

BUILDING PERMIT TOTAL IS BOOSTED

Eight Applications Saturday Raise List to 23 So Far This Month

Just as it appeared that the home a day average maintained in Salem was about to slump during the month of May, eight permits for the construction of dwellings were issued from the office of the city recorder Saturday, bringing the month's total up to 23 permits for homes, or one better than a home a day. Permits for home construction alone this month already amount to a total of \$74,150.

Carl Bahlborg, prominent local contractor, took out four permits for the erection of a one story dwelling at 534 Judson street to cost \$3450, a one story dwelling at 1915 South Church street to cost \$3250, a one story dwelling at 560 Oxford street to cost \$3250, and a one and one-half story dwelling at 670 North 17th street to cost \$4100.

A permit was issued to E. B. Fletcher to construct a one and one-half story dwelling at 760 Hood street at a cost of \$3500. J. M. Devers was issued a permit to build a two story dwelling and garage at 1475 Garden Road, to cost \$7150.

Emily R. Haas received a permit to erect a one story dwelling at 1371 Center street at a cost of \$4150. F. L. Odom took out a permit to construct a one and one-half story dwelling at 1440 Center street, to cost \$4500. A permit was given to John Trueax to repair at a cost of \$350 the two story dwelling at 1970 North Commercial street.

The Peerless Bakery, 170 N. Com'l. Sanitary, up to date. Prompt delivery. Bakers for those who appreciate the best. Increasing patrons tell the tale. (*)

STIRRING PICTURE ON HELIG PROGRAM

"The Johnstown Flood," is Latest Fox Production, Here for Three Days

"The Johnstown Flood," Fox Films stirring picture story of one of the greatest disasters of the world, which comes to the Helig theatre Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, is one of the finest things in screen history. It was directed by Irving Cummings, who has scores of successful and entertaining productions to his credit. It has a cast that can be catalogued in no other manner than brilliant. George O'Brien is seen in the leading role.

Florence Gilbert and Janet Gilbert are cast in the principal feminine portrayals. Paul Nicholson and Paul Fenner interpret the menacing influences with Anders Randolph, Max Davidson, Walter Perry, George Harris and Elmo Billings in feature roles. The dramatic action is of the swiftest moving variety ever witnessed in a production, due to the powerfulness of the story, immense settings, remarkable acting, sterling direction and a great wealth of production value.

NEW CORPORATIONS

The Commercial Livestock Loan company with headquarters in Lakeview and capital stock of \$50,000, has been incorporated by F. M. Miller, A. J. Swift and W. V. Miller.

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corporation department Saturday follow:
Charles W. Ertz, Inc., Portland, \$20,000; Charles W. Ertz, Charles R. Kaufman and Tom Burns. Firestaff Manufacturing company, Portland, \$6000; James Roy Russell, Albert L. Gordon and Anne M. Ziesch. Jersey Milk company, Portland, \$10,000; Willie J. Harbke, W. F. Rollins and W. J. Harbke. Landowners Electric company, Portland, \$10,000; R. J. Zinney, J. P. Cook and A. S. Pattullo. Protex Corporation, Portland, \$500,000; Conrad P. Olson, Edward G. Forsten and Fred W. Packwood.

Hunt & Schaller, leading meat market on North Commercial, at No. 263. Finest meats, fruits and vegetables. The crowds trading at this store tell the story. (*)

VAUDEVILLE TO BE AT THE BLIGH TODAY

Hippodrome Program Consists of Five Unusually Good Headline Acts

Five acts and all of them good, are included in the Hippodrome program at the Bligh theater today, with everything from seals to contortionists included. Frisco's seals to the headline, consists of the trainer with three exceptionally trained sea animals, which are skilled in playing ball, juggling and even in playing musical instruments.

"Done in Oil" is the title of a clever skit, presented by Quian and Keeler. Castor oil, olive oil, crude oil and a hundred different kinds are included in their program. The Sylvia Revue is presented by three beautiful girls, with ballet steps, the Charleston, and numerous other difficult dances.

