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THE Wisconsin Commissioner of Labor and Industrial Statistics has published his fourth biennial report, which contains an extraordinary amount of interesting matter. We have little faith in statistics, as they are often prepared, but Mr. Stark, instead of averages, gives us the original replies to his circulars of questions, which, this year, are addressed to workmen in the building-trades, from which we can make deductions for ourselves. We may begin by saying that the first deduction which most people will make is that Wisconsin may well be proud of the intelligent and sensible workingmen who can write such answers as are here printed. A very few seize the occasion to make themselves conspicuous by empty rhetoric over "capital" and "labor," but the great majority, even of men whose earnings do not reach four hundred dollars in a year, speak of their condition and prospects with perfect sincerity and good temper. Most people will be surprised to find how many workingmen there are in Wisconsin, even among those of experience and skill in their trades, whose income from their business does not amount to five hundred dollars a year. Out of the two hundred and fifty-nine carpenters, for example, who replied to Mr. Stark's circulars, only seventy-two, or less than twenty-eight per cent, returned their income from their trade at more than five hundred dollars for the preceding year, and the smallest average incomes, instead of being found, as would naturally be expected, among the mechanics in the villages and outlying portions of the State, were returned by the carpenters of the large and prosperous city of Milwaukee, of whom only twenty-five, out of one hundred and eight who replied to the circular, earned more than five hundred dollars during the year. It is not surprising that a considerable number of foreign-born mechanics, in replying to the question whether their condition was better in America than in the old country, said that their income was not only relatively, but actually larger in England or Holland or Germany, than in America. Most of these, however, with characteristic American hopefulness, say that they prefer living in America, and think that if some way could be devised by which they could get steady employment here, as they do in the old country, they would be better off here.

THE cause of the lack of employment, of which nearly all the mechanics speak, is not fully explained in the report. In the towns in the backwoods, where building is cheap and rough, carpenter-work and plastering are discontinued in the cold season; but in Milwaukee, where fine interior joiner-work, at least, goes on all the year round, more time is lost by the carpenters and joiners than anywhere else. We will leave the

political economists to find out why it is that in Wisconsin, where manufactures of all kinds are being very rapidly developed, the blacksmiths, carpenters, masons, and painters are worse off than they have ever been, their average income being less than that of their predecessors twenty years ago, while the cost of living has greatly increased, and will only notice the good, old-fashioned American readiness with which, according to their reports, the country carpenters, almost without exception, acquire small tracts of land, which they cultivate in their idle moments, or spend the winter in the logging camps, or in other ways add something to their earnings, and live, to judge from what they write of themselves, contented, manly and useful lives, notwithstanding the disadvantages under which circumstances have placed them. It is pleasant to see that socialistic rant finds no favor among these good citizens of the Republic. Two years ago, as Mr. Stark observes, the letters which were sent him by working-men occasionally complained about "monopolies," and the other stock grievances of the demagogue, but by this time, as he says, "the Wisconsin workmen appear to have outgrown the influence that so-called labor leaders once had over them." Curiously enough, out of the five hundred and thirty-eight journeymen in the building trades who replied to the circulars, only seventy-three do not subscribe to some newspaper, magazine or trade journal, and the general intelligence is reflected in the quaint comments of some of the men upon labor matters. One man wishes to advise his younger fellows to "be frugal and temperate; always willing to learn from others, and always satisfied to attend strictly to their own business, and to let others do the same." "If he were an employer," he says, "he would as soon employ the devil as a labor-striker," and "one agitator," he adds, "will ruin a number of industrious and well-meaning, but inexperienced young men." Another man, a German, writes that he is "opposed to trades-unions, for the reason that a good man puts himself on a par with a poor one, and must help the poor one to better wages than he deserves, thereby sacrificing his own chances." A third, writing from Milwaukee, says that "On the whole, since the eight-hour strike of 1886, the building-trades are not so good as they used to be"; and another, also a Milwaukee man, a plumber, writes, "We went out on a strike on April 23, 1885, and wages have been going down ever since." Another Milwaukee plumber tells the same story, saying that "since the strike of plumbers in 1885, the trade has almost come down to a level with the carpenters' trade, which is very poor in this city." Milwaukee is an eight-hour city for the building-trades generally, and Mr. Stark affords us material for making a little study of the effect of short hours upon wages, so far as it is possible to draw conclusions from comparisons of the kind. Leaving out of the account San Francisco, the situation of which is exceptional, we find that in a list of thirty-nine of the principal cities of the United States, three had, at the time of writing the report, a tolerably universal eight-hour day. Eleven had a nine-hour day, seventeen either a ten-hour day, or ten hours in summer, and nine in winter; while in the rest the hours varied with the different trades so much that no comparison could be made. In the three eight-hour cities, the average wages per hour in all the building-trades, was thirty cents and eight-tenths; in the eleven nine-hour cities the average per hour was thirty cents and one-tenth; in the seventeen ten-hour cities the average was twenty-five and four-tenths. This would seem to indicate that a nine-hour day was most favorable to the workman, as he gets nearly the full eight-hour day wages for an extra hour each day; and that a ten-hour day was unfavorable; but the deduction is affected by the fact that the ten-hour system prevails mostly in small towns, where wages, as well as living expenses, are nearly always low. In fact, the rate of wages per hour follows population, to a great degree, New York, leaving out San Francisco, having the highest hourly average wages, with a nine-hour day, Brooklyn, the next, also with a nine-hour day, while Chicago, the fourth city in population, is third in rate of hourly wages, with an eight-hour day.

