

BUILDING NEWS

BUILDING PERMITS ARE STILL CLIMBING UPWARD

Record of Past Week Shows July Will Probably Run Ahead of June in Amount of Construction Work Done.

With new construction in Portland building well up toward a daily average of \$50,000, little comfort is afforded the fellow who is always ready with his forecast of midsummer dullness...

Another important permit issued this week was taken out by F. H. and W. L. Wilson for the brick work that is the outside walls of the new Arlington club building at Third and Saturn streets...

The county court has under consideration the bids submitted for furnishing the steel required for the skeleton frame of the proposed addition to the courthouse. The bids range from \$23,000 to \$34,000.

Judge Webster is of the opinion that the plan is feasible and is inclined to specify in the contracts that where possible Oregon products be used in the construction of the building...

Plans of the proposed Catholic church at Twelfth and East Pine streets have been completed and bids for the entire contract are now being submitted to the architect.

M. H. Kelly of the Wright-Bloodgett company of Seaside, Mich., one of the largest concerns in the country owning timber, is here from Duluth, Minn., ostensibly for the purchase of closing negotiations for the purchase and sale of the Benson Logging company's large tract of timber land in Clatsop county...

That an eight story reinforced concrete building will go up at once on the 60 by 100 foot lot at the northwest corner of Park and Morrison streets was practically certain...

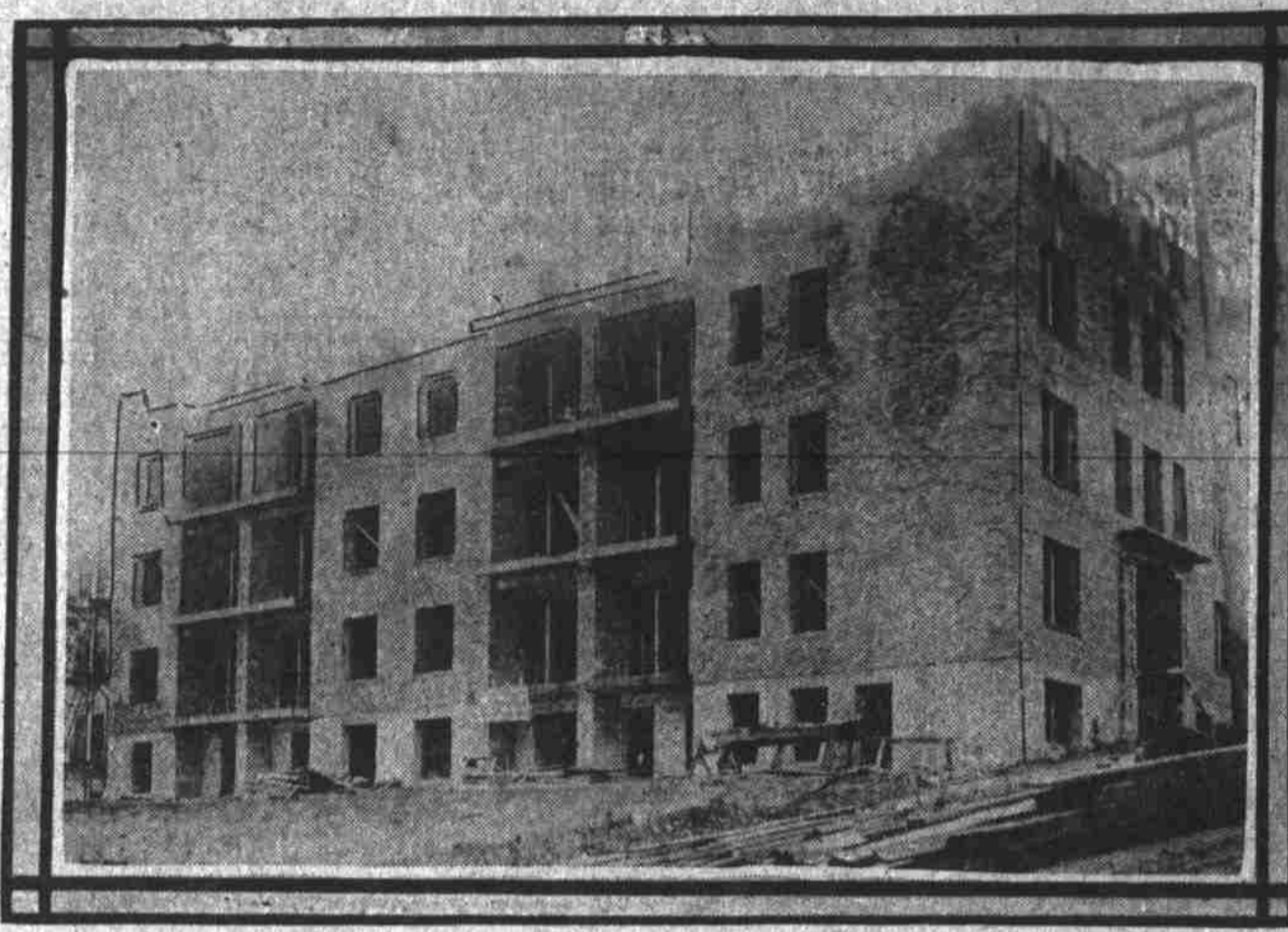
It is safe to say that within a year from the completion of the Olds, Workman & King building on the Fenwick block, not a frame house will remain standing on Morrison street between Seventh and Tenth streets.

