

Doings at Our State Capital

Madison—But 25 per cent of the bills introduced at this session of the legislature have been enacted into law.

News of Badger State

Lodi—The Lodi post of the American Legion is planning a big homecoming here, the first since 1915, in conjunction with the 1927 fair.

LEANEST CORN CROP SINCE '03 FORECAST

Department of Agriculture Predicts 2,274,000,000 Bushels for 1927.

Washington.—The 1927 corn crop will be the leanest since 1903, according to the July crop report issued by the Department of Agriculture.

BASEBALL CZAR QUILTS



Ban Johnson.

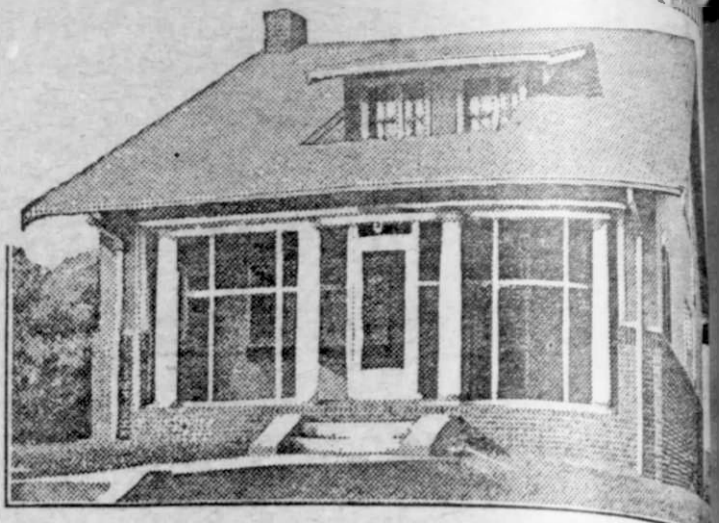
New York.—Ban Johnson tendered his resignation as president of the American league at a recent meeting of club owners here.

U. S. REJECTS LATEST BRIT. CRUISER PLAN

England Proposes Ten 10,000-Ton Ships, Rest Small; Cannot Agree.

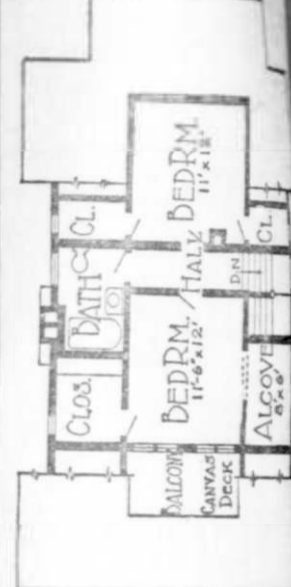
Washington.—The newest British proposals on cruiser tonnage, submitted at the Geneva armaments conference and intended as a compromise, will not be acceptable to the United States.

Charming Brick and Stucco Home Just the Thing for Small Families



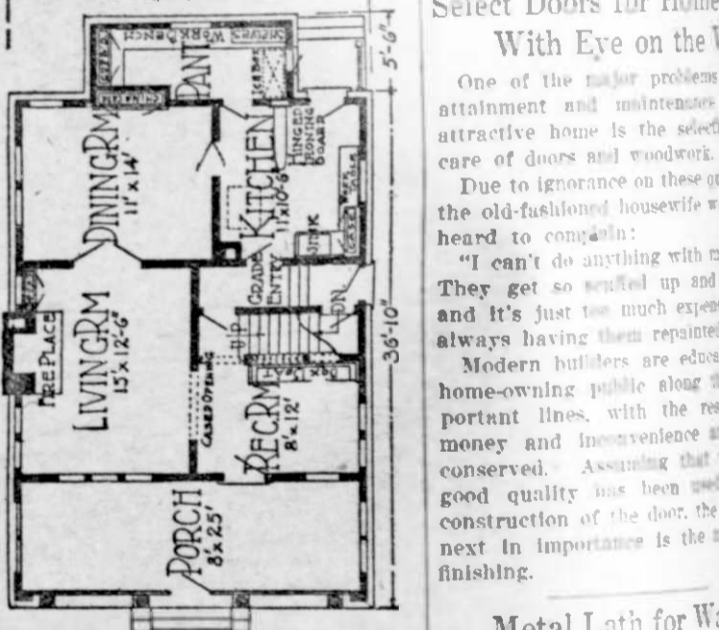
By WILLIAM A. RADFORD Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to practical home building.

