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**C.P.R. Annual Report, Guide to Canadian Development**

Is clearly understandable presentation of conditions since it affects all phases Canada's industrial and commercial life

E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President

Every year the people of Canada have placed before them two documents which in a different way present the facts regarding conditions prevailing throughout the country. One of these is the budget of the Minister of Finance and the other is the annual report of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The latter being a business document and entirely free from any touch of political influence is the more clearly understandable presentation of conditions and it is an equally reliable guide because there exists no phase of Canada's industrial and commercial life which is not touched upon and affected by the truly national institution of which it is an annual record.

The company's report for the year just issued, reflects the marked contraction the nation's business has experienced. Gross earnings for the year totalled \$182,502,156, a decrease of \$13,334,933 from those of the previous year. Freight earnings alone decreased by \$10,734,416. Working expenses, including all taxes totalled \$145,274,914, a decrease of \$13,083,165. Net earnings totalled \$37,227,241, a decrease for the year of \$251,768. The working expenses for the year, including all taxes, amount to 79.66 per cent of the gross earnings, and the net earnings to 20.40 per cent, as compared with 80.86 per cent and 19.14 per cent respectively in 1927.

In his summary to the annual report Chairman and President E. W. Beatty points out that the decrease in freight earnings, which alone amounted to \$10,734,416, is largely accounted for by the much smaller movement of grain and flour, particularly the former, owing to the smaller crop in Western Canada. He instances also a substantial decrease in the movement of manufactured articles as a result of the general business situation. Notwithstanding this, he says, the result of the company's operations must be considered satisfactory.

Mr. Beatty pointed out that the company's land sales for the year totalled 96,755 acres, of which 6,741 acres were of irrigated land selling at \$33.26 per acre, the average for the land sales were in excess of last year, but were still of moderate proportions, due partly to the fact that immigration was not extensive, especially of those financially able to immediately purchase land holdings.

The wide-spread character of the company's operations, said the report, makes it necessary that substantial cash balances should be maintained and for that purpose the directors had authorized and maintained the creation and sale of securities totalling \$32,000,000.

Special attention was drawn to decreases in the company's income from subsidiary companies, particularly the Canadian Pacific Steamships operating on the Atlantic where continued light freight business and smaller passenger traffic cut into earnings. Results in this connection were disappointing, says the report. In anticipation of a considerable increase in passenger and freight traffic the schedules for the season were arranged to provide for ten additional sailings during the St. Lawrence season. The schedules of sailings of other companies were also enlarged with the result that competition was increased, and this and the drastic immigration laws of the United States, together with the failure of Canadian immigration to reach the proportions expected by the Government and the transportation companies, were the principal causes of the unsatisfactory showing. The steamship companies, in order to assist in making effective the immigration policy of the country, allowed a rebate of fifteen dollars in the fare of each immigrant, but, notwithstanding this concession, the decrease in third-class westbound passengers was 15,000 and the cost to the Company of the rebates is \$325,000, with a corresponding reduction in its net earnings. The total earnings westbound were \$1,743,000 less than in 1927. The eastbound passenger carryings were somewhat greater than in 1927, owing largely to the attraction of the Wembley Exhibition. Freight traffic showed a very moderate increase, amounting in earnings to \$503,000 and in tonnage to 125,000 tons. In the result, the operations of the Atlantic fleet showed a decrease in revenue from all sources of \$1,979,000 under 1927 and an increase of \$617,000 in expenses owing to the increased number of voyages. An improvement in business to and from the Orient is expected because of the more stable commercial and political con-

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Large living room, dining room, kitchen, three bedrooms, clothes closet, bath, fireplace, stairs and rear porch.

