.

Mrs. Stella Lippert of Portland is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. Addie Hoyt. George Hoyt has five men carpentering for him. They are re-building a barn and making it into a modern garage with room for three cars. He is also building a work room upstairs in the garage.

Harry Corbin, who is well known in this neighborhood, and who has been ill for the past three weeks, passed away Friday, at the Hillside hospital in Klamath Falls.

John H. Copeland, who has been spending the holidays with his parents here, left Friday for Corvallis, where he will resume his studies at the Oregon State college.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moffatt and daughter Jessie visited at the Hoyt home one day this week. Among the local people who were shopping in Chiloquin Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Copeland and Mrs. Harry Engle and sons, Weston and Clifford.

The G. L. club held their regular meeting Friday. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Mallory and Mrs. Allen. The club is planning another series of four card parties, the first of which will be held January 8 at the club house.

Mrs. May Long, whose shoulder was injured while coasting Sunday, was taken to the hospital for treatment Sunday night, and is reported as improving satisfactorily.

Miss Jane Short, who has been visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins, has returned to Klamath Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Birchbaum, Miss Welsh and Mrs. Neale, teachers in the local schools, who have been away during the holidays, returned home Sunday evening.

Chas. and Emil Zumbur and Pete O'Connor left Monday for a motor trip to Los Angeles.

Mrs. Nelda Corbin, who has been in Klamath Falls for the past week because of the illness and death of her husband, returned home Monday, and will spend a few days with her mother.

MRS. CASTER ENTERTAINS

MRS. O. O. WINGFIELD
TENNANT, Calif., Jan. 13 (Special)—Mrs. Robert Caster entertained her Sunday school class of intermediate boys and girls with a party Friday afternoon at the church.

The children enjoyed games, after which Mrs. Casper served refreshments.

Those present were Alice Anderson, Virginia Friend, Kate Hamilton, Kathryn Marie Willbank, Nan McLeod, Hazel Little, Fatty and Betty Ponnell, Marie Murphy, Maxine Grayes, George Little, Joseph and Billy Kolda, George Anderson, Hubert Goodsy, Marcus Amberg and Bobbie Caster.

C. A. Kirstein returned Sunday from a visit to his mother, Mrs. Geena Kirstein, at Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Murphy and daughter, Miss Pearl Murphy, were overnight guests Saturday at Weed, Calif.

E. D. McDonald was in Weed, Calif., during the week on business.

J. A. Palmer, who has been ill and confined to his home for a week, is able to be up and around again.

Mrs. H. T. Doyle and small daughter Betty, who have been at Klamath Falls the past week, returned Thursday evening, leaving again Friday evening for Los Angeles, Calif., where Mrs. Doyle's father is quite ill.

On Vacation



NEA Miami Bureau
In this naive looking costume, smiling Gail Curet would be as much at home on the high seas as she usually is on the high C's. The noted opera star is pictured above at Miami Beach, Fla., where she is resting prior to starting a concert tour thru the north.

Governor's Daughter Wed



It was the first wedding to be held in Virginia's historic executive mansion at Richmond in more than a quarter of a century, when Miss Suzanne Pollard, daughter of Governor John Garland Pollard, and Herbert Lee Boatwright, of Danville, Va., were married the other day. This picture, taken immediately after the ceremony, shows the bride cutting the wedding cake while the groom looks on. The former Miss Pollard has been serving as her father's official hostess.

HUNGARIAN WOMAN HANGS FOR MURDER

SZOLNOK, Hungary, Jan. 13. (AP)—Crying "God Help Me," Frau Marie Kardos was hanged today in the prison courtyard here in atonement to the state for murder of her husband and 22 year old son last year. She was the first woman to be hanged by court sentence in Hungary for many generations.

Frau Kardos, who was one of 40 women who appeared in the group poisoning trials of last spring and summer and one of three to receive the death sentence, lost the padded ennu which marked the early demeanor in the few days preceding her death. As execution became imminent she was stricken with terror at the prospect of the gallows.

She ate heartily in her prison cell last night, a bowl of goulash being allowed her for her last dinner. There followed a period of prayer with friends and a protestant clergyman, interrupted once when the hangman came to weigh her so as to calculate the measure of her fall from the scaffold. She sprang back screaming but was reassured when her friends told her the executioner was a doctor.

