

Cedar City lib. board and representatives
of various organizations of the City met
in City and County bldg. Feb. 11 - 1950

Wm. P. Jones Chairman of library
board presided.

After much discussion as to the
condition of old lib. bldg. etc
Mr. Josethas Wright moved that the
sale of the present lib. bldg. and
property ^{to the Elks Lodge} continue and that we
proceed with plans for the new
Library Bldg. 2nd by Frank Milne
motion passed.

Mr. Farnsworth raised the question
as to the amount of square feet
allowed the American Legion in the
new lib. bldg.

Mr. Wright said he had the signed
agreement that was made out at the
time, of the City purchased the property
from the American Legion and
it said they were to have eight
hundred (800) sq. feet.

Mr. Wright moved that this group
request the City to negotiate with the
American Legion for the purchase
of their holdings in the new library
bldg. ^{2nd by Mr. Farnsworth - motion carried}
million by local American

legion Commander agreed to call a meeting of the legion for this purpose. To report result to City Council next meeting.

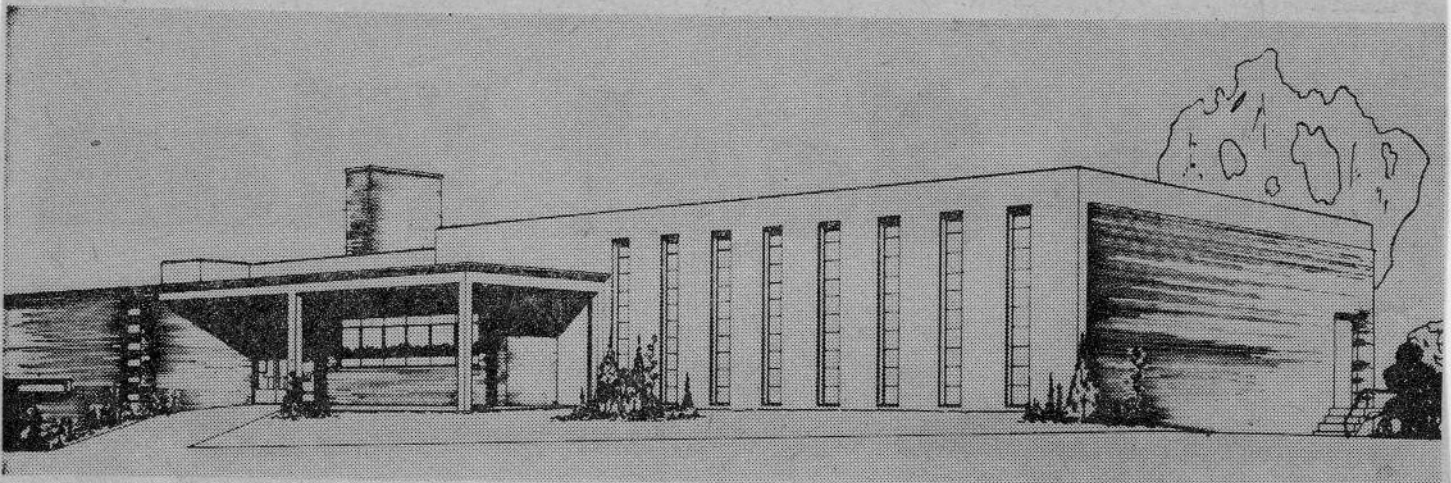
It was proposed that this corner purchased from the American Legion be made into a Civic Center that ~~an overall~~ ^{a master} plan be made for the future placing of buildings, as they are built - so that other units may be added without interference.

Dr. Farnsworth moved that we recommend proceeding with unit 1 of Civic Center by building a library building adequate for future needs. Extra space at present to be used to house relics appropriate of pioneer days also a woman's club reading room etc. - until needed by library. 2nd by Percy Dalley. motion carried.

It was moved by Frank Milne, 2nd by Lathurs Wright that the library board be given a vote of confidence to go ahead with plans for new lib. motion carried.

meeting adj.

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This One Will Replace the Old Carnegie Building

This architect's sketch, by L. Robert Gardner, shows proposed new Cedar City library as it will appear on northwest corner of inter-

section 100 and Center sts. on land acquired five years ago. Bids for structure will be called for soon. It will replace Carnegie library.

Plans Complete for Cedar City Library

CEDAR CITY (Special)—Plans were completed this week for Cedar City's new public library and Mayor L. V. Broadbent said bids could be called as soon as financing details can be negotiated.

The new public building is to be constructed on the northwest corner of the intersection 100 West and Center streets on land acquired five years ago. It will replace the

present Carnegie library at 30 N. Main street, proceeds from the sale of which will be used to help finance the proposed building.

The only library building has been considered inadequate for a number of years and was sold in 1949 to the local Elks club. The new library will be "L" shaped, one story, full basement structure facing south. It will be 153 ft. long and 53 ft. wide on the west wing.

In addition to the main reading room and stack space for current editions, the ground floor will provide a complete children's library with separate stacks and a fireplace, a rare book room, librarians' office and workroom and charge desk.

The entrance vestibule will contain a war memorial plaque in honor of the community's service men and a sign panel of native marble. An elevator will connect the librarian's work room and the basement. The entire east wing of the basement will provide additional stack space. Also in the base-

ment will be a 900-sq. ft. meeting room for the library board and other small groups, the heating plant and receiving, cataloguing and mending rooms.