A CASE of no very great importance, involving the ownership of plans, was tried in England not long ago. Mr. Haward, an architect, sued his client for three hundred dollars commission, for some alterations in a house, and designs for stables, and for an additional sum of nearly five hundred dollars, "for time spent in the service of the defendant." The

latter claimed, on his part, the plans made by Mr. Haward, saying that they were his property, and deposited in court the three hundred dollars commission; and said that he had already paid the architect three hundred and sixty dollars for time spent, in addition to the commission, and thought that was sufficient. The plaintiff's counsel proved that the custom of architects was to charge for time spent in travelling, besides travelling expenses, but his witnesses did not think that the time actually spent in superintending the work should be charged for extra; and the judge decided for the defendant, with costs. In regard to the counter-claim for plans, the judge said that he thought they were the property of the employer, and ordered them given up, with costs of the suit.

MR. MACARTNEY, in the *British Architect*, makes some suggestive observations in regard to furnishing and decoration. Speaking of the æsthetic movement in England fifteen years ago, while he acknowledges the artistic capacity of its leaders, and their influence in improving the public taste, he thinks that the impression which they made has not been a lasting one, and that the community in general has gone back to what purport to be revivals of the Louis Quinze and Louis Seize styles, while only a vague impression remains of the superiority of "hand-made" art over machine work. This feeble impression, originally produced, apparently, by the reading of the works of Eastlake, Ruskin and Morris, is utilized by manufacturers in an amusing way. We all know how much more fashionable a hand-painted Christmas or Easter card is to the chromo-lithographed article, and some of us have probably stood amazed before the wretched little daubs which, under the label "Hand-painted," sold rapidly at a dollar apiece, while beautiful specimens of chromo-lithographed work went begging beside them for ten cents; but we have perhaps comforted ourselves with the supposition that these deplorable objects were probably the production of impoverished young ladies of distinguished family, who had found the practice of "art" the easiest way of earning a living. Mr. Macartney, however, dissipates this pleasing fancy by informing us that these "hand-painted" works of Christmas-card "art" are manufactured on a large scale at the East End of London. The "artists" are ragged boys and girls, employed for the occasion, and ignorant of the first rudiments of drawing. The *technique* adopted by these painters is very simple. Rows of cards, of the same pattern, are spread on tables, and the children walk from end to end of the rows, each time with a different color, which they apply in little daubs, successively on each card, until the application of the last color completes the row, which is then gathered up and packed off for sale. The price paid the young painters for these "original works of art" is eighty-five cents a gross, out of which they must provide their own colors.

ASIDE from this ridiculous fraud, which, however, could only impose on a grossly ignorant and unfeeling public, Mr. Macartney points out that the so-called "art-work" in the way of furniture with which we are deluged is, as a rule, more offensively ugly than what it is trying, with great flourish of trumpets, to replace. Why, he asks, does the painter show a homely old dog-grate in his cottage interiors, instead of introducing an American stove, covered all over with "high-art" ornament; or why does he prefer to furnish his pictures of country inns with rude settles, instead of illuminating them with the wealth of beauty, which, we are told, is spread all over the tufted sofa of the modern upholsterer? The answer is simple; because his instinct tells him at once that the simple old grate and the clumsy settle are truthful and expressive, while the Neo-Grec stove, and the sofa in imitation embroidery, are false, obtrusive and vulgar. Every artist and architect can understand this, but it is not so easy to find the remedy for the perversion of modern design. Mr. Macartney believes he has found it in the promotion of intercourse between artists and designers of all classes, and we are inclined to think he is right. The difficulty is not so much in want of knowledge among designers as in want of criticism. A new stove, for example, must have some design, and a young architect is probably called upon to make a drawing. He is given an outline to work from, and proceeds to cover all the surfaces with Greek, or Renaissance, or Romanesque patterns, well-designed, and well-drawn, but without any appropriateness or significance whatever. In the same way, the upholsterer buys a piece of cloth which, he is assured, is an exact imitation of a Cashmere shawl, and covers a tufted chair with it. Both of them think that their

work, being copied from the best models, is beautiful; and it is not until a painter comes along, who knows nothing, and cares nothing, about Renaissance ornament and Persian patterns, that they discover that their stove and sofa are ugly, and begin to suspect how they might be made simpler and better. No doubt, the painter would make a worse hand at designing than either of them, for his imagination has not been trained to offer him ideas in such forms; but his criticism is just what they need to correct the prejudices in which they have been educated, just as theirs is often useful to him when he undertakes decorative painting. In the same way, the iron-worker and the glass-blower can teach the architect what their material is capable of; and he can show them how to use it effectively in architectural work, and so on through all the "arts and crafts." With this in view, a society was formed seven years ago in London, called the Art-Workers Guild, comprising potters, paper-stainers, modellers, iron-workers and architects, which holds fortnightly meetings to discuss papers or processes, and gives annually three or four exhibitions of needle-work, stained-glass and so on. It is interesting to know that the society was founded by five architects, all pupils of Mr. Norman Shaw, who sent invitations to various members of the artistic crafts to join them. Fifteen at once accepted the invitation, and the society has now grown to a membership of one hundred and fifty, and promises to have a wide influence in the artistic world.

THE daily papers have referred rather briefly to what is a somewhat curious case. The Earl of Radnor, in his house of Longford Castle, near Salisbury, has one of the finest collections of pictures in England, including some splendid Holbeins. The eldest son of the earl, Lord Folkestone, is desirous of getting married, and, as he has only four thousand dollars a year of his own, and his papa's income is not much over a hundred and fifty thousand, it seemed to them desirable to sell off some of the family pictures, to provide funds for the young man's wedding, and subsequent housekeeping. They got so far as to secure an offer of two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars from the National Gallery, for three of the pictures, when some of the rest of the family interfered, to prevent the sale of heirlooms, in which, as they said, the Earl had only a life-interest. An appeal was therefore made to the courts, on the ground that Lord Radnor's income was not sufficient to pay the expenses of his own housekeeping, and provide a proper allowance for his son besides, and, notwithstanding the protests of the family, permission to sell the pictures was granted.

