HOME BUILDING ACTIVITY DEMONSTRATES SALEM PROSPERITY

RESULTS ARE SAID TEST OF MATERIAL

Judging Should Be According to Principles and Practice Says Expert

Any building material, say the engineers of the National lumber manufacturers association, is entitled to be judged on its results when used according to the bst principls and practice. In connection with association's recent publication of a series of plates giving details of heavy mill construction, these engineers point out many mistakes in such construction. Use of the plates which are issued for free distribution to the building trades and professions will, it is believed, insure the proper utilization of wood in heavy mill construction. For example, it is a rather common thing to put steel caps on top of wooden columns. It is stated that this is an error, because in a hot fire the cap will fail before the column will crash. A concrete cap has been designed for topping columns under load that will not fail before the column itself. This cap has been patented, but the ownership of the patent has been assigned to the public. Although there has never been a heavier demand for any of the construction series than this, the National lumber manufacturers associatin. Washington, D. C., still has a few copies of the first edition available for the use of those who are interested in correct mill construction.

A positive man is never any real benefit to society after a mistake or two have been proved on him.

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FRATERNITY HERE UNDERGOES REPAIR

Phi Kappa Pi Now in Readiness for Coming School Year at Willamette

Several improvements are being made at the Phi Kappa Pi fraternity house in preparation for the coming fall term. Furniture is being revarnished, new wall paper being put up and the house is in general undergoing the process of re-building and annual fall house cleaning.

The work is being done by interior decorators assisted by a number of the boys who reported early and for the most part are either local men or candidates for the football squad who reported to be on hand for the initial practices.

The work will be completed by Monday morning when the university opens for registration although this necessitates a rush job that has kept several of the boys at work well into the early hours of the morning.

Local Real Estate Men Locate in New Office

Though not yet complete in details, the new office of Becke & Hendricks, local real estate firm, is being occupied along the south side of the entrance to the Hellig theatre entrance. The new locations gives the firm one of the nicests offices in the city and being on the ground floor, practically surrounded by glass, offers numerous advantages for displaying property listed for sale.

Weekly Building Permits Show Total of $42,000

During the past week permits have been issued from the city recorder's office for the construction of buildings which will cost totally $42,000. The permits this weeks have been confined almost entirely to the erection of dwellings. $41,000 will go to the construction of dwellings, and a warehouse she costing $1000 completes the total.

BUILDING OUTLOOK IS GOOD IN SALEM

Many Activities Are Under Way or Contemplated in Business District

Building construction of a large variety is underway in Salem at the present time. Included in the different kinds of building being carried on are the new theater, the YMCA building, reconstruction work in the U. S. National bank, warehouse sheds, college improvements, church improvements, stores and dwellings.

Dr. B. L. Steeves is planning to construct a two story building on the property adjacent to the Salem Bank of Commerce on Liberty street. The present building, former home of the Salem Laundry company, was recently condemned and the present occupant of the place has agreed to move out by next Friday. Immediately after he does so, the building will be torn down, and as soon as the property is cleared, work will be started on the new building. Dr. Steeves plans to have the architecture of the building in harmony with the Salem Bank of Commerce building.

George Wills of Wills Music store has begun work on a two story building next to the Steeves property on Liberty street. Work has been retarded because of the delay in tearing down the building on the Steeves property. But as soon as that is torn down, work will b started again in full force, and the outside work is expected to be done in the course of three or four weeks. The building will be ready for occupation in about two months.

Guthrie Theatre Work Making Much Progress

Work is advancing as rapidly as possible of the new Guthrie theatre, and construction on the east side of High street and facing the New Salem hotel. Concrete is being poured as rapidly as possible in the near future the walls will begin to rise above the surrounding buildings.

CHURCHES

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phone 680-M. Services, 11 a. m.; 8 p. m. Sermon topics: "God's Enabling Grace," a. m. (German); "The Message to Smyrna," p. m. Sunday school, 10 a. m., superintendent, H. H. Grallap. Young People's meetings: Epworth League at 7:45 p. m. followed by regular service. All the evening services are in English. Week-day services: Prayer meeting Wed. 8 p. m. at Mrs. Waldespel.

