

BUILDING PERMIT TOTAL IS \$54060

Weather Holding Back Some Construction—Two Permits This Month.

With the weather still against it, building activity in La Grande continues at a somewhat below normal pace with permits for the first four months amounting to less than \$50,000. However, this figure does not include the Eastern Oregon Normal school permit, which has not yet been applied for. It is expected that this will amount to between \$125,000 and \$150,000 and when it is issued, will automatically put the figure in La Grande to about a fifth of a million dollars.

The records show that permits issued and the value of construction started during the first four months of this year to be as follows:

Month	Permits	Value
January	2	\$ 170
February	2	\$ 5,500
March	20	\$9,010
April	22	\$ 2,320
Total	57	\$54,060

During the last week only two permits were issued. They are as follows:

May 1—W. Vedder, to alter and repair a filling station on Adams between Cherry and Maple for the Veltes Oil company, work to cost \$400.

May 2—William Hawkins, to alter and repair a residence on Fourth between Y and Z, work to cost \$500.

BEFORE MIKE

WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS
The American Broadcasting company program for Wednesday follows: 7, Golden Gate Gypsies; 7:30, humorous skit; 8, Salon orchestra; 9, Golden Gate Gypsies; 9:30, novelties; 10, Sleepy Time; 11 to 12, dance music.

The National Broadcasting company program for Wednesday follows: 7, dance orchestra; 7:30 to 8, Hungarian music; 8, Roads to Romance; 8:30, Hill Billy boys; 10 to 12, dance music, "Broadways."

Portland
KGW (620kc) NBC: 7:30, studio and features; 10, concert orchestra; 11, dance band; 12, news summary.
KEX (1180kc) 7:30 to 9, silent; 9, Catholic lecture; 9:15, ABC; 11, news, weather; 11:05, ABC.

Oakland
KGO (790kc) 7, NBC; 7:30, C. M. T. band; 8, NBC; 9, quintet concert; 10, NBC.
KIX (850kc) 7, news; 7:30, Edna Fisher, pianist; 8, educational program; 9, studio, features.

Denver
KOA (830kc) 7, NBC; 7:30, news of the world.

Los Angeles
KNX (1050kc) 7, radio skit; 7:30, NBC; 10, Gus Arnheim's orchestra; 12, dance hour.
KFI (640kc) 7, NBC; 7:30, orchestra; 8, NBC; 9, concert; 10, dance music.

Seattle
KOMO (920kc) 7, NBC; 8:30, features; 10, orchestra; 11, news; 11:15, orchestra.
KJH (970kc) 7 to 12, ABC program.

San Francisco
KICPRC (610kc) 7, features; 9, orchestra and soloists; 10, Mark Hopkins orchestra; 11 to 12, cabaret band.
KPO (680kc) 7, NBC; 8:30, features; 9:30, Tommy and Hob; 10, Jesse Stafford's orchestra; 11, NBC.

Salt Lake City
KKSL (1180kc) 7, NBC; 7:30, "The Senator of Sandpitt County"; 8, features; 8:30, little symphony; 9, concert; 10, NBC.

Spokane
KHQ (650kc) 7, NBC; 9, features; 10, Amos and Andy; 10:10 to 12, ABC.
KGA (1470kc) 7 to 12, ABC.

Ziegfeld says well-rounded lines are to be stylish again. Evidently a survival of the fittest.

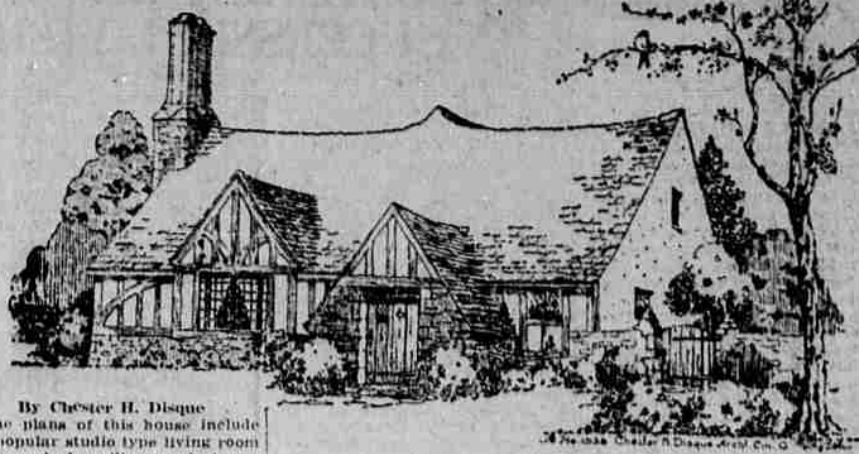
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STUDIO FEATURED



By Chester H. Disque

The plans of this house include the popular studio type living room with arched ceiling and heavy wood beams of roof construction left exposed to view. The large breasts of casement windows, together with the rough textured plaster and quaint corner fireplace of ancient design augment the beauty and distinctiveness of this room. The floor is of wide oak planks of random width.

