

HOME OWNERS' and BUILDERS' PAGE

Plans Each Week For You To Inspect

COUNTY SCHOOL HEADS TO MEET

Superintendents to Gather Here August 5 for 3 Day Session

County school superintendents from all sections of Oregon will gather in Salem August 5 for a three days convention. The sessions will be held under the direction of Fred Peterson, chairman of the County Superintendents' association, and C. A. Howard, state superintendent of public instruction.

The program, as outlined by Mr. Howard, follows:

Monday, August 5, 10.00 a. m.—The Conference theme: Superintendent C. A. Howard. Plans for supervision. Zone meetings. Superintendent Martha Mulkey of Coos county; Visitation, Superintendent Mary L. Fulkerson of Marion county; Bulletins, Superintendent Susanne H. Carter of Jackson county tests, Superintendent Brenton Vedder of Clackamas county, Superintendent Lawrence W. Baker of Sherman.

Tuesday, August 5, 9 a. m. Reorganization of Daily program; Correlation of Subjects, Leimar Dewey of the Oregon Normal school; The Two Way Plan, J. W. Crites, of the state department of education.

Tuesday afternoon: The State Library, Miss Virginia C. Deacon, state librarian; plans for a successful school board convention, discussed by Superintendent Elizabeth C. Murray of Columbia county; Superintendent R. E. Cannon of Multnomah county; Superintendent L. B. Gibson of Hood River county.

Transportation, discussed by Superintendent Josiah Willis of Polk county; Superintendent Edna Geer of Lane county.

Wednesday, August 7, 9 a. m.—Institutes—A Central Theme for 1929-1930; A report with recommendations; Superintendent A. M. Cannon of Lincoln county, chairman; Superintendent Lucy E. Rodgers of Morrow county; Superintendent J. S. Goin of Tillamook county.

Wednesday afternoon—The new budget and accounting system, Dr. C. L. Huffaker of the University of Oregon.

Standards for Rural Schools; a report with recommendations; Superintendent Gertrude M. Lyon of Grant county, chairman; Superintendent Gertrude M. Lyon of Grant county; Superintendent E. A. Sayre of Union county.

BLAST DEMOLISHES BRITISH GUN TURRET

VALETTA, Malta, July 27. — (AP)—A terrific explosion blew away an eight-inch gun turret on the British cruiser Devonshire during battle practice off the Greek island of Skiathos late Friday and killed thirteen marines. Twelve others were seriously injured and two of them were not expected to live.

The Devonshire last night made full speed for Volo, about 100 miles north of Athens on the east coast of Greece to transfer the wounded to the hospital ship Maita.

The warship, which cost more than \$5,250,000, was the latest London class cruiser to join the Mediterranean fleet. She carries eight 8-inch guns, four 4-inch guns, four three-pounders and four two-pounders. Commissioned on March 19, 1929, her displacement is 14,000 tons.

The crew of the Devonshire is 655 in number. It carries a all-weather reproduction of the drum carried around the world by Sir Francis Drake in the ship Pelican in 1577. The original of the drum is preserved in the Drake home in Devonshire.

An official inquiry into the explosion was ordered to start here tomorrow.

The last serious accident in the royal navy was on July 9 when the submarine H-47 sank in St. George's channel after collision with the submarine L-12. That accident caused the deaths of 23 men.

14th Street To Be Scene of Kite Flying Contest

Kite flying will hold the interest of dozens of the Fourteenth street playground for the next week in anticipation of a contest in that sport Friday. Many of the boys are now making their kites for the event.

More than 20 kites were flown last year with practically every kite used. Several box and bird kites were up with the usual four sided affairs. Some original designs are being worked on for the coming meet.

The boys try for height and perfect flying as well as speed in getting the kite aloft. Several of the entries last year had out so much string that it was difficult to see paper floater.

Property Changes Hands, Is Report

Real estate transfers reported negotiated recently by Wells Tammann, real estate broker in the Oregon building.

