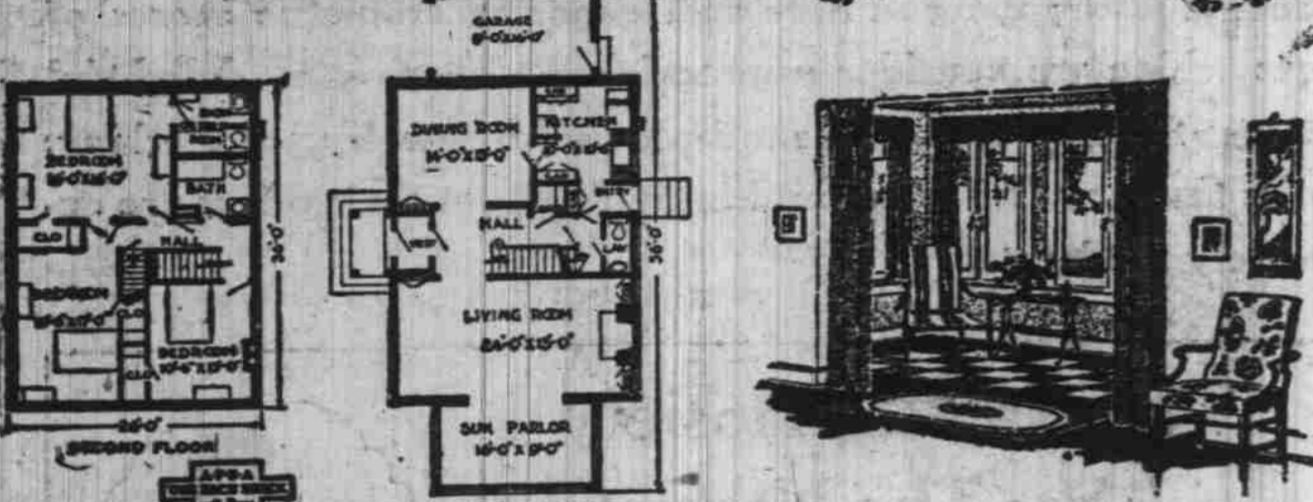


# OWN YOUR HOME

## A Well-Balanced Exterior and Well-Planned Interior



Six-Room House No. 632

THIS house is an excellent combination of the central-hall Colonial floor plan and a dignified and interesting exterior in the style that has come to be known as "Western," because it was developed in the Western states.

The designer has added to the attractiveness of the outside walls by an intelligent use of soldier and rowlock courses of brick and by the paneled effect he has given to the side elevations. Such effects are fortunately becoming more common as architects become better versed in the use of face brick bonds and pattern work.

The special features of the front elevation are the doorway and the two groups of windows. Their charm lies in their simplicity and their fitness. There has been no striving for effect. Every element in the charming facade takes its place naturally and is an integral part of the composition.

But charming as is the exterior, the chief joy of this house will be the convenience and livableness of the interior. Every thought has been given to make it fit the present-day requirements of a prosperous American family.

The central hall is entered through a good

sized vestibule. On the right is had a view of the big living room, beyond which opens the sun parlor, thus producing a splendid effect and affording opportunities for excellent interior arrangements.

To the left, a pair of French doors lead to the almost square dining room. In the kitchen, the sink and stove are placed under windows, a feature appreciated by the housewife. Cabinets in the kitchen and over the refrigerator in the rear entry take the place of a pantry. The convenient lavatory in the rear hall is to be noted.

An open stairway leads to the second floor, with its three large bedrooms and ample closets. The dressing room adjoining one of the bedrooms could be made into a private bath.

To get four bedrooms, the bath may be placed over the vestibule, with two bedrooms on each side of the stairs.

The attic also provides space that could be utilized for bedrooms, playroom for the children or for a billiard room. The basement contains furnace room, coal room, laundry and vegetable cellar.

The ceiling heights are 8 feet 6 inches. The content of house is 30,500; of garage, 2,100 cubic feet.

Designed for American Face Brick Association

## NEW PARK HOUSE ALMOST FINISHED

Community Structure at Auto Camp Grounds is Finest in Northwest

What may be considered one of the finest community houses in the Northwest is being erected in the Salem auto park here by George Thompson, contractor. Within a few days the work will be completed and turned over to the management.

The building is 36 feet long and 24 feet wide and is to be used as a gathering place for the tourists. Speakers are to be furnished from the Salem Chamber of Commerce to describe the merits of the Willamette valley and Salem to the visitors here.

It is located at the entrance of the park, across the road from the superintendent's office. A long, low porch faces the camp ground.

The interior will be finished within a few days, and ready for the decorators. The fireplace has been finished, and is located in the center of the east side of the building. It is finished in a gray stone and is attractive.

The electrical work has been completed, and despite the withdrawal of the workers, the building will be finished by the specified time.

## Unusual Residence Built for Stanley

A residence of unusual and pleasing design is the home of H. I. Standley, of 1725 State, which combines many pleasing exterior and interior features. It is of tile and stucco design, erected by Adam Engle, contractor.

"I worked in many ideas of my own of what a home should have in its construction," is the comment of Mr. Standley. "I secured the lot from Mr. Beckley a year before I built, and studied the problem thoroughly."

"The stucco finish is one of the most satisfactory processes in house building. While my neigh-

bors are spending money on paint I am devoting my time to caring of the lawn. The stucco finish is permanent and does not require care as does a wooden structure. "The dwelling has been up long enough to show what the stucco will stand up under and I am very much pleased."

## Arbuckle Home Is Nearly Finished

The fine home under construction by George Arbuckle at E and Capitol street is a modified Colonial design, which carries out some feature in dwelling construction, according to the statement made yesterday. The two story building, with the hallways and the plan of the Colonial type make it different, somewhat from the strictly designed Colonial type of home.