Jessie Miller proves herself to be an accomplished cornetist, as well as a pianist and organist. While playing the piano with one hand, presenting "The Land of Sky Blue a Water," a difficult Indian selection she holds the cornet in the other and plays the tune. Hammer and Hammer, the first act, deserves special mention. In addition to being adept in dance steps, this couple presents a tumbling act, in which the masculine Hammer proves himself to be an expert contortionist and athlete.

WOMAN PASTOR NOT FOUND BY SEARCHERS

had been "relentlessly persecuted" by the pastor of a Los Angeles church whom she declined to name. Investigation disclosed that the title to Angelus temple valued at nearly a million dollars, was vested in the evangelist and her mother. Should her death be legally established, it was said, title would be held by Mrs. Kennedy.

TAX MEASURES DROPPED AS LIGHT VOTE IS CAST

nanced on a lower millage tax. Favoring the construction and repair of bridges on the direct tax appearing on the ballot where 1,996 persons, while 2,090 questioned the wisdom of direct tax financing. Ballots were cast in accord with the voters' conclusions following careful thought. The results cannot be explained on the "progressive" vs. "conservative" theory for in this case the 2,971 so called "progressive" votes in the mayorality contest turned out to be only 2,090 so called "progressive" votes on the question of bridge construction.

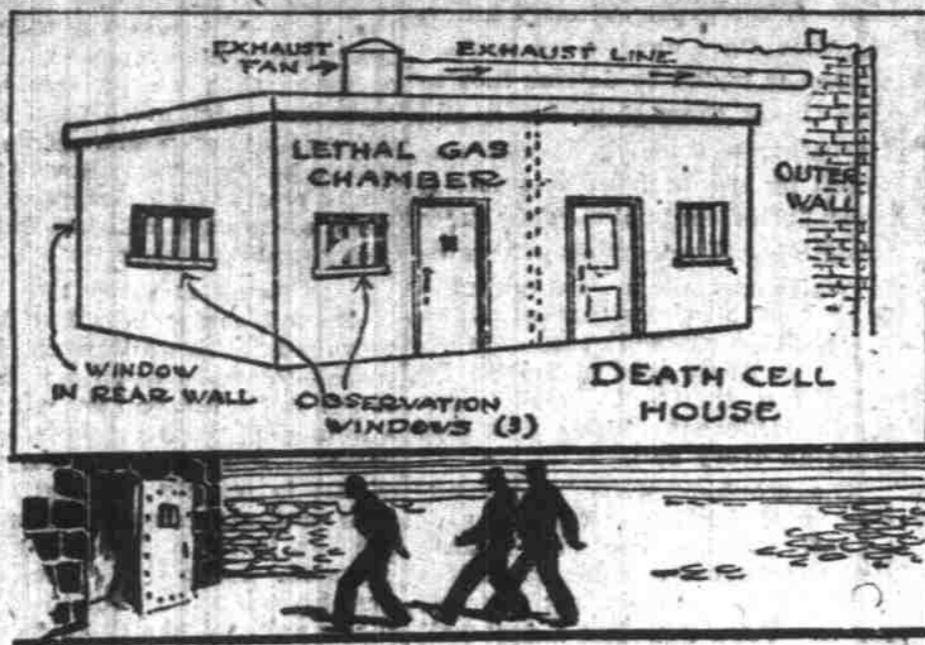
The vote on the city zoning, 3 mill tax levy is most illuminating. With the smallest tax on the ballot, approximately \$5,000 annually, the heaviest negative vote was cast. Affirmative votes numbered 1,514, while negative votes totalled 2,724.

If the 2,971 persons who voted for Livesley in the mayorality are to be considered the "progressives", what became of them by the time the zoning tax was reached where only 1,514 of this same group voted affirmatively? No attempt to divide the vote into progressive or conservative is fair to the voters themselves, who showed conclusively by their ballots that they had reached independent conclusions on the merit of each project listed, and voted according to those convictions. The very heavy negative vote cast against the 3 mill tax levy was not a vote against the principle of city zoning, but an expression of the individual citizen's belief that too much money was being asked for an undertaking that might be of questionable value in the end.

