

THIRD LARGEST BUILDING YEAR

Total for 1929 to Be More Than \$335,872—Two Permits Last Week.

With only six weeks remaining in 1929, the building peak has been reached in La Grande and contractors believe it unlikely that more than occasional permits will be issued from now on until Jan. 1. Only two new jobs were started last week, both for alterations and repairs.

Permits issued last week follow: Nov. 12—George H. Curroy, to alter and repair a brick business building on Elm between Adams and Washington, work to cost \$700. Nov. 13—R. Grodnouk, for J. F. Wolfe, to alter and repair a residence building on Second between Spruce and Pennsylvania, work to cost \$100.

No Reports From Arctic Rescuers

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 18 (AP)—The silent fastness of the far north continued today to hold in its embrace the fate of the persons marooned on the Swenson Fur Trader company's ship Nanuk and the Soviet ship Stavropol, both of which are lashed in the ice at North Cape, Siberia. Word has also lacking from Pilot Frank Dorland, storm bound for more than a week at Teller, Alaska and from Pilot Carl Ben Eielson, veteran Alaskan flier, who was presumably forced down somewhere on the Siberian coast in the vicinity of North Cape.

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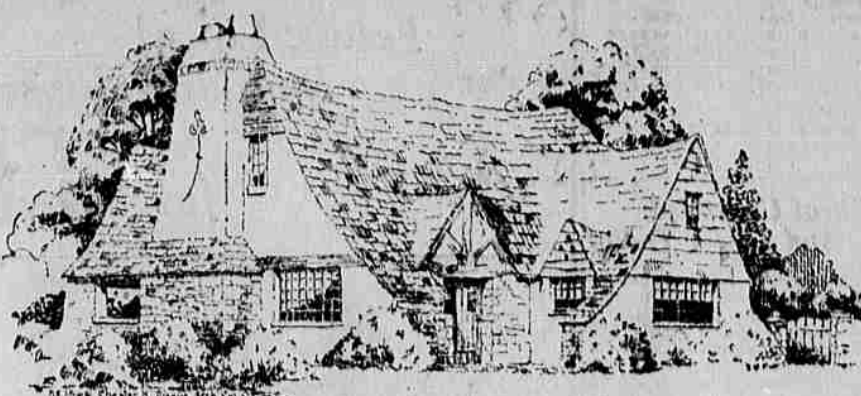
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L. M. Hoyt, member of La Grande's efficient fire department, bought a SPEED-LAY roof from us last week for his home on Main Street. The city firemen realize the importance of a good roof.

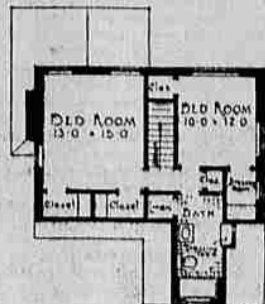
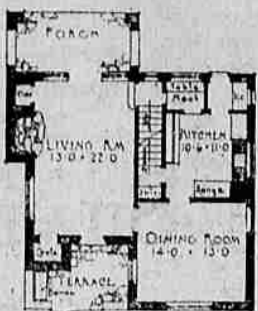
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A WELL-BALANCED DESIGN



By Chester H. Disque

The above design illustrates a well balanced and practical suburban home. There are many features that unquestionably attract the eye but with none so prominent that the others are neglected, the eye being gently lead from one to the other as should be in any good design.



The massive chimney, ornamented as shown, is indeed the most prominent of these features, but the main entrance door has by no means been neglected. The placing of the coat closet serves admirably in allowing the main roof line to sweep closely to the ground, which, in turn, is carried still further by the stone wall, which encloses the entrance terrace and also conceals a comfortable bench as shown on the plans.

The interior is found to be a distinctive and as practical in its arrangement as the exterior. A little time spent in study of the plan will reveal the many possibilities of a comfortable arrangement of the furniture. The wide breast of easement sash and French doors at the rear of the living room, looking out

onto the porch, and garden in the rear, should surely create a beautiful picture.

The kitchen nook is unusual in its treatment, inasmuch as the floor of it is raised one step above the kitchen, adding to its effective beauty and also permitting only one step at the little "sneak" door, which leads to the landing to the stairs.

dark woodwork, steel casement windows, rough plastering, and antique lighting fixtures are used throughout. The bath, of course, is tile.

