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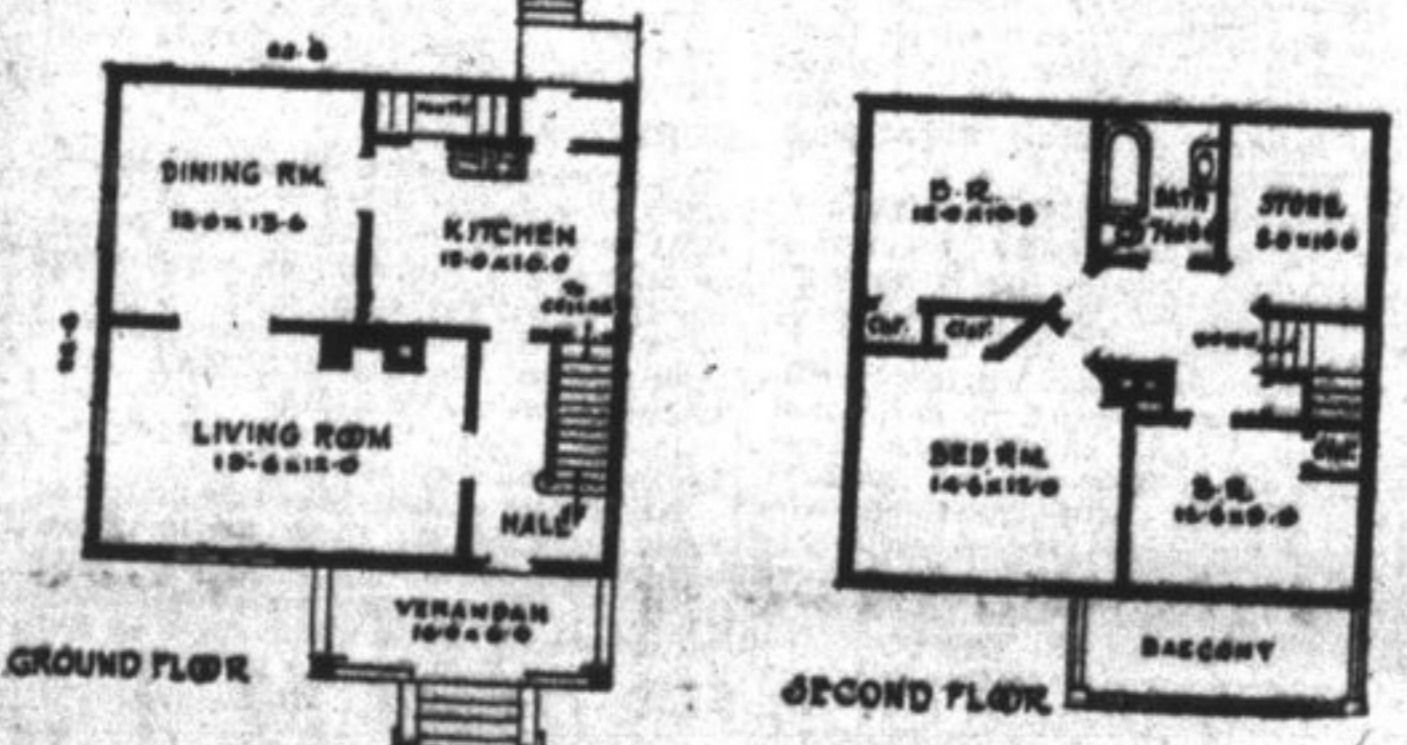


A COSY SQUARE PLAN HOUSE

The Canadian homemaker
 A square compact house, with well proportioned and good sized rooms, no wasted hall space—and a simple, well balanced exterior—a house that was built for four thousand five hundred dollars, is illustrated herewith.
 As the house faces south, the plan admits of a bright, sunny living room, with a large fireplace, and the dining room "en suite." The kitchen, with outside and cellar entrances, is well placed, the various rooms being very simply related and in such a way as to make an easily "run" house.
 On the second floor are three bed rooms with cupboards, each room of a fair size, also a bath room and a store room.

sary accommodation for furnace, coal and general storage.
 This house was especially planned to be erected where the climatic conditions are trying, both as regards low temperature and also the alternate thawing and freezing, which is so destructive to exterior work, particularly roofs, care being taken in this instance to eliminate all unnecessary gables, dormers, etc., so as to give a clear open roof and cornice.
 The interior of the house throughout has been finished in clear spruce, for oil finish, the floors being of hardwood.
 Readers desiring further information regarding the plans and specifications of this house should communicate with the architect direct, address Mr. J. E. Harris, Architect, Charlottetown, P.E.I. Copyright 1924, MacLean Building Reports Limited.

