City Council Votes Down Barracks Pool Project

A suggested plan of using the marine barracks swimming pool in place of a proposed pool to be constructed on city recreation property was discarded Monday night by the city council. A survey of the cost of maintaining the barracks pool, which was presented by the recreation committee, indicated that the pool "on the hill" was, financially, too big for the city to handle.

Figuring the expense of transportation, water, heating, electricity, and technical help, E. E. Hambrick, recreation director, pointed out that it would cost the city approximately $7000 per month to handle the barracks pool. Of the $7000 a month, $5000 would be a continuing expense for the entire year as the staff could not be employed for just three months and depreciation of the building would forbid the closing of the facilities for the nine-month period when it would not be in use.

Hambrick stated that the city would have to provide free and adequate transportation to and from the pool if it were to be substituted for the proposed pool in Klamath Falls. This alone would cost $1560 a month; water, $140; heating, $1500; electricity $100, and labor $3500. This outlay would make available not only the swimming pool but also the bowling alleys and the gymnasium.

In summing up the whole plan Hambrick said "We would pay out $21,000 more for a three months' swimming program using the marine barracks than we would for a similar program in our own city pool."

Affer hearing the report the council decided to call a meeting to discuss the Klamath Falls swimming pool project with the mayor and the recreation committee.

Klamath Valley Hospital Sold

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oped that made it advisable for us to acquire the Valley hospital in order to extend adequate hospital service to all who need it." He explained that Hillside hospital has been "overflowing" with patients.

Available To Public

Hicks emphasized that both hospitals, although operated by the Medical Service bureau, are available for the use of the general public, regardless of bureau membership.

Klamath Valley hospital has approximately 80 beds.

It was built by Dr. Hunt, who completed the first unit of 26 beds in 1920. A second unit was completed in 1925.

About three years later, Dr. Hunt built the Valley hotel, the original purpose being to use that structure as a dormitory for nurses in training. It has functioned, rather, as a general hotel, but many graduate nurses have resided there.

Dr. Hunt said he planned to continue his practice here, but will take a vacation first.

Dr. L. L. Truax will continue use of his present offices in the hospital building temporarily, but is expected to move to a new location later.

Hicks said the Valley hotel will be operated as a hotel for the time being at least, but that it will become more definitely a part of the hospital as need for private hospital rooms develop.

The Hospital pharmacy which has been operated in the Valley hospital since ite beginning, will continue there.

Astronomers estimate that the earth, if seen from the moon, would appear about 80 times as luminous as the moon appears when it is seen from the earth.

Von Papen Called Peace Advocate

NUERNBERG, July 23 (AP)—Defense counsel for Franz von Papen today described Hitler's best known diplomat as a man interested only in peace, who accepted ambassadorial posts in Austria and Turkey only to work for an amicable settlement of Europe's problems.

Dr. Egon Kubuschok, in concluding his final defense summary, said Hitler recalled Von Papen from Austria before the 1938 anschluss, because Hitler realized that Von Papen would not follow a stern, radical political course.

Kibuschok said Von Papen hesitated in taking the post of ambassador to Austria in July, 1934, and finally accepted only because he alone would be in a position to fulfill this task within the framework of true pacification.

Reward Posted In Saw Thefts

The Burkhardt and Schortgen contracting firm, 1007 Kane, is offering $250 reward for the arrest and conviction of persons who have stolen three expensive power saws from company jobs in recent weeks, Deputy Sheriff Marion Barnes said today.

Two saws were taken from the KFPA building on the hill at the Weed-Ashland junction last month, probably hauled away in a truck.

One of them was a Mall skill-type handle power saw, worth $132, and the other was a Delta table saw valued at $190.

Then last weekend the company lost another saw from a job at the Ralph L. Smith lumber company on the Weed highway. That was a DeWalt 12-inch blade table saw, worth $408.

Another DeWalt table saw, same model, was recently taken from a job at the W. T. Mann cottages, near the KFPA's new headquarters, but not owned by Burkhardt and Schortgen.

