

Building and Improvement

5 NEW HOMES TO BE BUILT HERE

First Week of November Finds Rush for Permits Unabated

Five new homes, ranging in price from \$300 to \$2,200, are to be built in La Grande as a result of building permits issued by City Recorder J. E. Stearns last week.

Of a total of nine applications, five were for new homes, one for a new church, and one for a business building.

The church is to be erected on Y between Ash and Birch, according to L. D. McGraw who secured the permit for the Church of Nazarene. The estimated cost of the new structure is set at \$1,500.

Playle Takes Out Permit Charles Playle of the Playle Oil company, took out a permit Nov. 3 to erect a building on Adams street of the firm, to perpetuate the to cost \$1,800. H. P. Nielson is the contractor.

On Nov. 6 C. E. Sitts applied for permission to alter and repair his dwelling place on Fourth street between H and I, the work to cost \$1,000.

Permits for new homes, added to the others, bring the total value of the week's building proposals to \$16,000. They follow:

Nov. 3—Bird Bennett, to erect

a one-story dwelling in Connordale on Twelfth between Washington and J, to cost \$3,000.

Nov. 3—R. A. Crawford, to alter and repair a home on I, between Tenth and Eleventh streets, work to cost \$700.

Nov. 3—Phayle Oil company, to erect business building on Adams between Greenwood and Hemlock, to cost \$1,800.

Nov. 3—J. W. Ross, to erect a residence on Y between Depot and Birch, to cost \$300.

Nov. 4—Church of Nazarene to erect church on Y between Ash and Birch, to cost \$1,500.

Nov. 4—William Rollins, to erect a dwelling place on Thirteenth street between Washington and J, to cost \$2,200.

Nov. 6—H. P. Nielson, to erect a dwelling on Cherry between Case and O to cost \$1,200.

Nov. 6—C. E. Sitts, to alter and repair a dwelling on Fourth between Greenwood and Hemlock.

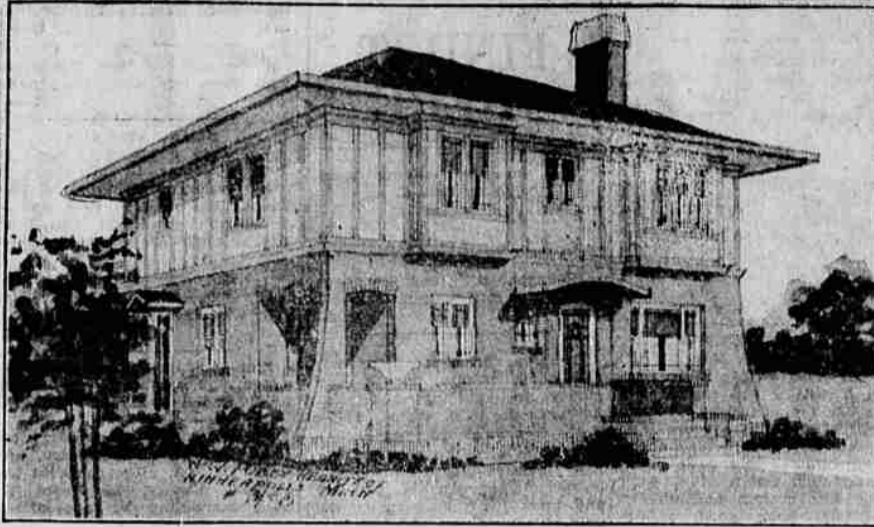
J. K. HACKETT DIES

PARIS, Nov. 8 (AP)—James K. Hackett, the American actor who for many years has resided in Paris, died today.

Death was due to heart disease, following a long illness from an internal complaint. Mrs. Hackett who was Beatrice H. Beckley of London was at his bedside when death came.

Headline you never see: MARIE SAYS SHE SEES NOTHING WONDERFUL HERE.

A BRICK AND STUCCO HOME



By W. W. JURDY.

In the present day, where the sunroom has replaced the open screened porch, one overlooks the fact, that no provision has been made for outside air on hot summer nights. In this plan besides the large terrace across the front, a small porch is placed in the corner, opening off the breakfast-room through a French door. From the terrace one enters through a vestibule into the main hall. Note the convenience of the coat closet, and the attractive stair to second floor, with the basement stair underneath leading down into a large amusement room.

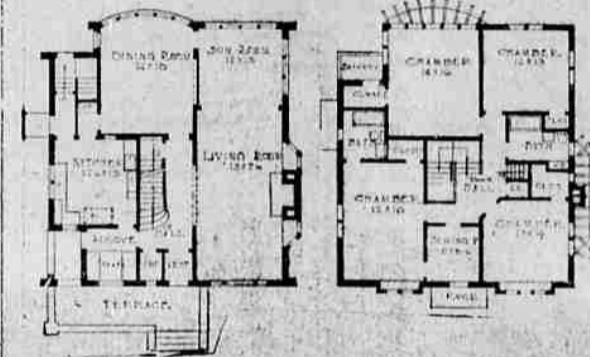
Mere words cannot describe this attractive home. It is one that must be seen to be appreciated. The large living-room, with its Colonial mantle and bookcase, recessed in an extended bay, is a unique feature. French doors open on the sunroom.

