

# BUILDING TOTAL 300 PCT. MORE

Total for First Quarter of 1930 Shows Increase of \$95,600.

Building permits for the first quarter of 1930 in La Grande are officially \$146,280, more than a quarter of a million dollars, it was announced today by J. L. Stearns, city recorder.

A total of 29 permits, ranging from new construction to alteration and repair work, have been issued since Jan. 1, divided as follows: January 8, February 7 and March 14.

The monthly totals for the first quarter follow: January \$9,950, February \$108,736 and March \$22,599.

## \$85,600 Increase

This is a very large increase over the figures for the first quarter last year, when the total reached \$14,680. This makes the 1930 increase over 1929 amount to \$32,600 or more than 300 per cent.

Permits issued for the last week of March follow:

Mar. 25—E. F. Henseler, for George H. Curry, to alter and repair a brick store building on Adams between Fir and Elm, work to cost \$30.

Mar. 25—Jerome Campbell, to erect a home on Jefferson between Maple and Cherry, to cost \$2,000.

Mar. 25—Charles E. Harris, for La Grande hotel, to alter and repair the La Grande hotel at Fourth and Adams, work to cost \$125.

Mar. 25—Jack Busch, to alter and repair a blacksmith shop on

# City Hall Receives Coat of Kalsomine

The annual work of brightening up the city building has been under way for several days, with the effect secured in the first station much more cheerful than before. A lighter tone was used in the kalsomining than previously.

Each year the city workers kalsomine one-half of the municipal structure, doing the other half the following year. Radlators in the building have also been painted, receiving a gold-colored covering.

# Cleaning Fluid Brings Freshness

Spots simply will show up, no matter how carefully one may try to guard against them. And, of course, as luck always will have it, at the most inopportune moment—on your husband's necktie or coat—your important business appointment—on a drapery or rug when guests are about to arrive—on your party dress when it's almost leaving time for a dinner engagement—you've been looking forward to with unusually keen anticipation.

But there's a cleaning fluid which enables the particular housewife, with just a little attention and effort, to keep the home furnishings and clothing, even the finest fabrics and the delicate trunks, always spotlessly clean—immaculate. Just a few quick dabs of the non-explosive, Oronite cleaning fluid with a damp soft cloth, and spots and smudges vanish in a jiffy. Thus the whole house may be kept bright and cheery, thus it's possible to have springtime freshness all the year.

# Improvement Gossip

## Redecorating—

The redecorating at the new candy shop where Stanford's was located is being done by W. F. Feiberg.

## Papering and Decorating—

J. Miller of Noah's Paint shop is redecorating and papering for H. H. Miller at 2206 Oak street. Mr. Miller is also redecorating for Mrs. H. A. Thurston at her home on Adams.

## Kalsomining and Painting—

George Fox and George Hungerford, of the Oculidge Paint store, painted and redecorated at the A. T. Hill home last week. They also did some work at the La Grande National bank.

## Plumbing—

The Bugg Paint store expects to finish the work at the Mackey building this week.

## Remodeling—

Considerable remodeling was done at the MacMore store No. 271 last week in preparation for the continuing of store No. 271 and No. 248.

## New Sign—

The Union Pacific stage depot located a new neon sign last week.

## Enlarging Hangar—

The hangar at the air field has been remodeled and will now accommodate two planes instead of one.

# THE GARDEN

## SHRUBS YOU CAN GROW IN SHADY PLACES

In most every home grounds there is need on the shady side of the house, or in other sheltered spots, for a few plants which will endure a degree of shade. Fortunately there are quite a few good plants which will get along very well without much direct sunlight, and if successful plantings are to be made, these varieties should be used for planting in the shade.

There is such a variation in climate that no list of plants for planting in the shade can possibly include varieties which do well in all localities, but wherever deciduous shrubs are generally planted, the following plants can be grown successfully.