Cedar City Public Library Board
met in City and County Bldg. Mar.
27-30

Present were chairman W.M. P.
Jones, Annette Petersen, Mrs. Dan
Jones, Jessie Blackett, Dr. Reed Farnsworth
and Grace McMullin

7 no book Committees were
appointed as moved by Dr. Farnsworth
Annette Petersen and Jessie Blackett
were to act for the junior library
Dr. Farnsworth and Mrs. Dan Jones
for senior lib. & not by Annette
Petersen, motion carried

A committee was appointed
to investigate shelves and cupboard
that Mrs. Wile said is needed
in library. Mrs. Blackett moved
that we authorize this committee
to purchase same if needed.
& not by Mrs. Jones. motion carried

Mrs. Jones moved that (\$600.00)
six hundred dollars be allowed
for books. & not by Annette Petersen
motion carried

meeting adj -

Cedar City Library board met in
City and County Bldg. June 5 - 1950 at
8 P.M.

Present were Chairman Wm. L. Jones
Dr. Reed W. Farnsworth, Robt. L. Gardner
Lanthus Wright (Supt. Schools) Morgan
Rollo and Gace McMullin.

Purpose of meeting; to study
plans for new library building

Dr. Farnsworth suggested that the
new lib. bldg. be of western type
using local material such as is in
the 1st Ward Church. or a ranch
type ^{using material} typical of local area.

After much discussion this was
thought not to be practical due to
cost of building and height needed
for book stacks and light from windows.

The plans that were made some
months ago were studied and was
much as the American Legion room
has been eliminated many changes
and additions were suggested.

It was decided to have Mr. Gardner
draw new plans including proposed
changes also consider a room for
micro films. These plans are to be
presented to the board for consideration
sometime before the 29th of June at which
time they are to be shown at the
Coordinating Council.

Mr. Broadbent reported that money
was now available for the drawing of plans.

meeting adj. 4.30 -

Library and Planning boards met at the home of
Mr. L. Jones. June 24 - 5 o'clock. Study presented plans
for new library bldg. Present were Wm. F. Jones, Robt.
Robt. Gardner, Mrs. Dan Jones - Zoe Palmer and
Gardner Mrs. Dan Jones - Zoe Palmer
and Grace McMillin.

many suggestions were made such as
place for outdoor wraps - public toilets - textured
glass on so. side of bldg etc - cork floors if possible.
toilet on main floor, textured glass

This was the final approval of plans before presenting
them to Coordinating Council West. June 25 58.
plans were presented to
Coordinating Council West June 25 58

J. Mc.

Q. Mc. -

Library Board met with Coordinating
Council Wed. June 28 - 1950 - at 8 P. M.

Plans for the new building were presented
by architect L. Robert Gardner, together with
details of how the building should be placed on the
property.

It was brought out during the meeting that
the plans provide for a building which can easily
have an additional wing for a proposed Art
Gallery and also a pioneer relic room, both of
which have been urged by various interested
groups.

The coordinating council went on record
as approving and commending the lib board
and planning board for their work in helping
to develop plans for the new City lib. bldg.

Grace McMullen
Secy -

Cedar Library Board meeting was held
in junior library Dec 4, 1950

Present were Chairman Wm. L. Jones
Dr. Ruel W. Farnsworth, Annette Peterson
Mrs. Dan Jones, Grace McMullen and
Senior Librarian Margot Wie.

Purpose of the meeting is to discuss
the filling vacancy of junior librarian
as Ruth Cory has given notice that she
is going to resign.

It was moved by Dr. Farnsworth that
the Board advertise for a new librarian
written applications to be left with Mrs. Wie
at the library - 2nd by Annette Peterson -
motion Carried

Wm. Jones requested that, due to world
conditions, it would be well for the librarian
investigate the necessity of new books
and order all that is needed as soon
as possible

Mrs. Jones ~~requested~~ ^{moved} that the new
librarian work directly with and under
the Senior Librarian 2nd by Dr. Farnsworth,
motion Carried

Another meeting is to be held Tues.
Dec. 12 at 7 P.M. in same place for
same purpose - making ady -

Grace McMullen Secy -

Cedar City Public Library Board
met in junior club. 7 hrs. Dec. 12 - 1955.

Present were Chairman Wm. P. Jones
Mr. Farnsworth, Jessie Blacket
Annette Betensen, Mrs. Dan Jones
Grace Mc Mullin and Senior Librarian
Margaret Wrie.

Purpose of meeting is to choose
a new junior librarian from list of
applications.

After much discussion the Board
proceeded to vote. Mrs. Edith Hirtley
was unanimously voted in as junior
librarian.

Ruth Covy would like to leave by
the 14 inst.

The board decided that one week of
vacation be given the junior librarian at
the end of six months or two week after
one year of service also that she work
6 hrs a day 6 days a week - that the
junior library stay open 3 hrs. a day
6 days a week - Senior Librarian is to
notify her of this.

One issue is to see what it will cost to
hold Senior library open on Sundays from
5 to 10 P.M. for reading purposes only.

Dr. Farnsworth moved that we set aside \$100.00
as a fund for the procurement of rare books on Utah
and the West. 2 not by Mrs. Wrie.
Meeting adj.

Dr. Farnsworth is to represent the lib.
Board to procure these books. Motion carried. Grace Mc Mullin