THE Corporation of Liverpool has been trying an interesting experiment in the erection of houses for working people. The municipality, under an Act of Parliament enabling towns to take land for such purposes, condemned a large tract in an outlying portion of the city, and cleared it of the wretched hovels by which it was occupied, turning out thirteen hundred people. Having gone so far, the city authorities offered the land for sale at auction, under the restriction that it should be used for workingmen's houses, but found no purchasers. A portion of the land was, therefore, laid out, and houses erected upon it by the Corporation from plans made by Mr. Clement Dunscombe, which were afterward awarded a gold medal at the International Health Exhibition. After these were done, the rest of the land was offered again at auction, but there were no bidders, and the Corporation finally concluded to improve the whole area. The work is now done, and a quadrangle of pleasant five-story buildings completed. The area covered is not very extensive, and the whole cost of land and buildings will be only about three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, but pleasant habitations will be provided for six or seven hundred people. Much more accommodation could have been obtained by covering the land closely, but it was thought preferable to leave a large open space in the middle of the quadrangle for a playground and garden. This is reached by five arched passageways from the streets, and all the tenements open upon the quadrangle, in the French style. There is a fountain in the middle of the garden, the walks and roadways are paved, and everything made healthy and attractive. Notwithstanding all the expense incurred for this purpose, two-room tenements are rented for a little over a dollar a week, and those of three rooms for a dollar and a half a week, and at those prices the net income from the property will amount to about four per cent on the whole investment.

RELIGIOUS ARCHITECTURE.¹—XXV.

THE RENAISSANCE.—II.



Fig. 6. Façade of the Gesù, Rome [16th Century], after Piranesi.

A CENTURY and a half had been occupied in the construction of St. Peter's, during which time twenty-two popes and thirteen architects had succeeded one another; the expenditures had amounted to over fifty million dollars, the equivalent of double that sum to-day. It is easy to understand how deeply the Christian world was stirred by the completion of this colossal edifice, and, naturally enough, it served as a model for Roman Catholic churches throughout Christendom.

Whatever may be said of the æsthetic merits of this style of architecture, it was admirably adapted to the part played by religion from that time on, and produced the impression which the papal powers wished thenceforth to produce. In the sixteenth century the Catholic faith may have manifested signs of decay, the dogmatic authority of the church may have been ruptured by openly declared schisms, its moral influence may have been weakened, but its political importance was considerable. The temporal power of the pope at that period was indeed imposing, especially in the splendor of the artistic and literary court which he maintained. Though possessing no mighty armies, though foreign political powers were gradually concentrating and daily trespassing more and more upon his authority, it is nevertheless true that through the prestige of arts, letters and sciences, through the renown of the great men with whom he surrounded himself, through the effect produced on uncultured foreign nations by the extraordinary awakening of the arts, through the respect elicited from these semi-barbarians at the unique spectacle of a polished, learned, elegant, and sumptuous court, the pope bestowed on Rome a distinction, influence and preponderance that vied with imperial Rome's,



Fig. 7. Façade of St. Ignatius, Rome [17th Century], after Piranesi.

and thereafter remained unrivalled down to the reign of Louis XIV.

But how far we have strayed from the fellowship and simplicity of early Christian times! The church must now maintain the prestige secured, by constructing all over the Christian world splendid and imposing edifices, which shall bespeak her power and superiority.

¹ From the French of P. Planat, in Planat's "Encyclopédie de l'Architecture et de la Construction." Continued from page 173, No. 769.

As each nation escaped to some degree from Romish jurisdiction, the authority which Rome had exercised alone became divided, and was distributed to individual churches. The latter, propped up by the great civil bodies and supporting them in turn, strong in this union of Church and State, repeated in the various countries the part that Rome had played in the world; so that religious architecture was destined to retain its pompous and ornate character.

This character finds its fullest expression in St. Peter's. It is exhibited on a smaller scale in the Gesù (Figure 6), erected in 1575 by Della Porta, after Vignola's designs; and in St. Andrea, St. Ignatius (Figure 7) and in all the other churches



Fig. 8. Plan and View of the Church of St. Gervais and St. Protais, Paris [16th and 17th Centuries].

of the Jesuit style. The three entrance bays to the naves are framed-in by an order of columns running across the entire façade; above these is a second order which extends in front of the principal nave alone, and is surmounted with a pediment. The difference in the width of the two stories is compensated for by means of reversed consoles. This fundamental disposition has, so to speak, never varied; the only modifications have been in the details.

The church of St. Gervais and St. Protais in Paris, which is largely of the sixteenth century (Figure 8), shows traces of this influence still persisting in 1616, the period when Jacques Desbrosses erected the present portal. To obtain a more ornamental effect, the façade was decorated with three superimposed orders, the details of which set off the rich and powerful architecture.

The same style was adopted in the church of St. Paul and St. Louis, which was begun in 1627 and completed in 1641 (Figures 9, 10). The architect was Père François Derrand; the portal is by Père Marcel Ange. The Jesuits, to whom the church belonged, had sought to proclaim the power of their order, then at its height, by the sumptuousness of the edifice. This church also exhibits one of the earliest French attempts to imitate the dome of St. Peter's.

