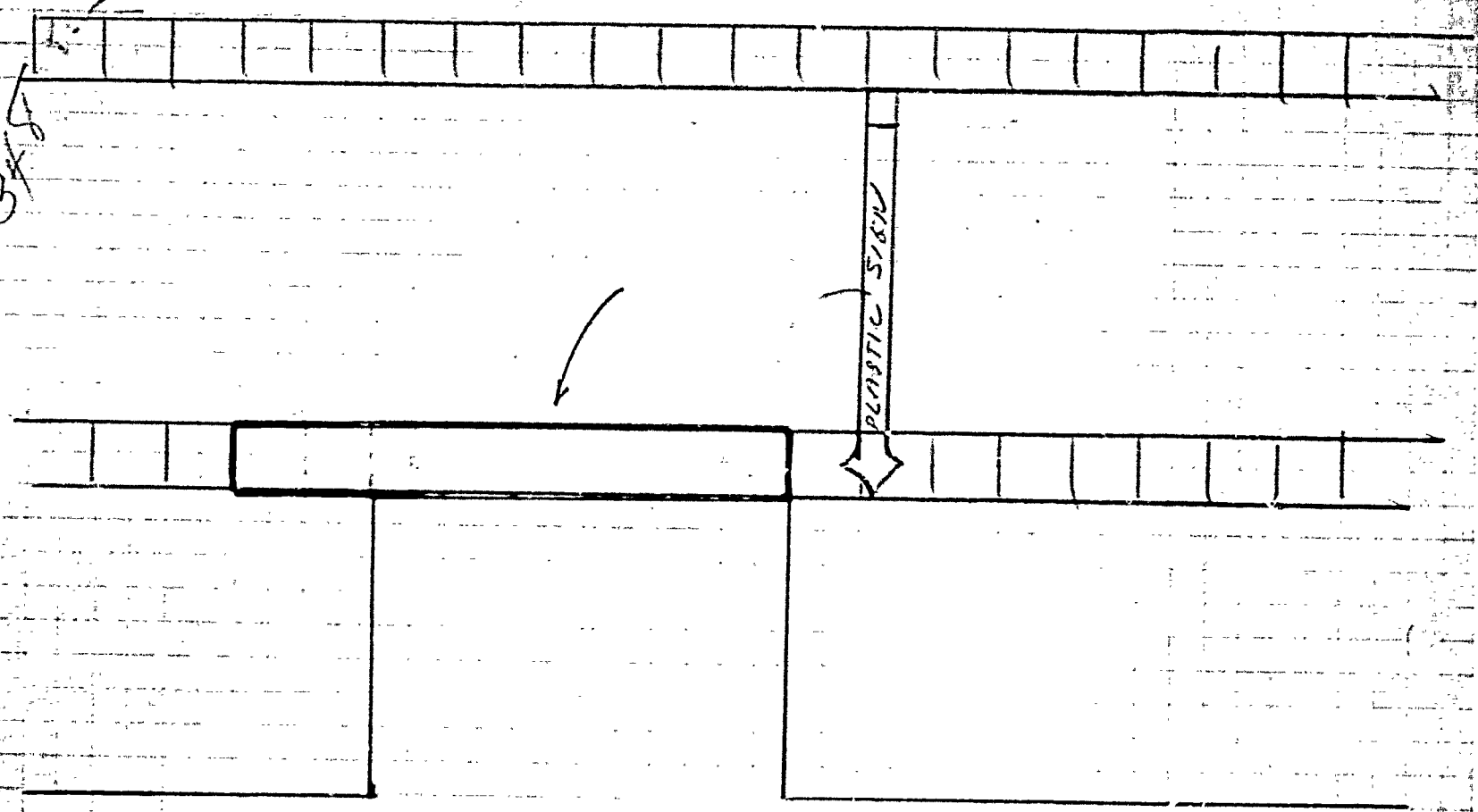


346-348 CUMBERLAND AVENUE

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Oilcloth Poze sign on wood frame 20' x 3 1/2'  
 attached to angle iron fence on second floor level  
 parking center Cumberland Ave. P.O.V.  
 Preble, Inc.

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Permit No. \_\_\_\_\_

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE  
APPLICATION FOR PERMISSION TO ERECT AND MAINTAIN TEMPORARY  
SIGNS WITHIN FIRE DISTRICT NO. 1.

Portland, Me. Feb. 20 19 58

The undersigned applies for permission to erect and maintain the following described temporary sign within Fire District No. 1, in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland and the following specifications:

Location 348 Cumberland Ave. Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble Inc. 477 Congress St.

Name and address of owner of sign Preble Inc. 477 Congress St.

Sign contractor's name and address Kopel Signs, 29 Portland St. Phone 2-6854

Overall dimensions of sign 20' x 3 1/2' Material of face oilcloth of frame wood

In what story erected \_\_\_\_\_ Will sign cover any part of window or door opening no  
on metal fence

Signature Carl Kopel  
Approved 2/21/58 W. W. [Signature]  
Inspector of Buildings

Date on which permission to maintain this sign expires \_\_\_\_\_  
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Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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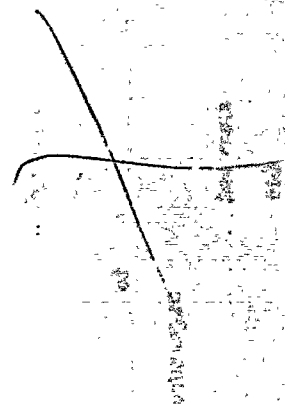
Application for renewal \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Approved \_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings  
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NOTE TO OWNER OF SIGN: PRESERVE THIS CERTIFICATE. If it is desired to maintain sign for a period longer than that allowed above, present this certificate at the Department of Building Inspection before the allowed period has elapsed, and permission for an additional period will be approved hereon, if sign is in good condition.

Ward \_\_\_\_\_ Permit No. 581  
 Location 347 Cumberland Ave.  
 Owner of Sign Pirella Inc.  
 Sign Hanger Kopel Signs

Period	Date of		No- tice	Re- moval
	Begins.	Ends		
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WRITTEN CONSENT AND AGREEMENT RELATING TO A CERTAIN SIGN PROPOSED TO  
BE ERECTED PROJECTING OVER A PUBLIC SIDEWALK FROM THE PREMISES  
AT 348 Cumberland Ave, PORTLAND, MAINE

Publ. Inc., being the owner of the  
premises at 348 Cumberland Avenue in Portland, Maine hereby gives  
consent to the erection of a certain sign owned by Casco Bank & Trust Co.  
projecting over the public sidewalk from said premises as described in applica-  
tion to the Inspector of Buildings of Portland, Maine for a permit to cover  
erection of said sign;

And in consideration of the issuance of said permit Publ. Inc.  
owner of said premises, in event said sign shall cease  
to serve the purpose for which it was erected or shall become dangerous and in  
event the owner of said sign shall fail to remove said sign or make it perman-  
ently safe in case the sign still serves the purpose for which it was erected,  
hereby agrees for himself or itself, for his heirs, its successors, and his or  
its assigns, to completely remove said sign within ten days of notice from  
said Inspector of Buildings that said sign is in such condition and of order  
from him to remove it.

