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Mr. Capp makes motion seconded by Mr. Hunter that the District pay these two subscriptions, carried unanimously.

Gary Gabelein now asks what the Districts plans for a station at Bayview are, if any. He says the men in that department do not have a satisfactory place to meet. This is agreed to by those present.

The Chairman explains that there is no money available at present for this purpose. He outlines three possibilities for financing for a station.

- 1: Coupon warrants, which can be paid over a six year period, out of current expense funds.
- 2: G. O. bond issue, which has to be approved by the voters, but paid by levy for this purpose outside of the tax limitations applicable to the expense fund.
- 3: A one year special levy for the purpose of a station building, and paying the balance of the new truck, which also would be over and above regular expense fund limitations. This would also have to be approved by the voters.

He feels the latter would be the most desirable of the three, but in the light of continuing tax increases, and many people in the District on limited, fixed incomes, this would require some soul searching and hard deciding before he would consent, however not ruling out the possibility.

Some figures are looked up and presented re cost of the Clinton and Maxwellton stations, which costs are in the order of \$26,000.00 for the building at Clinton and approximately \$20,000.00 for building at Maxwellton.

The business is now concluded and the meeting is adjourned at 8:27 P.M.

*Ella E. Hunter*

Ella E. Hunter, secretary  
Island County Fire District No 3