Another far bolder and more beautiful example is found in the Sorbonne, which was erected between 1635 and 1659 by Charles Lemercier. The church of Val-de-Grâce (Figures 11, 12) follows the same lead, combining the Gesù façade of superimposed orders with the dome; the latter appears with growing frequency in French edifices after this

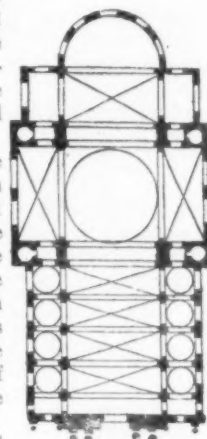


Fig. 9. Plan of the Church of St. Paul and St. Louis, Paris [17th Century].

time. The high-altar is also copied from that in St. Peter's. The construction, which was begun in 1645, was interrupted

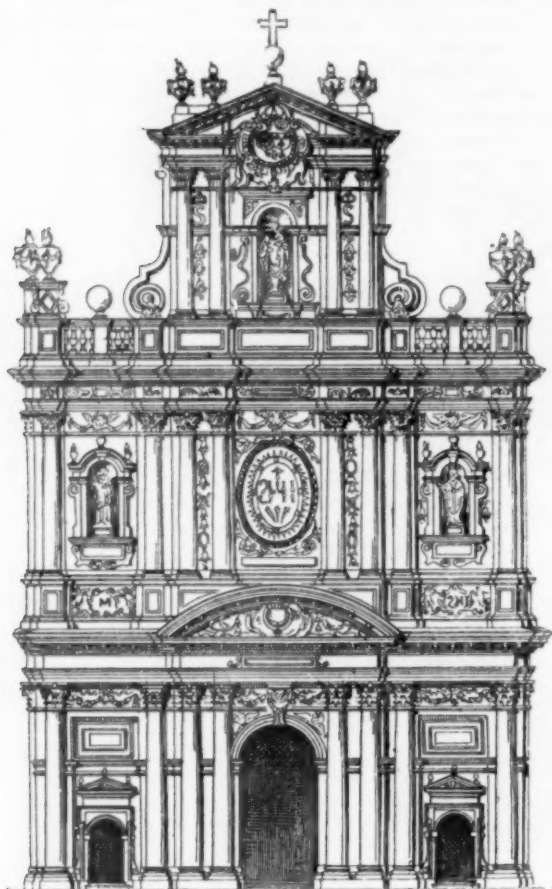


Fig. 10. Façade of the Church of St. Paul and St. Louis.

by the Fronde; it was resumed later under the direction of François Mansard, who carried the walls up twenty-five feet; then Charles Lemercier continued them to the cornice; Pierre Lemuet, aided by Gabriel Leduc and Duval completed the structure. It is justly considered one of the noblest in France, harmonious in its proportions and rich without vulgar profusion.

The Chapel of the Invalides may also be classed among domed churches. It was erected in 1675, but the dome is of somewhat later date. The architect was Hardouin Mansard. The style is characteristically French in its elegant simplicity, and in its quiet and graceful proportions.

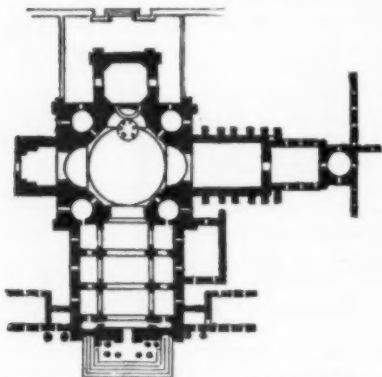


Fig. 11. Plan of the Church of Val-de-Grâce, Paris [17th Century].

Notre-Dame-des-Victoires, the foundation-stone of which was laid by Louis XIII in 1629, in commemoration of his victories at La Rochelle, was not completed until 1740, when Cartaut

built the façade. The original plan was by Pierre Lemuet. His immediate successors were Bruand and Leduc. St. Roch, like Notre-Dame-des-Victoires is in the Jesuit style. The architects were Robert and Jules de Cotte, who were followed by Jacques Lemercier. In the interior, there is a noticeable tendency to escape from Italian influences, though without marked success; the exterior is showy and pretentious. The same is true of the church of St. Thomas Aquinas, constructed between 1682 and 1770 by Pierre and Claude Bullet.

The Versailles Chapel (Figure 13) is the most finished example of this ornate style; and its admirable sculptural decorations give it a high rank among Mansard's works. It was built between 1696 and 1710.

St. Sulpice in Paris, marks an attempt to abandon the traditional forms (Figure 14). The foundation-stone was laid for the first time in 1648, by Gaston d'Orléans; the edifice was then begun after the plans of Charles Gamart, but it was soon evident that these were defective; they were accordingly revised by Louis Leveau and the foundation-stone was once more laid, this time by Anne of Austria. The work was discontinued ere long, owing to the lack of funds. At a later period, Oppenort and Daniel Gittard added the right and left portals. The façade, completed in 1749, is the work of Jean Servandoni. The upper stories of the towers were constructed in 1777 by Chalgrin and Maclaurin, who left the right tower unfinished.



Fig. 12. View of the Church of Val-de-Grâce, Paris [17th Century].

In this church may be studied the earliest efforts of an architectural school which aimed at the abandonment of the Jesuit forms and the adoption of a purer and more severe style; it

did not seek after originality, and before long its structures came to be mere reproductions of the monuments of antiquity. The Madeleine in Paris was conceived in this new spirit. Such edifices could naturally be turned to various uses. The Madeleine was designed for a church, when Louis XV laid the founda-



Fig. 13. Chapel of the Palace of Versailles [end of 17th Century].

tion-stone, about 1764; but Napoleon converted it into a temple for the glorification of the Grand Army. The original plan by Contant d'Ivry, which resembled that of St. Geneviève, was remodelled by Pierre Vignon. Yet, when the edifice was restored to the purposes of worship in 1816, this second

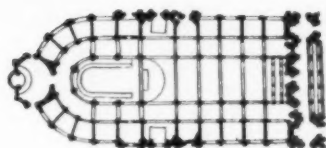


Fig. 14. Plan and View of St. Sulpice, Paris [18th Century].

plan was retained. It was completed under the direction of Huvé in 1832. It has already been remarked that the ancient temple was in no way designed for the same uses as a Christian

church; it follows therefore that an ecclesiastical edifice built on the model of a Classic temple would be most poorly adapted to Christian ceremonial requirements.