This equipment is badly needed by the contractors in building, and Barnes asks that any information about the saws be called in to the sheriff's office.

A pair of woman's stockings contains almost four miles of thread.

Talent Is Where You Find It

This cartoon, depicting a scene familiar at the city lockup in the wee hours of the night, was drawn by an artist named Bud Gibbons while he was a guest of the city serving out a drunk fine. Gibbons is well liked at the booking desk for his sense of humor and for the cartoons he has drawn for cops on the night shift.

Jewish Terror Stirs Attlee

LONDON, July 23 (AP) — Prime Minister Attlee told the house of commons today that, "of all the outrages in Palestine, many and horrible in the past few months," the blasting of the King David hotel in Jerusalem yesterday was the worst.

Attlee said his latest figures for "this insane act of terrorism" were 41 dead, 52 missing and 53 injured.

(Dispatches from Jerusalem said 48 were known dead and 50 were unaccounted for).

The prime minister said all available information was to the effect the perpetrators of the crime were Jews.

"As this house knows," Attlee continued, "his majesty's government is at this moment in consultation with the government of the United States with a view to arriving at proposals for a just settlement of the Palestine problem, which will be placed before the representatives of both Arabs and Jews.

"His majesty's government has stated and stated again that it will not be diverted by acts of violence in its search for a just and final solution of this problem."

Anthony Eden, speaking for the opposition, asked Attlee for assurance that the labor government intended to take "every step in its power and provide the local authorities with every sanction they might need" to prevent recurrences.

"Certainly," replied Attlee.

Lumbermen To Form Wage Boost Demands

PORTLAND, July 23 (AP) — Wage increase demands will be formulated by the CIO International Woodworkers of America's negotiating committee tonight or tomorrow, President James E. Fadling said today, with the policy to hinge on federal price control legislation.

The contract negotiated last spring permits re-opening in September for wage adjustments, he said.

Suribachi Today

Joe Rosenthal, who took the historic Iwo Jima flag-raising picture atop Mt. Suribachi February 23, 1945, visits the monument which now marks the spot. Rosenthal, staff photographer for the San Francisco Chronicle on leave to illustrate a NATS book; made the flag picture as an Associated Press cameraman with the wartime still picture pool.

Bikini Readied For Bomb Drop

By The Associated Press

Barring last-minute changes, the earth's fifth atomic bomb explosion will occur at 8:35 a. m. Thursday, July 25, Bikini time. That will be 4:35 p. m. Wednesday, eastern standard time.

A forecast of good weather gave promise the program will be carried out as planned.

Seventy-five ships in Bikini lagoon are ready. Near the detonation center are the Battleship Arkansas and the Carrier Saratoga. Next is the Battleship New York, with four landing craft behind her.

About a dozen miles away will be the observers, army and navy men, scientists, working newspapermen and notables.

Drone planes with scientific instruments will fly through the water plume. Other planes will be in the immediate vicinity.

Speedboats will be ready to dash through the lagoon before radio-activity diffuses. Others will wait for radio-activity to subside—perhaps five days.

Cabinet Quits In Paraguay

ASUNCION, Paraguay, July 23 (AP)—The cabinet of President Higinia Morinigo has resigned to facilitate a governmental reorganization, it was officially announced today.

The resignations were accepted by the president following conversations between him and representatives of the national republican (Colorado) and the Febrerista parties.

Previously rumors that Morinigo himself was quitting office were officially denied as "absolutely unfounded."

Vote Slated At End Of Six Months

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a special election, out of parking proceeds, for a vote on the issue. Councilmen said there will be no question after the election—if the people vote them out, the meters will go out; if they vote them in, they will stay.

Trial Without Cost

Councilmen have said they can make arrangements with a parking meter company to install meters on a trial basis, without cost to the city and the city taking 25 per cent of the proceeds during the trial. If it is decided then to keep the meters, the other 75 per cent taken during the trial will be applied to the purchase price.

