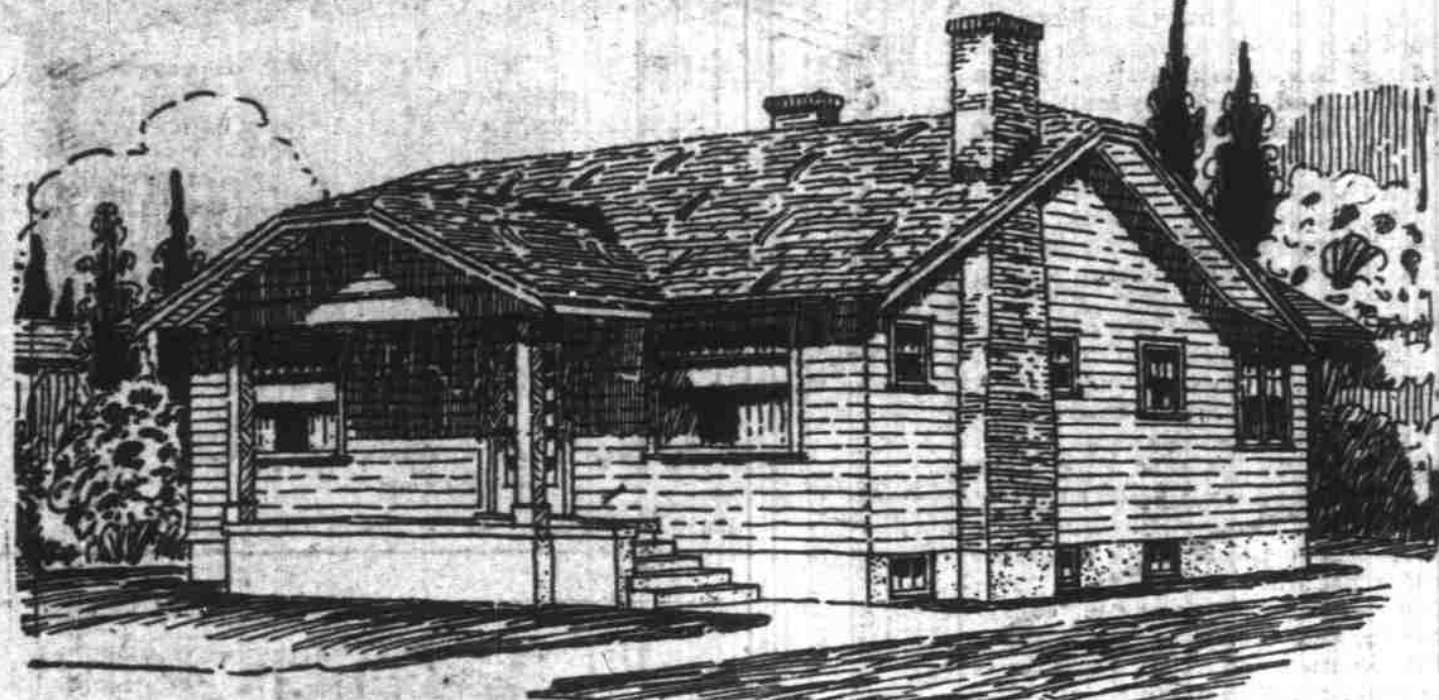


# Last Year's Average of One New Home a Day to be Surpassed in 1926

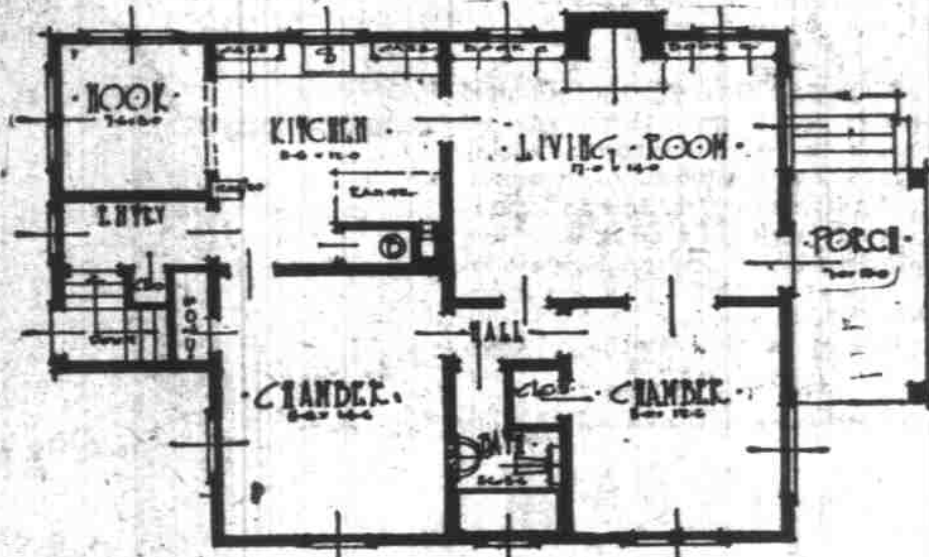
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Two large well lighted bed chambers are the outstanding features of this plan for a four room house. Each bedroom is well lighted with windows on two sides, assuring cross ventilation. Clothes closets are of ample size and the rooms are connected with other parts of the house by a small central hallway.

The living room is well proportioned and may be arranged by careful furnishing, to afford a high degree of comfort. The fireplace is the central point of interest in the room.

A breakfast nook with windows on two sides offers plenty of space for six people. The kitchen is well equipped and the rear entry has space for ice box and broom closet.



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### SWIMMING TANK TILE TO BE LAID

Plasterers Complete Labors on Salem's Y. M. C. A. Building Interior

Practically the only work now remaining in the new YMCA building, located on Court street between Cottage and Church streets, is the setting of the tile in the swimming tank.

Plasterers are now completely through with the building. Last week stucco was applied to the upper walls and ceiling of the swimming tank room, while the lower five foot portion of the walls was finished with Medusa white waterproof cement.

Practically all of the woodwork in the basement has been completed. Doors have been installed and the baseboard placed.

Screens have been placed in front of the fire places in the two lobbies. Each fire place is furnished with andirons.

Work of setting the rubber tiling on the floor of the men's lobby has been completed. It is expected that the linoleum will be laid early this week over the floor of the boys' lobby.

Officials will move into the new building Monday. Saturday the office furnishings were being moved, and will be completely arranged in the new quarters Monday.

Inside activities for members have been suspended until the formal dedication of the building, which will not be held until the

last piece of furniture is in its place. The outside activities, such as baseball, will be held regularly, however.