In Witness whereof the owner of said premises has signed this consent  
and agreement this 14<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1958

J. S. Payne  
Witness

Publ. Inc.  
Owner  
Frank L. Palmer  
Pres.

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B3 BUSINESS ZONE

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

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CITY OF PORTLAND

Portland, Maine, February 14, 1958 19

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland the following specifications:

Location 348 Cumberland Ave. Within Front Limits? yes Dist. No. 1

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble Inc, 477 Congress St.

Name and address of owner of sign Casco Bank & Trust Co, 477 Congress St.

Contractor's name and address United Neon Display, 74 Elm St. Telephone 2-0695

When does contractor's bond expire? Dec. 31, 1958

### Information Concerning Building

Permit Issued with Letter

No. stories 3 Material of wall to which sign is to be attached steel

### Details of Sign and Connections

Building owner's consent and agreement filed with application yes

Electric? no Vertical dimension after erection 3'6" Horizontal 8'6"

Weight 250 lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? yes Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame angle-iron No. advertising faces 2 material galvanized metal

No. rigid connections 2 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts no, Size \_\_\_\_\_, Location, top or bottom \_\_\_\_\_

No. guys no, material \_\_\_\_\_, Size \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 11' Permit Issued with Letter

Maximum projection into street 8'6" Fee \$ 2.00

Signature of contractor

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Permit No. 58/157

Location 348 Cumberland Ave

Owner C.W. Cook's Trust Co.

Date of permit 2/19/58

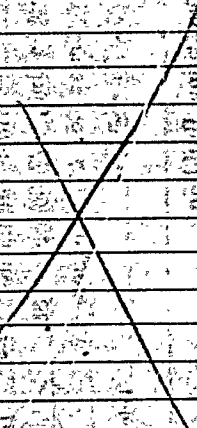
Sign Contractor

Final Inspn.

NOTES

2/24/58 - Shop signs  
 2/25/58 - final shop inspection  
 2/27/58 - all installed -  
 Allen  
 Allen

PERMITS  
 DIVISION  
 OF  
 PUBLIC  
 SAFETY  
 CITY OF  
 MEMPHIS  
 TENNESSEE



WRITTEN CONSENT AND AGREEMENT RELATING TO A CERTAIN  
BE ERECTED PROJECTING OVER A PUBLIC SIDEWALK FROM THE  
AT Brown Street IN PORTLAND, MAINE

Preble, Inc., being the owner of  
premises at 53 Brown Street in Portland, Maine hereby gives  
consent to the erection of a certain sign owned by Casco Motor Park  
projecting over the public sidewalk from said premises as described in  
application to the Inspector of Buildings of Portland, Maine for a permit  
to cover erection of said sign;

And in consideration of the issuance of said permit Pre, Inc.  
Preble, Inc., owner of said premises, in event said sign shall  
cease to serve the purpose for which it was erected or shall become dangerous  
and in event the owner of said sign shall fail to remove said sign or make  
it permanently safe in case the sign still serves the purpose for which it  
was erected, hereby agrees for himself or itself, for his heirs, its  
successors, and his or its assigns, to completely remove said sign within  
ten days of notice from said Inspector of Buildings that said sign is in  
such condition and of order from him to remove it.

In Witness whereof the owner of said premises has signed this consent  
and agreement this 6th day of December 1957.

J. H. Payne  
Witness

Joseph A. ...  
Owner

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CITY OF PORTLAND



Size of Plastic face-45 sq.ft.

Trade name-plexiglass  
Each piece has trade name no

B3 BUSINESS ZONE

PERMIT NO. 01896  
DEC 11 1957  
CITY OF PORTLAND

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

Portland, Maine, Dec. 9, 1957 19

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 53 Brown St. (over 349C Cumberland Ave.) Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1B

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble Inc, 477 Congress St.

Name and address of owner of sign Casco Motor Park, 348 Cumberland Ave.

Contractor's name and address United Neon Display, 74 Elm St. Telephone 2-0695

When does contractor's bond expire? \_\_\_\_\_

### Information Concerning Building

No. stories 3 Material of wall to which sign is to be attached steel frame.

### Details of Sign and Connections

Building owner's consent and agreement filed with application yes

Electric? yes Vertical dimension after erection 21' Horizontal 512"

Weight 1920 lbs. lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? yes Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame angle-iron No. advertising faces 2 1-plastic 1-metal material plastic

No. rigid connections 5 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts none Size \_\_\_\_\_ Location, top or bottom \_\_\_\_\_

No. guys none material \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 10'

Maximum projection into street 4' Fee \$ 2.00

Signature of contractor [Signature]

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F.M.



WRITTEN CONSENT AND AGREEMENT RELATING TO A CERTAIN SIGN PROPOSED TO  
BE, ERECTED PROJECTING OVER A PUBLIC SIDEWALK FROM THE PREMISES  
AT Cumberland Avenue IN PORTLAND, MAINE

Preble, Inc., being the owner of the  
premises at 218 Cumberland Avenue in Portland, Maine hereby gives  
consent to the erection of a certain sign owned by Casco Motor Park  
projecting over the public sidewalk from said premises as described in  
application to the Inspector of Buildings of Portland, Maine for a permit  
to cover erection of said sign;

And in consideration of the issuance of said permit Preble, Inc.,  
owner of said premises, in event said sign shall  
cease to serve the purpose for which it was erected or shall become dangerous  
and in event the owner of said sign shall fail to remove said sign or make  
it permanently safe in case the sign still serves the purpose for which it  
was erected, hereby agrees for himself or itself, for his heirs, its  
successors, and his or its assigns, to completely remove said sign within  
ten days of notice from said Inspector of Buildings that said sign is in  
such condition and of order from him to remove it.

In Witness whereof the owner of said premises has signed this consent  
and agreement this 6th day of December 1957

J. S. Logan  
Witness

Preble, Inc.  
Joseph A. Preble  
Owner

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CITY OF PORTLAND



Size of Plastic face sign-60 in. dia.  
 Trade name - Plexiglass  
 Each piece has trade name on it.  
 Unit Label-No.,

13 BUSINESS ZONE

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT  
 SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

PERMIT (207) 117

01895

DEC 11 1957

CITY OF PORTLAND

Portland, Maine, Dec. 9, 1957

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 348 Cumberland Ave. Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1B  
 Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Prable Inc, 477 Congress St.  
 Name and address of owner of sign Casco Motor Park, 348 Cumberland Ave.  
 Contractor's name and address United Neon Display, 74 Elm St. Telephone 2-0695  
 When does contractor's bond expire? Dec. 31 1957

Information Concerning Building

No. stories 3 Material of wall to which sign is to be attached steel frame

Details of Sign and Connections

Building owner's consent and agreement filed with application yes  
 Electric? yes Vertical dimension, after erection 22'6" Horizontal 5'6"  
 Weight 2400 lbs. lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? yes Any rigid frame? yes  
 Material of frame anglo-iron No. advertising faces 2 material plastic  
 No. rigid connections 5 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes  
 No. through bolts none; Size \_\_\_\_\_ Location, top or bottom \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. guys none material \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 15'  
 Maximum projection into street 5'6" Fee \$ 2.00

Sign of contractor

*J. J. Lignee*

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Permit No. 57/1895

Location 348 Cumberland Ave.