The Rosa L. Browning Amusement company with capital stock of \$50,000 and headquarters in Salem, has been incorporated by Rosa L. Browning, Edward A. Browning and W. F. Browning. Notice of dissolution was filed by the Svenson Development & Investment company, with headquarters at Astoria.

Dallas - Willamette Valley Lumber company adds 50 men to mill crew.

Where Slayer Met Invisable Death



A diagrammatic sketch of the death chamber of the Nevada state prison is shown in the picture above. It was in this cell that Stanko Jukich was executed Friday morning.

BARR IS HONORED AT DINNER HERE

Master Plumbers Association Present Watch in Token of Respect

At a banquet given last evening at the Elks' temple by members of the Oregon State Master Plumbers' association, T. M. Barr, retiring president, was presented with a Waltham watch in appreciation of his services during the past year.

Bart D. Coffee, director of the National Plumbers' association, and past president of the state association, made the presentation, declaring that Mr. Barr was one of the most conscientious presidents the association has ever known, increasing the state membership from 152 to more than 200 during his year of service.

Charles Kelley of Portland, president of the Oregon State Master Plumbers' association, said that Salem and the Willamette valley should be proud of Mr. Barr.

F. E. McKenna of Corvallis referred to the many pleasant visits of Mr. Barr while serving as president last year. Joe Bernardi acknowledged that he accepted the election as secretary of the association last year on condition that Mr. Barr take up the work as president.

John B. Nathman attributed the success of the local association to the interest and time given the work of Mr. Barr. Several members from Corvallis each expressed appreciation of the work done for the state association by Mr. Barr. H. S. Sheriff of Portland, state executive secretary of the Oregon State Master Plumbers' association, presided. He also gave Mr. Barr credit for the increase in membership of the state association and the high standing the association now has throughout the state.

The banquet given last evening was attended by more than 50 master plumbers and their wives from Portland, Albany, Monmouth and Corvallis.

NOMINATIONS LISTED FOR STATE ASSEMBLY

Clackamas county, three to nominate, H. H. Chindgren, J. F. Clark and Charles Sievers. Malheur county, one to nominate, J. D. Billingsley. Multnomah county, 13 to nominate, Fred German, E. C. Bronaugh Jr., John McCort, Herbert Gordon, F. J. Lonergan, A. G. Rushlight, J. O. Bailey, W. C. North, James D. Olson, Dorr E. Keasey, Wilber Henderson, Louis Kuehn, D. C. Lewis. Clatsop county, two to nominate, W. S. Hamilton and James W. Mott. Columbia county, one to nominate, A. E. Allen. Jefferson, Deschutes, Klamath, Crook and Lake, three to nomi-

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HAWLEY SPENDS 24 CENTS TO WIN

First Figures Listed on Campaign Costs Show Little Invested

It cost Congressman W. C. Hawley and his secretary just 24 cents to vote at the primary election on Friday. That was the cost of the airmail service, whereby the ballot was received in time to be cast in Salem precinct 12, voting at Vick Bros.

It cost Ralph E. Williams of Portland \$40 to conduct his primary campaign for republican national committee, according to an expense account filed in the office of the secretary of state here Saturday.

Other expense accounts follow: R. L. Gile, Roseburg, for representative in the state legislature from the fourth representative district, 98 cents. Albert S. Roberts, republican, The Dalles, candidate for representative in the state legislature from the 12th district, \$6.

Loyal M. Graham, republican, Forest Grove, candidate for representative in the state legislature from the 15th district, \$10.

A. S. Ellis, republican, Portland, candidate for representative in the state legislature from the 18th district, \$79.18.

S. A. Miller, republican, Milton, candidate for representative from the 23rd district, \$2.50.

Fred McHenry, republican, Corvallis; candidate for district attorney for Benton county, \$3.50.