The dining-room in this plan has been placed in the rear, giving one that entertains the privacy that is usually desired. The circular bay, with its grouping of five windows is most attractive. The kitchen is large enough to provide for a large sink, stove and plenty of cupboard space.

The second floor provides for four chambers, one large owner's chamber with private bath, in addition to the other bath. A stair leads to the attic where a two maids' room and bath are finished off. In the basement beside the large amusement room is the laundry, fruit, storage and furnace-room.

The floors throughout the first floor plain white oak, with birch trim stained and enameled. All baths have tile floor, with the wainscot for the two baths on the second floor, toilet in the basement kitchen and breakfast alcove has linoleum floor, woodwork painted a yellow.

The first story walls are brick veneer, with a mottled brick and raked out mortar joints. Exterior stucco walls on second floor are cream, with a darker cream paint on the panels. The roof is green



Fire-Proof Garage Under Construction

HOT LAKE, Nov. 8 (Special)—A fire-proof garage is being built at the Hot Lake Sanatorium to accommodate the increasing number of patients who are driving here and the Sanatorium employees who are owning cars. This will be the fourth garage on the Sanatorium grounds, and will be erected back of the section of the building which houses a large number of the personnel of the house.

TO MARRY WIFE'S SISTER

BOSTON—Mayor Malcolm E. Nichols is to marry Miss Carrie Marjorie Williams, twin sister of his deceased wife, Miss Williams has been taking care of the mayor children since the death of her sister.

HER PAW IS TIRED

SPOKANE—Queen Marie's paw is almost worn out. That's how she described a hand tired by many shakes.



You remember Saturday when it was raining so hard we were selling paint and oil to beat the band. Some people are buying red barn paint for \$1.19 per gallon that we have on sale and mixing a lot of linseed oil with it and using it for a roof stain. Saws filed and axes re-handled. Sandpaper sold by the yard, coal by the ton, lumber on the run, shingles for fun, roofing for men, come when you see the sun if you want to get some.

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Baker Building Permits Reach \$482,486 Total

BAKER, Ore., Nov. 8—Although Baker's building permits will be a little less than last year on account of a shortage of big building construction, the total will fall only a little short of 1925 and the general building will prove to be better, City Clerk J. A. Smurthwaite estimates.

Building permits for the first 10 months of this year were \$482,486. For all last year the total was \$523,096. It is expected that November and December will boost the 1926 permits beyond the half million mark, but probably not up to last year's figure. It was pointed out, however, that outside of the big Basche-Sage store-building the 1926 permits would considerably exceed those of a year ago.

The 1926 permits segregated as to classifications follow:

Warehouse, factories, etc.	\$104,375
Offices and retail bldgs.	67,312
Church (Lutheran)	7,500
Residences	276,181
Miscellaneous	32,338
Total	\$482,486

Classified according to months the permits follow:

January	\$10,937
February	127,344
March	62,327
April	42,700
May	31,481
June	\$8,250
July	13,135
August	57,669

Purchases Building At North Powder

NORTH POWDER, Ore., Nov. 8—E. J. Sencerbox and Miss Helen Sencerbox have completed the purchase of the business building two doors east of their present location, from Grant Dalton. The building has been occupied for some time as living quarters by Mr. and Mrs. George Kawasow.

The building will be remodeled to suit the use and convenience of the new owners, of their office rooms for the firm of Sencerbox & Sencerbox, in their loan and insurance business. It is also planned by this firm to entirely remodel the front of the building in the spring, which will be designed in stucco, with plate glass windows.

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September	16,550
October	80,093
Total	\$482,486

House Raising Is Held at Promise

PROMISE, Nov. 8 (Special)—There was an old-fashioned house raising at the Bill Casper home last Monday. Sixteen men were there to assist with the raising of the logs for Mr. and Mrs. Casper's new house and Mrs. Lena Trump, assisted by Mrs. P. Carper, Mrs. Bertha Carper, Mrs. McDonald and Mrs. Lula Trump, prepared dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Casper are building a new log house. The outside is almost up, now and the inside is being finished. The carpenter work is being done by John Dand.

An electron is the smallest unit of matter, say the scientists. Remember that, wives. It's a good one to fling at him.

Here And There

CHILOQUIN — \$25,000 Welch business block will be built.

KLAMATH FALLS — Klamath county will erect \$30,000 jail.

ELMIRA — Union high school to have new gymnasium.

CORVALLIS — New electric apartments with 21 units will be built.

PORTLAND — \$2,500,000, 15-story family apartment house in West park proposed.

SALEM — During first nine months of 1926 building permits issued here totaled \$2,395,165.

KLAMATH FALLS — Burned White Pelican hotel will be rebuilt.

FOREST GROVE — Masonry home being greatly improved.

A wet plank and a flowing son is the way the politicians are saying it this fall.

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