Chairman Long of the retail trade bureau said today that the merchants are dubious about any scheme that provides for installing meters without first having a vote. "A man doesn't like to go to jail, but after he's in, it isn't so bad," commented Long.

The council did not decide how many meters will be installed or on what streets they will appear. This decision will be made later, it was indicated.

A lady of fashion, fully dressed, 400 years ago, wore about 35 pounds of garments.

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In The Day's News

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members of congress are anxious to get through and get home.

Whether or not Truman will sign what congress sends over to him also remains to be seen.

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MEANWHILE, the New York stock market breaks sharply this morning. The dispatches report: "Leading industrials and rails dropped one to four points today as heavy selling hit virtually all departments."

Nobody is ever flatly certain why the stock market acts as it does, but it is to be presumed that the break was influenced by uncertainty over OPA.

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THE handling of price control legislation by both the congress and the President has been a mess—largely because both have been more concerned with VOTES than with results.

Sound business men all over America are coming to realize that profit is a BY-PRODUCT of good goods, good service and fair treatment of customers. When these essentials are provided, profit follows.

If our politicians could only realize that RE-ELECTION is a by-product of good government for the country as a whole, the American way of life would be far safer than it is.

No Trace Yet Of Lost Pair

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gas tank cap was still on when the boat was towed in, and there was still gas in the tank, eliminating the possibility that the boat might have capsized while the tank was being refilled.

Taking into account the wind and drift of the boat, searchers have conjectured that the boat capsized between 8 and 9 o'clock Sunday morning, somewhere out from the mouth of Shoalwater bay between Eagle ridge and Doak point. Depth of the water there is variable, with many deep holes.

For air-spotting purposes, the sheriff's office has determined that Gordon was dressed in blue levis, a blue rayon shirt and was wearing a dark green hat, while Henry wore forest green trousers, a light tan shirt and tan fabric hat.

Air Search Fruitless

Yesterday the sheriff covered Shoalwater bay in a boat, prepared to grapple if anything was seen of the bodies of the men, but nothing was found. Al Cummings, Klamath Agency, pilot, is making two patrols over the area daily, and this morning reported that the water was very clear, but that he found no trace of the men.

Officials believe that the bodies may come to the surface by this weekend, and Murl Long, who has a pontoon-equipped plane, is planning to scour the area Thursday or Friday.

Gordon, who lives at 2834 Altamont, has been employed as head checker at Lost river dairy for the past six years. He is survived by his wife, a son, Courtney, 18, who is with the navy on Saipan; a daughter, Mrs. Faye Leary of Oceanside, Calif., and a younger daughter, Barbara, at home.

Arrangements are now being made through the Red Cross to have Courtney Gordon come home from Saipan, and Mrs. Leary is coming from Oceanside.

Henry, a civilian engineer with the army in the Aleutians until recently, resided with his wife in the Hamel apartments. They were spending the weekend at the Gordon residence. Henry had recently repaired Gordon's boat for this trip.

Mead Wants Army Men Disciplined

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of Natalie, had footed the hotel bills for the officers.

The committee ordered its investigators to obtain records on whether the government paid the per diem allowance to the officers on the strength of the travel allowances.

Mrs. Bates testified she met Henry Garsson and Freeman at Freeman's home.

They were particularly anxious, she said, to prevent her from telling the committee, under oath, that she had seen Albert Jacobson, $9975-a-year war department consultant, in the combine's Washington office.

Owner Chases Car Thieves

A ride which smacked of a thriller-diller Hollywood production was taken by George Bratton and Willard Mann Monday when the two spotted an unidentified man attempting to make off with Bratton's car.

The car was parked in the garage at the Bratton packing plant on the Keno road when the two men saw someone climb in and drive away.

Bratton and Mann gave chase in Mann's car as far as Keno where they forced the culprit off the road; but he ran away before the two men could reach him. The car was recovered intact according to state police who came along in time to get in on the chase.

The nearest of all the stars is estimated to be about 25,000,000,000,000 miles from the earth.

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