

# AUTO AND WATER TAKE HIGH TOLL IN STATE SUNDAY

ROCKAWAY, Ore., July 30.—

67—Sterling Hays, 26, of Portland, bathing in the surf yesterday with his bride of a few weeks, swam out beyond the breakers and was drowned.

Madeline Lalonde, 5, of Lake Lyle and Oak Grove was drowned while bathing in the surf at Lake Lyle. She stepped into a crab hole. Her mother, who made a futile effort to rescue her, was saved only with difficulty.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 30.—67 Oakes Eskine, 32, was drowned while swimming last evening in Mays lake, near Park-Rose. He went into the water half an hour after eating a picnic supper.

MEMPHISVILLE, Ore., July 30.—67—Fred Stephens, 38, of Linnton was killed when his automobile crashed into one driven by William L. Miller of Portland, at the Dayton-Lafayette Y. near here, yesterday. Investigators said Stephens' car was on the wrong side of the road. Miller and wife were slightly hurt and their son suffered a broken nose.

# WINNIPEG BANK AIDES ROBBED AS HUNDREDS PASS

WINNIPEG, July 30.—67—Five bandits, armed with revolvers and sawed-off shotguns, held up two messengers of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here today. The robbers escaped in an automobile bearing a United States license plate, with money sachets believed to have contained between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

The messengers, Robert Jones and Kenneth Nicholson, were on their way with a supply of currency for the Provincial Savings bank on Donald street when they were surrounded by the desperadoes.

Unmasked, the bandits menaced the messengers with their guns and threatened to "shoot to kill" if offered any resistance.

Two of the robbers covered the messengers while two others seized the sachets. All four then jumped into a waiting automobile and vanished down a side street at a high rate of speed.

During the holdup hundreds of citizens were passing along the street on their way to work, but the bandits carried off their loot with such speed that eyewitnesses had no chance to sound an alarm in time to intercept them.

Police were quickly on the scene and every outlet from the city was being closely guarded. The bandit car bore an Illinois license plate.

# "Street of Sin" at Craterian Today

Errol Jennings has proved again that art need not be beautiful. And he has shown that realism, stark and powerful, is his forte on the screen, realism with a grim, human quality that burns into the mind.

This time it is "The Street of Sin," more than a worthy successor to his first American production, "The Way of All Flesh," which created a place for the tragic screen drama in a land given over to happy endings.

Jennings stalks through the rubble of the London slums like a conqueror in corduroy. The streets of Limehouse obey the threat of his fists and women love him despite his brutality.

It is essentially a story of regeneration but wrought differently than ever before on the screen. His reformation, brought about by Fay Wray, who plays a Salvation Army lass, is vivid because it is truthful. His purpose in "playing good" is dire in the beginning. His friend, Olga Dickanova, has lost her street girl charm for him and he desires the purity of Fay Wray. He goes to a diabolical extreme that causes Miss Wray to go to the verge of death at the moment when he realizations his love for her and her love for him.

Two acts of "Talkies" and the Talking News Reel go to make up a program no one should miss seeing if they like real motion picture entertainment.

Lightning Kills Stockman. BAKERSFIELD, Cal., July 29.—67—Michael S. Fuzi, a member of the local city, was killed late Saturday in an electric storm while working in a fence around his cattle corral. Lightning struck the wire, Fuzi was a native of Hungary, a widow and eight children survive. His body was brought to Baker.

SAN RAFAEL.—The famous old five-story hotel San Rafael was destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of \$200,000, including the property of some 200 persons registered there. The fire for a time threatened to spread to the northern part of the town.

NEW YORK, July 30.—A federal grand jury today indicted one hundred and eight persons, including Texas Guinan and Helen Morgan, night club hostesses, and N. T. Granlund, radio announcer for station WHN, as an aftermath of the sensational dry rind on Broadway's cabarets last month.

# FIREPLACE Used As ORNAMENTAL FEATURE

"PREPARING THE CONTRACT" By D. M. CROOKS

There are two general ways of building the home, one is to let the construction under one contract and the other is for the owner to handle the management of the work on a labor and material basis. Both ways have their advantages.