The church of St. Geneviève has experienced still greater vicissitudes than the Madeleine. It was likewise begun in 1764, under the patronage of Louis XV. The Revolution trans-

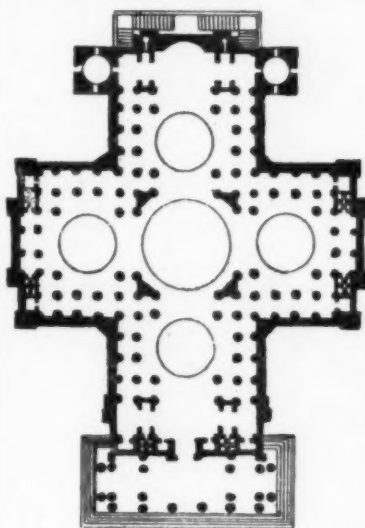


Fig. 15. Plan of St. Geneviève (the Pantheon), Paris [18th Century].

formed it into a Pantheon (Figures 16, 17), consecrated to the great men of France; in 1828 it was again opened for divine worship; converted anew into a Pantheon in 1830, it once more became a church in 1851; but it is now a Pantheon again. Soufflot's edifice is far more original than the Madeleine, although it exhibits to a marked degree the influence of St. Peter's: the peristyle is imposing and the colonnaded dome produces a most pleasing effect.

Among late imitations of St. Peter's we may cite the Cathedral of Our Lady of Kazan and the Cathedral of St. Isaac, at



Fig. 16. The Pantheon or Church of St. Geneviève.

St. Petersburg. The latter was constructed between 1819 and 1858, after the designs of the French architect, R. de Montferrand.

(To be continued.)

THE PROPOSED BRIDGE OVER THE DOVER STRAITS. — Experiments are now being conducted in the channel off Folkestone in order to test the geological structure of the sea bed, as it is proposed to construct a bridge across the straits of Dover to France. The process of examination has already been finished on the other side of the channel, and as far as it has gone on the English side it has proved highly satisfactory, as it has demonstrated that the sea bottom is very solid and suitable for bearing the heavy weight to which it would be subjected, and that the variation in the depth is very little, except where sand banks have accumulated and raised the bed. — *Boston Herald*.

APARTMENT-HOUSES.—I.



Fifteenth Century Oriol, Feldkirchen, Germany.

THE essential difference between an apartment-house and an ordinary dwelling-house is that in the latter the owner or tenant, on shutting the street door, excludes all strangers from the building, while in the apartment-house there are always some portions of the interior of the house, usually the halls and staircases, which are open, if not to all the world, at least to all the tenants of the building, and to their visitors. In many apartment-houses the dining-rooms, laundries, and even the larger reception-rooms, are used in common by the tenants, and cooking and washing are done for all in common. Such establishments often resemble hotels more than apartment-houses, and, in fact, a clear line of distinction can hardly be drawn between the two classes of buildings. On the other hand, some modern apartment-houses have nothing but the outside entrance in common, the stairways being separate from each tenement to the ground; and this system of planning is particularly favored by the best authorities for dwellings for the poorer classes, among whom it is desirable to keep families as much out of contact with each other as possible.

The fashion of dividing-up houses among a number of families is a very ancient one. No plan, or exact description, of a Roman apartment-house has come down to us, but we have reason to believe that the great majority of the people of the city of Rome lived in immense tenement-houses, six stories high, or even more, and divided into rooms with what we may safely believe, judging from the analogy of other Roman planning, to have been great skill. During the Dark Ages there was not much building of any kind in the cities, and there were probably houses enough to give one to each

of the few families which remained; but after order was in some degree reestablished, and the towns had begun to fill with peasants and emancipated slaves, the necessity for increased accommodation was evidently strongly felt, and within the limited area enclosed by the walls began to be erected lofty, but narrow houses, in which every inch of space was utilized, and floor-room gained at the expense of light in the streets, by projecting the upper stories forward. Although these houses often accommodated a large household, and were skilfully planned to secure privacy in the different rooms, the mediæval love of home prevented them from being divided up among a number of tenants, and the occupants of each, including the apprentices and lodgers, as well as the master's household, formed a single family.

During the Renaissance, the fashion was introduced of letting the separate floors of a house to different tenants, and in large cities, where rents were high, a device by which the ambitious citizen could live in a small apartment, behind a grandiose front, and on a fashionable street, at no greater expense than would be necessary for hiring a whole house in a less fashionable neighborhood, soon became popular. The first of the Renaissance apartment-houses were probably imposing in appearance, but dark and unwholesome inside, and badly built as well as inconveniently arranged.

Fortunately, there are very few of the rookeries of this period left. Such buildings are not constructed to last, and improvement soon sweeps them away. All we can say positively about them is that unless they were much better planned than the palaces of the period, they must have been most uncomfortable and unwholesome places to live in.

The first great improvement in houses for "collective habitation" seems to have been made in Paris during the Second Empire. Napoleon III was a practical man, who took a sincere interest in the housing of poor people, and gave an impulse, at least, towards the better planning of houses for their use, which architects found abundant opportunity for putting into practice in the reconstruction of a large part of the city which followed the operations of Baron Haussmann. The new boulevards which that bold engineer opened in all

directions through Paris, were soon lined with apartment-houses worthy of the name, imposing in aspect, and arranged in a way which, if not equal to the modern planning, reflects great credit on the men who had to create the whole system out of almost nothing. Of course, there is a difference in the work of different architects, as ingenuity in planning is a gift not equally distributed through the profession; but all French architects devote great care to the plans of their buildings, and the best of them are perhaps unrivalled in the world in this respect.