This morning she arose and dressed unassisted and sipped a cup of coffee before being led weeping into the prison courtyard where seventy persons were assembled to witness her death. She prayed there again for a moment and then was led to the gallows where the president of the court read the sentence of death to her. Concluding, he addressed the executioner: "Hangman do your duty."

An attending physician pronounced her unconscious within a few seconds and dead in eight minutes. Her body was left on the gallows for half an hour and then cut down and placed in a coffin in the prison morgue.

The hanging followed the peculiar Hungarian method. The two assistants drew her feet toward them as the stool was knocked from beneath her. The hangman, holding her face with a handkerchief, turned it from side to side until she was pronounced dead when he lifted his hat and informed the president

of the court that the sentence had been carried out.

One of the condemned woman's last callers was the man known hereabouts as her sweetheart, Stefan Todor, who arrived in a sleigh this morning and was admitted to the prison to see her. She received him coldly.

Todor obtained permission to witness the execution and shouted frantically, threatening everybody around him when the woman was plucked at the gallows and had to be removed.

MISCONSTRUED
"My daughter shall not sing at the Mayor's reception tonight. The doctor has ordered her rest." "I didn't know the mayor's had been ill."—Huen Humor, Madrid.

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NOTED CHILEAN DOCTORS MEET TRAGIC DEATHS

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, Jan. 12 (AP)—The tragic deaths of Dr. Cora Mayer, Chile's leading woman physician, and Dr. Alfredo De Maria, government hygiene chief, puzzled the authorities today. Dr. Maria shot Dr. Mayer and himself.

Attendants at the public nurses' school where the shooting took place declared that the two had been in love and advanced the theory that, separated by Dr. De Maria's marriage to another woman, they had determined to die together. Dr. Mayer was 35 and unmarried.

Other also conversant with the lives of the two practitioners expressed belief that the crime was motivated by a professional jealousy for which death of both seemed the only solution to the impetuous hygiene official.

School attendants said Dr. De Maria walked into the office of Dr. Mayer, who was chief of the school, and engaged in a low conversation with her. Two shots rang out. Attendants rushed to find both dead. Dr. De Maria apparently had placed a pistol at Dr. Mayer's forehead and then had turned the gun on himself.

Both had been on health missions to the United States and Europe. Dr. Mayer was a leader in children's medical work and was classed by some as the greatest of all Spanish American woman physicians. Dr. De Maria was a medical professor in the University of Chile and acting

chief of hygiene for the national government.

Both were natives of Chile. She was of German extraction and he of Italian.

HOOVERS DINE OUT
WASHINGTON, Jan. 13 (AP)—The president and Mrs. Hoover will be entertained at dinner to-

Australia's New King Wed



Beginning a flight into matrimony, Col. Charles Kingsford-Smith Australia's famous trans-Pacific and trans-Atlantic airman, and his bride, the former Miss Mary Powell, received messages of congratulation from all parts of the world upon their recent marriage at Sydney. Here you see them, in the foreground, as they signed the marriage register immediately after the wedding.

night by Secretary and Mrs. Stimson for the third time.

MEETING NOTICE
Calvary Commandery No. 16, K. T.—Stated convocations Wednesday, January 14, 1931, at 7:30 p. m. Installation of officers. Banquet at Masonic hall, 6:30 p. m. Visiting Knights Templar and their ladies invited to attend.

SURGEON DIES WHILE DOING AN OPERATION

NEW YORK, Jan. 13, (AP)—A surgical operation intended to reshape the nose of Mrs. E. Dodge Jr., was concluded yesterday by another plastic surgeon, the New York Evening World said today, when Dr. Louis F. Berne died of heart attack in the operating room.

Mrs. Dodge remained on the operating table under an anesthetic, the Evening World said, and Joseph Safian of the plastic surgery department of Beth Israel hospital, was called hastily to complete the operation.

Mrs. Dodge, the former Mariel Dorothy Blumart of Detroit, was married to Dodge, son of the late motor manufacturer, after his divorce from Mrs. Lois Knowlton Dodge.

Dr. Berne died as he was performing the operation at the Park West hospital. He was 47.

Dr. Berne remodeled the features of such celebrities as Jack Dempsey, Bert Lytell, the late "Wild Bill" Brennan, Fannie Bryce and members of the family of Benito Mussolini. He had a wide acquaintance among players of the stage and screen.

BETTY: I've been engaged to one man seven times.
Hessie: Well, I've been engaged to seven men at one time—Answers.

It is reported that Germany is building an airplane designed to carry 120 persons and having a cruising radius of about 5000 miles.

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