Owner Public Use

Date of permit 12/11/57

Sign Contractor \_\_\_\_\_

Final Inspn. 2/24/58

NOTES

1/16/58 - final shop inspection

Allen

2/24/58 - sign all installed

Allen



FILL IN AND SIGN WITH INK

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR HEATING, COOKING OR POWER EQUIPMENT

Portland, Maine, November 10, 1953

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, MAINE

N-A

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to install the following heating, cooking or power equipment in accordance with the Laws of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 346-352 Cumberland Ave. corner Brown St. Use of Building Drive-in bank No. Stories 1 New Building Existing  
 Name and address of owner of appliance Casoo Bank & Trust Co.  
 Installer's name and address Emil Iverson, 44 Portland St. Telephone 3-8462

### General Description of Work

To install gas-fired forced hot water heating system

### IF HEATER, OR POWER BOILER

Location of appliance 1st floor Any burnable material in floor surface or beneath? no  
 If so, how protected? \_\_\_\_\_ Kind of fuel? gas  
 Minimum distance to burnable material, from top of appliance or casing top of furnace Over 15"  
 From top of smoke pipe Over 15' From front of appliance Over 4' From sides or back of appliance Over 3'  
 Size of chimney flue 8x8 Other connections to same flue none  
 If gas fired, how vented? Through pipe Rated maximum demand per hour \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will sufficient fresh air be supplied to the appliance to insure proper and safe combustion? yes

### IF OIL BURNER

Name and type of burner \_\_\_\_\_ Labelled by underwriter's laboratories? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will operator be always in attendance? \_\_\_\_\_ Does oil supply line feed from top or bottom of tank? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Type of floor beneath burner \_\_\_\_\_ Size of vent pipe \_\_\_\_\_  
 Location of oil storage \_\_\_\_\_ Number and capacity of tanks \_\_\_\_\_  
 Low-water shut off \_\_\_\_\_ Make \_\_\_\_\_ No. \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will all tanks be more than five feet from any flame? \_\_\_\_\_ How many tanks enclosed? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total capacity of any existing storage tanks for furnace burners \_\_\_\_\_

### IF COOKING APPLIANCE

Location of appliance \_\_\_\_\_ Any burnable material in floor surface or beneath? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If so, how protected? \_\_\_\_\_ Height of Legs, if any \_\_\_\_\_  
 Skirting at bottom of appliance? \_\_\_\_\_ Distance to combustible material from top of appliance? \_\_\_\_\_  
 From front of appliance \_\_\_\_\_ From sides and back \_\_\_\_\_ From top of smokepipe \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size of chimney flue \_\_\_\_\_ Other connections to same flue \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is hood to be provided? \_\_\_\_\_ If so, how vented? \_\_\_\_\_ Forced or gravity? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If gas fired, how vented? \_\_\_\_\_ Rated maximum demand per hour \_\_\_\_\_

### MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT OR SPECIAL INFORMATION

This heater is located in utility room

Crane Co. Crane Line - Pasmore 2 W G Z

distributor  
Permit not needed because a vent pipe has been put in which is evidently not sealed

Amount of fees enclosed? 2.00 (\$2.00 for one heater, etc., 50 cents additional for each additional heater, etc., in same building at same time.) by the roof and the same not burnable material as exposed

APPROVED:

11/17/53 [Signature]

Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

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Signature of Installer

Emil Iverson

NOTES

11-11-53. *Officer John H. ...*

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT FOR  
HEATING, COOKING OR FRYING EQUIPMENT

Permit No. 53/  
Location 344-352 Franklin Ave.  
Owner Casey Paul & Fred Co.  
Date of permit 11/11/53  
Approved [Signature]

Building 1 New Building  
Address 344-352 Franklin Ave.  
City Brooklyn, N.Y.  
Telephone 3-4432

**IF HEATING OR**  
Location of equipment 1st floor  
If not new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
If new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
Will equipment be used in the kitchen to main Yes

**IF COOKING APPLIANCE**  
Location of equipment 1st floor  
If not new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
If new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
Will equipment be used in the kitchen to main Yes

**MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT**  
Location of equipment 1st floor  
If not new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
If new, indicate minimum distance to back of equipment Over 18" from front of equipment  
Will equipment be used in the kitchen to main Yes

**OR SPECIAL INFORMATION**  
This heater is located in utility room  
Additional information for each additional heater, etc. in same room

Inspected by [Signature]  
Date 11/11/53  
Inspector's name [Signature]



(C) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT  
SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

PERMIT ISSUED  
02307  
DEC 10 1953  
CITY OF PORTLAND

Plan 12-4-53  
Portland, Maine, Sept. 25, 1953

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location FRONT ST. CO. 346 Cumberland Ave. (Ch. 348 Cumberland Ave.) Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble, Inc. 450 Broadway

Name and address of owner of sign Arcade Motor Parking Lot, 346 Cumberland Ave.

Contractor's name and address United Neon Display, 74 Elm St. Telephone 2-0695

When does contractor's bond expire? Dec. 31, 1953

Information Concerning Building

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY  
REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED

*Contractor holds with 91*  
No. stories pole sign Material of wall to which sign is to be attached \_\_\_\_\_

Details of Sign and Connections

Building owner's consent and agreement filed with application yes

Electric? no Vertical dimension after erection 3' Horizontal 4'

Weight 65 lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? yes Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame angle iron No. advertising faces 2 material sheet metal

No. rigid connections 2 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts 2 Size 1/2" Location, top or bottom top and bottom

No. guys none material \_\_\_\_\_, Size \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 10'

Maximum projection into street 5' x 4' 4" United Neon Display Fee \$ 2.00

12-5-53 O.K. v.l.

Signature of contractor by: Thomas J. Koenig

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Permit No. 53/2307

Location 346 Cumberland Ave.

Owner Arcade Motor Parking Lot

Date of permit 12/10/53

Sign Contractor United Men Display

Final Inspn. 1/27/54

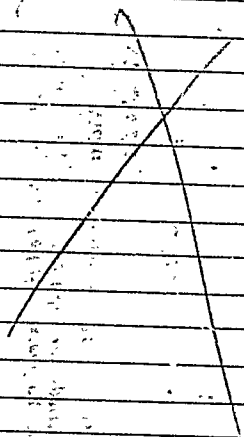
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12-21-53 for sign sample. Rejected sign. AC

1/27/54 - work done

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WRITTEN CONSENT AND AGREEMENT RELATING TO A CERTAIN SIGN PROPOSED TO  
BE ERECTED PROJECTING OVER A PUBLIC SIDEWALK FROM THE PREMISES  
AT 342 Cumberland Ave. IN PORTLAND, MAINE

Preble, Inc., being the owner of the premises at 342 Cumberland Ave. in Portland, Maine hereby gives consent to the erection of a certain sign owned by Preble, Inc. projecting over the public sidewalk from said premises as described in application to the Inspector of Buildings of Portland, Maine for a permit to cover erection of said sign;

And in consideration of the issuance of said permit Preble, Inc., owner of said premises, in event said sign shall cease to serve the purpose for which it was erected or shall become dangerous and in event the owner of said sign shall fail to remove said sign or make it permanently safe in case the sign still serves the purpose for which it was erected, hereby agrees for himself or itself, for his heirs, its successors, and his or its assigns, to completely remove said sign within ten days of notice from said Inspector of Buildings that said sign is in such condition and of order from him to remove it.