Figure 1 gives a good example of a small Parisian apartment-house of this period, by that admirable architect, M. Bailly. The lot is of an unusually regular shape for Paris, resembling very much the pieces of ground which are placed in the hands of American architects for such purposes. There are two suites on a floor. The entrance, as is usual in French houses of the kind, is from the street first into the court, which is under the supervision of the *concierge*, and is kept neat and bright with flowers. From this court open the two vestibules, where the circular stairs are shown which lead to the suites above. The rear suite on the ground-floor is like those above it. The front suite is replaced by a small store, with a kitchen, parlor and bedroom behind it. Under the main stairs are the stairs to the cellar, which is thus accessible to all the tenants, and is lighted in the middle as well as at the ends. There are no servants' stairs. French people of moderate means are on sufficiently good terms with the few servants they keep to be perfectly willing to have them go up the same stairway as themselves, and we do not meet with service-stairs until we come to buildings of a much more pretentious class than this one.

Taking the suites separately, we find the staircases, which are brilliantly lighted from the court, opening into ante-rooms. These are an indispensable part of a Paris apartment. They are usually rather feebly lighted by glass in and over the doors of the rooms into which they open, but form a convenient reception-room, and are prettily furnished, and generally have large closets attached to them.

From the ante-room open all the other principal rooms,—the abomination of going through one room, particularly a bedroom, to get to another, being almost unknown to French planning.

In the case of the rear flat, which is evidently adapted for families proposing to do their own housework, the kitchen door opens into the ante-room; the rear flat has the kitchen at a little distance.

The kitchens are very small, according to our notions. This is invariably the case with French kitchens, which are not intended to serve as the scene of races between the cook's cousins, but are devoted strictly to cooking and washing. For these purposes, as a French domestic thinks, the room should be small, so that everything may be handy when wanted. As a rule, one side, or a part of one side of the kitchen is occupied by the range, a small affair with a charcoal fire; and what answers to a sink. On the other side is a row of hooks, on a wooden strip, with another strip a few inches below.

On these hooks hang the different pots and pans which comprise the "*batterie de cuisine*," all of copper, and shining like mirrors.

The French house-keeper's theory is that to provide shelves, or still worse, closets, for kitchen utensils, is to ensure their being put away dirty; while, if there is nothing to do with them but to hang them up, in plain sight of every one who comes into the door, they will be cleaned before they are put away. Under these circumstances, it is much more convenient for a fat "*cuisinière*" simply to turn around to take what she wants from its appropriate hook than to travel across a large room after it; and we have heard a French *chef* in an American private house complain of the excessive size of

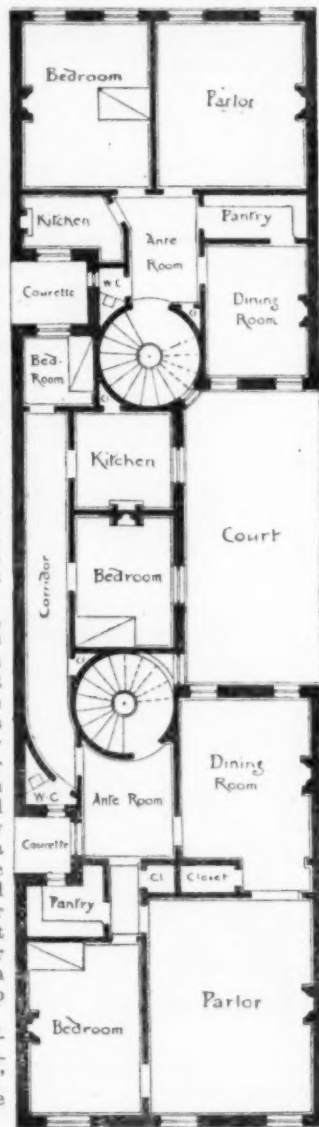


Fig. 1. A Small Apartment-house in Paris. M. Bailly, Architect. From Calliat's "Parallele."

the kitchen in which he was expected to do his work. To be long and narrow is what the Parisian desires of a kitchen, and we have known one measuring five feet by fourteen to be highly commended for its convenience.

Near the kitchen, or at least, on the way between it and the dining-room, is the pantry, or "office," which is often nearly as large as the kitchen itself. As we shall see, in the higher class of French apartments there is frequently a bedroom opening from the kitchen, and not accessible from the hall. This room is for the use of the cook, and forms the only apparent exception to the rule that no bedroom shall be necessarily entered through another room. In the present case, it was quite possible that the families occupying both flats might do their own work, and would not fancy a bedroom opening only from the kitchen; so the architect has arranged a room near the kitchen, but not opening out of it, which might be occupied either by a servant or by a member of the family. This room, in the front apartment, is lighted by a small shaft, or "courette"; which also lights the kitchen of the rear flat; and a similar *courette* gives light and air to the corridor. In the Parisian houses of twenty or thirty years ago, these *courettes* were very freely used, but the imperfect circulation of air in them, more than the unsatisfactory quality of the

enormous rent. The plan was arranged after the usual model, and he remembers walking from the parlor to the dining-room through all the bedrooms on tip-toe, for fear of waking up the children who were to be seen asleep at various points on the road. When the house was not on the corner, the bedrooms were supposed to be lighted and aerated by transom sashes over the doors. It may be imagined that the light in the inner rooms was not very powerful. Where these houses were built on a lot twenty or twenty-five feet wide, the bedrooms were tolerably large, even if they were dark, but it was common to improve twenty-five foot lots by building on them double tenements, Figure 3, having the stairs and hall in the middle, and a row of what might best be called cells on each side, all dark except the end ones.

(To be continued.)

THE LAKE-DWELLERS OF VENEZUELA.—I.



