



NEW FIRE HEADQUARTERS — Morris Fire Department has purchased the Klindt property, which now houses the Morris Locker Plant and Klindt Well Drilling, to expand facilities to house the village fire equipment and ambulance. Conversion into a fire house to accommodate four pieces of equipment is expected to be completed by next spring. (Photo by Judy Williams)

Morris buys property for new fire house

MORRIS — Morris Fire District has purchased the property of Robert Klindt, which now houses Klindt's Well Drilling and the Morris Locker Plant, at a cost of \$15,000 to provide expanded quarters to house village fire equipment.

Carl Smith, secretary of the Fire District, said that the cost of conversion to a fire house will be approximately \$10,000 more.

Work to be done includes installation of a new heating system, new plumbing, new electrical wiring, and the application of new blacktop paving in front of the building.

Voters of the district last month approved a bond issue to finance the project by a vote of 49 to 14.

The new facility ultimately will house four pieces of equip-

ment. Mr. Smith commented that it was "badly needed," since the present fire house accommodates only two pieces of equipment.

He noted that the town ambulance is currently housed in a barn which is not suitable for that purpose.

Work on the building will start as soon as it is vacated by Mr. Klindt, who operates the well drilling service, and his mother, Mrs. Viggo Klindt, who operates the Locker Plant.

Work of conversion into an adequate fire headquarters is expected to be completed in the spring of 1966.

Youth 'hurt' financially by crash

Early snow makes roads hazardous

An early winter storm that swept the area Wednesday apparently caught the motoring public utterly unprepared for slippery road conditions.

But despite countless reports of icy hills and stranded lines of traffic awaiting sanders and salt trucks, only one serious accident was reported throughout Otsego, Delaware or Chenango counties.

That accident was a two-car, head-on crash on Routes 80 and 205 west of the Route 28 intersection in the Town of Otsego about six miles west of Coopers-town, in which six people were injured.

Police officials early said road conditions were "extremely hazardous" as a light snow glazed under the wheels of vehicles into a film of glassy ice. Later in the evening police agencies in

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