

New City Jail Almost Complete

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Two Story Building will be used for Jail and Police Department Activities.

The police department building adjoins number 1 station fire hall building on West Market Street and is about ready for occupancy.

This commodious structure is fire-proof, or nearly so. All the floors are concreted, and the stairway is solid concrete.

The first floor will accommodate city-owned trucks and will be used largely for a garage and storage room. The city plumber will keep his supplies in a compartment on the ground floor. One steel barred cage will probably be left on the ground floor near the entrance for use in case of emergency and for use in case some recalcitrant customer puts up such a stiff resistance that he cannot be comfortably dragged up the flight of concrete steps.

The second floor will house the city judge, desk sergeant, and there will be found sundry offices of the police department, and well appointed rooms, the interiors of which are re-enforced with steel cages for guests detained by the city.