"All the Modern Improvements."—No. 18.

IT has not been through fortuitous circumstance that I have followed in the footsteps of Columbus—in Spain, have stood with him in Santa Fé, where gracious Isabella sanctioned his enterprise; leaned over the parapet of the Bridge of Pinor, where her messenger halted him with the promise of royal support; slept in his cell at La Rabida convent; paced the pavement of the church at Palos, and sailed the ruby waters of the Rio Tinto.

It has been with a well-defined object in view, and, in the same pursuit, I have visited many points of interest connected with his various voyages: Cuba and the Bahamas, discovered by him in 1492; the Caribbean

Islands, fruits of the voyage of 1493; Trinidad and the Spanish Main disclosed to him in 1498; and Yucatan, which he all but discovered in his fourth and last voyage in 1502.

On the last day of July, 1498, two months from the day the Spanish fleet had sailed from Cadiz, the mountains of Trinidad were sighted. We may distrust the statement of Columbus, that he had previously concluded to honor the first land discovered on this voyage with the name of the Trinity, in view of the fact that the mountains first seen were three in number and naturally suggested the name, La Trinidad.

Columbus, as we are aware, was much given to the setting forth of coincidences showing him one under special guidance of the Lord. However, it was a harmless vanity, and this name, like most of those bestowed by the admiral, was fitting and suggestive.

Coasting the island, he entered a narrow pass where the waters met and clashed so furiously that even his high courage was shaken, and he called this the Serpent's Mouth [*La Boca del Sierpe*]. He passed out of it in safety and anchored in the smooth water of the great Gulf of Paria, and on the inner coast of Trinidad. Crossing the gulf, he emerged into the Caribbean Sea through another dangerous passage which he called *La Boca del Drago*, the Mouth of the Dragon. Before venturing upon this terrible passage he coasted the Gulf of Paria, discovering there a fine race of people, tall, straight, shapely, the men with loin-cloths in various colors, the women entirely naked. They were frank and hospitable and dwelt in a rich and generous country, their dwellings in beautiful gardens, where the birds and flowers vied in abundance and brilliancy of color.

They possessed little gold, and that of inferior quality, but they wore strings of pearls that made the Spaniards' fingers itch and burn with strong desire. Finding that the pearls were obtained off the north coast of Paria, Columbus at last ventured to brave the dangers of the Dragon's Mouth, through which the waters of the Orinoco and other South American rivers rushed with frightful velocity. He escaped through the warring breakers and found smoother seas beyond. He found, also, the seat of the pearl fishery, though he was then ignorant of its value or extent, and discovered the islands, Margarita and Cubagua, so celebrated in later years for their beds of pearls. The Spaniards did not stop to fish, but obtained a large number of pearls by traffic with the Indians, in exchange for bits of porcelain and bells of brass. Sufficient were obtained, in fact, to tempt the cupidity of other Spaniards, and to attract attention to

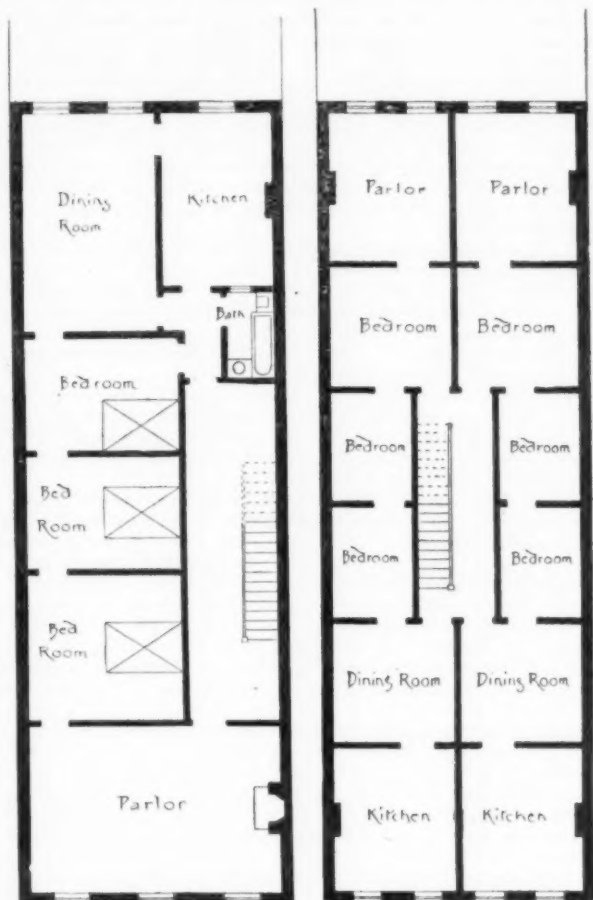


Fig. 2. New York Tenement-house before 1879.

Fig. 3. Double Tenement-house in New York before 1879.

light obtained from them, has, as we shall see, led in France, as well as in this country, to a system of planning by which they are, so far as possible, avoided. We cannot, however, blame M. Bailly for not having been a quarter of a century in advance of all his contemporaries, and there are few apartment-houses of the same size, even at the present day, so conveniently and pleasantly arranged, and so well lighted and aired in other ways.

As an instructive contrast to this, we will give next the plan of the ordinary New York flat of fifteen or twenty years ago.

Figure 2. Anything more pitiable in its incapacity for the most rudimentary conception of wholesomeness or pleasantness it would be hard to conceive. All the rooms from front to rear were required by law to open into each other, and this means of communication was made the only one. The parlor, naturally, was put at the front of the house, and the kitchen, where a certain amount of light was desirable, at the back. The dining-room adjoined the kitchen, and to get from the parlor to the dining-room it was necessary to pass through all the bedrooms. The bath-room was in a dark corner near the kitchen. Where a house was situated on the corner of a street, the same arrangement was followed. In this case, all the bedrooms had windows, and the flats brought much higher rents in consequence. The writer remembers dining with some friends of his once, who lived in a flat over a grocery store, for which they paid an

this region of riches, now for the first time brought to the view of the world.

