

# HOMES



## BUILDING PERMITS SHOW BIG INCREASE

Total for Week Ending Saturday Noon \$181,400, Including Temple

Building permits for the week ending Saturday noon amounted to \$181,400. Of this amount, \$170,000 represented the new Elks temple at State and Church. Material is on the ground for the concrete work, which has already begun.

During the week eight building permits for new dwellings were issued from the city recorder's office. The total valuation of the eight dwellings was \$11,400. These ranged from a small build-

ing to later be remodeled into a garage costing \$500 to two permits for \$2600 and \$2800 respectively. The other five permits were for \$1000 and \$1500 dwellings.

### Ducking Tank Included In Frat House Plans

All the modern conveniences, including a "ducking tank" in the basement for the benefit and education of refractory and obnoxious freshmen are contained in plans and specifications for the new home of the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity, to be erected at Corvallis. Plans and specifications are being prepared by Freeman & Struble, Salem architects.

The fraternity will be of permanent construction and have accommodations for 28 men. Some of the special features include a chapter room, guest room and living quarters for the house mother. The building will cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000.

### NEW APPOINTMENT ON THE STATE BOARD

Governor Walter M. Pierce has recently filled the vacancy existing on the State Board for Vocational Education caused by the expiration of the four-year term of Mrs. George McMath of Portland. Mrs. McMath has been the woman member of the board, representing home interests, and has been interested in vocational education since its establishment. Her successor is Mrs. Mary E. Jones of Freewater, Umatilla county. Mrs. Jones is a practical farmer's wife, and is well known for her activity in community and civic affairs. One of her two sons recently graduated from the Oregon Agricultural College, and the other is still a student there. She has been prominent locally as a leader in girls' club work, but is best known because of her leadership in the promotion of home economics through the committee of which she is chairman.

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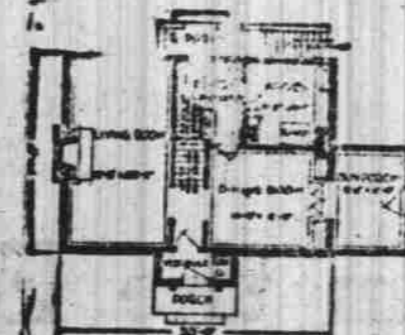
The Hiawatha is tangible evidence that the prospective owner need not resign himself to accept a design of the usual mediocre quality, but may have a house that is in good taste, no matter how small that house may be.

And, looking at the Hiawatha, it will not be denied that a good design pays, first in increased pay for its unused value and the long years of service it will evidently render.

Not only in appearance and duration but in many other ways does brick confer the greatest satisfaction and financial benefit. Brick walls are self-decorative for painting and repair. Even window-frames in brick walls do not require frequent painting. They set back from the face of the wall and are thus protected from the weather.

Cooler in summer and warmer in winter, the brick house assures the thriftiest use of fuel. In cold weather the warmth of the house is well kept within the brick walls and in hot weather the greatest degree of coolness and comfort possible is realized.

The comfortable and dignified appearance of the house, the low upkeep cost, the highest sales and loan value, the greater comfort and satisfaction, all these advantages of the brick house confirm the wisdom of the owner who chooses this form of construction. Plans of this house and others may be obtained through the Salem Brick & Tile company.

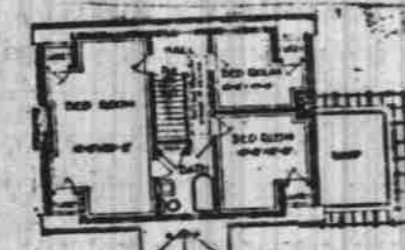


A man is getting old when he is glad he doesn't resemble the chap in the collar ad.

Sad day. With both sexes wearing knickers, pants are no longer an emblem of authority.

pride of ownership, and secondly in hard cash if it should ever become necessary to sell. And the cost of a building is not necessarily increased because its parts are proportioned harmoniously.

To design well, a thorough training in architecture is essential. We advise all who contemplate building to consult a good architect. Even when a first class set of "stock" working drawings is secured, such as those for the Hiawatha, it will be advantageous to have a good architect locate the house to the best advantage on the site; and, if desired, to make slight changes in the

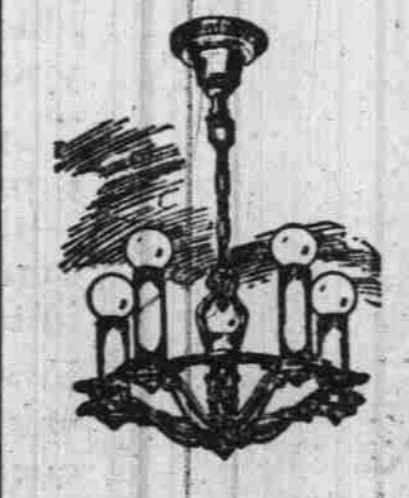


contract and to supervise the work.