### HUMAN TRAGEDY SEEN IN EASTERN CRIMINALS

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ranging from attempted robbery to murder. A stepson of their sister is also an inmate of the same prison.

The fourth brother, George Underhill, 22 years old, was dressed in recently at the prison to serve five years for burglary and larceny from Newton county after his brother, Earl, had testified against him.

Charles E. Underhill, now 32, has been in prison since Nov. 17, 1913, serving a life sentence for murder.

Wilbur Underhill, 25, is serving his second term. His first term was two years from Newton county for attempted robbery. He was released in December, 1921, but was returned Feb. 2, 1923, to serve five years for first degree robbery.

The oldest brother, Earl, 36, was received here last December to serve two years for burglary and larceny from Newton county. He was given credit for his jail time in Neosho, which will make his sentence start June 2, 1925.

Earl, who incurred the enmity of his family and brothers because he testified against George, was taken from prison to Neosho recently for the trial.

Earl said he left home when he was 15 years old and spent most of his time in the west as a carpenter. He returned to Missouri at intervals on visits to his family and his wife's family.

He said he arrived in Joplin

### SHIPLEY ADDITION FORMS REMOVED

Plasterers Already at Work on Inside Walls, Will Finish in Week

Forms have been removed entirely from the concrete walls of the two story addition to the U. G. Shipley mercantile establishment. The first floor will be used by Shipley, and the Chamber of Commerce will use the second floor as a banquet hall.

Plasterers have already started work on the inside walls, and the first coat of plaster has been applied. Another week is expected to see the completion of the plastering.

May 22, 1925, for a visit with his mother. The following day his youngest brother, George, asked him to use his automobile in hauling some stolen tires from a garage in Neosho. Earl, who said he had never been in trouble before, realized that he did wrong in using his automobile to haul the stolen property.