The inexperienced builder should always build under contract. The best method of procedure is to have a complete set of plans and specifications and invite several contractors of good reputation to submit bids. In doing this a fair price for the work can be arrived at. It is well to remember that the low figure is not always the cheapest and the character of the contractor should always be known.

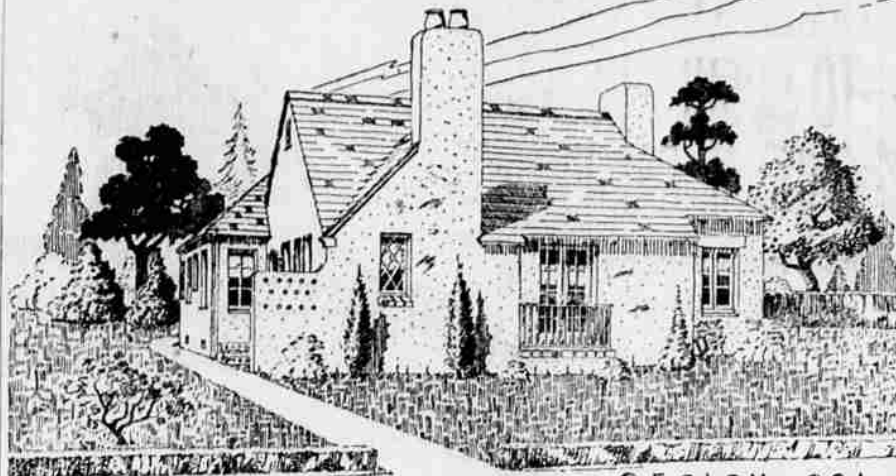
In building a home on a labor and material basis or segregated bids as it is often called, often a great deal of money is saved, but unless the owner can afford to give the work his undivided attention he is liable to entail quite a little extra expense. This method is often used by giving it to a contractor and a certain fee given him for supervising the work.

In either case the plans should be most complete, having everything set forth in them and noted in the specifications. Do not attempt to work of mouth but attend to everything in writing as it is only fair to both parties involved. Your local Lumber Dealer will be pleased to give you any help in checking your needs before the contract is entered into.

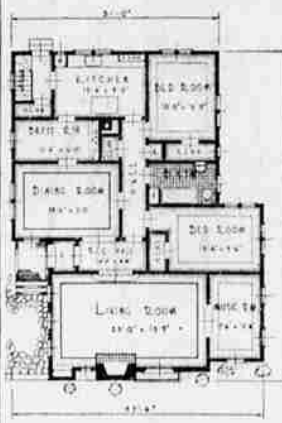
Should there be any changes desired during the course of construction, the change should be thoroughly discussed and the price decided upon and set forth in writing and made part of the contract. The extra if any are then added to the price or in case of an omission it is deducted. Never trust to memory, for by doing this many a home has suffered on account of misunderstandings between the owner and contractor.

The contract should always be drawn up on a standard form, which may be obtained from any book store at a very small price. The signed contract should be attached to the plans and specifications and one copy recorded with the city or county recorder before any work has been started. These, being on record become an official copy in case of any disputes.

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"BUTTRESS ENCLOSES ENTRANCE COURT"

Here is a Home that is interesting from every angle. The design is unique to say the least, yet pleasing in every detail. The fireplace has taken a prominent place in completing the exterior treatment.

The floor arrangement is somewhat different from the usual run of houses and is most convenient. A center hall connects every room in the whole plan, a feature seldom found.

The Living Room is large and has a beamed ceiling. The floor of this room is set risers down from the Reception Hall. In doing this a higher ceiling height is attained and the entire balance of the room is greatly enhanced. Directly off the Living Room is a Music Room.

This Home would make an ideal place for a doctor or any professional person operating from his own home. With very little change of the plan the Music Room could be converted into a Reception Room and the front Bed Room into an office. The office quarters would be completely separated from the balance of the house yet a part of it.

The plans on this Home may be seen at the office of most Lumber Dealers. Should your dealer not be acquainted with this Series of Homes, the plans may be obtained from the office of the designer, D. M. Crooks, Thayer Building, Oakland, California, for the nominal sum of \$15.00. This price includes three sets of plans and specifications.

