

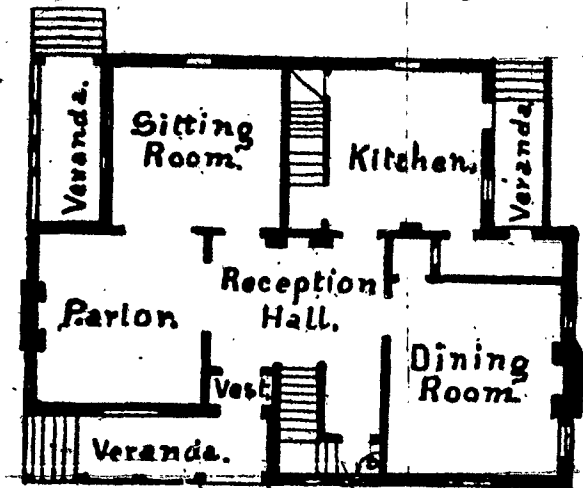
AN \$8,000 HOUSE.

Plan and View of a Handsome Two Story Brick House.



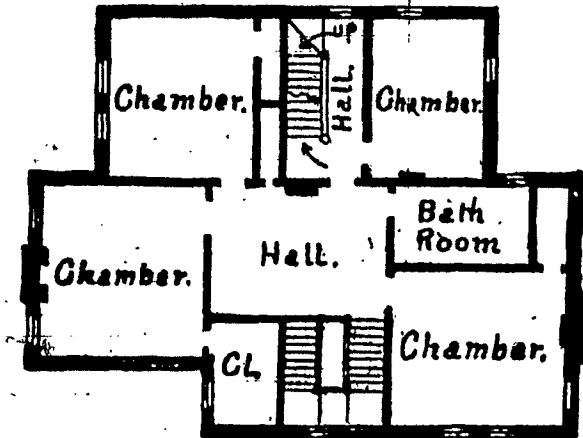
VIEW.

Brick or stone foundation, cut stone trimmings, slate roof; principal apartments finished with hard wood, oil finish, inside blinds, etc.



GROUND FLOOR.

(with fireplace), 11.6x14; parlor (with fireplace), 14x15; sitting room, 14x14.6; dining room (with fireplace), 15x16.6; kitchen, 13x14; pantry, 4x12; china closet, 4x4; front and back stairs. Toilet room under front stairs.



SECOND STORY.

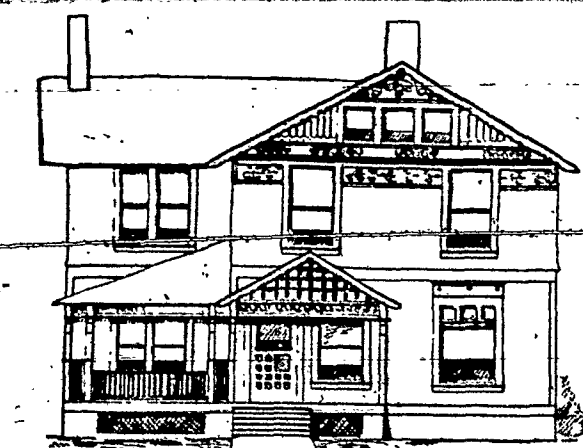
(with fireplace), 14x15; chamber, 14x14; chamber, 10x13; chamber, 13x15; closet off each chamber; bathroom, 7x11.6. Estimated cost of building, \$8,000.

A SOUTHERN HOUSE.

Design and Plans of a Home for Winter Use in Florida.

While this plan was designed for a winter home in Florida, it is in mind that conditions might exist that it would be occupied during warm weather.

The conditions of comfort and convenience apply alike under any circumstances, and a house that will be comfortable in the south during warm weather will also be comfortable in the north under the same conditions.

