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BUILDING AND REAL ESTATE PAGE

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The Trowel and Float

Monday, Aug. 1, 1927.

Special Builders Number

A Friend is one who knows all about you, but likes you just the same.

Certain-ee-d Hexagonal shingles are certainly going over with a bang. Two more jobs last week. One of them was for W. V. Hurst at Myrtle Creek and the other for A. O. Rose on E. Lane St. These shingles are the best bet we know of in the re-roofing line. We would gladly show them to you and tell you why we are so enthusiastic over them.

The Bathing Girl
She sprang from the water with a bounce,
Filled with a great disgust,
Then she borrowed a parasol.
For her bathing suit had burst.

The expense of Good paint comes from not using it.

Diogenes (meeting an O. A. C. Student): Hello, Jack, what do you know?
Jack: O, nothing much.
Diogenes blew out his lantern and went home to bed.

C. A. Chamberlain has secured the contract for the construction of the cabins, service station, etc., for the new camp ground north of town.

John Runyan is remodeling the Bates home at Myrtle Creek this week.

Morril Ritter is making considerable improvement at

the Roseburg Undertaking Parlor enlarging the chapel by putting an additional building on the lot west of the present parlor. This addition will give him one of the finest undertaking parlors in Oregon.

We're going over to Harold McKay's soda fountain and try this:

"Would you take our last cent for an ice cream soda?"

"I certainly would."

Whereupon we drink the soda, and lay down one cent.

"Hey, this is only a penny."

"Well, you said you'd take our last cent; that's it!"

If you wish to take advantage of the summer price schedule on coal you should order within the next fifteen days as the mine prices have already advanced. Ask us about this saving.

Ole Olson came into a Minnesota village store one day and asked the storekeeper:

"Got any squirrel whiskers?"

"No," said the storekeeper, "but I can slip you a little 'Old Crow'."

"No," said Ole. "I don't want to try; aye yust want to yump around a little bit."

Paint, roofing and coal are the only things we had space to mention today but we have a lot of other things we'd gladly sell or tell you about.

If it's building material or fuel just ask us about it.

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UMPQUA HARBOR IS DEEPEND

REEDSPORT, Aug. 1.—Approximately 20,229 yards of sand and gravel have been lifted from the mouth of the Umpqua river and taken farther out to sea by the operations of the dredge, Michie, according to reports made to the port official. The dredge has been working in fine shape and much has been accomplished.

Captain Brown is of the opinion that the good work will continue and that there will be an opportunity to move the sand and gravel until the middle of August. At that time it is expected that the funds will be used up. The Port of Umpqua has advanced money to the government to the amount used by the dredge in the operations at the mouth of the river.

That the channel has been improved was shown during the past week when the steamer Dan F. Hanlon was piloted over the bar during the night. She had on board over a million feet of lumber for the San Pedro port.

Raise lights were installed by the port, which enabled the successful passage of the boat.

The Dredge Umpqua has commenced digging a channel in the Umpqua river in order to clear some shoals which have formed. The operations will be below the Winchester Bay mill and extend from the Reedport meat market slaughter house to the powder float house used by Frank Taylor.

REEDSPORT SHIPS FULL CARLOAD OF BUTTER AND CHEESE

REEDSPORT, Aug. 1.—One of the biggest shipments of cheese and butter to be shipped from

Reedport was sent to San Francisco by the Umpqua Creamery company and makes one of the biggest shipments of its kind to be sent from the city, according to the reports of Karl Stone, manager.

Approximately 20,000 pounds of butter and cheese was included in the shipment. Practically all the milk was produced on Smith river, the Umpqua and the Schofield districts.

PACKER MAKES RECORD TRIP

According to Frank Ritter, district ranger of the South Umpqua district, Packer Andy Harvey recently made what is considered a very fine record of difficult packing when he, with the assistance of George Barrows, looked on Abbott Butte and Delbert Baele, fireman at Summit ranger station, packed the materials for the Abbott Butte lookout house from Woodruff Meadows in four days.

The distance is twelve miles of ascending trail and in some places the trail was covered with from four to five feet of snow.

Harvey used a train of nine pack-mules, with Barrows as helper on the trail while Packer prepared the packs and did the cooking.

To appreciate this performance one should know that the materials, lumber and hardware, for a standard lookout house approximate 8000 pounds in weight, the lumber being cut into sections of very uneven lengths and weight. A great deal of the lumber is planned on all sides and an expert knowledge of packing is required to adjust and tie on such loads so there will be no shifting when the mules start climbing.