BERT E. HANEY WILL BUILD A NEW HOME

Architects Travis and Wilson have completed the plans for a modern two story frame residence to be erected by Attorney Bert E. Haney on East Fifteenth street between Thompson and Hoyt streets...

Much Building at Eugene. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Eugene, Or., July 10.—According to a report just made by Building Inspector V. McFarland, 236 new residences were built in Eugene during the year ending June 30 and 255 since the office of inspector was established April 1, 1908.

Defects in glass insulators, due to imperfect annealing, are searched for by revolving the insulators in a beam of polarized light.



New Apartment House at St. Clair and Wayne Streets, a District Rapidly Filling Up With Modern Brick Apartments.

FREIGHT RATE CASE TO OPEN

Railroad Commission Will Visit Coast Cities for First Hand Information.

Beginning October 1 the colossal freight rate battle between the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Hill and Harriman railroad systems will be resumed.

On East Couch between East Twenty-ninth and East Thirtieth streets, Edwin Deming has broken ground for a two story frame residence which will cost \$2500.

M. J. Merrick will erect a \$3000 residence at East Eighth street, between Knott and Adams streets.

J. T. Ennis has taken out permits for the erection of two two story cottages at East Seventh street, between Alberta and Rainard, each to cost \$2250.

John Hansen has had the contract for a one story frame cottage to be erected on East Seventeenth street between Alberta and Vernon. The building will cost \$2000.

Two cases will be given a hearing in Portland, that of the Portland chamber of commerce against the O. R. & N. which alleges unfair discrimination in the matter of freight rates, and the case between the Astoria chamber of commerce and the Great Northern featuring similar allegations.

The Seattle and Tacoma chamber of commerce, and the Seattle transportation bureau will be given a hearing for their complaints in Seattle.

At San Francisco the commission will hear a number of cases, including the oral argument of the San Francisco and Los Angeles switching rate cases.

At Reno there is further testimony to be taken in the case of the railroad commission of Nevada against the Southern Pacific, and at Salt Lake City the case of the Commercial club of that city against 15 transcontinental lines, in which the commission is asked to order the O. R. & N. to stop...

BOOKLET SHOWS PORTLAND BEAUTY

C. M. & St. P. Prints Beautiful Pamphlet of Local Views.

Booklets graphically illustrating the great resources and remarkable beauties of Portland and the Oregon country have been received by the local representatives of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad.