Charleston Invades Ranks of Metropolitan Via Bori

NEW YORK.—(By Associated Press.)—The Charleston has invaded the ranks of Metropolitan Opera stars, bringing happiness to its first devotee in the new circle.

Not only that, but it has been there many weeks, despite the fact that Carpenter's ballet, "Skyscrapers," was credited generally with having brought jazz within the sphere of the artists.

"The Charleston?" Lueretta Bori repeated in surprise but with a smile, when asked if she had not been taken lessons. "Oh, yes, I do the Charleston. Why? Because it is so fascinating. It makes me happy when I get up in the mornings."

"The quick little movements can't help but bring happiness—and laughter. Then, too, the dance is wonderful exercise and helps keep me in good physical condition for my work."

Never before has the soprano

danced and she ascribed the Charleston's conquest to fate. "One afternoon I dropped in to see a friend," she explained. "She was going out to take a lesson in the Charleston and I went along. I became interested and though I thought I never could dance, I tried a few steps. Before I knew what was happening, I was taking a lesson."

BROWN, REYNOLDS WIN NOMINATION TO SENATE

(Continued from page 1.) won nearly two to one in his race with Elton Watkins for the democratic nomination to the United States senate. Hancy received 1004 votes; Watkins 545. The total Marion county democratic vote for superintendent of public instruction shows a majority for Turner, who received 862 votes against the 568 polled by McLoughlin, his opponent.

Canby—Gill Seed Co., of Portland, buys 110 acres of C. H. Sehenk farm, to grow bulbs.

The best liar in town can usually be located at the fire engine house.

IOOF CONVENTION WILL OPEN SESSIONS MONDAY

(Continued from page 1.) department president, Department Council, Ladies' auxiliary. There will also be a number of musical numbers, with a grand march led by Grand Master Young, Myria R. James, president and stand officers. The dance will continue until midnight.

Wednesday morning will be given over to sessions of the grand lodge in the state army and the Rebekah assembly in the Elks temple. The grand lodge degree will be conferred at the grand lodge session, while a memorial service will feature the gathering of Rebekahs.

The grand parade of all oddfellows orders will be held Wednesday afternoon. Included in the parade will be the Cherrian band of Salem, Cherrians in uniform, Brigadier General W. E. Wadsworth, department commander and staff; Patriarchs Militant, hospital corps, ladies' auxiliaries, Patriarch Militant; American Legion Drum corps, all subordinate Rebekah and encampment uniformed bodies, Estacada band, Oregon state training school band, floats and decorated automobiles.

Grand lodge, Oddfellows, Re-

Try This Simple Method For Blackheads

If you are troubled with these unsightly blemishes, get two ounces of Calomel powder from any drug store. Sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth and rub over the blackheads. In a few minutes every blackhead, big or little, will be dissolved away entirely.

bekah assembly and Muscovites will hold sessions Wednesday night. The grand lodge session will be featured by the exemplification of the initiatory degree, by Tillamook Lodge No. 94, Oddfellows. The Rebekah degree will be conferred by Columbia Rebekah Lodge No. 3, Portland, at a meeting in Willamette university gymnasium.

A parade of Muscovites, the fun branch of the Oddfellows lodge, will be held at 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, followed by a ceremonial and initiation of a class of more than 1000 candidates in the state armory. The lady Muscovite ceremonial will be held in the Oddfellows hall following the Rebekah degree work.

A band concert in Wilson Park and display of the electric four-

tain also will be features of Wednesday night's program. The closing sessions of the Grande Lodge, Oddfellows and Rebekah assembly will be held Thursday afternoon. These sessions will be enlivened by the election of officers and adoption of resolutions. The place of holding the grand lodge sessions in 1927 also be considered at these sessions.

A large number of trophies have been offered by local merchants for the lodges making the best showing in Wednesday's parade.

Committees in charge of the program have completed their work and are awaiting the arrival of the advance guard of the delegates. Several of the grand lodge officers probably will arrive here Sunday night.

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