# "Questions That Arise in Building"

Q. We have a wax finish over our woodwork and why should dark streaks and spots appear through the wax on the casings and door stiles?

A. This is no doubt caused by your builder using an air-dried material instead of a kiln-dried finish and the heat in causing the natural pitch which still remains in the wood to appear through the filler and wax. For wax finish great care should be exercised in selecting thoroughly kiln-dried materials.

Q. How do you make a partition sound-proof?

A. This is done most successfully and economically by the use of a staggered partition 2 1/2 bottom and top plates are used and two rows of studs are used, one on each side of the plates so that they alternate and that when lathed and plastered there is no direct connection between the two surfaces of the partition. By using this type of partition, sound vibrations are not conducted by means of direct contact.

# Weekly Foreign News Review

(By Melvin E. Coleman, Chief Editor of the Associated Press)

Showdowns are dropping over the industrial workers of England and Russia. In the one case work for the unemployed and continued jobs for those who have them. In the other the problem of getting bread to city workers are engaging the attention of state councils.

A report from a government board said today that 200,000 coal miners must be moved from their present abodes as they have no chance to make a living, where they are now. Then railway workers and managers got together and accepted salary and wage cuts from the highest to the lowest ranks in order to help their companies bridge the chasm of dwindling traffic.

A third great basic industry of the home land of the British Empire, the cotton spinning mills of Manchester, have been seized upon by an individual's dispute with his union as an excuse for threatening a lockout of 500,000 mill hands, but back of this is a condition of depression in the whole industry that has defied the best thought of the owners.

English mills must export most of their product and new factories in Japan, India and China, where cotton grows are the regular clothing of much of the population, has reduced the English market a third.

If these 500,000 mill workers are locked out, the English unemployed total will jump to around 1,700,000. The situation got into payment when Ramsey MacDonnell, laborite and former prime minister, moved a vote of censure against the government, because it had failed to find an answer to the problem. But the house defeated the motion. MacDonnell has started a vacation trip to Canada.

Russia is struggling with a short grain crop, the third in succession. Peasants are unwilling to let go of their produce for the benefit of city workers at government prices. Increases in prices have been ordered and the people's trade commissariat has been instructed to see that "a timely supply of industrial goods" is sent to the country districts.

The Russian seems disinclined to worry about the state of the cities so long as there is rye, black bread and tea in the larders of his village.

The "own and country" feeling showed from a different angle in Mexico, where agrarians decried a year of political externalization against the labor party.

In Romania the peasant party under Julia Maniu is fighting measures for stabilization of the currency, which are backed by financial interests of the kingdom. The peasants opposed especially a foreign loan projected as aid toward stabilization, but the measure went through both parliamentary houses. The legislators had the plan explained there in a bombastic economic message, issued over the signature of Maniu, the six-year-old king.

The international cloud of the far eastern horizon, where Japan and the nationalist government of China are disagreeing as to whether Manchuria shall become a part of the new "United China," has lost some of its murkiness, but whether the flashes were of

sunlight or lightning is something for the future.

Baron Tanaka, premier of Japan, explained that no fresh warning had been given the way road of Manchuria, Chang Hsueh-Liang, against joining his province to the nationalists. He said that Japan's position remained as when several months ago both north and south China were told that the civil strife would not be permitted to cross the Manchurian border.

Later reports said Chang has sent an embassy to Tokyo soliciting Japan's friendly assistance, presumably in the situation created by his change of mind regarding the union.

Conclusion of a tariff autonomy treaty between nationalists and the United States and initiation of negotiations with some other countries for similar revisions of agreements caused a measure of dismay in some Japanese quarters. China's inquiring as to whether Japan would consider treaty revision, brought the statement that it would not until the nationalists rescind their recent notice abrogating the present commercial pact between the two countries. Japan insists that this notice was illegal.

Yet shining through the murk of the fact that Japan has engaged herself to sign the Kellogg treaty banning war as an instrument of national policy.

Continuation of this pact may become an impulsive demonstration of a world will for peace. Foreign ministers of a dozen powers and high official representatives of others are to gather in Paris late in August and in the room where much of the treaty ending the world war was thrashed out, pledge their governments and peoples against aggressive warfare.