Practically all of the following stand considerable shade. There are medium and tall varieties, and varieties with red stems which are



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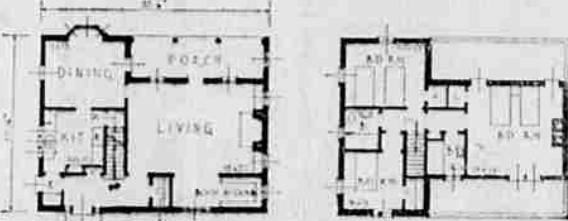
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# DEEP LOT NEEDED FOR THIS TYPE



(By The Associated Press)

Spanish architecture is employed to give this sizeable house a design that is especially popular in the south and west.

A lot from 50 to 60 feet wide and 100 feet deep is most suitable to allow for an appropriate setting. Colorful appearance is achieved with a red tile roof combined with a lower exterior of cream-colored stucco. Woodwork trimmings are in natural weathered gray.

Designed for climates where weather allows for outdoor sleeping, the house provides for a convenient porch for that purpose.

attractive during the winter months and early spring when their warm coloring is so striking against the drab winter landscape. The shrubby Dogwoods have attractive leaves, and the flowers, though inconspicuous, are likewise attractive.

Another good, sturdy group of shrubs having many uses for the home planting is the Ligustrum or Privet group. True it is that many Privets are used for hedge purposes, but there are also many varieties desirable for planting in the border. Their leaves are very attractive and the clusters of dark blue berries hang on all winter. There are both medium and tall growers in the Privets. They stand shearing very well and may be kept small or allowed to develop in definite shapes where formal effects are desired.

The Sweet-Scented Mock Orange is an old favorite and most fortunately it does quite well in the shade. There are many improved varieties of the Mock Orange or Philadelphia group which are unexcelled for fragrance and flower. The flowers are white and one of the best new varieties, the Virginal Mock Orange, flowers intermittently over quite a period of time. The Mock Oranges are very useful shrubs for the home grounds, being good for both the borders and foundation plantings. Most of them are medium or tall growing shrubs, rather upright in form.

Another medium-sized shrub valuable for planting in shade is the Five-Leaved Aralia. It has loose but upright form. The leaves are very attractive, and in addition to its other good qualities, it will stand adverse soil conditions. Where the shade is not too dense both the Forsythia and Weigela shrubs will grow very well. The former has bright yellow flowers which appear before the leaves early in the spring. The latter may be procured in either pink, red or white varieties. Both are rather informal in their habit of growth and are very desirable shrubs for home planting.

In the low growers one may select the Snowberry and the Indian Currant. The Snowberry has attractive waxy white fruits which hang on late into the fall. The Indian Currant is similar in habit to the Snowberry except that the berries, which appear in clusters along the stems, are bright coral in color. Both are very decorative and useful shrubs in the shady planting.

Another low growing shrub which will stand some shade is the well-known Japanese Barberry, probably one of the hardiest and easiest grown shrubs. Everyone is familiar with its beautiful bright red berries which hang on all winter, and its fiery autumn colors. Barberry stands considerable clipping and is often planted in a hedge, especially in a shady spot.

Practically all of the Viburnums will stand considerable shade. One of the most familiar is the old-fashioned Snowball Bush, which is still very popular. Other of the Viburnums frequently seen in shady places are the Highbush Cranberry, Japanese Snowball and Mapleleaf Viburnum.

Plantings made of these varieties are almost sure to be a success in the shady place where the sun-loving plants would make only a feeble growth. Consequently, it is best to select the right plant for the right spot in planting your home grounds.

# Over Night News

By The Associated Press

Domestic:

TUCSON, Ariz.—Hawks finishes 400-mile first leg of transcontinental glider tour, 12 hours after start at San Diego.

NEW YORK—Allyn King, musical comedy star who died to keep thin, died of injuries received in leap from window.

KEASBEY, N. J.—Honey-moon couple, awaked by rumble of trucks, cause arrest of seven and seizure of \$200,000 cognac.

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Four killed

42 injured when excursion boat is

run over by steamship.

LONDON—Knockman says Bel-

sham is willing to do everything for

peace she can at naval parley.

SHANGHAI—Three foreign mis-

sionaries reported captured by

bandits in Kiangsi province; three

others reported fleeing into moun-

tains.

MANTE CARLO—Mayor Mar-

quetta party supporting Prince

Pierre as heir to Monaco throne,

carries Monaco elections.