In Witness whereof the owner of said premises has signed this consent and agreement this 2nd day of December 19 53.

J. S. Royce  
Witness

Preble, Inc.  
J. A. Gordon  
Owner

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(G) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

PERMIT ISSUED

02306  
DEC 10 1953

CITY of PORTLAND



Place of Building  
2-40  
1-11

APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT  
SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

Plan 12-4-53

Portland, Maine, Sept. 25, 19 53

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 346 Cumberland Ave. Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No: 1

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Fréble, Inc.

Name and address of owner of sign Arcade Motor Parking Lot, 346 Cumberland Ave.

Contractor's name and address United Neon Display, 74 Elm St. Telephone 2-0695

When does contractor's bond expire? Dec. 31, 1953

Information Concerning Building

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY  
REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED

No. stories pole sign Material of wall to which sign is to be attached \_\_\_\_\_

Details of Sign and Connections

Building owner's consent and agreement filed with application yes

Electric? yes Vertical dimension after erection 2 1/2' Horizontal 4'

Weight 60 lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? yes Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame angle iron No. advertising faces 2, material sheet metal

No. rigid connections 2 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts 2, Size 1/2", Location, top or bottom top and bottom

No. guys none, material \_\_\_\_\_, Size \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 10'

Maximum projection into street 4' 4" United Neon Display Fee \$ 2.00

12 P. 53 A.M. O.C.D.  
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Signature of contractor by Thomas J. Hunt

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Permit No. 53/2306

Location: 346 Cumberland Ave.

Owner: Cicade Motor Gas Station

Date of permit: 12/10/53

Sign Contractor: United Neon Display

Final Inspn: 2/3/54

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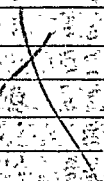
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sign [unclear]

12-27-53 - [unclear] has  
received [unclear]  
[unclear] at [unclear]

Make sure [unclear] [unclear]  
[unclear] [unclear] E. 28.

2/3/54 - [unclear] done  
E. 28.

TO THE  
CITY  
OF  
MEMPHIS



WRITTEN CONSENT AND AGREEMENT RELATING TO A CERTAIN SIGN PROPOSED TO  
BE ERECTED PROJECTING OVER A PUBLIC SIDEWALK FROM THE PREMISES  
AT 53 Brown Street IN PORTLAND, MAINE

Preble, Inc, being the owner of the premises at 53 Brown Street in Portland, Maine hereby gives consent to the erection of a certain sign owned by Preble, Inc projecting over the public sidewalk from said premises as described in application to the Inspector of Buildings of Portland, Maine for a permit to cover erection of said sign;

And in consideration of the issuance of said permit Preble, Inc; owner of said premises, in event said sign shall cease to serve the purpose for which it was erected or shall become dangerous and in event the owner of said sign shall fail to remove said sign or make it permanently safe in case the sign still serves the purpose for which it was erected, hereby agrees for himself or itself, for his heirs, its successors, and his or its assigns, to completely remove said sign within ten days of notice from said Inspector of Buildings that said sign is in such condition and of order from him to remove it.

In Witness whereof the owner of said premises has signed this consent and agreement this 2nd day of December 1953.

J. S. Leary  
Witness

Preble, Inc.  
J. C. Gordon  
Owner

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CITY OF PORTLAND

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# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Second Class

Portland, Maine, July 28, 1953

PERMIT IS  
01183  
JUL 28 1953

CITY OF PORTLAND

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, MAINE

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect alter repair demolish install the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location 67-71 Brown Street See 3476 Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Owner's name and address Casco Bank & Trust Co., 175 Congress St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Lessee's name and address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's name and address Dennison Wrecking, 182 Oxford St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Specifications \_\_\_\_\_ Plans no No. of sheets \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed use of building \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_

Last use Office No. families \_\_\_\_\_

Material brick No. stories 1 Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_

Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \$ .50

### General Description of New Work

To demolish existing office building 6'x8'

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor. **PERMIT TO BE ISSUED TO** Dennison

### Details of New Work

Is any plumbing involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_ Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_

Is connection to be made to public sewer? \_\_\_\_\_ If not, what is proposed for sewage? \_\_\_\_\_

Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_

Size, front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_

Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_

Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_

No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_ Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ fuel \_\_\_\_\_

Framing lumber—Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or full size? \_\_\_\_\_

Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_

Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.

Joists and rafters: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

### If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_, to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_ number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_

Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

### Miscellaneous

Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? no

Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

APPROVED:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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Signature of owner

*Charles L. Demise*

NOTES

PERMIT FOR OCCUPANCY

*(This section is crossed out with a large 'X')*

Structure: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of permit: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Inspector: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Final Insph: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cert of Occupancy issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit No. 531  
 Location 6971 Bismarck  
 Owner Carl Paul K. Kalle  
 Date of permit 7/28/53  
 Notify closing-in \_\_\_\_\_  
 Insph closing-in \_\_\_\_\_  
 Final Insph \_\_\_\_\_  
 Final Insph 7-29-53  
 Cert of Occupancy issued None

**SUED**  
**IN**

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3) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE  
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

PERMIT ISSUED

JUL 29 1953

CITY of PORTLAND

Class of Building or Type of Structure Second Class

Portland, Maine, July 24, 1953

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect ~~at 3000 Cumberland Ave.~~ the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location: ~~3000 Cumberland Ave.~~ 346-352 Cumberland Avenue, corner Brown St. Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1

Owner's name and address Casco Bank & Trust Co., 475 Congress St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Lessee's name and address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's name and address Paul McLellan Co., 52 Marginal Way Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Specifications yes Plans yes No. of sheets 6

Proposed use of building Drive-in bank No. families \_\_\_\_\_

Last use \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_

Material \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_

Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_

Estimated cost \$ 12,000. Fee \$ 12.00

General Description of New Work

To construct 1-story brick building 34'x11' as per plans.

Permit Issued with Letter

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor.

Details of New Work Paul McLellan Co.

Is any plumbing work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_ Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_

Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_

Size, front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_

Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_

Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_

No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_ Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ fuel \_\_\_\_\_

Framing lumber—Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or full size? \_\_\_\_\_

Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_

Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.

Joists and rafters: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_, to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_ number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_

Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

Miscellaneous

Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? no

Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

Casco Bank & Trust Co.  
Paul McLellan Co.

APPROVED:

*with letter by [Signature]*

Signature of owner

By:

*Paul P. McLellan*

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179  
Permit No.

53/1203

Location

67 Brown St

Owner

Coast Bank Trust

Date of permit

7/29/53

Notif. closing-in

Inspn. closing-in

Final Notif.

Final Inspr

11-17-53. W.L.

Cert. of Occupancy issue

11/18/53

NOTES

8-14-53. Work done for

9-4-53. Work done for

9-14-53. Work done for

9-24-53. Work done for

10-2-53. Work done for

11-7-53. Work done for

Gas heater. W.L.