LESLIE METHODIST EPISCOPAL

Address: South Commercial and Myers streets. Pastor, H. F. Pemberton, residence, 348 Myers St., phone 188-J. Services, 11 a. m.; 7:30 p. m Sermon topics: "The Religion of Main Street," a. m.; "Does Your Looking Glass Lie!" p. m. Sunday school, 9:45, superintendent, E. A. Rhoten. Young People's meetings: The Intermediate Epworth League meets in Leslie Hall and the Leslie League in the church at 6:30. All young people are cordially invited to attend these meetings. Christian fellowship and a home like greeting make folks feel at home here. Strangers and visitors especially welcome. Come with us and make this your church.

COURT STREET CHRISTIAN

Address: Court and N. 17th Sts. Pastor, R. L. Putnam, residence, 1106 Leslie St., phone 1425-J. Services, 11 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "Seekers for Jesus," a. m.; "The First Mission of the Twelve," p. m. Music furnished by Mrs. Joy Turner Moses' orchestra. Duet at evening service by Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cooley. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., superintendent, Chris. J Kowitz. Young People's meetings: Junior following communion service 11 a. m. Volunteers visit shut-ins in afternoon. Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Three societies: Junior-Intermediate, Senior-Intermediate (High School) and Senior. Week-day services: Loyal Berean Class monthly social Wednesday evening. Mid-week service Thursday 7:30 p. m. Devotional, Bible study, stereopticon pictures of Bible Land and Volunteer Band meeting. Other events—All members that intend to assist in the State Fair restaurant during the Fair are requested to let John Marshall, manager, or the pastor know today. We extend a hearty welcome to all services. "The Church With a Family Spirit," is always open to you.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Address: Center and High Sts. Pastor, J. J. Evans, residence 544 Center St., phone 1972. Assistant pastor, Vivian G. Whisler, residence, 544 Center St., phone 294 or 1972. Services, 11:00 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "Christian Courage," a. m.; "A Symbol of Power," p. m. The music will be under the direction of Miss Whisler. The special numbers during the day will consist of a tenor solo by Mr. C. R. Muston, a ladies trio and a mixed quartette. Sunday school, 9:45, superintendent, Dr. Epley. Young People's meetings: 6:30. Jane Sanders will lead the meeting. You will find it helpful and interesting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Address: Liberty and Marion. Pastor Ernest H. Shanks, Ph. 4., residence, 549 N. Liberty, phone 1920. Services 11:00 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "The Deity of Jesus," a. m.; "An Evolution Science Cannot Explain," p. m. Morning service, song, "All Ye That Seek," Roberts, sung by Mr. R. D. Barton. Violin solo, "Song My Mother Taught Me," Dvorak, played by Miss Helen Selig, evening. (see below.) Sunday school 9:45 a. m., superintendent, Ed Schunke. Young People's meetings: 6:30 p. m. Leaders, Group III. The B. Y. P. U. Mission Study class will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 with Judge O. P. Coshow as teacher. Adult Mission Study classes will meet Sunday evening simultaneously with the B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 in rooms assigned. Teachers, Prof. E. A. Miller, Mrs. O. B. Neptune and the Pastor. Mr. D. R. Peterson is dean of the school. Week-day services: Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Study the 4th chapter of Galatians. Special music, p. m. (Sunday): Solo, "I'm a Pilgrim," Johnson, sung by Mrs. Dale Taylor. Violin Solo, "Andante Cantabile," Saint-Saens, by Miss Selig. Anthem, prelude to the service will be a splendid picture presentation of Old Mexico. 20-minutes of story and song. Other events—Woman's Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Emil Roth, 1113 N. Cottage street, on Friday at 2:30 p. m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Address: Church St. between Chemeketa and Center Sts. Pastor, Norman Kendall Tully, D. D. Sunday school 9:30 a. m., superintendent, Mr. H. E. Barrett. The Men's Bible class and the Tri-C class meet at Rigdon's Parlors, east entrance. Other classes meet at the church building. Morning worship 10:45. Sermon, "The Temptation of Jesus," by Dr. Tully. The choir will sing, "He Was Despised," Hosmer; and Louise Benson Robertson will sing, "How Lovely Are Thy Dwellings," Liddle. Organ numbers "Prayer," Wagner-Sulze; "The Answer," Wolstenholme; and "Faith," Mendelssohn. Miss Lucile Ross at the organ. Christian Endeavor Societies: 6:30 p m., Senior, Advance Intermediate and Intermediate. Evening worship, 7:30. Sermon: "The Quests of Life," by Dr. Tully. Congregational singing, special music by the choir and organ numbers by Miss Ross. Monday, 7:00 p. m., called joint meeting of the session and trustees.