Several of the outstanding foreign ministers of Europe may not be able to attend because of ill health. In fact, there has been recently a marked increase in the number of statesmen who have decided to take continental "cures." Stresemann of Germany, Titcherov of Russia, Tschibcherov of Russia, Pilsudski of Poland and Stefan Raditch, fiery Croatian peasant leader of Jugia Slavia, are at health resorts. Doubtless they learned with interest of the birthday celebration of that spy British octogenarian, Lord Balfour.

CENTREVILLE, Md., July 29.—67—While John J. Raskob is sawing wood in New York, politically speaking, Mrs. Raskob, mother of 12 children, is expected to die from the raising of flux on a country place which she has developed out of two abandoned farms.

WILLOWS.—Samuel W. Rodd, famed as Glenn county's "almshouse martyr," began his fourth year in jail for refusal to pay his wife the sum ordered by a court after she had obtained a divorce. He refused because the court gave his minor child into the mother's custody.

LONDON, July 29.—67—Sir Austen Chamberlain, the British foreign secretary, announced in the house of commons today that Great Britain had reached a compromise with France over the naval disarmament question which would be submitted to the other naval powers and eventually to a disarmament conference.

# RAILROADS TO GET HEAVY INCREASES MAIL CONTRACTS

WASHINGTON, July 30.—67—

Railroads carrying mail for the postoffice department were awarded an increased pay of approximately \$15,000,000 per year under terms of an interstate commerce commission order today, and in addition granted a lump sum of approximately \$15,000,000 for underpayment, which the commission held the government had made since July, 1925.

A majority of the commission held that trunk line railroads were entitled to increases of 15 per cent over the present compensation, to become effective August 1.

Petitions for the increase having been filed in July, 1925, the commission ruled that the carriers would be entitled to collect the new rates from that time. Independent short lines operating over distances of under 100 miles were granted an increase of 50 per cent.

# MASKED PAIR ROB ESPEE PASSENGERS

EUGENE, Ore., July 30.—67—

Railroad detectives and local officers were searching today for two masked men who held up passengers in a car of Southern Pacific train No. 16 as it was entering Eugene yesterday. The robbers obtained only a few dollars, and seemed disappointed as not finding someone they expected to be in the car. They jumped off the train as it slowed down near the University of Oregon campus.

Charles Webber, Portland, and Frank Hollis, Klamath Falls, were among the passengers held up. The robbers sought money only and took no other valuables.

# ANDERSON CREEK

Jas. MacDowell and family and J. Mays and family spent Thursday evening at the Holtman home.

Mr. Black and wife spent the week end with Mrs. Black's mother, Mrs. Bushnell.

J. Mays and family and Mr. and Mrs. Holtman listened to the prizefight broadcast over the radio at Jas. MacDowell's Thursday.

E. J. Center is working in Talon this week.

Mrs. Glenn and son of Medford were up on the creek Friday afternoon.

F. Macquess and wife spent Friday at Jas. MacDowell's.

D. C. Hale and J. Mays are busy with their hay this week.

George Young is home again after spending a few weeks in the hills.

The Deinger boys are busy hauling logs for Mr. Beeson. They sure get out some fine logs.

Harry Maulby and family were out to the valley Friday.

GRANTS PASS, Ore., July 30.—67—A young man believed to be G. E. Ferguson of Williamina, Ore., was killed yesterday evening three miles north of Grants Pass when his motorcycle collided with the machine driven by Bernard Basted of Portland. This was the second fatal motorcycle accident there within the past two weeks.

The motorcycle was going north and had just reached the summit of the Merlin hill when it collided with the other machine. The driver of the automobile, who badly bruised and scratched and was taken to the hospital. He was able to be present for a hearing this morning.

Ferguson was badly crushed, his face being battered beyond recognition.

PIEDMONT, Cal., July 29.—67—A honeymoon in Hawaii was in order today for Mrs. Frances Brown Glassell, widow of the late Dr. Robert Glassell of Los Angeles, and James Donel of Monterey, who were married in Reno last night after an airplane elopement from Mills fields.

RED BLUFF.—Ray and George Karsten, respectively 8 and 10 years old, were drowned while swimming in the Sacramento river. The father narrowly escaped death in an effort to save the children.

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