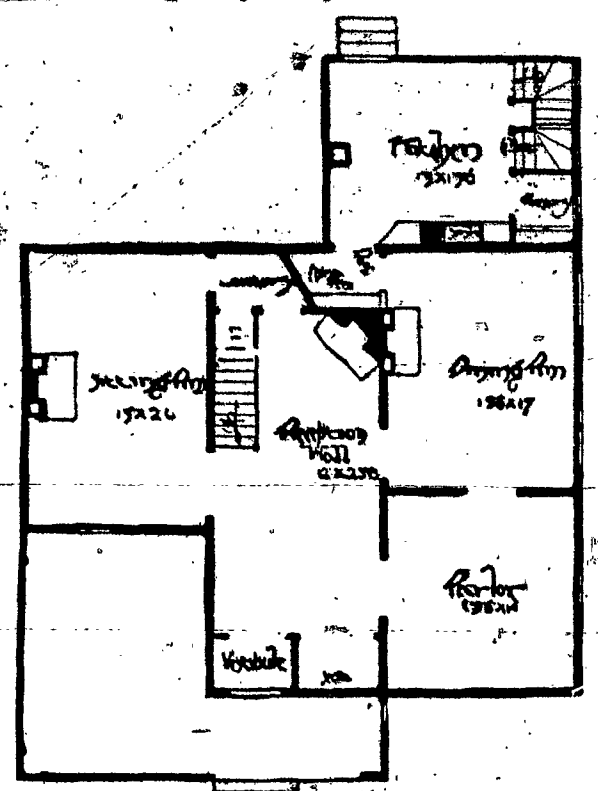


ELEVATION.

This house may have a cellar and is provided with two full stories and an attic. The plan combines the features of two houses which have been recently built in the north.

During the periods of ordinary temperature this feature would add to the comfort of living in this building. It makes a very attractive feature architecturally.

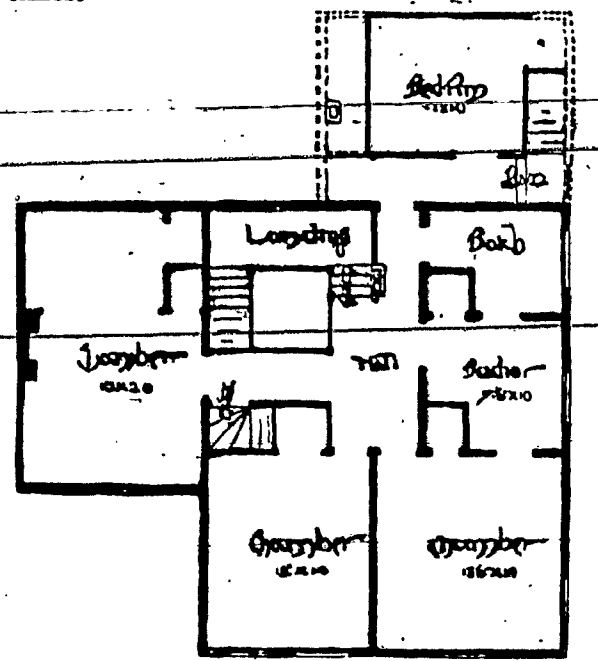
which would afford a place in which wraps could be hung, and the fireplace at the other end of the room, would change this hall from a mere passage space to one which would be regularly occupied.



GROUND FLOOR.

Up over the fireplace, and extending the full width of the hall, is a gallery from which one may look down into this room. Under it is a china room, lighted by a window at one side.

The kitchen is arranged with due regard for convenience and ease in the movement of housekeeping. There is the sink and arrangement of tables on each side of it.



SECOND STORY.

A desirable arrangement of porch is shown. On the second floor there are four bedrooms, a dressing room and bath.

The most economical way of heating rooms not provided with a fireplace is with a furnace. Nothing can be better, even in a warm climate, than a furnace which will do good service during chilly days.

By examining the bedrooms it may be noticed that there is proper wall space for all furniture.

Ex-Senator Pomeroy's Big Hotel Bill.