Other distinctive features of the interior are to be found in the flagstone entry with its cloak closet and space for console table. The breakfast nook is of unusual design. There are many closets, convenient hall serving all rooms, also stairs to attic and garage in basement.

The foundation wall and some parts of the exterior, as shown, are of cinder-concrete blocks with half timber and stucco used elsewhere. The roof is of dark red and brown flat tiles with cream-colored stucco, dark brown woodwork, with mid color cement paint on the cinder-concrete blocks.

This house is only thirty-nine feet wide and could very easily be built on a fifty foot lot. At least two additional bedrooms could be provided for on the second floor. A clothes chute is nicely hidden in the linen closet in the bathroom with openings occurring in both the bathroom and hall. Hardwood floor and gum trim is used throughout the interior except the kitchen and bath. Statuary bronze hardware is used on all doors and steel casement windows, the latter being equipped with five screens of the rolling type.

It is estimated that this house will cost between \$5,000 and \$6,500, exclusive of plumbing and heating.

A Massachusetts trapper sometimes finds a gun superfluous. Recently he brought in two fox skins, one slain by a wildcat and one a victim of starvation.

Al Smith and Calvin Coolidge are probably chuckling to themselves these days. President Hoover sent Congress 2000 words the other day and didn't get a dime for it.



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MUCH INTEREST IN ELECTRIC REFRIGERATION

A surprising increase of public interest in electric refrigeration was manifested in the number of visitors in showrooms throughout the country during Frigidaire cold control week, according to Jesse Rosenbaum, local representative. Thousands of people took advantage of the opportunity to learn more about mechanical refrigeration for the household and to familiarize themselves with the newest Frigidaire feature, which permits the user to obtain any required temperature for ice and dessert making.

"This growing interest further exemplifies the tremendous increase in sales that has occurred in all parts of the country," he said. "The factories at Dayton are operating overtime, many departments working at night, some on triple shift to meet the unprecedented demand. All records for compressor shipments were broken in March.

"March shipments were fifty per cent ahead of the same month last year with 144 carloads of finished products leaving the factories. Prospects for April point to still more broken records. Orders received during the first week in April alone were sufficient to tax the factory capacity for several weeks. Production of some of the more popular models has been more than doubled."

"More people called at the local sales room during the past month than ever before. The percentage of floor sales all over the country was the highest the organization had ever experienced," he said.

Build New Chapel At Elgin Shortly

The Snodgrass and Zimmerman mortuary of this city will start construction within the next few months of a new undertaking establishment at Elgin, to replace the building which they have been using. The new structure will be of stucco and will adjoin the Sanders Service station property. It will be of modern design but details as to floor plans, etc., have not been completed.

The present building will be torn down in the near future to make way for the new mortuary.

We have decided not to read any more list of "the 10 most interesting men in the world" until we see one headed by the name of Tom Herlihy's boy.

Riding the Market

The difference between a hitch-hiker and an amateur stock market player is that the latter will always find it easier to be taken for a ride.—American Magazine.

Profitable Dreams

A lifetime of study, thought, patience, toil, is not too much to spend in learning how to dream.—American Magazine.

Judicial Error

Judge—"Hail, that man be must remove his hat in court."
Walloff—"But, sir, that man is a woman."—P. Constantople.

Lumber Shipments Exceed Production

SEATTLE, Wash., May 7.—Current lumber shipments exceeded the week's production by 2.55 per cent and orders were 7.46 per cent under cutting, reports to the West Coast Lumbermen's association for the week ending April 27 show. The West Coast lumber industry continues to be in a strong position with accumulative orders for the seventeen weeks of this year, \$1.6 per cent above accumulative production, an unusually high unfilled order file, and inventories low.

A total of 206 mills whose production, orders and shipment records for four weeks past are complete at the association office reported for the week ending April 27.

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Pour Concrete At Wonderland Dam This Week

ENTERPRISE, May 7.—The work of enlarging the lake dam has progressed so that the form is almost ready for the concrete and R. K. Holter who is in charge of the construction work says he expects to begin pouring some time this week.

The space between the large supports on the lower side of the dam will be filled in and this will require about 1000 cubic yards of large stones. The smooth surface of the concrete must all be chipped off and men are now at work on this with hand tools, the air compressor having broken down. As soon as the machine is repaired they will progress more rapidly.

On both sides of the embankment below the dam terraces are being made which will be filled in with rocks to strengthen the support of the wall.

Nothing will be done to the upper side of the dam until fall when the water will be drained out and some reinforcements added.

The weather has been so cool that the water has risen only a few inches since work was begun so there is little doubt that it will be completed in time to take care of all storage.

More persons, proportionately, are married between the ages of 60 and 80 at Los Angeles than in any other American metropolitan center.

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