In the party stealing the tires was Morris Baine, 22, stepson of a sister of the Underhill brothers.

After remaining in jail five months Earl told the officers the complete story of the robbery and pleaded guilty to the burglary and larceny charge. His testimony later resulted in George getting a five-year-sentence and Baine seven years.

The father of the boys was a farmer and carpenter in Newton county. There were four boys and three girls in the family. The father died several years ago.

### CLEANING COMPANY HOME READY SOON

Two Story Structure to house Latest System of Garment Cleaning

The new home of the City Cleaning company, located on State street between 12th and 13th streets, will be ready for occupancy by June 1, according to Mr. Kennedy, head of the company.

The structure is two stories high. Its walls are of concrete, and it has a glass roofing. There are two store rooms on the first floor and six apartments on the second floor.

To the rear of the building, 27 feet from it, is an all concrete annex, which will house the cleaning, dyeing and boiler rooms.

A. L. Frazier and son will occupy the west store, using it as a demonstration room for the solvents which they are selling agents in this territory. They will also carry a complete line of refrigerators.

The six apartments are modern. In each apartment a private bath and toilet, ice box, electric range, heat, lights, and hot and cold water are furnished. There are three rooms in each living room, bed room and kitchen. They will

In the east front of the building will be located the office of the cleaning company. This will be finished in apple green and gray, and the floor will be covered with marble-checked linoleum.

Delivery cars will all call at the rear, so that the front room will be devoted entirely to the use of customers.

Directly to the rear of the office will be a large airy cleaning and pressing room. Along the east wall will be the steam press and repair tables.

To the left of the cleaning and pressing room is what is said to be the only modern carpet cleaning department in the city. At one end is a concrete floor on which the carpets are to be scrubbed, with the aid of electric rotary scrubbers. In the center is a shaft in which the carpets are to be hung to dry. At the other end of the room the carpets will be laid out for sizing.

The latest cleaning system, obtainable—the Glover continuous flow system—will be installed, and the machinery is now on the way from Kansas City.

### "OLD SOL" MIXES UP WITH LYNX IN STORY

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pose there never had been a lynx within 500 miles of that spot, but you could not have made "Old Sol" believe that just then.

The only thing he had to defend himself with was a heavy walking stick, one that he commonly carried around with him every day. It was heavy and strong and suitable for killing a snake or knocking over a skunk or weasel and many a muskrat had fallen prey to that efficient club.

But a lynx was different. "Old Sol" did not know how much of a blow it would take to kill a lynx, nor how the wild creature could spring out of the way of a club that might be hurled at it. He was sure he could see the animal move.

It turned its head a bit, and seemed to shift as if to get ready to spring at him.

So he concluded that the safest place for him was the fence. At least if the lynx came at him he could jump down on the other side and have a better chance to bring his walking stick into action if there should be a bit of delay.

So "Old Sol" quietly edged his way to the fence a few rods from the lynx. He climbed up on it as quickly as possible. The lynx stood his ground. "Old Sol" expected it would get frightened and run away, but it did not.

He sat there for some time watching. He made up his mind it was the lynx's next move, but the wild beast did not seem to think so. It just stood there looking at him.

Once in a while he was sure it moved a bit, but it would not go away. So he hurled his club with all his might. He hit it with an awful blow.

He expected to hear a terrible howl and see the wild thing make off, but a strange thing happened. It disappeared, silently and instantly. Where it could have gone he could not tell. But it was gone, of that he was sure. So after waiting a little, and with his heart in his mouth, as we sometimes say, he went over very cautiously.

When he got there he had to laugh. It was an old thistle stock. It had been covered with snow, and his club knocked the snow off and there it stood, innocent enough, his club lying a few feet away.

Whenever we wanted to have a laugh on "Old Sol" we had but to mention his lynx.

### CHARLES ALEXANDER WRITES COLLIE YARN

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that Bobbie did not travel by (see page 1.) \* \* \* Shortly before Thanksgiving day he came to the city of Des Moines. And again on the long trek south and west to Des Moines he had run with head down, dispirited, tantalized by something glamoring, glimmering, deep in the vastnesses of dog lore bequeathed to him by the sturdy shepherd dogs of old.