The judgment of \$15,324.50 recently issued by the supreme court of Kansas in favor of the plaintiff in the case of E. A. Smith against S. E. Pomeroy dates back to 1873.

Figs Ripening Outdoors in Maine.

Mr. E. F. Gordon, of Livermore, writes: "I would like to say that I have a fig tree, now ten years old, which is out of doors and bears every year."

Six Minutes' Stop for a Wedding. Mr. Will E. Robinson, of Beallsville, and Miss Lou Jeffrey, of East Bethlehem, boarded the train at West Brownsville and contrived to get married on the fly while coming to this city.

The party did not wish to be married at the home of the groom, and Mr. Robinson could not get a leave of absence so as to get a marriage license in this city, and how to get married away from home, take a trip and be back for duty on Monday morning was the question to be solved.

The train stopped at 5:14 o'clock p. m. and was again on its way at 5:21, the ceremony occupying just three minutes.

An immense crowd had assembled at the station, and a band was playing the wedding march as the bride and groom stepped upon the platform.

Eight Wheel Electric Street Car.

The Springfield avenue electric railroad was started in Newark Oct. 4, with eight wheel cars as large as ordinary steam railroad coaches, and capable of carrying sixty passengers.

Each car was equipped with two twenty horse power motors geared to one axle of each truck. They surmounted the steep hills on Springfield avenue without much diminution of speed.

A Four Thousand Pound Cheese.

At the cheese factory in East Otto recently here was put in the hoop the biggest cheese ever made in this region, and probably the largest ever made in the United States.

The Buffalo Fire Department Has Recently Received a Novel Fire Engine.

The Buffalo fire department has recently received a novel fire engine which has excited much interest in that city.

"Wootton," George W. Childs' Country Home at Bryn Mawr, is Regarded as One of the Most Expensively Maintained Country Places in the United States.

The wages of the servants alone amount to \$1,000 a month. A new stable is in process of erection on the grounds at an estimated cost of \$40,000.

A Bright Prospect.

Customer—Be sure and make those clothes large. I expect to put on ten or fifteen pounds shortly.

A Good Start.

The snow shovel factories of New England will start the season with 650,000 snow shovels left over from last year, and the middle states and the west stand ready to furnish a tramp for every shovel.

Examining a Famous Composer. The remains of Johann Christoph Gluck, the great composer, were examined at the Matzleinsdorf cemetery, Vienna, where they had rested since 1787, and reinterred at the Central cemetery, in the Musicians' corner, near those of Beethoven and Schubert, and close to the Mozart monument.

The first thing brought up was a portion of a rotten wooden coffin, followed by fragments of bones—a shoulder blade, portions of the skull, a collar bone, arm bones, the under jaw, with three teeth, a double tooth, one or two ribs, and finally some flowing brown hair, probably from a periwig.

A Promising Western Industry.

The sugar beet factory at Grand Island, Neb., began operations recently, and manufactured over 800 barrels of refined sugar, ready for market, during the first twenty-four hours it was in operation.

If sugar beet raising proves successful the manufacture of our own sugar will be of inestimable benefit to all the people of the nation.

The Grand Island mill has a capacity of 850 tons of beets per day, which yield 250 barrels of sugar. Every particle of the beet is saved, cattle being fed on the refuse, and chewing gum being made of certain parts that are left over.

Light Fingers with His Teeth.

A few days ago John Benzley, a well known sporting man, appeared at the Four Courts and complained to the police that he had been robbed of a diamond stud valued at \$500, for the recovery of which he would give \$200.

Hardly had Mr. Benzley reported his robbery when Nettie May complained to the police that she had had bitten out of her ear a diamond earring valued at \$250.

An Aroostook Product.

The annual "potato raid" is in progress in Aroostook, Me., as the starch factories are beginning their season's work. This is one of the most novel sights to be witnessed in this section of the country.

A Black Hills Nugget.

A few days since John White, of Bear gulch, brought in a nugget taken from one of the placer claims in that district which weighed 49 pennyweights 6 grains.

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