(COPY)

CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE  
Department of Building Inspection



# Certificate of Occupancy

LOCATION 346-352 Cumberland Ave.

Date of Issue Nov. 18, 1953

Issued to Casco Bank & Trust Co.

**This is to certify** that the building, premises, or part thereof, at the above location, built ~~under~~  
~~change~~ under Building Permit No. 53/1263, has had final inspection, has been found to  
conform substantially to requirements of Zoning Ordinance and Building Code of the City, and is hereby  
approved for occupancy or use, limited or otherwise, as indicated below.

PORTION OF BUILDING OR PREMISES

APPROVED OCCUPANCY

Drive-In Bank

Entire

Limiting Conditions:

This certificate supersedes  
certificate issued

Approved:

11/17/53

(Date)

Inspector

Inspector of Buildings

Notice: This certificate identifies lawful use of building or premises, and ought to be transferred from  
owner to owner when property changes hands. Copy will be furnished to owner or lessee for one dollar.

AP 346-352 Cumberland Ave.,

July 29, 1953

Paul B. McLellan Co.,  
52 Marginal Way  
Stevens & Saunders  
167 Middle St.,

Copy to: Casco Bank & Trust Co.,  
475 Congress St.,

Gentlemen:

Building permit for construction of a one story masonry building to be used as drive-in banking quarters at 346-352 Cumberland Ave., corner of Brown St., is issued herewith based on the plans filed with the application for permit, but subject to the following conditions:

1. If there are to be no more than five persons in the building at any one time the two foot eight inch width of entrance door is acceptable, otherwise a minimum width of three feet is required.
2. Since the building is to be constructed with cavity masonry walls, attention is called to the requirements of Sect. 308-b-8.6 of the Building Code relating to such construction, particularly as to location of ties around all openings.
3. A separate permit issuable only to the installer is required for the heating system and until information has been furnished as to the make and model of the gas-fired heater to be installed, we cannot determine whether or not the metal flue shown projecting through the roof of the building will meet Code requirements. If the heater to be used is such that it bears the approval of an accredited authoritative agency as being designed and constructed so that the flue gas temperature at the outlet of the draft hood will not exceed 550 degrees Fahrenheit, a metal vent may be used, but it is required to be one bearing the approval of an accredited authoritative agency for such a use.
4. While a permit has already been issued for demolition of the small building on the lot, a separate permit is also required for the removal of the pumps and underground tanks now located there.

Very truly yours,

Warren McDonald  
Inspector of Buildings

AJS/B

(G) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

PERMIT ISSUED  
JUN 29 1946  
JUN 28 1946

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

Portland, Maine, June 20, 1946

the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign ~~erecting~~ over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 67-71 FROEN STREET - See City Council Within Fire Limits? Yes Dist. No. 1

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble, Inc.

Name and address of owner of sign 67 Congress Street

Contractor's name and address Metro Neon, 96 Exchange Street Telephone 3-3052

When does contractor's bond expire? January 1, 1947

Standard steel pole Information Concerning Building  
No. stories Material of wall to which sign is to be attached Steel pole

canopy lighted Details of Sign and Connections

Electric? yes Vertical dimension after erection 116" Horizontal 8'

Weight 155 lbs. Will there be any hollow spaces? no Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame 1/2" hand iron No. advertising faces 2 material metal

No. rigid connections 2 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts 1 Size 1/2" Location, top or bottom bottom

No. guys 2 material 1/2" steel band Size 1/2"

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 12'

Maximum projection into street 8'

Metro Neon Fee \$ 1.00

CITY OF PORTLAND  
Signature of contractor By: J. Lueder

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY  
REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED

ORIGINAL

11148  
Permit No. 67-71  
Owner *Paula D...*  
Date of permit 6/29/66  
Sign Contractor  
Final Insp. 10-26-66 *AM*

NOTES

~~THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS  
OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER  
DIVISION OF PERMITS~~

(G) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

PERMIT ISSUED

Permit # 01447

JUN 29 1946

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

Portland, Maine, June 20, 1946



To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location 67-71 Brown Street - See 346 Cumberland Within Fire Limits? Yes Dist. No. 1

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached Preble, Inc.

Name and address of owner of sign \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's name and address Metron Neam, 66 Exchange Street

When does contractor's bond expire? January 1, 1947

Standard steel pole Information Concerning Building

No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Material of wall to which sign is to be attached Steel pole

Electric? canopy Vertical dimension after erection 16" Horizontal 8'

Weight 155 lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? no Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame 4" band iron No. advertising faces 2 material metal

No. rigid connections 5 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts 1 Size 1/2" Location, top or bottom bottom

No. guys 2 material steel band Size 1/2"

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 12'

Maximum projection into street \_\_\_\_\_

Fee \$ 1.00

CHIEF OF FIRE DEPT.  
Signature of contractor

*J. Lueder*

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY  
REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED

*Imp.*

Permit No. 46/1147

Location 67-71 Ocean St

Owner Public Insa

Date of permit 6/29/46

Sign Contractor \_\_\_\_\_

Final Insp. 10-26-46 (RB)

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DIVISION  
CITY OF BOSTON~~



(G) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure Installation \_\_\_\_\_

Portland, Maine, April 9, 1946

PERMIT 1946  
00574  
APR 11 1946

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to ~~erect~~ ~~erect~~ ~~erect~~ install the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code and Zoning Ordinance of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location 67-71 Brown Street, corner Cumb. Ave. Within Fire Limits? Yes Dist. No. 1  
 Owner's name and address See 316 Court Ave. Peble, Inc., 477 Congress Street Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Lessee's name and address \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contractor's name and address American Oil Co., 142 High Street Telephone 3-4785  
 Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Specifications \_\_\_\_\_ Plans yes No. of sheets 1  
 Proposed use of building \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last use \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_  
 Estimated cost \$ 300. Fee \$ 2.00

## General Description of New Work

To install 4-1000 gallon tanks for gasoline - public user install 4 electric pumps. Tanks to be buried underground 3' - coated with asphaltum - bear Underwriters' label - piping from tank to pump 1 1/2". New installation.

Sent to Fire Dept. 4/9/46  
Rec'd from Fire Dept. 4/10/46

CERTIFICATE OF OCCUPANCY  
REQUIREMENT IS WAIVED

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor.

## Details of New Work

Is any plumbing work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_ Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size, front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_ Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ fuel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Framing lumber - Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or full size? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 Girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_  
 Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet.  
 Joists and rafters: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

## If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_, to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_ number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

## Miscellaneous

Will work require disturbing of any tree on a public street? NO  
 Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? YES

American Oil Co.

APPROVED: Chas. T. Sullivan  
CHIEF OF FIRE DEPT.

Signature of owner

By J. H. Concannon

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Permit No 46/574

Location 67-71 Brown St.

Owner Creble, Inc.