This house is only 32 feet wide and could very easily be contained on a 50-foot lot. Its cost is estimated to be between \$6,500 and \$8,000, exclusive of heating and plumbing.

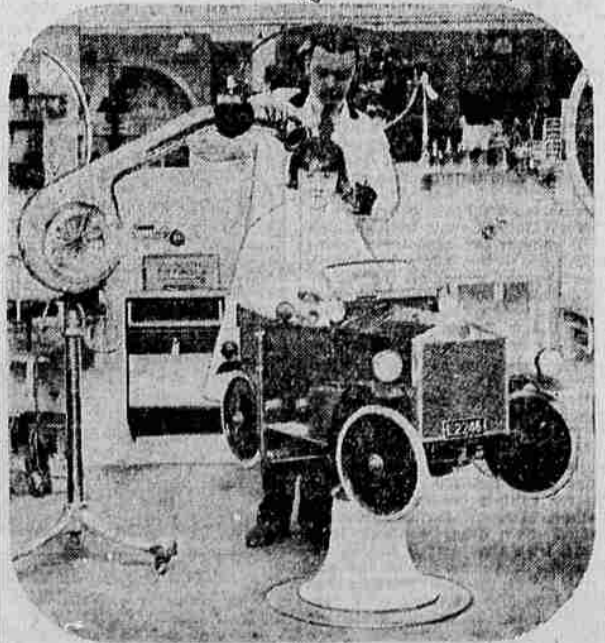
Prints and Paints For Trifles



By GLADYS LILLY

A CHARMING room, like a charming costume, owes its perfection to those attractive trifles summed up by the comprehensive term "accessories." Cigarette and cigar boxes, matchholders, waste baskets, trinket boxes, canisters for the kitchen cabinet, and hundreds of other little useful articles may be made from what would otherwise have been discarded. Any of these items make appropriate Christmas gifts which are appreciated as much for their beauty as for the fact that they were made by the donor.

Riding Along to a Haircut



Getting a haircut in a certain London barber shop now is plenty of fun for children. And why shouldn't it be, if one sits in a toy motor car and imagines oneself out riding while the barber is at work? Pictured above is a youngster getting her hair dried with a new mechanical device as she sits in the motor car, and she seems to like it.

Improvement Gossip

New Lighting System—The Larison Chevrolet company has installed a new lighting system at the used car lot on Fir street. The garage also has put in a runway into the basement for the storage of cars to keep them out of the weather. A new office has also been built.

Completed Garage—Goodough and Kelly finished a garage for Joe Luxon on Greenwood street last week.

Roofing House—L. M. Hoyt, who lives at 602 Main street, is re-roofing his home this week. Mr. Hoyt is one of the city firemen.

California Stucco—The front of the Granada theater was finished with California stucco, Harry Hoffman doing the work.

Redecorating—J. Miller will do re-decoration work in the Landis Court apartments next week.

Installed Fireman—Fred Spaeth's plumbing shop has installed an Iron Fireman in the La Grande National bank.

Oil Burner—Nate Zweifel has installed a Hart oil burner for Mrs. Grace Snyder.

Boiler—A U. S. boiler was installed for T. J. Scroggin and a steam heat plant, U. S. boiler and radiator, was installed for Mrs. Myrtle Robbs, by Nate Zweifel.

Kitzmiller May Never Play On Gridiron Again

EUGENIE, Ore., Nov. 18 (AP)—The possibility that Johnny Kitzmiller, quarterback, and famed "Flying Dutchman" of the University of Oregon football team, may never play another game, lowered a pall of gloom over the university campus here today.

Oregon's 17 to 0 victory over Oregon State here Saturday lost much of its glamor when the injury to the university's gridiron hero was contemplated.

Kitzmiller was injured in the last play of the first half when two tacklers slammed him to the ground. The injury consists of a fracture of the right fibula, a small bone in the leg, a few inches above the ankle, and dislocation of the right ankle. The dislocation is the more serious. The fibula and tibia, its companion bone, were spread apart at their junction, tearing ligaments and tissue.

Danger of a permanently stiffened joint is seen by surgeons.

Backward Races—Some races of men have only 300 or 400 words at their command, and are dependent upon gesture for much of their meaning.

land, was a guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth LaViolette. She was on her way home from Chicago where she had been visiting a daughter.

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