Neither must it be inferred from our temporary use of the O. R. & N. tracks that we have abandoned any plan of the management of this company which may have entertained to build their own track into Portland.

Building Permits. Star Brewing company, 244-48 First street, between Main and Madison, repair two story brick saloon, \$1000; R. J. Prink, East Sixty-eighth street, between Gilsan and Hoyt, erect one and a half story frame dwelling, \$2000; A. R. Pearson, East Twenty-seventh street, between Freeman and Killick, erect two story frame dwelling, \$2750; H. J. Ahrendt, East Seventeenth street, between Wygant and Alberta, erect one story frame dwelling, \$1000; D. M. Watson, Cornell road, head of Northrup street, erect two story frame dwelling, \$6000; C. M. Zadow, East Yamhill street, between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth, erect two story frame dwelling, \$2500; St. Vincent's hospital, 1150, East Seventeenth street, erect two story frame dwelling, \$150,000; R. Gillan, East Seventeenth street, between Clackamas and Wasco, erect two story frame dwelling, \$4000.

Journal want ads cent word.

POOR PEOPLE TO HAVE RICH STREET

Committee Decides It Must Be Asphalt for East 7th Over Protest.

Despite the repeated protests of property owners along East Seventh street against the paving of that thoroughfare from Thompson to Killick street with asphalt the street committee yesterday afternoon recommended such action to the council.

Another fight is expected in the council when the matter comes up before that body. At a former meeting many women came to the city hall and with tears in their eyes begged to be allowed to build a macadam street.

PHOENIX IRON WORKS ENGINEERS. Office and Works, Hawthorne Avenue and East Third Street.

EXPERT WIREMEN TO WIRE YOUR HOUSE. 231 East Morrison St. Phone East 5128-2-1085.

Diseases of Wireless Operators. From La. Tribune Medical. A French naval surgeon has observed facts which he thinks warrant him in attributing certain morbid conditions to overexposure to the electrical waves employed in wireless telegraphy.

Bay State Paint

FISHER, THORSEN & CO. "The Big Paint Store" FRONT AND MORRISON STREETS

Manufacturers and Jobbers Everything in Paints

Advertisement for Avery & Co. featuring an illustration of a person using a tool and the text: DON'T BE RECKLESS. In your hardware buying, remember that every penny really saved in that direction is as good as two earned.

Advertisement for Portland Wire & Iron Works. Features an illustration of industrial machinery and the text: PORTLAND WIRE & IRON WORKS. WIRE RAILING. CHRYSLER WIRE, ROLLS AND BRONZE WORKS.

CASTINGS FOR MACHINE AND STRUCTURAL WORK The Independent Foundry Co.

Advertisement for John A. Melton, Carpenter and Builder. Office and Store Fixtures built and remodeled. Altering and repairing houses.

Advertisement for Phoenix Iron Works. Office and Works, Hawthorne Avenue and East Third Street. Phone East 30. PORTLAND, OREGON.

Advertisement for Holladay's Addition. The one best place in Portland to buy. Geographical center and most desirable residence property in the city.

Advertisement for The Oregon Real Estate Company. 284 GRAND AVE. N. PORTLAND, OREGON.

WALLACE CLOWNS MAKE YOU LAUGH

If it be true that every laugh makes a man a day younger and good argument to the contrary has yet been presented—it will be easy for any one to live a very long and very normal life. Think of it!—365 days of renewed youth for the price of a circus ticket!

ORINO Laxative Fruit Syrup

Pleasant to take and does not gripe or nauseate. Cures Chronic Constipation, Stomach and Liver Trouble.

Advertisement for Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup. Stimulation Without Irritation. ORINO Laxative Fruit Syrup is a new laxative syrup combined with the delicious flavor of fruits, and is very pleasant to take. It will not gripe or sicken. It is much more pleasant and effective than Pills, Tablets or Saline Waters, as it does not derange the Stomach, or irritate the Kidneys, Liver or Bowels.