

Hospitals Lively Issue In Siskiyou

YREKA, Calif., Sept. 1.—Next to the perennial redistricting issue, a countywide hospital district proposal probably is Siskiyou's liveliest controversy.

The hospital situation will get another scanning Wednesday, September 7, when the Siskiyou county planning commission studies a hospital expert's 11-page report and recommendations. The planners will meet in the courthouse at 10 a. m.

The expert, G. Waite Curtis of Oakland, submitted two plans based on the results of his survey, but both propose a new private hospital with 40 beds in Yreka costing \$570,000, a 15-bed private hospital at Tulelake costing \$240,000 and a 40-bed private hospital at Mount Shasta costing \$640,000.

Curtis also recommended that the power plant at the present Siskiyou county General hospital be remodeled at a cost of \$100,000 to serve both the county hospital and the proposed private hospital, and that \$50,000 be spent to remodel the present structure and annex.

Five aid facilities also would be made available at Dunsmuir, Happy Camp and either Fort Jones or Kuna at \$20,000, \$10,000 and \$15,000, respectively.

The total construction cost would be \$1,645,000, which Curtis believes will be available to Siskiyou county with federal state county cooperation. Federal and state agencies

each would match the county's \$545,334. The maximum tax rate of 30 cents allowed a district would raise only \$88,000 annually however.

Plan No. 1 proposes that the present county general hospital be sold or leased to the proposed district. Under plan No. 2 the county general hospital would be used for indigent cases only and remain under control of the board of supervisors. The obsolete old folks home adjoining a hospital would be razed under either plan.

The Siskiyou County Medical association only last week voted in favor of plan No. 2.

"We felt that Yreka would almost certainly reject plan 1," Dr. I. Spomer of Tulelake stated. "So we voted for plan 2 hoping it would have a better chance of getting through. Our desire is to get any countywide scheme into force. We can make changes and improvements later, but let's get the ball rolling now."

The medical association's directors did not specify which towns would receive new hospitals.

The doctors held out little hope the taxpayers would accept a \$1,645,000 building program.

Curtis' recommendations included changes in administrative and medical set ups at the county general hospital. He pointed out one man serves as county physician, county health officer, medical director of the county hospital and director of the out-patient department, besides enjoying a large private practice.

He had 802 private patients or 46 per cent of the total private cases at the hospital in 1948. Curtis stated only physicians in Fort Jones and Yreka sent patients to the hospital.

Curtis found the private hospital at Dorris to be poorly equipped, with working facilities lacking,

Mama Porker Almost Didn't Return Home

MAHON CITY, Ia., Sept. 1 (AP)—A mama pig crawled into a drain pipe near here and almost orphaned 11 little pigs.

A 350-pound sow disappeared Sunday after giving birth to 11 pigs. Hebel searched in vain Monday and Tuesday.

Finally, while hunting for the missing porker in a ditch near the opening of a 2-inch drainage tile Tuesday evening, Hebel heard squeals far inside the pipe. He summoned neighbors and they dug for the animal from 7 p. m. to 1 a. m. without success.

Yesterday morning their fifth hole located the hog—700 feet from the mouth of the pipe. Neighbors pulled her out with the aid of ropes. The piglets now are back with their mother. Farmer Hebel said the sow apparently suffered no ill effects aside from an empty stomach, cramped legs and wet feet.

When he conducted his survey, The delivery of maternity cases takes place in a patient's room. The nursery is a portion of the upper hall separated by a curtain. Twelve beds and three bassinets are available.

"There are no private hospital facilities in Siskiyou county which can be considered either safe or adequate," Curtis reported after checking at Dorris, McCloud and Mount Shasta.

The county planning commission, which authorized the survey, will submit its recommendations to the board of supervisors.

Railroad News

SOUTHERN PACIFIC
R. D. Sheary, signal supervisor from Dunsmuir, was in Klamath Falls on business this week. He returned Wednesday.

Lester Naught, general track foreman, is in Klamath Falls with his family on a vacation trip.

Visiting SP officials this week in Klamath Falls are E. E. Mayo, chief engineer of maintenance of way, from San Francisco; J. W. Corbett, and K. C. Brunner, division engineer, Mt. Shasta. The trio are here on an inspection trip.

Teller Dorothy Ross left Wednesday of this week for a vacation trip to points on the Oregon coast.

Mrs. Beniah Cotter has returned to the Southern Pacific telephone office after working at the car shop for seven years.

After spending a vacation at San Francisco, Reno and fishing in various Oregon lakes, Chuck Shriver, claims agent, is back to work here.

Erwin Lee Whitt, son of Mrs. Louise Whitt, relief operator, is ill at Hillsdale hospital.

Conductor C. W. Henry is being

treated for double pneumonia at Hillsdale hospital.

The late issue of the Southern Pacific Bulletin shows a picture of two Klamath Falls cuties, Dale Motley and Doris Clik, pouring water on the nose of the new Shasta Daylight streamliner while the train was in the local station July 7 on its exhibition run.

Harvey E. Bispham Jr., roundhouse clerk, was no doubt elated when he saw a picture of his three attractive children, Jean, 2, Joe, 5, and Dick, 9, in the Bulletin. The occasion was the winning of the sweepstakes in the kiddie parade here July 2 as part of the Fourth of July roundup celebrations.

GREAT NORTHERN

After an enjoyable vacation trip, L. F. Corrigan, accountant, is back on the job.

E. L. Roberson, assistant superintendent of motive power from Spokane, Wash., was in Klamath Falls this week on business.

This from the Great Northern Goat publication:

"Yep, we had a wonderful time in Florida. For \$40 a day we stayed at the Roney Plaza. 'You mean Roney Plaza. Plasma is blood.' 'Is \$40 a day rain water?'"

Small Committee Seen For Pact Defense Plan

WASHINGTON, Sept. 1 (AP)—The 12 Atlantic Pact countries probably will entrust their defense planning to a small steering committee instead of a single supreme commander.

Diplomatic officials reporting today said all countries represented on the steering group would have equal rank with no single boss. Decisions would be taken by unanimous vote.

These officials described the steering committee idea as more practical in peacetime since it would not give any one country the responsibility for mapping the defense strategy of 11 other member nations.

A final decision is expected when foreign ministers of the pact countries gather here September 17 to put the treaty into operation. The ministers are due to set the wheels into motion for dividing joint defense strategy for use in event any pact member is attacked.

Meanwhile, the fate of President Truman's request to congress for a \$1,160,000,000 arms aid program

Aviation Committee Meet Here Today

Mrs. Evelyn Whitmaker, informational representative of the state board of aeronautics, flew up from Salem this morning to attend an aviation committee meeting held at 4:30 this afternoon in United Air Lines offices at the airport. She is expected to remain here most of the day.

Committee members will discuss plans for the forthcoming air show on September 11, sponsored by the local chamber of commerce in conjunction with the state board of aeronautics.

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E&A Fancy Catsup 14-oz. bot. Reg. 15c	2 for 23c
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12 Medium onions
8 Carrots
4 red and 4 green peppers
2 heads cabbage

Grind all together and mix with 1/4 cup salt. Let stand 2 hours, drain in cloth or sack. Add 2 pints vinegar, 1 tsp. mustard seed, 1 tsp. celery seed, 6 cups sugar. Makes 11 pints.

- Gr. Bell Peppers Large, meaty 1 lb. **5c**
- Carrots 3 bu. **25c**
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