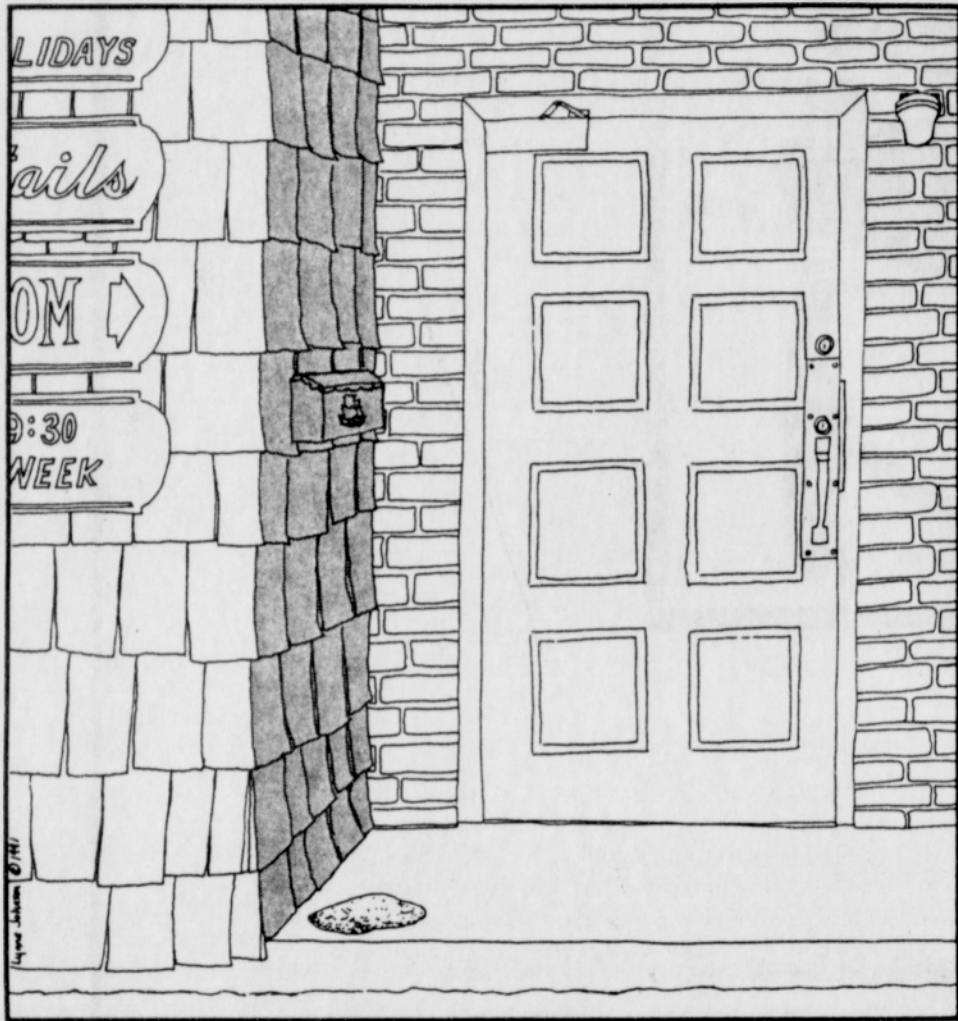


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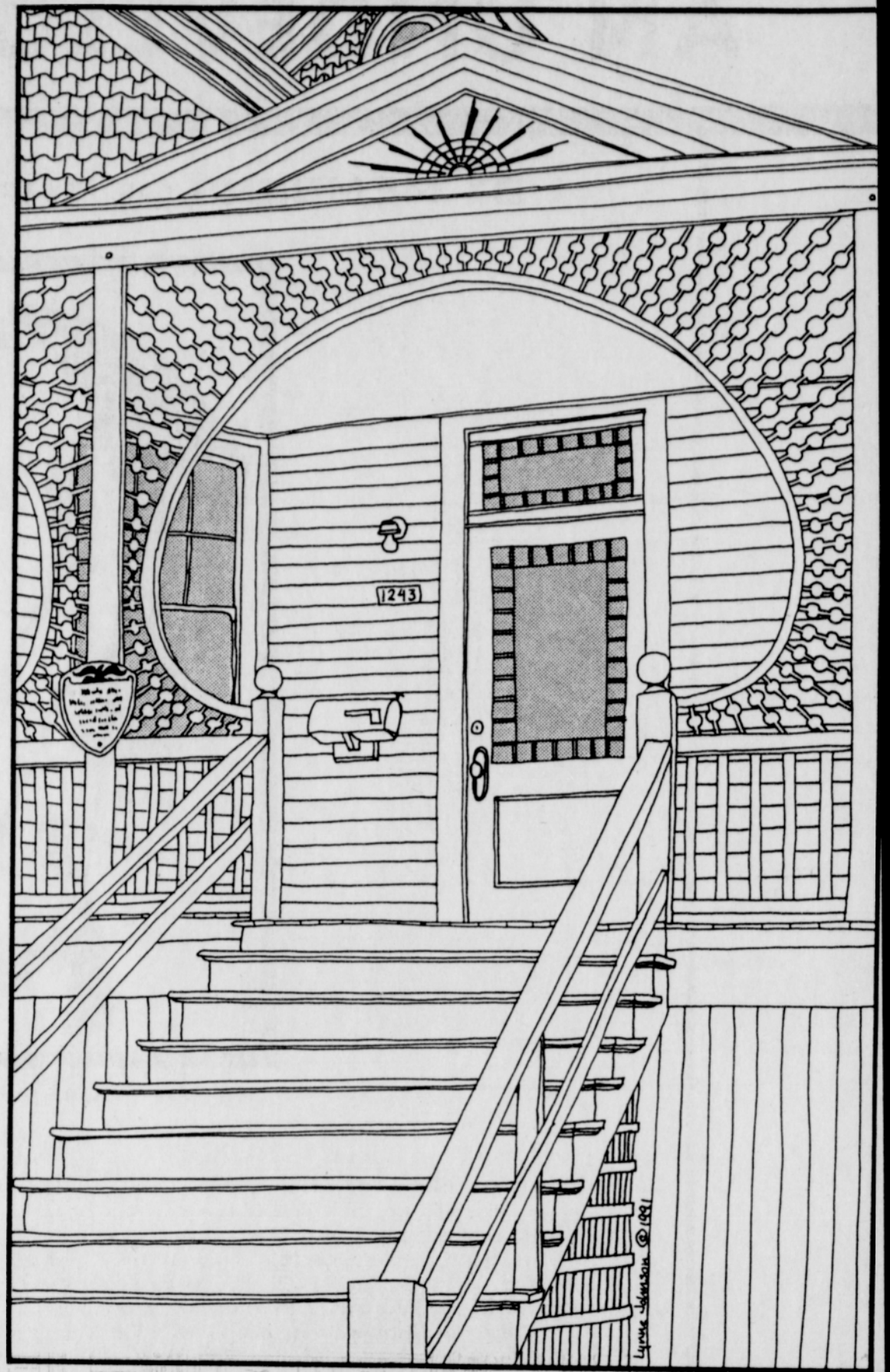
Windows and doorways have always held a fascination for me. Much of artwork seems to gravitate toward views through windows, archways, gates and doors.

When I first moved to Astoria, I wanted to start working on pen-and-ink drawings of the wonderful old houses here. While photographing subjects for this project I became more and more interested in the doorways and entrances themselves. So I decided to focus on the doorways and present them in such a way so as to get people to really "see" them as an interesting part of the everyday world. I drew the doors and doorways with just a hint of their context, just enough to get viewers to "look" at the door for the first time, even though they may have walked by it or through it a hundred times.

I would hope that because of my drawings Astorians will be paying more attention to the little wonders in their everyday lives and will begin to really "see" their world around them.