ROME—Maria Ratta, sister of

late Pope Pius X, dies.

KARACHI, India—Pir ("Saint")

Paghara Sahib, 25, charged with

murder and theft after 113 officers

raid his stronghold.

# Health Talks

## Breathing Like A Race Horse

Hypertrophia, the father of medi-

cine, in describing a man sick with

pneumonia, said that "he breathes

like a horse that has just run a

hard race."

This description is classical, and

has been observed at times and time

again by all physicians dealing

with pneumonia.

This seeming "shortness of

breath," the rapid and shallow

breathing, is one of the outstanding

symptoms of the disease. It has

planned both sufferer and physi-

cian, the latter having long sought

for an effective way in which to

help the patient.

In recent years science has found

the way. It is through the admin-

istration of oxygen.

Rapid and labored breathing in

pneumonia is due to a number of

causes, but in the main it expresses

the body's need for more oxygen.

Pneumonia involves and throws

out of use a portion of the lung

tissue. The pneumoniaed, that is,

the pneumoniaed, produce and throw

into circulation a poisonous sub-

stance which the body attempts to

get rid of. The heart and the cir-

culatory system are burdened with

extra work. And on top of all this,

and partly due to the conditions

named, there is anoxemia, that is,

a lack of oxygen in the blood.

This last condition it is now pos-

sible to overcome through the ad-

ministration of oxygen, with the

result that breathing becomes

easier, and the strain on the cir-

culatory system is lessened.

Oxygen is given to the patient

in several ways. There is the oxy-

gen chamber in which the patient

is placed. It contains about three

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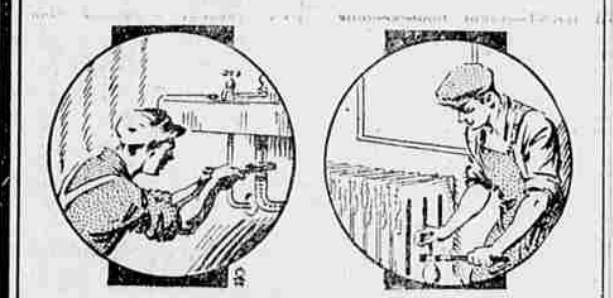
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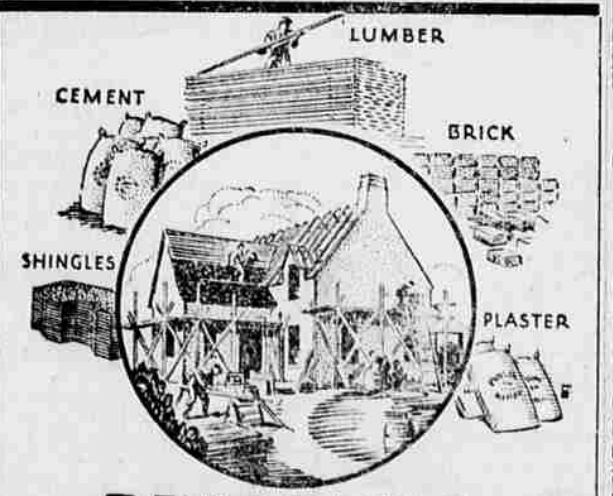


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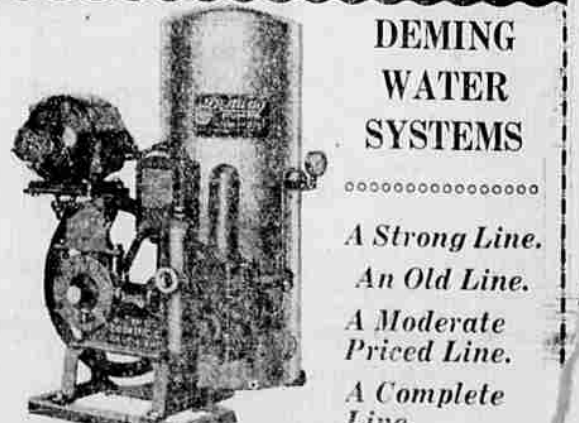
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