Date of permit 4/11/46

Notif. closing-in

Inspn. closing-in

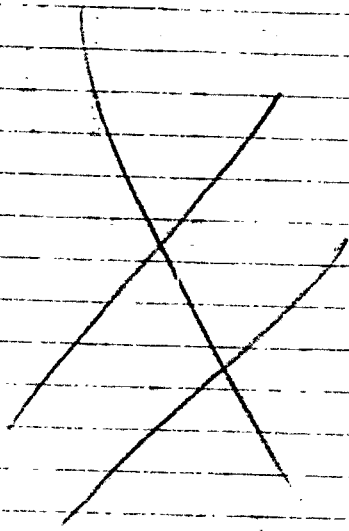
Final Notif.

Final Inspn. 4/12/46

Cert. of Occupancy issued 11/1/40

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4/12/46. P.I.F. O.K.



*JHS*  
JOHN HOWARD STEVENS, A.I.A. JOHN CALVIN STEVENS, 2ND, A.I.A.  
ARCHITECTS  
187 MIDDLE STREET, PORTLAND 3, MAINE

April 1, 1946

Mr. Warren McDonald  
Inspector of Buildings  
City of Portland, Maine

Attendant's House  
Preble, Inc.

Dear Sir: We have corrected our drawings and notified the  
Owner that the 4" tile flue lining for chimney is changed  
to 8 x 8 flue lining.

Sincerely yours,

*John Howard Stevens*  
John Howard Stevens

JHS:MM

cc Preble, Inc.

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CITY OF PORTLAND

JOHN HOWARD STEVENS, A.I.A. JOHN CALVIN STEVENS, 2ND, A.I.A.  
ARCHITECTS  
187 MIDDLE STREET, PORTLAND 3, MAINE

March 20, 1946

Mr. Warren McDonald  
Inspector Buildings  
City of Portland, Maine

Preble, Inc.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of March 18 received.

As to flue lining:- this is one of the cases where Code requirements are too drastic. Here the heating apparatus is the smallest oil heater that can be bought and its vent is only 4". It is really a hot air vent, instead of a chimney. An 8 x 8 flue would create a chimney that would be too large for such a small building and occupy too much valuable room on the interior.

The 4" clay tile is wholly adequate for the job it has to do, and entirely fire safe.

It is my opinion that Code requirements should be waived in a case like this.

It might be recognized as a "modern invention", and I believe there is a provision for such a situation.

The floor slab ends in a square edge at the "hatchway", extending straight across the building and there is no need of any special reinforcing at this edge.

Sincerely yours,

*John Howard Stevens*  
John Howard Stevens

JHS:MM

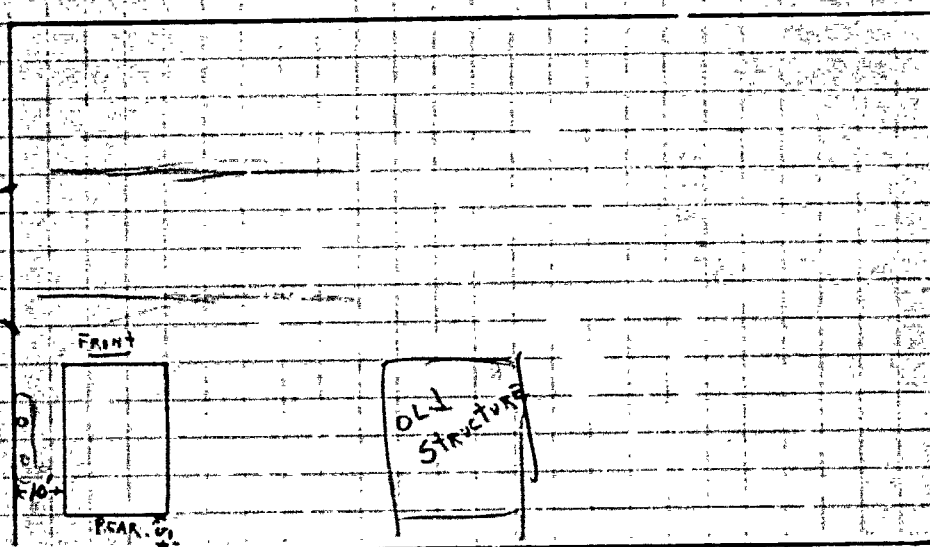
cc Preble, Inc.  
cc J.H.Kennedy

*Inspected  
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you and he  
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James  
878  
mmk  
3/23/46*

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CITY OF PORTLAND

PREBLE ST.

CUMBERLAND



BROWN ST.

CITY OF PORTLAND.....DEPT. OF BUILDING INSPECTION

Check List of Compliance with Building Code and Zoning Ordinance Requirements

March 18, 1946

Job Location 67-71 Brown Street Owner Preble, Inc.  
Contractor J. H. Kennedy Architect J. H. & J. C. Stevens

References at left are to sections of Building Code where applicable. If plan maker disagrees with statements below, he should seek a conference by phone or in person at this office. If he agrees, plans should be revised or supplementary specifications issued and fresh copies furnished to this office with a letter of transmittal showing that contractor and owner have copies of revisions.

1. Sec. 303b1. Flue lining required to be of fire clay and no less than nominal 8x8 flue lining, commercial size instead of the 4-inch diameter tile shown.
2. General. No arrangement of reinforcing rods shown around trap door to cellar. Please instruct contractor as to placing reinforcement bars at least 3/4 of an inch above the bottom of the slab.

*Inspector*  
*8-1-8*  
*3/20/46*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Inspector of Buildings

WCD/S

CO: Preble, Inc.  
177 Congress Street  
J. H. Kennedy  
105 Preble Street



# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Permit No. 00379

Class of Building or Type of Structure Second Class

Portland, Maine, March 13, 1916

00379

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect ~~also install~~ the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications: Sec 346 Central Ave

Location 67-71 Brown Street Ward \_\_\_\_\_ Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1  
 corner Cumberland Ave.  
 Owner's or Lessee's name and address Preble, Inc., 477 Congress Street Telephone 2-8671  
 Contractor's name and address J. H. Kennedy, 105 Preble St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Architect John Howard & John Calvin Stevens, 187 Middle St. Plans filed yes No. of sheets 1  
 Proposed use of building Parking Attendant's House No. families \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_  
 Estimated cost \$ 1500. Fee \$ 2.50

### Description of Present Building to be Altered

Material \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last use \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_

### General Description of New Work

To construct 1 story brick building approx. 8'x11'

*Permit issued with check list.*

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor.

**Details of New Work**  
 Framing Lumber Kind? hemlock  
 Dressed or Full Size? dressed Height average grade to top of plate 8'7"  
 Size, front 8' depth 11' No. stories 1 Height average grade to highest point of roof 12'  
 To be erected on solid or filled land? solid earth or rock? earth  
 Material of foundation concrete at least 4' below grade Thickness, top 10" bottom 12"  
 Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ " to sill \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of Roof ditch-gable Rise per foot 9" Roof covering tile or Class C Und. asphalt  
 No. of chimneys 1 Material of chimneys brick of lining tile  
 Kind of heat warm air heat Type of fuel oil Is gas fitting involved? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_  
 Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O.C. Girders 6x8 or larger. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet. Sills and corner posts all one piece in cross section.  
 Joists and rafters: 1st floor concrete, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof 2x4  
 On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof 1 1/2"  
 Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof 8' 1/2"  
 If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? 8" height? 8'7"

### If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_, to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

Ward Permit No. 467-579

Location 67-71 Brown St.