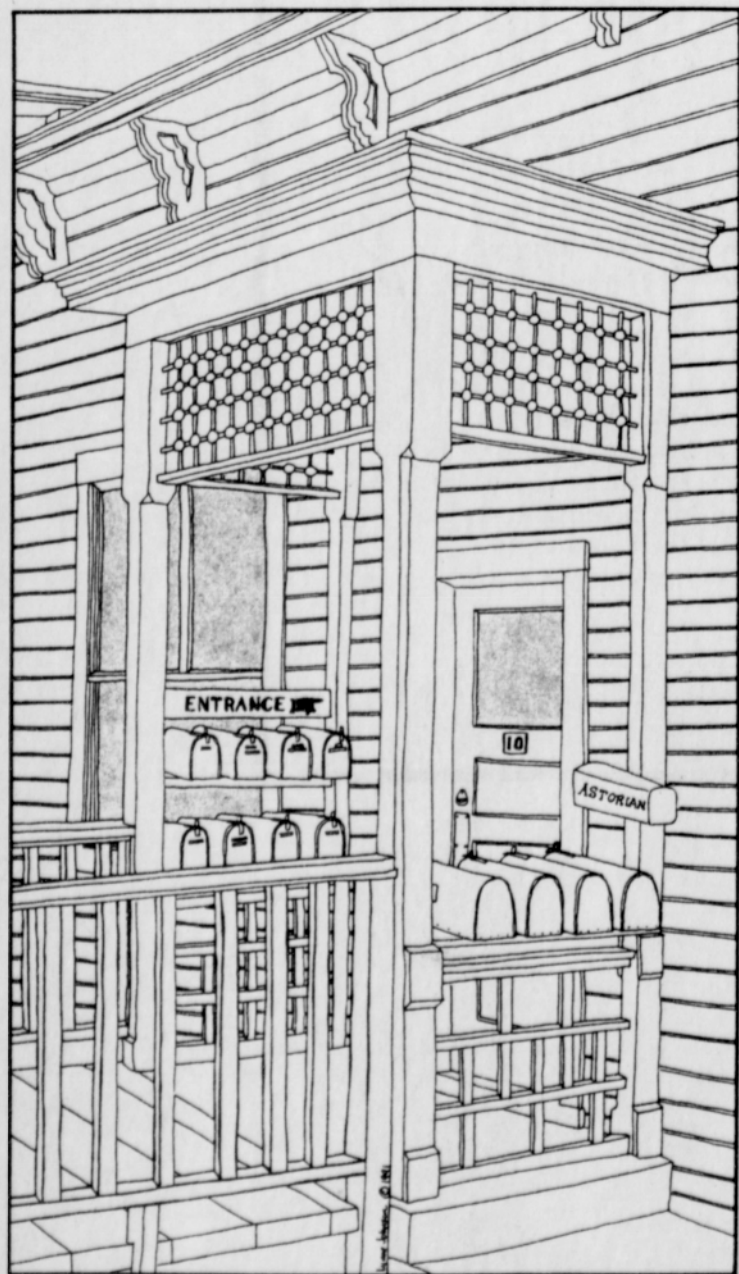


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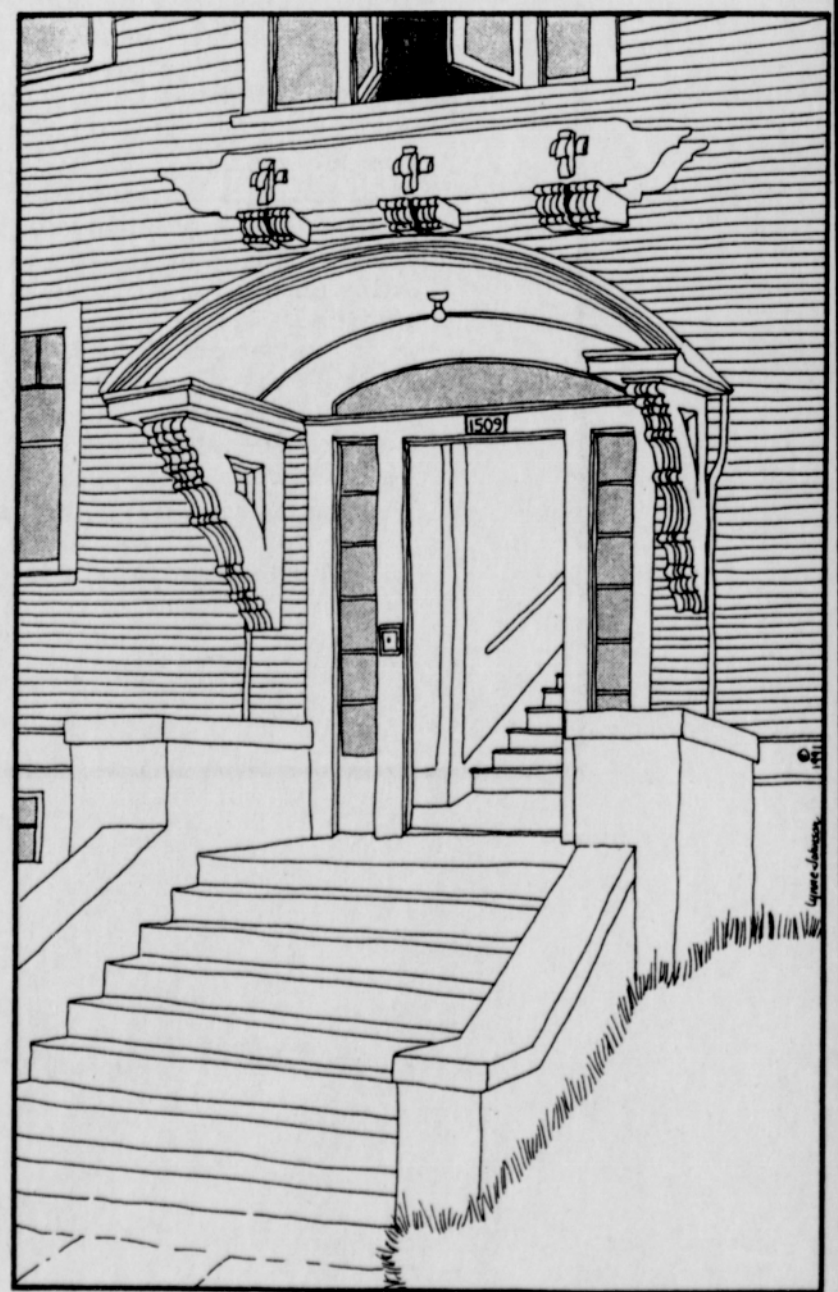


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