

Birds-Eye Drawing of Portland's Business Center

APPROXIMATELY 48 blocks of Portland's substantial retail and office buildings are shown in the accompanying illustration. The drawing is an exact reproduction of the heart of the city as it now appears, including the newest skyscrapers. The viewpoint is an imaginary elevation near Second and Pine streets, looking in a southwesterly direction. The Sherlock, Chamber of Commerce and Board of Trade buildings are seen in the immediate foreground, covering the block bounded by Third, Fourth, Oak and Stark streets. The Yeon, Lipman-Wolfe, Meier & Frank and The Oregonian buildings are grouped just to the left of center in the drawing, while the new Northwestern Bank building looms conspicuously beyond and to the left of them. Using these as a key, all the structures in the down-town area may be identified.