According to all indications, the big demand by home builders for several years to come will be for small homes. Thousands of families, in an effort to get away from the exorbitant rents of the apartments in the cities, will build homes of their own.



Second Floor Plan.

This house is brick and stucco in construction, with a gable roof covered with prepared roofing shingles. The brick extends up about half way above the first floor.



First Floor Plan.

This room is the most important room in the house and consequently the most comfortable and attractive. French doors lead the way into the dining room, a room not quite so large, but perhaps more cheerful and brighter.

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Any city, town or village of Wisconsin may, with the approval of its voters, levy a tax not to exceed one mill on all taxable property within its limits for support of a municipal band.

Assemblyman Barney Spott, Milwaukee, is preparing a measure to regulate the sale of fireworks.

Madison—Officers arresting traffic violators on state highways need not necessarily have witnessed the violation, the attorney general held in an opinion made public.

Madison—Land values declined less in Wisconsin during the last year than in surrounding states, according to the United States department of agriculture.

Wisconsin State News St. Croix Falls—Six carloads of government explosives have been shipped into Polk county this spring.

Marshfield—Forty head of pure bred and high grade Holstein cattle have been shipped out of Marshfield to dairymen in Mexico.

Milwaukee—Special railroad fare rates of 1 cent per mile will be available for visitors to the Wisconsin State fair, Aug. 29 to Sept. 3.

Madison—Wisconsin's State Historical society needs the history of one man to make its museum of "border days" complete.

Madison—Gov. Zimmerman and Adj. Gen. Ralph Imnell have signed the commission of the Wisconsin National guard making Lester J. Maitland, Wisconsin resident, a colonel in that organization.

Madison—Gov. Zimmerman was inducted into the Sioux Indian tribe of Pine Ridge, S. D., and christened "Chief Swift Bird" by Chief Return, head of a band of Indians with a circus here.

Madison—All records for summer school enrollments at the University of Wisconsin have been broken this year with the registration of 5,152 students.

Madison—The state convention of the Wisconsin Library association will be held at Green Bay, Oct. 4, 5 and 6.

Phillips—The annual reunion of the 110th Machine Gun Battalion will be held in Eau Claire, Sept. 3 and 4.

Boscobel—Senator John J. Blaine has become a member of the local rifle club, a newly organized branch of the National Rifle association.

Milwaukee—Lieut. Lester J. Maitland, California to Hawaii flier, will be given permission by the army to stop over in his home town, Milwaukee, on his way to Washington.

Ripon—Three English debaters from Cambridge university will meet a Ripon college team here in next season's forensic program.

Park Falls—Three sets of twins were born here within one week recently. Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Nusbaum and Mr. and Mrs. W. Redlinger announced the birth of twin daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Larson, twin sons.

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Cloudburst in Germany Wipes Out Several Towns Dresden, Germany.—Hundreds are believed dead and property damage is estimated at many millions of marks as the result of severe floods in widespread areas of Saxony.

Many Reported Killed in Palestine Quake Jerusalem.—Twenty-eight persons were killed and approximately 250 injured by an earthquake in Palestine.

Boardwalk at Atlantic City Is Swept by Fire Atlantic City, N. J.—Nearly a block of the boardwalk, between Missouri and Arkansas avenues, was razed in one of the most disastrous fires in years.

Three Fall 1,000 Feet to Death From Plane Winnipeg, Man.—Three photographers fell out of an airplane 1,000 feet above Lake Manitoba and were killed.

Germany Swindled Berlin.—Forgeries of government customs and excise stamps have devalued the German government of more than \$10,000,000, officials have discovered by investigations.

Sue Chicago for \$100,000 Chicago.—Clifford J. Bates, attorney, has filed suit for \$100,000 against the city of Chicago, alleging that on May 30 policemen forced him to submit to an examination at the psychopathic hospital without a court order.

Railmen Reject Healy as Head Cleveland, Ohio.—John F. McNamara of Boston defeated Timothy Healy for the presidency of the Brotherhood of Stationary Firemen, Oilers and Railway Shop Laborers.

\$2,000,000 Penn. Bank Closes Fayette City, Pa.—National bank examiners took charge of the affairs of the Fayette City National bank, an institution capitalized at \$2,000,000.

Asks \$150,000 to Greet Legion Paris.—The chamber of deputies has been asked to ratify a ministerial appropriation of approximately \$150,000 to be used for receiving and entertaining members of the American Legion.

Count Tours Europe by Air Paris.—An aerial tour of Europe in 19 jumps has been made by the Count Henri de La Vaulx.

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