Much of the dignity and air of distinction of the Hiawatha is due to the character of the material used in its construction. The brick work gives an impression of solidity and permanence combined with homelike warmth of effect obtainable in no other way. And these are not surface effects only. A brick has exactly the same quality all the way through. It has an everlasting wearing surface that will resist the elements for many generations and that will, moreover, grow even more attractive as its coloring mellow with the passing years.

The owner who builds his home in brick profits financially because of these and other reasons. The high sales value of his building is retained after many years. The buyer will naturally be impressed with the youthful appearance of a brick house of even considerable age and be willing to

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## NORMAL REGENTS MEET WEDNESDAY

Record Is Made By Board Having One Hundred Percent Attendance

The Board of Regents, which met at the Normal Wednesday, made a sort of record by all being present. It is not often that the secretary gets an opportunity to check a complete response of eyes to the roll call. The board had up for consideration the discussion of a budget for the next biennium and voted to appeal to the next legislature for funds for improvements considered imperatively necessary. This will include money for a new training school building in Independence and for the first unit in a new building, presumably to be built across the street from the administration building. Such a building is needed for additional classroom facilities. Present at the meeting were, Governor Pierce, Secretary of State Koser, Superintendent of Schools Churchill, E. E. Bragg of Salem, W. C. Bryant of Moro, G. A. Hartman of Pendleton, Judge John S. Coke of Portland, C. L. Starr of Portland and F. J. Miller of Albany.

**STRIKES INCREASE IN JAPAN**  
TOKIO, Japan, Sept. 2 (AP)—Japanese labor, growing in class consciousness, is becoming increasingly unruly. Official statistics compiled by the home department show that strikes were more than twice as numerous in the first half of 1924 as in the first half of 1921. There were 435 strikes involving 55,000 workers in the first six months of this year, as compared with 182 strikes involving 25,000 workers during the first half of 1921.

### Sharp Eyes Needed To Count Salmon

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Sept. 5 (AP)—For the fourth consecutive year hundreds of thousands of red salmon have been stopped and counted as they made their spawning "run" from the Karluk river into Karluk lake on Kodiak island. The work was under the direction of C. H. Gilbert, fisheries expert of Stanford university.

A weir, or fish fence, was built across the river during the fishing season. The salmon were forced to pass through small gates in the fence to enter the lake. A watchman counted them.

Professor Gilbert points out that if the number of fish that

return at maturity to the spawning ground in a certain year can be ascertained, there will be definite information as to the number to be saved each year for reproduction. The count also will determine the maximum of the salmon run. Tabulation for the fourth consecutive year will enable the packers to ascertain the number of four, five, six and seven-year salmon.

### Guests Not Allowed to Smoke on Zeppelins

FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Oct. 4.—Maximilian Harden, the writer, an intimate friend of the late Count Zeppelin, for years was fond of travel by air, and prior to the war he frequently made trips. He had always to promise, however, that he would not smoke during the flight.

It was an old trick of Harden's so the story goes here, to smuggle cigars aboard the ships every time he made a flight, although he was always cautioned to leave all tobacco and matches on the ground. During flights Harden would manage to conceal himself in some nook of the gondola, where he would have a short, quick smoke.

On one occasion when Dr. Hugo Eckener, commander of the ZR-3 on her flight from Friedrichshafen to Lakehurst, New Jersey, was piloting a dirigible on which Harden was a guest, the writer had promised faithfully not to smoke. He had been in the air 12 or 15 hours, and had been watched so closely that he had no opportunity to smoke the smuggled cigars which he had in his pockets. But a storm was sighted ahead, and the officers were busy at their posts when Harden hid himself and lighted a cigar. He was soon discovered, but refused to desist.