Miss R. T. Smith, a 25 acre fruit farm near Liberty, consid-

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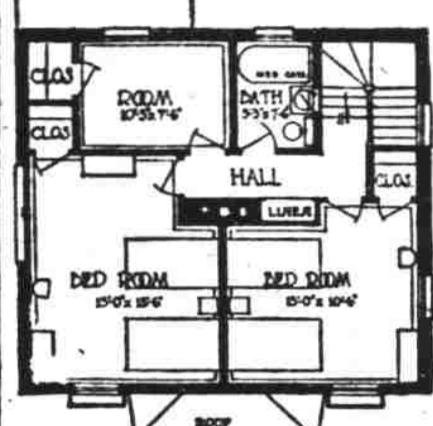
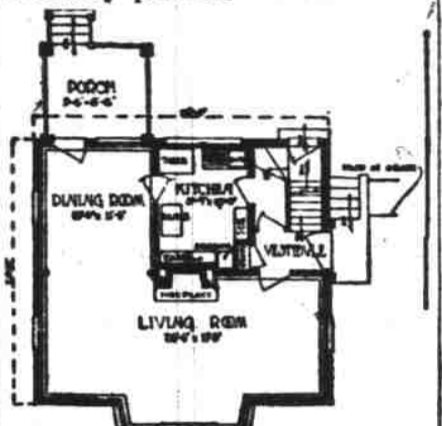


THE POTOMAC—DESIGN NO. 120

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frame construction, but there is a vast difference in the sense of satisfaction of their owners. This little cottage, of the smaller type, is ideally planned.



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tion \$9,000, exchanged to Mrs. Mathilda Oakman for a 6-room modern residence on North Sumner street, and difference.

W. H. Hogan improved two acre home, close in on Garden Road, consideration \$5000, exchanged to Frand Lang and wife

for North 15th street residence. R. L. Hein exchanged five acre improved farm on Silverton highway to J. C. Clark for Salem

Northeast Section of City Shows Rapid Advancement In Construction Of Homes

One of the biggest developments in residential construction that has taken place in Salem is the residential building in the northeast part of the city, particularly in the section on north 17th, 19th and 20th between Market street and the airport. In the past two years about 60 new homes have gone up in this district.

A drive on the streets serving this area shows what a fine group of houses has been built. They are distinctive, modern in style, and built with due consideration for the district as a whole. The houses have been put up in compliance with the provisions of the zoning ordinance which governs set-back from property line so the houses on a street conform. The new building ordinance of course applies on present and future houses; but all the houses are on most modern lines, most of them of English type or architecture.

One of the districts is Kay's second addition of which Grabenhorst & Co. are selling agents. This has been an active development in the last few years. Kay's addition on the south side of Market street, is an older improvement. The "second addition" lies north of Market along residence and three vacant lots on North 14th street.

Garrett Swienink sold confectionary and grocery stock and building on South Commercial street to Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Ash.

19th and 20th streets and the new homes along these streets rate high among the residential districts of the city.

Becke & Hendricks have been developing the North Seventeenth addition which has been improved by many new homes in the price range up to \$6000. All are of substantial construction, conforming to building restrictions, having full cement basements, and built in attractive styles of architecture. Wide lots give plenty of room.

None of this development has been put on a wholesale fashion, like when a realtor or contractor puts up whole blocks of houses and then sells them off. Instead, it has been a lot by lot sale and improvement.

The particular features of this district which have an appeal are the elevation and the nature of the soil. While quite level, the ground is really one of the high points of the city north of State street. A fine view of the mountains is obtainable from all over the tract. Good drainage is also a very simple matter. The top soil is a choice black loam which makes the raising of lawns and flowers easy.

When the airport is abandoned additional tracts to the north of this district will be open. Seventeenth street, which serves the district, is one of the important north and south arteries of the city. It will be improved as a leading entrance to the fair grounds.

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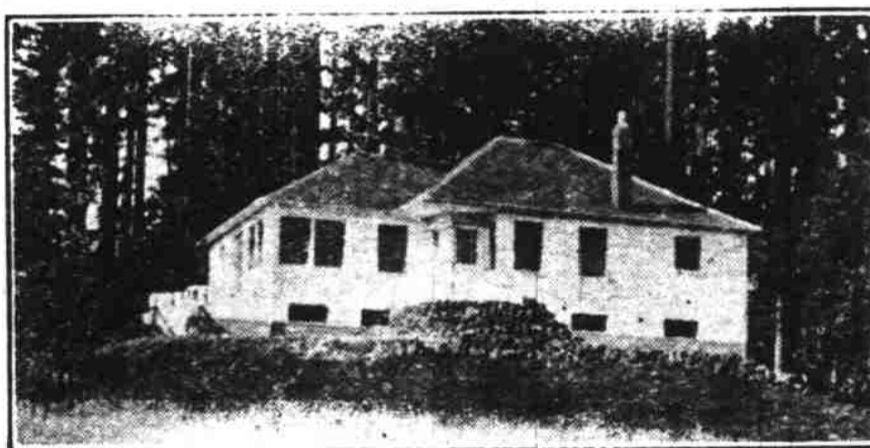
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