Still he could not understand the glamor of it, catch the vision and know it for what it was, and the only relief he had from his inner voice was in running west.

The map of his route from Wolcott, Indiana, to Silverton, Oregon, traced by letters from people who recognized him in cities along the trail he made, have been carefully verified, as well as many of his adventures on his wanderings.

The obstacles he overcame by sheer endurance and dog sense, how he outwitted dog-catchers in cities, dodged bridge-tenders, contended with snow-storms, blizzards, packs of wolves, and lived in the open, catching his own meat in crossing the desert states, like parts of Nebraska, Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho and eastern Oregon, make the story a continual marvel of heroism and triumph, and one of the most inspiring animal stories ever written.

Mr. Alexander has been placed on the program of the national convention of the American Humane society, which meets at Portland, Oregon, in August, to tell the story of Bobbie.

This book will be read wherever the English language is current speech, and will become as widely known as a humane record of canine performance, as the famous story of "Black Beauty" is in the literature of the horse, no one can doubt.

### FIVE HERO MEDALS MARK ACTS OF DEED

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saving a boy from drowning at Millford Station, June 9, 1922.

Jacob A. Kyser, Rural Route 2, Canastota, N. Y., saved a man from drowning at Sylvan Beach, N. Y., December 5, 1922.

John J. Fogelman, 313 East 86th street, Brooklyn, N. Y., saved a girl, a woman and a man from drowning at Gloversville, N. Y., July 19, 1923.

Leslie Wiltshire, Hortonville, Nova Scotia, Canada, saved a boy from drowning at Avonport, N. S., July 19, 1924.

Calvin S. Oorth, 525 Ontario

### FOUNDATION WORK ON THEATRE PUSHED

Double Crew Rushing Construction of Newest Bligh Building

Foundation work for the Frank Bligh \$250,000 theater, store and office building on the southeast corner of High and State streets has been started. A double crew is at work to hurry the construction along as swiftly as possible and still keep the work up to highest quality.

Work has also begun on the Frank Bligh auto service building on the southeast corner of High and Ferry streets. Cuyler Van Patton is the contractor for the latter.

The service building will be complete, with gas pumps, battery department, mechanical department, tire department, washing and greasing racks.

avenue, Reno, Pa., saved a boy from drowning at South Reno, Pa., December 2, 1924.

Henry Niedenfuehr, 318-A West Maine street, Belleville, Ill., saved a woman from drowning at New Athens, Ill., July 4, 1923.

John T. Turlington, 2308 Harwood avenue, Rural Route 7, Richmond, Va., saved a child from being killed by an electric car at Phoebus, Va., July 28, 1921.

Edward V. Coleman, 335 Ash-ton street, Hazelwood, Pittsburgh, saved two children from being killed by a train at Etna, Pa., March 6, 1925.

Samuel M. Fowler, Westcliffe, Colorado, helped to save a mine worker from suffocating at Bonanza, Colo., Aug. 14, 1923.

William W. Smith, Rural Route 1, Levy, Arkansas, helped in the rescue at Bonanza, Colo., with Fowler.

William A. Davidson, Orient Mine, Mineral Hot Springs, Colorado, took part in the rescue at Bonanza with Fowler and Smith.

Thomas C. Ritson, Jr., Edna Mine No. 1, Adamsburg, Pa., 14, school boy, saved two girls from drowning at Adamsburg, July 13, 1925.



