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Mrs. Haley Breaks, During Conference With Attorney

OLATHE, Kan. (AP) — Mrs. Doris Haley, held in the fatal shooting of her surgeon-husband, was reported in good condition today after collapsing Wednesday while conferring with her attorney.

Jail attendants said the 36-year-old Prairie Village, Kans. housewife and mother of four children, had eaten breakfast and later conferred with her lawyer and a minister.

Mrs. Haley called sheriff's officers Wednesday morning, reporting she had shot her husband, Dr. Jack A. Haley, former Appleton, Mo., physician. Officers quoted her as saying the couple had been having domestic troubles for years and that the slaying climaxed a bitter quarrel.

She was charged with first degree murder. Hugh Kreamer, county attorney, said that although the woman had told him she shot her husband, she had not signed a statement.

Mrs. Haley told Kreamer she had obtained the automatic pistol, from which six shots were fired into the physicians body, at Boonville, and that the sheriff there had showed her how to operate and load the weapon.

However, Sheriff Lyburn Mann of Cooper county said he did not show her how to operate or load the weapon. Mrs. Haley said the gun had been registered in Cooper county, but Mann said records showed the gun was not registered there.

The sheriff said indirect reports had been received that Mr. Haley reported she had been threatened by her husband in the past six or seven months.

Funeral services for Dr. Haley will be held Sunday in Boonville.

Sheriff's officers said they had received no requests from Mrs. Haley to attend the funeral. Her attorney was reported making preparations for the woman to view her husband's body probably Friday.

Graduation Honor For Miss Harmon

Candidates for degrees who will serve as marshals to lead the graduating students of their divisions in the traditional academic procession for the summer session commencement exercises at the University of Missouri on August 2 were announced today by Dr. Thomas A. Brady, dean of extradivisional administration.

The list includes Miss Harriet E. Harmon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harmon, 610 Valley Drive, who will serve as marshal for the school of Business and Public Administration. The marshals are usually selected from among the scholastic leaders in their graduating classes.

Expansive Highway Improvement Made By State Last Year

JEFFERSON CITY — The Missouri State Highway Commission awarded contracts or obligated a total of \$170,952,357 for state highway construction or improvements, including right of way expenditures, during the 1963 fiscal year, which ended on June 30. This work extended over 2,623.1 miles of Missouri's roads and highways.

The greatest sum of money, \$82,277,657, was on the interstate highway system. This included \$18,409,295 for right of way. A total of 110.9 miles was affected.

Primary system projects during the period accounted for \$42,272,338 on 430.8 miles of such highways. Right of way payments amounted to \$3,859,456.

Another \$19,917,902 was awarded or obligated on the urban highway system of which \$3,916,329 was for right of way. A total of 18.1 miles was built or improved.

The sum of \$18,245,803 and extending over 784.3 miles on the state's Secondary (farm to market) system was included. Right of way payments amounted to \$680,915.

In addition, the Commission awarded a total of \$6,560,697 in defense road work during the year. Right of way payments on defense

Brightens with Test Ban Agreements

MOSCOW (AP) — Big three negotiators met late and quite early today in their efforts to hammer out further details of a limited nuclear test ban treaty.

The session lasted only one hour and 25 minutes. It was the shortest