EVANGELICAL

Address: 17th and Chemeketa streets. Pastor, F. W. Launer, residence, 268 N. 17th St. Phone 1008-W. Services, 11 a. m.; 8 p. m. Sermon topics: "The Storm," a. m.; "The House By the Road," p. m. Miss Helen Toone will sing in the morning services and Miss Lorenze Bombasso in the evening. Sunday school, 10 a. m., superintendent, O. R. Strausbaugh. Young People's meetings, 7 p. m., Mrs. Launer will lead. Topic: "Getting Strength From God." The leader gives an invitation for all to attend. Week-day services: Prayer services Thursday evening.

FIRST EVANGELICAL

Address: Liberty and Center Sts. Pastor, C. C. Poling, residence, 435 Center, phone 991-J. Services 11:00 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "Possessing the Promise," a. m.; Christian's Vital Breath," p. m. Sunday school, 9:45 a. m., superintendent, J. P. Ulrich. Young People's meetings, Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Louis Ohldenberg, leader. Week-day services: Thursday evening at 7:30. The pastor will have charge. Other events—Choir practice Friday evening, Lawrence Maves, director.

CHRISTIAN AND MISSIONARY ALLIANCE

Address: Tabernacle Ferry St. Pastor, H. E. Caswell, residence, 173 S. Cottage; phone 434-J. Services, 3 p. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "Let God," p. m.; "The Answer to Where Men Ought to Worship," p. m. Special messages in song at each service. Sunday school 2 p. m., superintendent, Mrs. J. Wilson. Youne People's meetings: Saturday evening, Howard Olson in charge. Week-day services: Tuesday evening 7:30, prayer and praise. Friday evening, 7:30, Bible reading. Sunday school lesson is found 1 Thes. 2, 1-12. Golden Text: In everything give thanks. 1 Thes. 5, 8.

GLAD TIDINGS MISSION

Address: 343½ Court St. Pastor, C. S. Johnson, residence, 1935 Maple Ave., phone 1917-W. Services, 3 and 8 p. m. Sunday school 2 p. m., superintendent, S. Berkey. Young People's meetings: Friday evening. Week-day services: Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings. All evening meetings at 7:30. Other events—Baptismal services Sunday afternoon. We believe in Father, Son and Holy Ghost and Baptize according to Matt. 28:19.

NAZARENE

Address: 19th and Marion Streets. Pastor, C. H. Hopkins, residence, 1960 Marion St. Assistant pastor, Mrs. Hopkins, residence 1960 Marion St. Services, 11 a. m.; 7:30 p. m. Sermon topics: "Running The Race," a. m. "The Great Day," p. m. Special music and singing at both services on Sunday. Sunday school 9:45 a. m., superintendent, W. B. Hardy. Young People's meetings: 6:30 p. m. Topic: "Bible Rules for Christian Living." Leader, Mr. Fred Hannon. Junior Christian Endeavor, 6:45 p. m. Week-day services: Wednesday evening at 7:30 prayer and praise meeting. The Lord is blessing these services. Other events—Mrs. Hopkins will preach Sunday morning. The pastor will preach Sunday evening. Come and enjoy these services with us.

FULL GOSPEL MISSION

Address: 251 Mission street. Pastor, Ralph D. Bullock, residence, 251 Mission St., phone 1439-W. Services 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 3:30 p. m. Week-day services: Wednesday and Saturday nights at 7:30. The Sunday services will be held in the Foresters hall at 229 North Commercial St. The following Sunday, Sept. 27th, we will probably open up in our new hall at 237 State street. "I was determined to know nothing among you save Jesus Christ and Him crucified," said the battle scarred Apostle Paul. We find this gospel sufficient today to meet every need of humanity—spirit, soul and body. All are invited to come and hear and see the same gospel and the same Christ at work in the same way in this twentieth century as in the Bible days.

AUGUST REPORT FOR BUILDING LARGEST

Permits Issued During Month Show Large Gain Over Previous Year

The volume of August building permits in 369 cities and towns established a new record for that month, with a gain of 38 percent over August 1924, according to the national monthly building survey of S. W. Straus & Co.

The total in these places was $387,951,884 compared to $281,012,160 in August 1924, a gain of $106,939,722.

Every region of the country, nearly all of the large states, most of the large cities and hundreds of smaller places, showed gains over August 1924.