The construction is being carried on by Carl Bahlberg, contractor, under the plans drawn up by Clarence Smith, local architect. Mr. Arbuckle's residence is one of a number of dwellings of similar design under construction at present.

The lot was secured from Carl Nelson, local business man.

## Doctor Established in New Home on Oak Street

Dr. and Mrs. Vehrs have moved to their new home at 459 Oak street, which is west of the Dan Fry residence. Their new home is superbly located to secure a commanding view of the city, with its wide lawn, and location close to an attractive park. The location is just a few seconds from the downtown district by motor, and is served by paved streets from two entrances.

## May Permits for Buildings Given

Fourteen building permits have been issued so far this month for new dwellings and garages. There were none of any large value, the largest being \$3500. The 14 permits aggregated \$21,650.

Motor vehicles paid \$461,400,000 in special motor vehicle taxes last year and a grand total, including personal property taxes of \$551,400,000.

## FURNITURE FIRM GETS NEW HOME

Nash-Smith Company to be Located at 219 North Commercial Soon

The Nash-Smith Furniture company are to move in the quarters formerly occupied by the Pettyjohn Automobile company at 219 North Commercial street. Remodeling operations are going on at present, which will prepare the quarters for the new business.

George Nash, formerly with Giese-Powers Furniture company of this city, and Perry Smith, of Newberg, are to install an up-to-date furniture store, which is designed to meet the needs of the moderate priced home. A high class quality of goods have been secured, and some of the best lines on the markets are to be at the buyer's command.

An opening date is to be announced for some time during this month, probably May 15. Announcements will be made later. J. Carl and William Starkey are the contractors remodeling the store-quarters.

## SOME COLLECTOR

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tor. How about that account you owe me?" Creditor: "That's very true, Doctor. Haven't I been patient."— told my secretary that you were a Lewis Preston.



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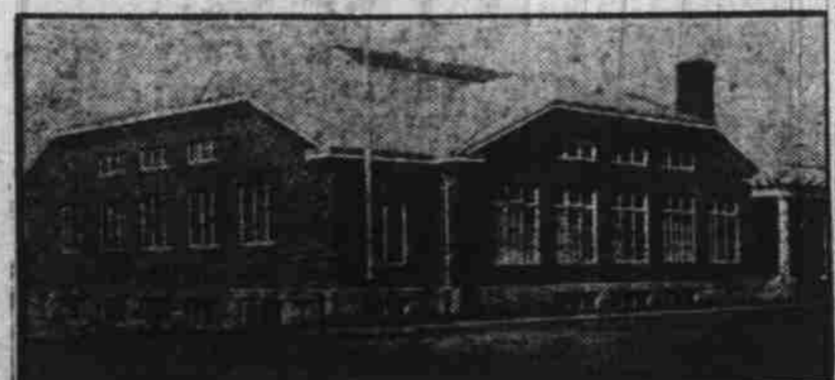
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Portion of American Legion Building, Vancouver, Wash. Dennis Nichols, Architect. Peter Johnson, Contractor.

## Artists of Malmesburg Page the King's Barber

MALMESBURG, Wiltshire, Eng.

The authorities of this city have set themselves the task of ascertaining the color and the cut of the whiskers worn by Old King Athelstan, who died in 925. They have looked through ancient books, studied statues and pored over archives, but up to the present time with no success. They are not discouraged however, and the search is still going on.

A fund has been subscribed for the erection of a stained glass portrait to King Athelstan in the local town hall. It seems Athelstan drove out the Danes 1,000 years ago and the people of Malmesburg want to commemorate his act. Hence they want to know what he looked like in order that his portrait may do him honor.

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## CAMPAIGN OPENS FOR BETTER HOME

Educational Side Is Stressed By Noted American Writers and Others

National attention is being paid the home, as indicated by the current issue of the "Child Welfare" magazine, which has come from the press. The entire May issue is devoted to the topic of the home in connection with the educational campaign of Better Homes in America, detailed considerations of the problems of home life are included in the issue.

Beginning today Better Homes Week will be observed in this city by various organizations. Leading merchants of the city are to decorate their store windows to carry out the idea of better homes and a special invitation is extended to the public to inspect a model dwelling here.

Many prominent people have contributed articles concerning the merits of the home to the magazine. Among the writers contributing are Herbert Hoover, Dr. Louis Stanley, Dr. John M. Greis, chief of the division of building and housing; Miss Grace Abbott, chief of the Children's Bureau of the department of labor; Mrs. Ella Lyman Cabot, author of everyday ethics, Joseph Lee and other writers.

## Japan Enacts Drastic Anti-Bolshevist Law

TOKIO—The new law for the "maintenance of public order and peace," popularly known as the anti-Bolshevist act, probably is the most drastic legislation of the kind in existence in times of peace. It was fought by the radical elements from the time of its inception. Tremendous mass meet-

ings were held by the laborites under heavy police guard and clashes between them were frequent, while the debate in the diet was turbulent to the point of disorderliness.

The law is admittedly a direct result of the recent Russo-Japanese agreement, and the government openly has declared it necessary to combat Red propaganda. It is felt that existing economic conditions in Japan make the country a ripe field for Communist efforts at this time.

The state provides a maximum imprisonment of ten years for anyone who forms or joins a group with the object of altering the national constitution or the overthrow of private property rights; seven years for conviction of discussing matters of the same character; the same term for conviction of instigating another to perform such acts; and the contribution or receipt of money for these purposes is punishable by five years imprisonment.

In explaining the act the minister for home affairs declared that Communist movements have gained in influence in Japan; that they are financed by Communists abroad and become more systematic every year.