

West Coast Smashes All Building Permit Records

By WALTER WARREN
SAN FRANCISCO, April 5 (AP)—West coast smashed all pre-building permit records in 10 biggest cities issued permits totaling more than \$74,000,000, virtually doubling the top mark for one month in 1941.

The permit pace was more than 20 times as fast as at the same time last year.

Los Angeles alone, with more than \$30,000,000 in new permits, set a new record for the city, topped anything all 10 cities have produced in one month, except a few months ago when the permit pace was held back by a shortage of one hand.

Permitting held actual pace somewhat below the rate of permit applications. The permits included lumber—particularly certain cuts more costly than others with the price ceilings—and rough plumbing, paint, hardware and down to nails. Not least worrisome shortage, a through the coast states imbedded upon this reporter, was of skilled workmen. And of the few skilled men are 60.

Building Progress
A surprising amount of building progress was shown through the coast states as builders, materials producers and fabricators sought new ways to get around obstacles. Virtually every community on the coast had its arguments over production and semi-prefabricated with proponents making headway here and there finding out how to make the best use of materials and labor.

While heavy pressure was on local builders to meet the housing shortage, which is acute in Canada, to Mexico, commercial and industrial building is substantial headway. Plans for veterans' houses brought demands for preference for such construction.

Financing of house construction for veterans was facilitated by recent changes in the GI bill.

Tulelake
Mr. and Mrs. George Kurtz, Mrs. Edney Rudd, Mr. and Mrs. Gresham, Mr. and Mrs. Dayton, Mrs. Welsh and Charles Rose held a district meeting of the Tulelake Legion and auxiliary at the Tulelake Hotel, Tulelake, Calif., March 31 at Weed. At the auxiliary meeting Mrs. Helen Sherman, district president, Mrs. Edna Stump, department president and chairman. The delegates had dinner at the Savoy following the meetings.

On Tuesday evening, April 9, Pan American and community service groups of the auxiliary will sponsor a program, giving a potluck supper last of the winter season.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Bergman as house guests, Mr. and Mrs. B. Smith, Newport, California, Mrs. Smith is Mr. Bergman's niece and the two are north to Seattle recently to meet Mr. Smith discharged from the merchant marine.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Williams, time residents of the Tulelake community are looking for a location for farming in the mid-western states.

Mr. and Mrs. Prince, former Tulelake resident who with Mrs. Prince left here some time ago to go into business in San Fernando has opened a modern station there at the junction of highways leading to Santa Anita and inside.

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Representatives of agricultural groups will be present with members of the fair board and two representatives of each private group desiring use of the fairgrounds for profitable entertainment, have been invited to attend.

Pioneer Community
James Kerns, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kerns, was expected home Tuesday with an honorable discharge from Fort Lewis.

The Carl Bringle family is now living in Keno. Mrs. Bringle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Herriek have received word from their son Roy that he has been transferred to Holland and expects to be stationed there for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burton are planning to leave soon to make their home at Cave Junction, where they have purchased a ranch. The Burtons have been residents of this district for many years and will be greatly missed.

Mrs. Mable Harris of Roseburg was called here due to the illness of her mother, Mrs. Joe Leisinger.

The Red Cross drive in this community has just been completed with Mrs. Esther Johnson as chairman assisted by Vera Clemmens.

Mr. and Mrs. Covington of Cave Junction visited at the W. L. Frain's on Sunday. They are former residents.

Mrs. Tracy Dennison who is suffering from a severe heart ailment is being moved to Modesto, Calif., accompanied by her family.

The Caribbean Sea, not the Gulf Stream, tempers the climate of Florida.

To help you plan for EASTER

Easter breads, party bunnies, and fancy eggs to tickle the youngsters, are "how-to-do-it's" found in April Sunset.

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SOCE Enrollment Will End April 15

Registration for the spring quarter at the Southern Oregon college at Ashland will continue until April 15, 1946.

Enrollment this quarter is running about 250 per cent ahead of the same period a year ago. Of the 182 students now enrolled, 114 are men, most of whom are veterans. Housing facilities are still available for 40 or 50 veterans.

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SALEM, April 5 (AP)—Attorney General George Neuner ruled today for the state department of agriculture that all fluid milk offered for sale must be graded, with the grade shown on the labels or caps of the milk containers.

He held that dairymen who can't meet the grade requirements can be prevented from selling milk.

TRAFFIC FATALITY
PORTLAND, April 5 (AP)—Georgia L. Lovell, 19, struck by a car here March 24, died in a hospital today. It was Portland's 13th traffic fatality this year.

Motorcycle Kills 3-Year-Old Girl

VANPORT, April 5 (AP)—Three-year-old Audrey Fay Cooper was fatally injured by a motorcycle yesterday in the street in front of her home, sheriff's deputies said today. They said witnesses absolved

the driver, Robert C. Montag, 26, of any blame. He said the girl ran into his motorcycle.

DODD APPROVED
WASHINGTON, April 5 (AP)—The senate agriculture committee unanimously approved today the nomination of Norris E. Dodd of Portland, Ore., to be undersecretary of agriculture.

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