**8-Room ALADDIN 1976**

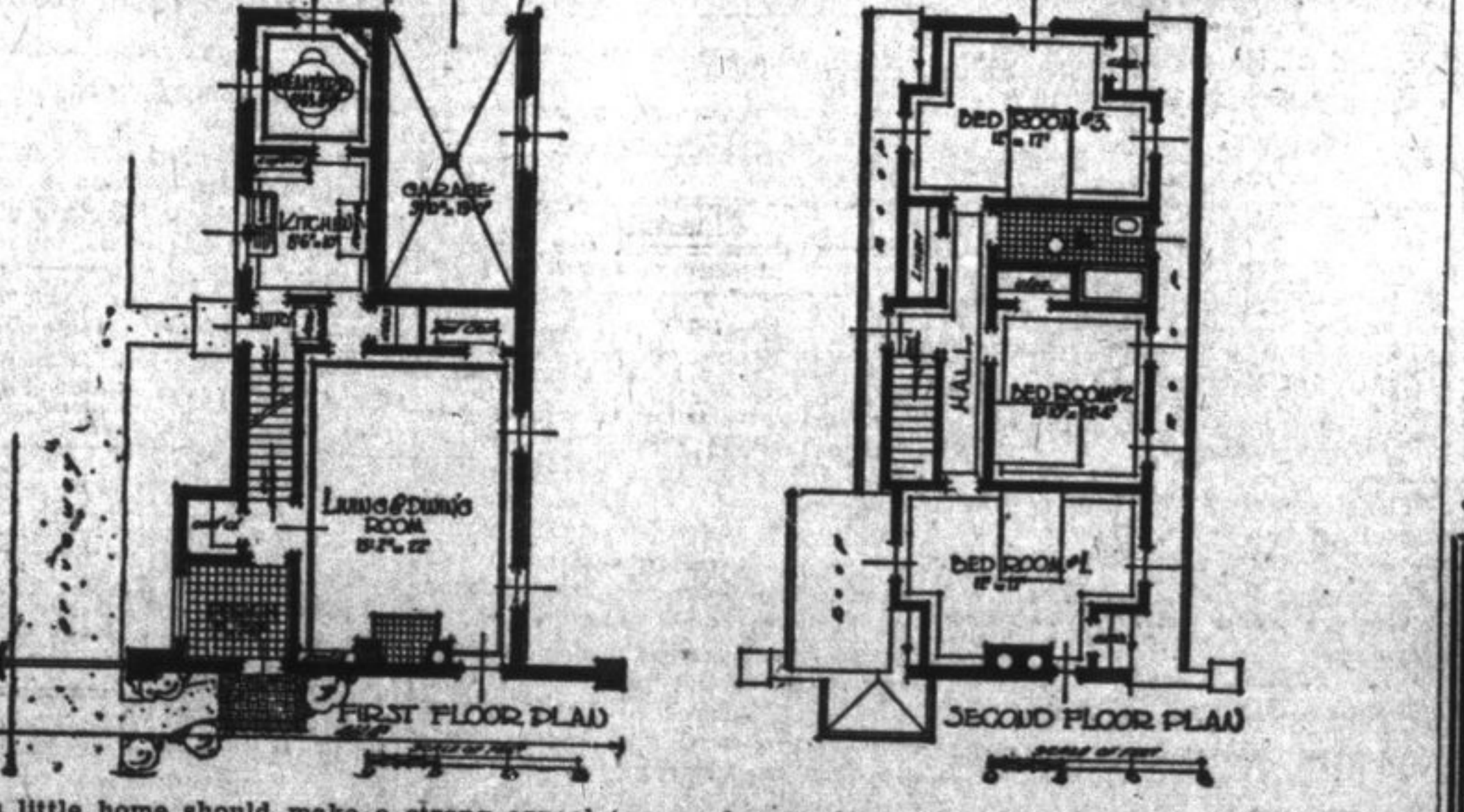
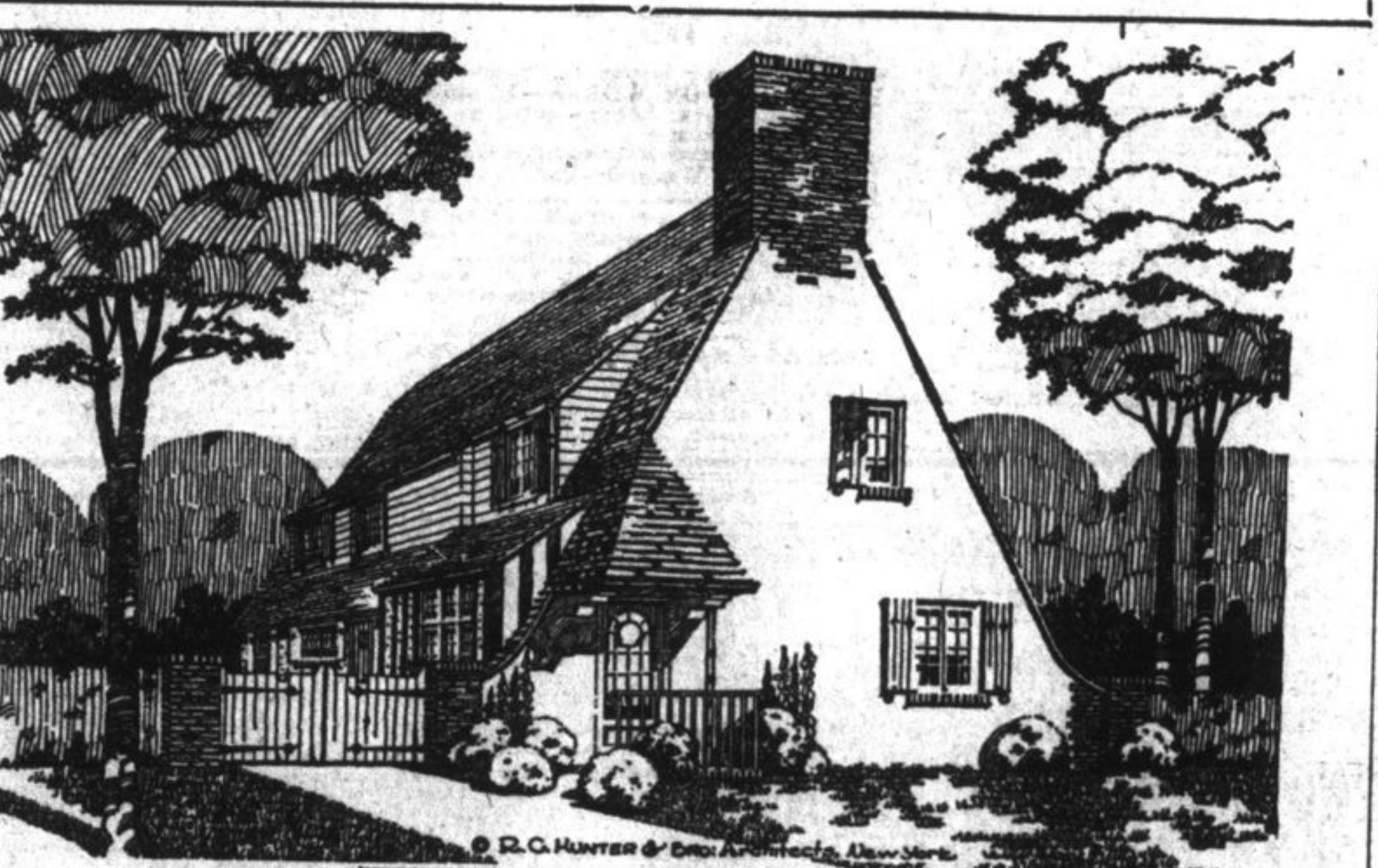
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This little home should make a strong appeal to new homemakers. The average newly married couple starts homemaking in an apartment and some in surprisingly small apartments. The reason for this in most cases, is undoubtedly on account of lack of sufficient capital to build or buy their own home. Then again there are altogether too few small and attractive houses to meet this demand. First of all the house must look the part, it must have something about it which brings it up to par with its larger neighbors.

