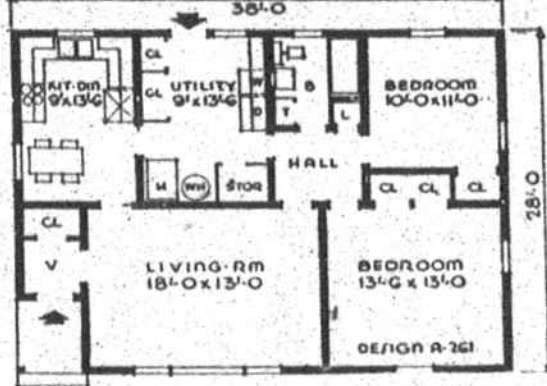


### Herald "House of the Week"



A SMALL HOUSE PLANNING BUREAU DESIGN NO. A-261



DESIGN A-261. Heating and laundry facilities are located in the utility room which is placed between the bathroom and kitchen for economy in piping. There is no basement and an insulated floor slab is laid on a bed of gravel or cinders.

Storage space is provided by wardrobe type clothes closets, a large vestibule closet, linen closet in the hall, cabinet in the bathroom, coat and storage closets and a large supply cabinet in the utility room.

For further information about DESIGN A-261 write the Small House Planning Bureau, St. Cloud, Minn.

### High-Strength Cotton Fibers Being Grown

NEW YORK — A number of new high-strength cottons is being developed by breeders for commercial use.

One of these, Hopi Acala 50, is the first that has been produced in sufficient quantity to undergo wide mill tests, the magazine says.

Results of recent tests, made in 18 mills and pilot plants, show that this cotton makes less waste in processing; produces fewer neps (uneven spots), and makes stronger yarns and fabrics.

Its outstanding characteristic is fiber strength. Where commercial cottons usually range from less than 80,000 to 90,000 pounds per square inch in fiber strength, Hopi Acala ranges from 90,000 to 100,000 pounds, the magazine reports.

Hopi Acala 50 does not yield well enough to make it an economical cotton and it has other limitations, but it might be used for a number of purposes: to increase strength of fabrics ranging from belting to ducks and satens; for lustrous high-strength sewing thread; for reducing the bulk-to-strength factor in certain fabrics; for high strength knitting yarns; and for blending with other cottons, asbestos, and synthetics to increase strength, the magazine points out.

### N. C. Families Life Insurance Coverage Higher

North Carolina families owned 5,545,000 life insurance policies, providing \$4,948,000,000 of protection at the start of this year, a new high record, the Institute of Life Insurance reports.

This compares with \$4,541,000,000 owned in this state a year before and \$3,188,000,000 five years earlier. "The past five years have seen a tremendous expansion of life insurance ownership, as more and more American families have set up planned programs of financial security, and also have endeavored to bring their insurance in line with the higher level of living costs," Holgar J. Johnson, Institute president, commented.

Of the total life insurance owned January 1 in North Carolina, \$2,838,000,000 was in 1,334,000 ordinary life insurance policies, the type bought in individual units of \$1,000 or more. Purchases of new insurance of this type in this state amounted to \$415,111,000 in 1952.

An additional \$1,043,000,000 of life insurance protection was owned at the start of the year in this state in 3,525,000 industrial policies, the type generally bought at the door in small units. Another \$1,067,000,000 was in group life insurance under 686,000 individual certificates.

For the nation as a whole, life insurance ownership was at a record \$276,591,000,000 on January 1, under an aggregate of 218,685,000 policies, an average of more than four policies per family. The aggregate owned was \$23,491,000,000, more than a year before and a gain of \$90,368,000,000 in the past five years. This brings per family ownership for the

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Grid for the 'ORIENT' fortune teller puzzle with letters arranged in a grid.



WHAT PRICE ACCIDENTS? HOW ARE THEY CAUSED? — Accidents cannot be eliminated entirely, but they can be reduced. They have been reduced in industry and they can be reduced in the home.

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from high places — from porches and windows, from chairs and other substitutes for ladders. Falls also occur on smooth, slippery surfaces — in bath tubs and showers on wet or icy walks, on highly polished floors, on wet or greasy linoleum. They result from tripping over objects — tools and toys on the floor, skates on the front porch, and so forth.

Stairways, steps, and doorways are kept clear at all times, adequately lighted, in good repair. Ashes, sand or salt should be scattered on icy walks; wet leaves should be promptly removed from porches and sidewalks; rubber bath mats should be used in shower baths and bathtubs and the latter provided with hand

grips; rug anchors should be placed under small rugs which should not be used in hazardous places such as at the tops and bottoms of stairs.

Closets, drawers, or shelves should be provided for the utensils and toys in frequent use by all members of the family, and each individual trained to place articles in their designated place. Each home should have a step ladder, strong for safety and small enough to be easily moved.

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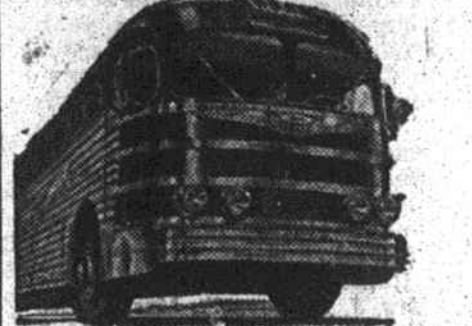
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Cash Receipts table with columns for Collections, Sales, Utility Receipts, and Others, listing various items and amounts.

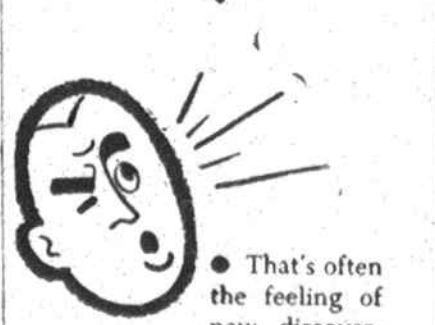
Cash Disbursements table with columns for Administrative Department, Cemetery Department, Police Department, and Current Accounts, listing various items and amounts.

Bank Reconciliation table showing Bank Balance Statement, Checks Outstanding, and Balance as of May 31, 1953.

Summary table for CASH RECEIPTS, CASH DISBURSEMENTS, and BANK RECONCILIATION.

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