

Plan Movie House On Smith Property

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The Ed Smith property, situated on Second street, near the corner of Carson street, was today taken over by Arthur Brick, of Los Angeles, and Roscoe Thomas of Las Vegas, who announce that the buildings will be removed from the lots and erection of a two-story theatre building begun at once.

The property was purchased from Pat J. Sullivan, who acquired title to it several weeks ago, and is directly south of the postoffice building, also owned by Sullivan.

The theatre will have a seating capacity of 750, divided into 100 loge seats and 650 general admission. The structure will cost about \$40,000, Thomas states, and will be of Spanish architecture. There will be two store rooms on the ground floor, with three offices in the upper front section. The building will be 50 x 140 feet.

Brick and Thomas announce that the theatre will be equipped with modern sound equipment and latest productions will be shown.

The deal was consummated thru the Pioneer Title Insurance and Trust Co., of this city.

Brick, who recently became associated with Thomas, is understood to have operated a chain of theatres in southern California and at one time was associated with Fox West Coast Theatres Co.

The promoters of the new amusement house state that they expect to have it open for business by April 15.