FRAMING THE BARN TRUSS

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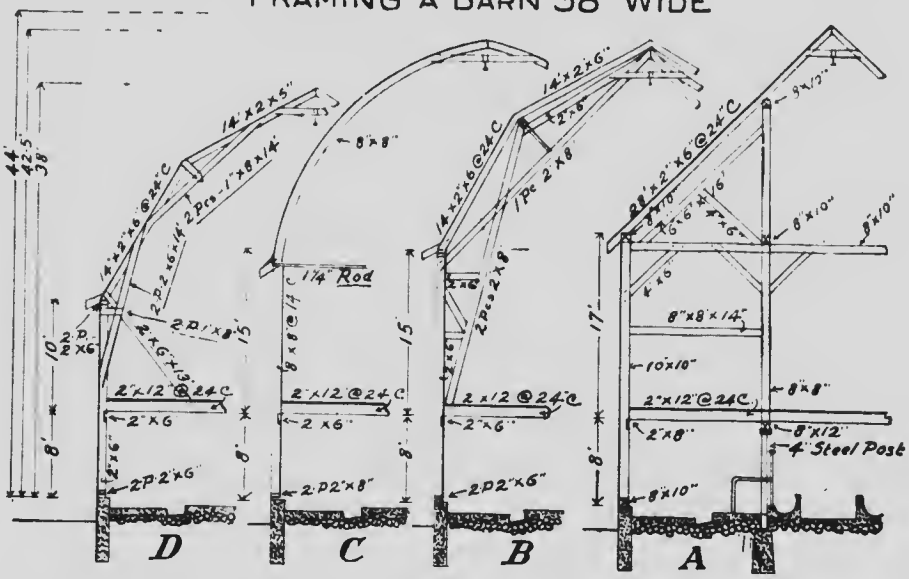
Many different types of barn frame are advocated in different districts and by different constructors. In this circular is given an illustration and brief description and specification of some of the commoner types, with some notes as to their utility. In the older sections of Canada it is usually the practice to have the foundation of the barn of stone or concrete up to the full height of the stable, and on which the sills,

FRAMING A BARN 38' WIDE



joists and the end of the posts rest. However, it may very often be found more economical and convenient to have the foundation projecting only 2 feet above the ground level and the walls of wood from this point to the joists and from joists to plate. Since this is optional, the specifications do not include the walls from the ground level to the ceiling of the stable. Since the joists, the beams supporting the

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