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BUILDING TOTAL UP TO \$172,000

Three Major Projects Yet to Be Applied for, to Cost About \$175,000

Building permits in La Grande for the year, with three major projects yet to come which, it is estimated, will call for expenditures of \$175,000 or more, have reached a total of \$172,348.

Montgomery Ward & Co., which is building a store back of the federal building on Washington and Fourth, have practically completed excavation work, but their building permit has not been applied for, so that it is uncertain what this project will cost. Estimates range into several thousand dollars.

Julius Hensch is making rapid progress with his large garage building on Jefferson, which it has been announced, will cost about \$20,000.

Then the Eastern Oregon Normal school will cost nearly \$145,000 and indications are that the work will be started this month.

Permits by month in La Grande since Jan. 1, follow:

Month	Permits	Cost
January	9	\$ 4,400
February	15	8,295
March	13	18,370
April	33	54,465
May	29	43,485
June	21	28,840
July	12	20,583
Total	122	\$171,884

Permits issued this month bring the total to more than \$172,000, with J. F. Higgins taking out one Aug. 3 to alter and repair a house on Washington between Fir and Greenwood, and Ira H. Aldrich making out a permit Aug. 4 to alter and repair a two-story apartment



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"PABCO" WEEK BEGINS HERE THIS MORNING

Aug. 6 to 11, inclusive, have been set as the dates for "Pabco week" in La Grande, and during this time distributors of Pabco products here will conduct an educational campaign on the value of equipping roofs with Pabco shingles, preserving and beautifying interiors and exteriors and using dustless rugs in many rooms of the house.

An extensive display of shingles, which will show the color harmony possible, has been installed in the Pabco display at the La Grande hotel and roofing authorities who are also experts on color will give demonstrations and valuable information on roofs and their designs, according to C. M. Russell, representative of the Paraffin Companies, Inc.

LOSTINE PERSONALS

LOSTINE, Ore. (Special)—Mike Moffitt, a business visitor to La Grande Sunday.

Ernest Fisher, of Leap, was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Miss Vera McArthur, of Enterprise, was a guest of Mrs. Edna Hammock for several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crow, of Hurricane creek, were visiting Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Crow.

Late Hammock, Marion Hammock, and Chris Johnson were business visitors in La Grande Tuesday.

Clare Childers has been absent from the Children's league short because of an attack of tonsillitis.

Harley Allen returned home Sunday from Salem where he has completed his law course at Willamette university.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney are the proud parents of a son, born to them July 28. Mrs. Haney is at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Winters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jackson spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Crow at the Loch Creek forest ranger station.

Miss Ethlyn Lemay, of Boise, Idaho, who has been visiting relatives and friends here, left Tuesday for Wallawa and on Thursday left for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kenney, spent Saturday and Sunday camping at Aneroid Lake.

Ed Croaster was a Lostine visitor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John McKinnis, of Jambler, stopped for a short time Sunday on their way home from the lake.

Miss Gladys Magill went to South Mountain Tuesday to arrange for a bonfire night, Miss Magill teaches there this year.

George Rance and family, of Leap, were eating on friends here last Sunday.

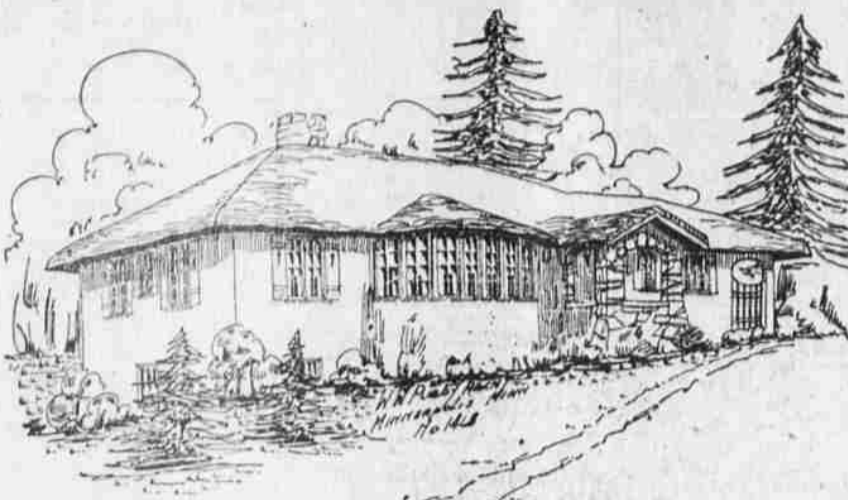
Grandma Weston, of Itanaha, spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Daines. Her son, Clarence, took her home Sunday evening.

Marion Johnson, of Jambler, was visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Wiggins Sunday.

Frank Bradley, who has been on his vacation, has returned to his work at the Halstons store. Mr. Halstons of Wallawa, had charge during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and two daughters and Mrs. Pauline Bradley spent several days with friends at La Grande. They were also guests of Bert Knapp on Prairie creek over the weekend.