An easy gait of not more than two miles per hour was maintained during the climb, the time being made up on the return trip. All material was delivered at the peak in good shape and the pack train showed no ill effects.

SOUTH UMPQUA ROD AND GUN CLUB ADDS MEMBERS

New Sportsmen's Organization Planning Big Rally for First Saturday in November.

A well attended meeting of the South Umpqua Rod and Gun Club was held at the Tiller school house Friday evening at which a set of by-laws were adopted and a number of matters informally discussed.

Twenty new members were received into the club, quite a number of them from the Days Creek and Milo sections. The president announced the appointment of the following standing committees who will guide the activities of the club for the year: predatory animals, George Norman, Ira Poole, John Rondeau, Walter Poole, Warren Tison; membership, Guy Pennell, Chas. Moore, F. J. Blatner, Fred Toole, Vernon Poole; fish and game, John Gross, Andy Moore, Chas. Collins, John Chaney, Carroll Hart, Orlan Cook, Jack Higgins, John Gilmore, Ladore Rondeau, Peter Ullam; financial and entertainment, Clay Ullam, Frank Ritter, T. M. Taylor, W. C. Smith, Amos Baker.

After a lively discussion the first Saturday in November was decided upon for the annual meeting. At that time the club proposes to have the one big rally of the year with a venison barbecue, an all day picnic and a grand ball in the evening. Clay Ullam and Frank Ritter, so the rumor goes, have been quietly agitating a movement for a ladies auxiliary, presumably so the ladies can do most of the work of the entertainment committee.

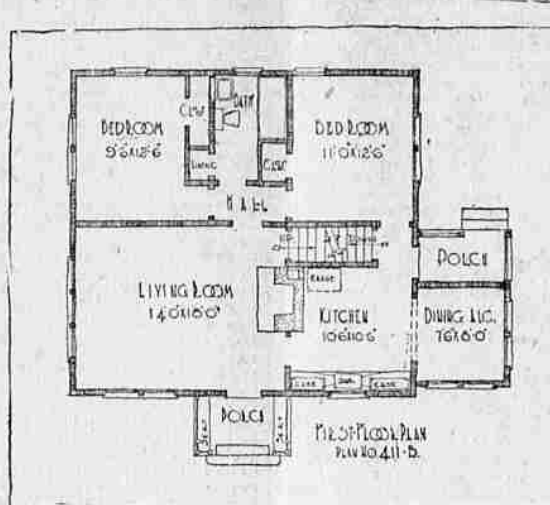
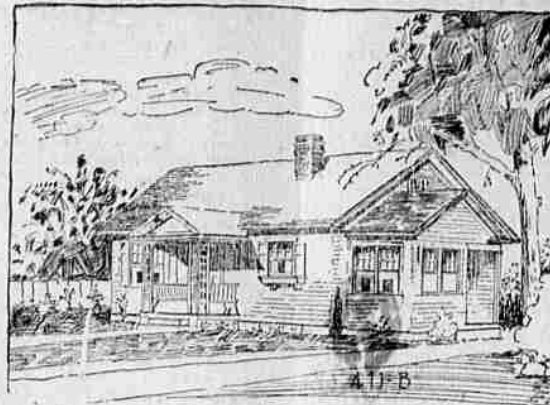
The first official club dance has been announced for Saturday, August 13, at the Rondeau hall at Tiller.

RANCHER PLOWS UP SET OF CLAY BOWLS

A nested set of clay bowls was plowed up by Jack Cowan in his Smith river ranch during the past few days and made one of the most interesting displays of the month, says the Port Umpqua Courier. The set was five in number, with each bowl graduated in size until the smallest one was about as large as an ordinary plate bowl. The largest one, which served as a case, was broken by the plow and was not preserved.

The bowls show evidence of having been pressed and later subjected to an intense heat, as

COLONIAL BUNGALOW IS MODERN AND CONVENIENT



HOME LARGE ENOUGH FOR SMALL FAMILY AT LOW COST

A four room colonial bungalow that can be erected at a minimum of cost is shown in the accompanying sketch. This little residence, with its living room, two bedrooms, kitchen and dining alcove, is planned to meet the requirements of modern convenience.