The house shown here is the type which closely approaches the mark. The plan accommodations are far better than those found in the small apartment, to say nothing of the pride one feels in owning his own home. With a small amount of capital invested the expenses entailed in owning this type of home should compare favorably with apartment rentals.

The plan arrangement is somewhat of a departure from the usual small house layout. A living-room of good dimension serves a three-fold purpose, as a general living-room, dining-room and bedroom, by means of a swinging bed.

The small kitchen and breakfast-room are much in demand; likewise the attached garage. On the second floor are three good bedrooms and a bathroom.

The exterior walls are stuccoed and the roof is of slate. Brick piers support the heavy wooden driveway gates. The roof over the entrance door is interesting.

Cost about \$9,400.

Complete working plans and specifications of this house may be obtained for a nominal sum from the Building Editor. Refer to House A-141.

**So Many People Wear Glasses**

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**Very Sudden Death.**

Many regret the sudden death of Clinton Barry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barry of the Clay Bank section, Lanark county. He was playing about when he complained of a severe headache, Sunday morning he died, inflammation of the brain being the cause.

**Engagement Announced.**

Mrs. F. J. Masson, Smith's Falls, April, announces the engagement of her niece, Mary Hazel Elizabeth Connors, Ottawa, to Albert Methune Ashman, D.D.S., Los Angeles, Cal., the marriage to take place the latter part of April.

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