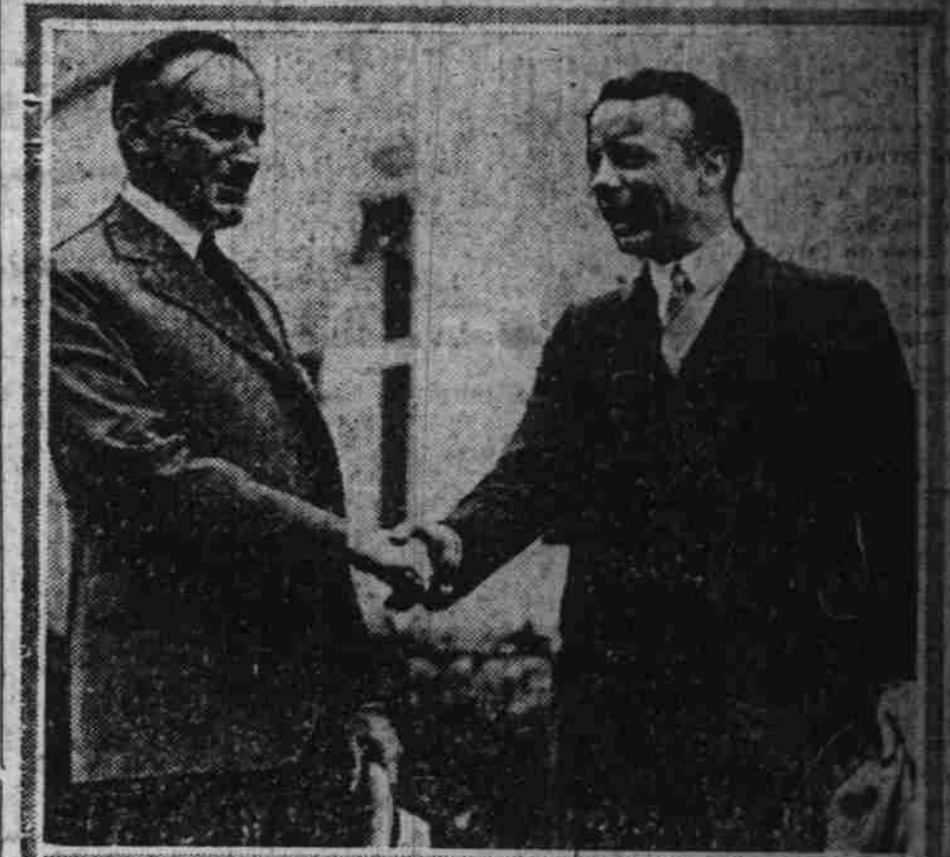
Dr. Eckener took the guest in hand. "Either the cigar goes out, or you go out," said the commander, glancing at the window, with the ship several thousand feet in the air. There was no more smoking that trip, nor on any other, for strict orders went out, and they stand to this day, that Harden was never to be allowed to step foot into any dirigible of the Zeppelin company.

### Seattle Experiences a Severe Police Shakeup

SEATTLE, Wash., Sept. 24 (AP)—When an ordinance to add 18 men to the local police department was "placed on file" by the city council the other day, many persons read in that action the close of a chapter that divided the attention of the country with the early stages of the Democratic national convention in June.

While Major Edwin J. Brown was attending the convention, Mrs. Henry Landis, president of

## President Coolidge Congratulating Roosevelt on Winning Nomination for Governor of New York



When Theodore Roosevelt called at the White House to tender his resignation as Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Mr. Coolidge warmly congratulated him upon his victory at the Republican State Convention. When he left Washington

for his home at Oyster Bay on Long Island he carried with him the President's endorsement and a promise of help in his campaign. A spokesman for the President stated that he regarded the nomination as a strong one.

the city council, was acting mayor and she dismissed the chief of police and assumed his office also. She declared the city was full of corruption, and the efficiency committee of the council, of which she is a member, recommended the 18 men to help clean up. But Mayor Brown hurried back and reappointed the former chief. And the council laid away the efficiency committee's recommendations, together with ordinances intended to eliminate the crowing of roosters and the barking of

dogs as nocturnal and maternal irritants.

"AMERICA SUNG IN BELFAST"  
BELFAST, Sept. 7 (AP)—For the first time in the history of Belfast, "My Country 'Tis of Thee" was sung publicly here. The occasion was a luncheon tendered by the city harbor board in honor of the officers of the United States destroyer Billingsley in connection with that vessel's first visit to Belfast.



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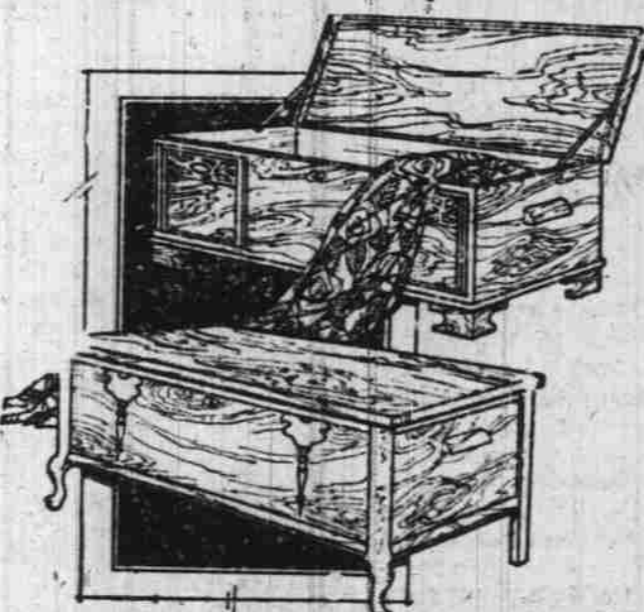
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