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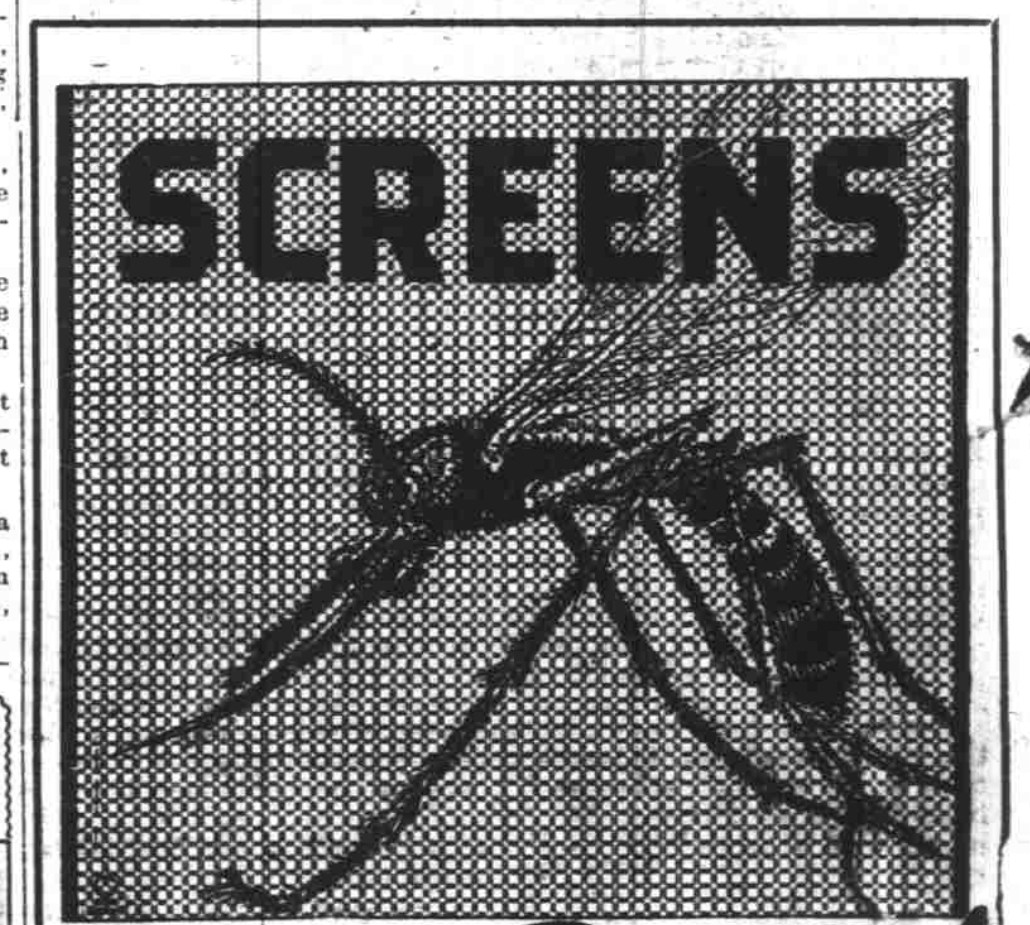
Isabel Sponge Cake—Beat separately the whites and yolks of six eggs, add to the stiffly beaten whites a boiling hot syrup cooked to the hairy stage, made of one cup sugar and one-half cup water. Add yolks, one cup sifted flour (no leavening agent), flavor delicately with extracts of almond, lemon and vanilla. Bake 40 minutes in moderate oven. Invert pan until cold.



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### Busy Readers' Newspaper

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Water, Light & Power company's lines, ordered by the public service commission following engineers' reports that acids and refuse from the Oregon Pulp & Paper company's plant may have been contaminating the river. Members of the state board of health and the state fish commission have been invited to participate in the hearing to be held in Salem on May 10.

All previous home building records in Salem for the month of April have been shattered by the record made during the past month. Permits were taken out for 54 homes, representing a total investment of \$178,225.

Friday, April 30

Cornerstone of the Young Men's Christian Association building was laid, Supreme Court Justice O. P. Coshaw presiding over the Masonic service.

Willamette students opened their May Day festival with all men enrolled, policing the campus early in the morning to prepare for the celebration.

Kimball School of Theology will remain in Salem, it was learned from an authoritative source. The contemplated move to Seattle, which had virtually been decided upon, has fallen through because the University church of that city will not be able to build the annex in which it promised to house Kimball. Dr. E. C. Hickman, president of Kimball, it is understood, may submit his resignation to the Kimball board of trustees when they meet in Portland Tuesday afternoon.

Two planes will be assigned to Salem in connection with the forest fire patrol for which a landing field will be created here, according to statements made by F. A. Elliott, state forester, in verifying reports originating from Portland. Location of the field will await arrival here of Lieutenant Lloyd Barnett, in charge of fire patrol in Northwest states. He is expected to arrive about June 1.

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