Owner *Public, Inc*

Date of permit 3/19/46

Notif. closing-in

Inspn. closing-in

Final Notif.

Final Inspn.

Cert. of Occupancy issued

TOMAS 46/574

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NOTES

*See note 60.17*

*Time to be 8:15*

*7:30*



PERMIT ISSUED  
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# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Permit No. OCT 30 1941

Class of Building or Type of Structure Third Class

Portland, Maine Oct or 30, 1941

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to ~~erect~~ alter ~~install~~ the following building structure-equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications: See 316 Comm. Ord.

Location 69 Brown Street Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1

Owner's or Lessee's name and address Preble Corp. 477 Congress St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor's name and address Oxford Wrecking Co., 105 Main St. So. Portland Telephone 4-3762

Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Plans filed \_\_\_\_\_ No. of sheets \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed use of building \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_

Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \$ 1.00

Estimated cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Description of Present Building to be Altered

Material wood No. stories 2 Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_

Last use dwelling house No. families 2

## General Description of New Work

To demolish building 30' x 36'

Do you agree to tightly and permanently close all sewers or drains connecting with public or private sewers from this building or structure to be demolished, under the supervision and to the approval of the Department of Public Works of the City of Portland? Yes

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor.

## Details of New Work

Is any plumbing work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_

Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_

Size, front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_

To be erected on solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_

Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_

Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_

No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ Type of fuel \_\_\_\_\_ Is gas fitting involved? \_\_\_\_\_

Framing lumber—Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or full size? \_\_\_\_\_

Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_

Material columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_

Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16' O. C. Girders 6x8 or larger. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet. Sills and corner posts all one piece in cross section.

Joists and rafters: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_

one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

## If a Garage

cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_ to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_

number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_

automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

## Miscellaneous

Does work require removal or disturbing of any shade tree on a public street? no

Will you be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

Signature of owner Preble Corp. By Oxford Wrecking Co. By Wm. P. Stapleton

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1667

Permit No. 41/1667  
Location 69 Brown St.  
Owner Pueblo Corp  
Date of permit 10/30/41  
Notif. closing-in  
Inspn. closing-in  
Final Notif.  
Final Inspn.  
Cert. of Occupancy issued

NOTES

~~THIS PERMIT IS VOID IF THE PERMITTEE HAS NOT OBTAINED THE NECESSARY APPROVALS FROM THE CITY ENGINEER AND THE CITY COMMISSIONERS.~~

City Engineer  
City Commissioner  
City Clerk  
City Treasurer  
City Assessor  
City Auditor  
City Attorney  
City Superintendent  
City Inspector  
City Surveyor  
City Engineer  
City Architect  
City Planner  
City Historian  
City Librarian  
City Recorder  
City Clerk  
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City Librarian  
City Recorder



# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT

Class of Building or Type of Structure third class

Permit No. 1883  
**PERMIT ISSUED**

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

Portland, Maine, October 21, 1931 21 1939

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect alter ~~install~~ the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location 316 Cumberland Avenue Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1  
 Owner's or Lessee's name and address Preble Inc. 177 Congress St. Telephone \_\_\_\_\_  
 Contractor's name and address Fred R. Wardwell, 20 Tyng St. Telephone no  
 Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Plans filed \_\_\_\_\_ No. of sheets \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed use of building \_\_\_\_\_ No. families \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_  
 Estimated cost \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Fee \$ 1.00

### Description of Present Building to be Altered

Material wood No. stories 2 1/2 Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last use dwelling house No. families 2

### General Description of New Work

To demolish building 21' x 50'

Do you agree to tightly and permanently close all sewers or drains connection with public or private sewers from this building or structure to be demolished, under the supervision and to the approval of the Department of Public Works of the City of Portland? yes

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and in the name of the heating contractor.

### Details of New Work

Is any plumbing work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size: front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_  
 To be erected on solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of Roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ Type of fuel \_\_\_\_\_ Is gas fitting involved? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Framing Lumber—Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or Full Size? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_  
 Studs (outside walls and carrying partitions) 2x4-16" O. C. Girders 6x8 or larger. Bridging in every floor and flat roof span over 8 feet. Sills and corner posts all one piece in cross section.  
 Joists and rafters: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

### If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_ to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

### Miscellaneous

Will above work require removal or disturbing of any shade tree on a public street? no  
 Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

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Signature of owner Preble Inc. F. R. Wardwell

By

Permit No. 39/1883

Location 346 Cumberland Ave

Owner Pieble, Inc

Date of permit 10/21/39

Notif. closing-in

Inspn. closing-in

Final Notif.

Final Inspn. 11/9/39

Cert. of Occupancy issued None

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WITHOUT PERMISSION  
OF THE ARCHITECT~~

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# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT ESTABLISHED No. 1 ISSUED

Class of Building or Type of Structure Third

1471

Portland, Maine, Sept. 9, 1939 SEP 9 1939

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME.

The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect alter install the following building structure equipment in accordance with the Laws of the State of Maine, the Building Code of the City of Portland, plans and specifications, if any, submitted herewith and the following specifications:

Location See 346 Brown St. Ave Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1  
 Owner's or Lessee's name and address Preble Corp. 477 Congress St. Telephone 2-8671  
 Contractor's name and address E.L. Porter 56 Brown St. Telephone 3-0792  
 Architect \_\_\_\_\_ Plans filed \_\_\_\_\_ No. of sheets \_\_\_\_\_  
 Proposed use of building Rooming ~~Dwelling house~~ No. families \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other buildings on same lot \_\_\_\_\_  
 Estimated cost \$ 8 Fee \$ .25

### Description of Present Building to be Altered

Material frame No. stories 1 1/2 Heat \_\_\_\_\_ Style of roof \_\_\_\_\_ Roofing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last use rooming house No. families \_\_\_\_\_

### General Description of New Work

Cut in new door between bathroom and bedroom, second floor

NOTIFICATION BEFORE LATHING OR CLOSING-IN IS WAIVED

STATE OF OCCUPANCY PERMIT IS WAIVED

It is understood that this permit does not include installation of heating apparatus which is to be taken out separately by and the name of the heating contractor.