The rooms are of fair size and well arranged and the house will provide all the comforts of the ordinary modern home of rather small size. Dignity and simplicity, with the abiding charm of colonial lines and detail, are distinguishing features of the exterior. The plan provides for the new and increasingly popular idea of a front-view kitchen. The scheme of having the kitchen in the front of the house is popular with the housewife, especially for homes where the dining room is replaced by an alcove, for so much time is spent in the kitchen that it is considered much better to use the desirable space with its front view for this room than for a bedroom only occupied by night.

Provision is made for a roof sufficiently high so that, if desired, one room may be built on the second floor.

Plans for this home or for others shown in this department may be secured by writing the House Dept., care News-Review.

used is not known, but it is surmised that they were left on the ground by Indians, who years ago found the Cowan farm a favorite camping ground.

The bowls are on display at the jewelry store of Ernest Haskell.

ROSEBURG MAN PAYS VISIT TO DAWSON CITY

C. C. Hurst, a well known resident of Roseburg and a former Alaskan gold miner, is visiting his old haunts in Yukon Territory. An article in a recent issue of The Dawson News, tells of Mr. Hurst's visit as follows:

Still the lure of old Bonanza beckons to sordidness of yesterday. At least that is the way it is with C. C. Hurst, erstwhile Bonanza creek miner, who is back in Dawson after an absence of twenty-three years from the Yukon.

In 1893 the venturesome miner hiked for the Yukon, at the time when the newly-discovered gold camp was in its zenith. Like many other business men from the outside, Hurst knew little or nothing about the mining game.

However, the gold was there, and that's what he went after. Staking a claim at 45 Bonanza, he dug in like all the rest. Then the seething mass of humanity that was Dawson during its wildest days.

In the dance halls and gambling dens everyone talked "gold." The yellow metal became an idol, a weird fantasy, something that one had to dig into the ground for and shovel up in pockets.

"Ground that did not run at least 50 cents in gold to the pan was considered barren. No good at all."

"I heard that remark," states the former sordidness. "Heard it many times, and not knowing, I believed it. My ground was good for 35 cents for every pan that I took out, but I sloughed it. Sold it to a lucky Swede who cleaned up on what I left and then beat it for the outside."

"Then a new location—52 Bonanza—the Fairbanks stampede, and away again. After prospecting and mining on Dome and Goldstream creeks, in the Fairbanks district, I packed up and hit for the Iditarod; eventually the Kuskoowim, back to Iditarod, on to Marshall, Nenana, and finally the outside."

And now the old-timer is back in the Yukon again. Back after having re-established himself in business on the outside, after his campaign in the northland. For the time being his prime ranch at Roseburg, Oregon, has been forgotten while the early-day miner lides through the Yukon.

On this trip to the north the optimistic sordidness is accompanied by his nephew, C. H. Hurst, a young geologist, who is connected with the American-Hawaiian Steamship company of San Francisco.

"My nephew has always longed for a trip to the Yukon," attests the uncle. "He wants to hunt and fish and explore this gold land. Now he's on his summer vacation—he has got his chance."

Yesterday the former Klondiker and his nephew took a trip as far as Jackson gulch.

"The old place has certainly changed," exclaimed the sordidness, "and such a vast change has a depressing effect. However, there is plenty of gold in this country, and I am sure that things will pick up. At any rate, I'm glad to be among the northerners again, and before we leave my nephew and I are going to visit the old claim and see if we can locate a few colors even at this stage of the game."



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ROY WILSON WITH MARINE FORCE SENT TO CHINA

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Aug. 1.—Some of the interesting events now occurring in China are likely to be witnessed by Roy L. Wilson, of Reston, near Roseburg, Ore., who was one of the latest men to leave this western base for service with the expeditionary force of U. S. marines at Shanghai.

He was with a detachment of marines who embarked on the S. S. President Pierce, with Shanghai as their destination. Due to the rapid shifting of troops, however, the local marine may eventually go to Tientsin or some other point in China, where the marines are guarding American lives and interests.

Three or four thousand U. S. marines have been ordered to China since last February, and from time to time small detachments are likely to be ordered there, remaining for an indefinite period.

Roy is 21 years old and was born in Reston. He lived at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Wilson, in Reston, before he joined the marine corps at Portland, in November, 1924. For a while he was stationed with the marines aboard the U. S. S. West Virginia, later being assigned to duty at San Diego. When men were selected for service abroad, Roy was one of the marines chosen.

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