In the East 108 cities had a total of $185,607,963 compared to $115,957,617 in August 1924, an increase of 60 percent. In the Central, 107 cities, had a total of $107,716,976 compared to $88,844,539, an increase of 21 percent. In the South 75 cities had a total of $41,062,322 compared to $33,874,457, an increase of 21 percent. In the Pacific West 79 cities had a total of $43,564,623 compared to $42,332,547, an increase of 3 percent.

Some of the cities showing substantial percentages of increase were New York, 183; Chicago, 41; Newark, N. J., 185; Miami, 77; Tampa, 267; Houston, 145; St. Petersburg, 238; Minneapolis, 82; Long Beach, 474; Boston, 53; Columbus, Ohio, 265; Washington, D. C., 73; St. Louis, 85; Cincinatti, 122; and Miami Beach 483

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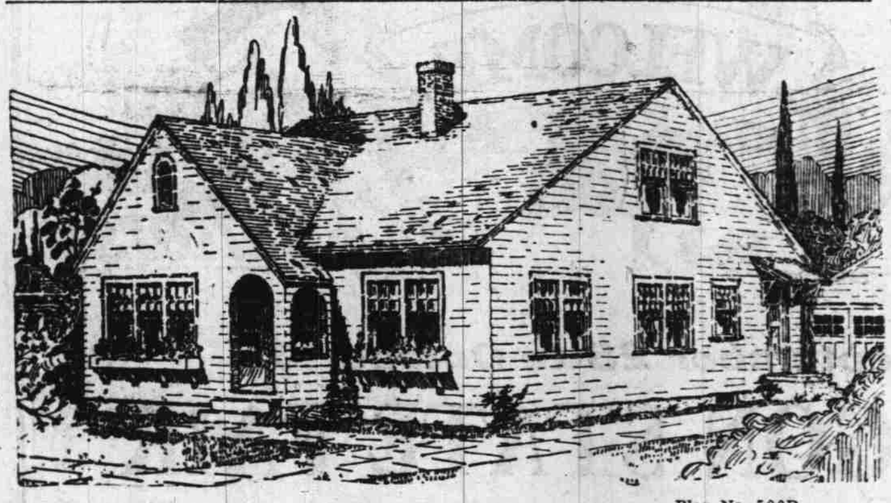

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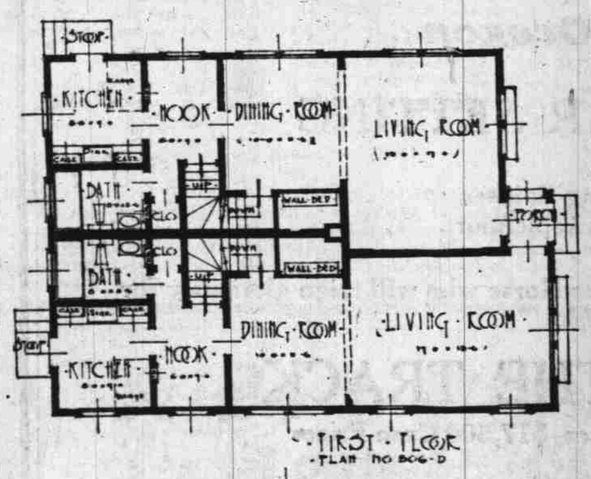

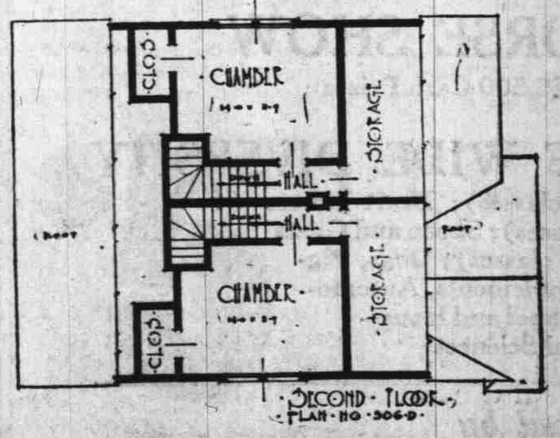

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The accompanying design for a duplex has many obvious advantages of floor plan, combined with a pleasing exterior. Its resemblance to a cozy single family dwelling makes this type of duplex less objectionable than other types to a strictly residential neighborhood. It may be finished in clapboards, shingles or stucco.

The living rooms are large and well adapted to furniture placements. Dining rooms are of ample size and each is provided with a disappearing wall bed. Kitchen and breakfast nook are well arranged. Stairways to the basement and upper story are handled with economy and bathrooms are well placed in relation to other rooms.

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