

For Better Homes

LOCAL BUILDING GOING FORWARD

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between Chestnut and Depot streets, at a cost of \$2500. It is to be used as a depot by the Motor Transit company.

W. W. Rhine was granted the other permit of Aug. 30, allowing him to build a frame store and filling station on Spruce street, between X and Z avenues. The expense being estimated at \$2000.

Two small dwellings, a woodshed, and small alterations and repairs make up the building authorized in the other five permits of last week. The September total up to and including Saturday is \$2080.

The list follows:

1. E. Bramwell, repairs to dwelling \$450
- J. H. Lindsay, frame dwelling \$600
- L. A. DeRue, frame dwelling \$350
- Edly Asia, woodshed \$50
- G. H. Hayden, repairs to porch \$125
- M. W. Huffman, repairs to dwelling \$250
- George W. Harg, rebuilding garage \$25

\$1,000,000 AT LONGVIEW

LONGVIEW, Wash., Sept. 6.—Longview building permits for the month of August totalled \$1,211,215 and bring the total for the year 1926 to September 1 to \$1,190,397. Permits in August, 1925, were \$102,702.

SALEM, TOTAL \$102,880.

SALEM, Sept. 6.—Consistent with the record shown by previous months of this year in comparison with last year and previous years, the total of building permits for August shows a gain over August of last year.

The total for August, this year,

as shown at the office of City Recorder Poulson is \$102,880. Of this amount the permits for new buildings total \$125,780, for repairs \$87,100 and for dwelling houses \$87,250.

CHEHALIS PERMITS \$13,650
CHEHALIS, Wash., Sept. 6.—August building permits for Chehalis totaled \$13,650. There were permits for two new residences, to cost \$2,500; reconstruction of the Liberty theater building, \$2500; new warehouse for Associated Oil company, \$3000; repairs, new garages, etc., totaled \$1550.

MARSHFIELD \$14,045

MARSHFIELD, Sept. 6.—Building permits for the month of August totalled \$14,045 bringing the total for the first eight months of 1926 to \$206,445 for Marshfield. No large permits have been issued during the month and the majority of the construction represents new houses and repairs.

PORTLAND HAS FOUR NEW SCHOOLS READY

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.—When the school bell rings Tuesday morning the pupils of the Highland, Beaumont, Sellwood and Marysville districts will occupy new buildings, the most recently completed units of the first five-year building program of school district No. 1. The building program of the school district totals \$4,434,257.65.

COTTAGE GROVE TO GET NEW \$20,000 CITY HALL

COTTAGE GROVE, Sept. 6.—A contract has been let at Cottage Grove for the construction of a new city hall at a price of \$20,000.

BAKER HOST TO OREGON BUILDING LOAN BODY

BAKER, Sept. 6.—Baker will be host this week to the annual convention of the Oregon League of Building and Loan and Savings Associations.

U. S. Thwarts Mexican Plotters



An attempt of Gen. Estrada, former Mexican secretary of war, to smuggle arms into Mexico and start an armed revolution against the Calles government was foiled when U. S. agents, enforcing neutrality laws, seized a consignment of arms and upwards of 140 Mexicans on the Southern California line. The prisoners are being held at Fort Rosecrans, near San Diego. The upper photo shows a crudely-made armored car, covered with half-inch sheet iron. Capt. J. D. Lockburner, of the marines, is shown at the right. Below is the marine and civilian guard with part of the prisoners.

GRANTS PASS CHURCH TO BE FINISHED SEPT. 30

GRANTS PASS, Sept. 6.—Work on the new Free Methodist church is progressing nicely and the congregation hopes to be able to occupy the new structure by the last of September. Rev. H. C. Davis is pastor.

New Catholic Hospital Planned for Chehalis

CHEHALIS, Wash., Sept. 6.—At the office of J. DeP. Griffin, Chehalis architect, work on the plans for Chehalis' new \$100,000 hospital, which is to be built by the Sisters of St. Dominic, are nearing completion. Griffin also is preparing plans for a new Catholic church and parish house to be built in Seattle.

A gasoline tank being tested for army airplanes is bullet proof and so connected that it can be dropped from the plane to the ground in case of fire.

S. P. Tie Plant Shipping 12,000 Ties Each Week

EUGENE, Ore. Sept. 4.—(Special)—Twelve thousand cross-tied railway ties are shipped from the new tie-treating plant of the Southern Pacific on the terminal grounds here each week, according to announcement of railway officials. The ties are sent all over the system.

Work on the big roundhouse and other structures on the terminal grounds is progressing.

With the routing of a number of freight trains over the new Cascade line instead of the Skiyen line a number of train crews have been transferred from Roseburg, Grants Pass and Ashland to Eugene and points on the new line.

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\$31,000 Addition to Baker Light Plant

BAKER, Sept. 6.—A \$31,000 addition to the south Baker steam plant of the Eastern Oregon Light and Power company will be erected at once, work on the structure having already been started. Orders for most of the equipment have been placed. The addition will boost Baker's building permits for the year to a higher total.

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WISCONSIN TO VOTE TUESDAY

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Sept. 6. (AP)—A factional struggle of La Follette progressive and conservative forces for control of republican party nominations has been the focus of interest in Wisconsin's complex political campaign which ends with next Tuesday's primary.

In a state where the republicans have had undisputed reign for a quarter of a century, nomination on that ticket has become equivalent to election, thus elevating the primary election to prime importance.

Senator Irving L. Lenroot, sole administration supporter of the entire badger state delegation in congress, is fighting for his seat against the opposition of Governor John J. Blaine, who has the backing of Senator Robert M. La Follette.

The Lenroot-Blaine struggle shades interest with the gubernatorial race in which four candidates, representing the La Follette faction, anti-Blaine progressives, and conservatives are engaged in combat.

Dissatisfied with what they described as an attempt to "hand-pick" progressive candidates, Secretary of State Fred R. Zimmerman and Stanley W. Smith, friend of Governor Blaine and a member of his official family, entered

the race for the governorship as progressives.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DATE.
CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 6. (AP)—A three-cornered fight for the republican nomination for U. S. senator and a mysterious "investigation" that began as a prohibition sentiment survey and ended as a campaign expenditure probe, have been the salient features of New Hampshire's campaign for next Tuesday's primary election.

French was the spoken language at the Court of England from the time of the Conquest to the reign of Edward III. English was then made the language of legislation.



Barbara Tough, stopped on the witness stand in Somerville, N. J., as she told once again of events in home of Mrs. Frances Hall, where she was maid.

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