### Details of New Work

Is any plumbing work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is any electrical work involved in this work? \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to top of plate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Size, front \_\_\_\_\_ depth \_\_\_\_\_ No. stories \_\_\_\_\_ Height average grade to highest point of roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 To be erected on solid or filled land? \_\_\_\_\_ earth or rock? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of foundation \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ cellar \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material of underpinning \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of Roof \_\_\_\_\_ Rise per foot \_\_\_\_\_ Roof covering \_\_\_\_\_  
 No. of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ Material of chimneys \_\_\_\_\_ of lining \_\_\_\_\_  
 Kind of heat \_\_\_\_\_ Type of fuel \_\_\_\_\_ Is gas fitting involved? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Framing Lumber— Kind \_\_\_\_\_ Dressed or Full Size? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Corner posts \_\_\_\_\_ Sills \_\_\_\_\_ Girt or ledger board? \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_  
 Material columns under girders \_\_\_\_\_ Size \_\_\_\_\_ Max. on centers \_\_\_\_\_  
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 On centers: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 Maximum span: 1st floor \_\_\_\_\_, 2nd \_\_\_\_\_, 3rd \_\_\_\_\_, roof \_\_\_\_\_  
 If one story building with masonry walls, thickness of walls? \_\_\_\_\_ height? \_\_\_\_\_

### If a Garage

No. cars now accommodated on same lot \_\_\_\_\_ to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total number commercial cars to be accommodated \_\_\_\_\_  
 Will automobile repairing be done other than minor repairs to cars habitually stored in the proposed building? \_\_\_\_\_

### Miscellaneous

Will above work require removal or disturbing of any shade tree on a public street? no  
 Will there be in charge of the above work a person competent to see that the State and City requirements pertaining thereto are observed? yes

INSTRUCTION COPY

Signature of owner Preble Corp. E.L. Porter

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Permit No. 39/1471

Location 69 Brown St

Owner Public Corp

Date of permit 9/9/39

Notif. closing-in

Inspn. closing-in

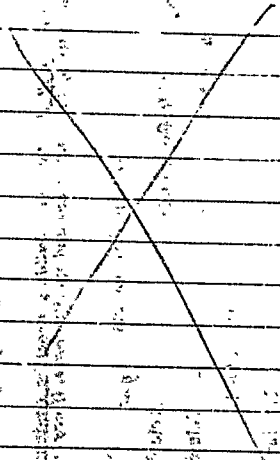
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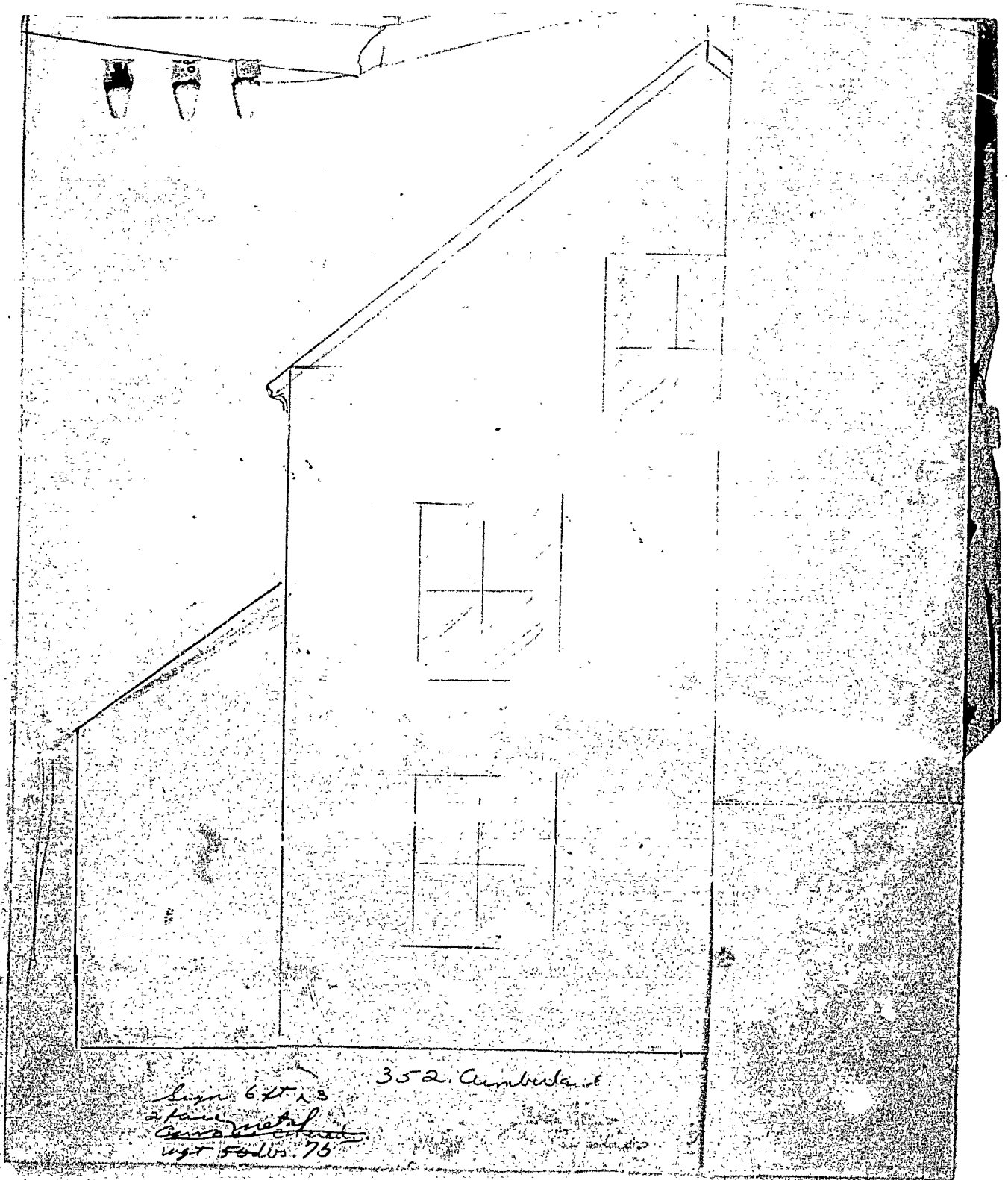
Final Inspn. 9/18/39

Cert. of Occupancy issued None

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(C) GENERAL BUSINESS ZONE

# APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO ERECT SIGN OVER PUBLIC SIDEWALK OR STREET

PERMIT ISSUED 2304  
OCT 20 1929

To the INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS, PORTLAND, ME. Portland, Maine, October 14, 1929 19  
The undersigned hereby applies for a permit to erect the following described sign extending over a public sidewalk or street in accordance with the Building Code of the City of Portland, and the following specifications:

Location See 346 Cumberland Avenue Ward 4 Within Fire Limits? yes Dist. No. 1

Owner of building to which sign is to be attached The Chapman National Bank 477 Congress St.

Name and address of owner of sign Brown Street Parking Station 65 Brown Street

Contractor's name and address Flynn the Painter 245 Middle Street Telephone 1 2083

When does contractor's bond expire? November 1929

## Information Concerning Building

No. stories 2 1/2 Material of wall to which sign is to be attached wood

## Details of Sign and Connections

Electric? no Vertical dimension after erection 3' Horizontal 5'

Weight 50 75 lbs., Will there be any hollow spaces? no Any rigid frame? yes

Material of frame wood No. advertising faces 2 material metal

No. rigid connections 2 Are they fastened directly to frame of sign? yes

No. through bolts none Size 3/8" Location, top or bottom yes

No. guys 1 material cable Size 5/8ths.

Minimum clear height above sidewalk or street 15'

Maximum projection into street 6'

APPROVED

INSPECTION COPY Oliver T. Sanborn  
CHIEF OF FIRE DEPT.

Signature of contractor

The Chapman National Bank  
by Flynn the Painter

Fee \$ 1.00

by Edward W. Flynn

VERIFICATION BEFORE  
OR TO OBTAIN  
REQUIREMENTS  
IS WAIVED  
WARRANTY