Closing Leaks in Iron Pipes.
 A useful cement for closing leaks in iron pipes can be made as follows: To 5 lbs. of coarsely powdered iron filings add 3 oz. of powdered sal ammoniac and one oz. of sulphur. Mix thoroughly, add sufficient water to make a thick paste and then tamp the cement firmly into the leak. The cement will set harder by leaving out the sulphur but takes a longer time.



The exterior shows a simple and dignified colonial type of a house, the walls being finished with cedar shingles over boarding and insulation. The roof is finished with asphalt slate shingles, of varying tones.
 It will be noticed that one set of flues answers for the furnace, fireplace and kitchen uses, a great saving in cost.
 The basement contains the necessary

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A Deep One, Uncle.
 Emily had been fascinated by Uncle Will's stories. Particularly was she impressed with some exploits of Teddy Roosevelt before he became president of the United States.
 "And do you remember him?" asked the little girl.
 "Yes, indeed," replied her uncle.
 "You see, I'm much older than you."
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Plotting And Planning

(Montreal Witness)
 Mideummer heat and election campaigns are a bad combination. Ridiculous rumors are often the result. One of these rumors, however silly it may seem, is causing definite anxiety in railway circles. The belief is that whichever faction conquers in the Tory party fight, the splendid National Railway organization is to be disrupted in the event of a Conservative victory. If the Patenaude tail can swing the Tory dog the country is to be relieved of the "burden" of the national system, by means of the sale of desirable sections to certain capitalists. In the event of the failure of the latest Patenaude manoeuvre the management of the railway itself is to be turned over to Sir Henry Drayton. The Witness hastens to declare that it cannot imagine any political necessity so desperate as to force any party leader to contemplate such a move. To dream of replacing Sir Henry Thornton, one of the greatest of transportation experts in the world, by any mere politician, however capable, seems ridiculous. Yet the Witness has had this same fear expressed by railwaymen from different parts of the country. Would it be presumption to ask political leaders to remove such fears, by clear cut declarations during the campaign?

AN ADDRESS AND PURSE

Tendered to Father McDonald by Lombardy Parishioners.
 Lombardy, July 23.—Miss E. Jordan, Ogdensburg, N.Y., is spending her holidays with her mother, Mrs. F. Jordan. Quite a number from here attended the re-union in Brockville last week, and all reported as excellent times. Mr. and Mrs. John Cauley and daughter, Miss Josephine Cauley, Carthage, N.Y., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cauley and other

relatives here. Mrs. Monley, Wellington, Kansas, and sister, Miss Annie Dermady, Philadelphia, are visiting their brother, Stephen Dermady, and other friends.

Two pupils from the Public School wrote on the entrance, and one, Reginald Pritchard, was successful in passing. On Sunday, July 18th, the parishioners of the Blessed Sacrament church presented an address and purse of gold to their well-loved pastor, Rev. Joseph H. McDonald, who left during the week for his new parish at Deseronto. The parishioners regretfully bade him farewell as they learned to recognize his merits during almost six years of faithful service here.

VISITING AT WELLINGTON

Old Residents are Renewing Acquaintance of Old Friends.
 Wellington, July 23.—Claude Edwards, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Edwards, motored to Colborne and Warkworth during the week-end. Mrs. Claude Edwards, who had spent a week with her parents at Warkworth, returned with them. A number of friends and neighbors from Colborne called on Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Edwards on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Burley and family, Belleville, visited Benjamin Burley on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sine and daughter, Gladys, Foxboro, spent Sunday with Burley. Mrs. Joseph Collier and two grandchildren, Robbie and Mary Collier, Picton, spent a few days visiting William Donovan and his sister Catharine.

Mrs. Lorne Brickman and her daughter, Andra, and Mrs. Bert Redner, Victoria, motored to Wellington on Tuesday, 27th, and were accompanied by Mrs. Vandervoort and Miss Robinson, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Brickman.

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