S. P. Crow, Mina Crow, Paul Crow, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Crow and house on Fourth between G and H. Mr. Alarich estimates his work will cost \$250.

A HILLSIDE BUNGALOW



This long rambling bungalow, with the broad frontage to the street, is for a country estate, a "Hillside Bungalow". The hatched straw colored shingle roof blends into the surrounding landscape, making an ideal setting for this attractive home. The front entrance is a small stoop, constructed of field stone, the sweeping roof lines extending out over these massive piers to form the shelter. From this stoop one enters a small reception hall, with arched opening between it and the living room.

One is at once impressed with the massive stone fireplace in this enormous living room. The entire front end is a bay, in which are seven windows. Two pairs of French doors open from this room onto a rear screened porch which is large enough to accommodate two ceiling beds.

The dining room is good size, well lighted, and has an attractive built-in buffet. The kitchen is large, and has a breakfast alcove. There is a basement under the living and bed room portion only. This basement provides ample room for the heating plant, laundry, as well as storage space.

The floor—throughout are huedwood, with express trim, stained a rich chocolate brown. Walls tinted. The price is estimated to be from \$18,000 to \$20,000, exclusive of heating and plumbing.

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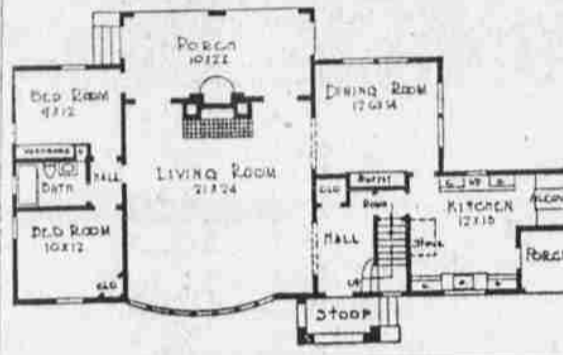
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List of Notable American Books Of 1927 Includes "Best Sellers"

CHICAGO (AP)—Some of the "best sellers" of last year, notably "Our Times," by Mark Sullivan, and "The Human Body," by Louis Glendon, are in the list of 40 books which the American Library Association has recommended for inclusion in a world list of notable books.

A list of the "world's most notable books" is prepared yearly by the International Institute of Intellectual Cooperation of the League of Nations. Fiction and children's books are not included.

The institute provides that "the works chosen should deal with important subjects in an original and interesting manner and be capable of being read by persons of average culture."

The American list includes: "History: The Rise of American Civilization," by Charles A. and Mary E. Beard; "The Renaissance of the Twelfth Century," by Charles H. Maskin; "America and French Culture," by Howard M. Jones; "The Emergence of Modern America," by Allen Saxon; "A History of the Ancient World," by Michael L. Bonnell; "Our Times," by Mark Sullivan; "The First Americans," by Thomas J. Wertenbaker.

Social Science: "American Secularism," by Samuel P. Hays and others; "The Public and Its Problems," by John Dewey; "The Business of the Supreme Court," by Felix Frankfurter and James M. Landis; "The Science of Society," by William

nor and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Crow went to Joseph Tuesday and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Dabney. Mr. Crow and Mrs. Dabney fished on Sheep Creek Wednesday.

Mrs. Nora Hale, of Portland, and Mrs. Edith Cooper, of Tacoma, Wash., were guests of Mrs. William Hunter this week. They also visited Mrs. Jay Lewis while here.

R. L. Parry, of the Blue Mountain Fox farm at Jambler, and William Holman, also of Jambler, were business visitors at Lostine Tuesday. They came over to see Mr. and Mrs. William Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ober Ward and son, Charlie, drove over to Hermiston last week where they visited for a few days.

Mrs. Walter Quisenberry is quite ill at her home at Lostine. Her friends hope for a speedy recovery.

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From the Civil War to the Present Day, by Arthur H. Quinn.

Biography: "Life and Letters of Woodrow Wilson," by Roy Starrs; "Baker, D. L. Moody," by G. M. Bradford; "An American Saint," by Carl C. Jensen; "Andrew Jackson," by Gerald W. Johnson; "Georgie Kean," by Harold Lamb; and "Abel," by Walter E. Peck.

Travel and Social Life: "Provincial Society," by James T. Adams; "Phantom Jungles," by William Deane; and "Democratic Distinction in America," by William C. Brownell.

Science: "The Growth of Modern Physics," by Percy W. Bridgman; "The Human Body," by Louis Glendon; "Herodotus and Human Affairs," by Edward M. East; "Evolution in Science and Religion," by Robert A. Millikan; "The New Revolution," by Michael L. Pupin; and "Introduction to the History of Science," by George Sarton.

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George Lyman has a couple of nice looking houses under construction on N street just off Fourth street.

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W. Yeiler is putting the finishing touches on the Grace building. It will be ready for occupancy about the first of the month.

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