Although the indications were promising, and the north coast of the continent stretched invitingly away, with mountains reared against the clouds and islands fringing the coast, yet the navigator was sore pressed by disease, and his stores were failing, so the fleet set sail for the fair island of Hispaniola.

Of the people here discovered, the ancient historian writes quaintly: "They are white, even as our men are, saving such as are much conversant with the sun. They are also very gentle and full of humanity towards strangers. There was few, or none that had not either a collar, a chayne, or a bracelet of golde and pearles, and many had all. Other than these ornaments, except for a breech-cloth of cotton, they were naked. . . . The regions being in the large province of Paria, for the space of CCXX myles, are called of the inhabitants *Cumana & Mancapana*."

Reflecting upon the divers species of man, the old historian, Hakluyt, thus delivers himself: "The Aethiopian thinketh the blacke colour to be fairer than white, and the white man thinketh otherwise. Hee that is polled thinketh himself more amiable than hee that weareth long hayre, and the bearded man supposeth himself more comely than hee that wanteth a beard. As appetite therefore moueth, and not as reason persuadeth, do men run into these vanities."

It was on the voyage preceding this that Columbus had made the acquaintance of the cannibals, the Caribs, of the Caribbee Islands, and had heard of Amazons. From the coast of Paria he stood northwardly, towards Hispaniola. "By the way, there appeared from the north a great land, which the captives were taken off Hispaniola called Madinino [now known as Montserrat] affirming it to be inhabited only with women, to whom the Canibales have access at certaine times of the yeere, as in old times the Thracians had to the Amazones in the land of Lesbos."

It was on his return voyage to Spain that Columbus carried captive the king of the Golden Mountains, Caonabo, "who dyed on the voyage, for very pensiveness and anguish of minde." Then also, he encountered one of those dreadful tempests called hurricanes: "These tempests of the ayre, which the Grecians called *Tiphones*, that is whirlewindes, the Indians called *Furacanes*."

I did not intend to digress; but whatever I have cited is in a measure cognate to our subject. Christopher Columbus, on that eventful third voyage to America, drew nearer to the equator than before, and, filled with the belief that he was penetrating a region of fire and drought, he was astonished to find verdurous vegetation, plentiful showers, and habitable islands. Learned theorists had assured him that in the tropical area everything would be found sublimated to the last degree.

Hence, it would be productive of pearls and precious stones, especially emeralds and diamonds, sublimated in telluric crucibles. He was not, then, astonished at the abundance of pearls. Was it not the wise Pliny who taught that pearls were the product of oysters, into whose mouths the dew of heaven fell at night? Even so, and the great navigator found oysters so numerous that he saw them clinging by thousands to the roots and branches of trees, hanging there with open mouths, awaiting the falling of the dew. Voyagers to that region may see the oysters growing on trees, clinging to the mangrove roots, to-day, as the Spanish sailors saw them four hundred years ago. But we know now, what they did not, that these surface oysters are not the same that yield the precious pearl. These must be sought deep down in the dark caverns of the sea, and very few, if any, have been found in the waters of the Gulf of Paria.

Learning of the prospective wealth of this new country brought to light by the third voyage of Columbus, other adventurers applied to the Crown for permission to explore and trade, and at least two expeditions were sent out from Spain. The most venturesome, and that which was fitted out with the least expenditure, returned with the greatest quantity of pearls. It was but a single vessel of fifty tons burden, and with a crew of thirty-three men, that made up this venture. It sailed from historic Palos in June, 1599, and was commanded by Pedro Alonso Niño, of Moguer, a neighboring town to Palos.

Unlike most of the Spanish sailors of that time, these seemed to care more for trading than fighting, and the consequence was that they amassed a fortune in a short time. Guided by a chart Columbus had prepared for the king, Niño, who had sailed as a pilot on the first voyage to the New World, successfully coasted Cumana and Paria, and reaped a rich harvest of pearls at the island of Margarita. He was altogether too successful, in fact, for the king's cupidity was aroused on his return to Spain, and he was thrown into prison, on a false charge of defrauding the royal treasury.

That last year of the fifteenth century was, perhaps, richer in events of importance than any of the decades preceding except 1492. In May there set forth the great expedition of Alonso de Ojeda, one who had accompanied Columbus on his second voyage—a man of small stature, but valiant and full of fire and energy. With four vessels well equipped and a gay and gallant company, Ojeda sailed from Cadiz the 20th of May, 1499, touching at the Canaries, and sighting the new continent twenty-four days later. He, too, coasted the Gulf of Paria, meeting with friendly Indians, and trading for pearls and gold. After visiting the island Margarita, he returned to the mainland and built a brigantine at Maracaipana. Some of the ancient charts give this name as *Americapana*, and at least one writer has

argued that our continent derived its name from this aboriginal word, which is applied to several places in South America.

This may well be, I think; but we will not stop to discuss the question now. It reminds me, however, of a distinguished adventurer associated with Ojeda in this enterprise, and who wrote the first coherent account of this land of wonders, from which fact, doubtless, he was subsequently so highly honored. This adventurer was no less than Amerigo Vespucci, who, by some strange freak, had become associated with those merchants of Seville who had furnished the fleet for Ojeda. To his letters we are indebted for complete descriptions of the people and the country, and he was the first to describe those strange people we are now about to visit, the Lake Dwellers of Venezuela.

It was while his smaller vessels were careened at Amaracapana that Ojeda learned of the ferocious Caribs, who made descents upon the coast from their retreats in the Caribbees. The peaceful people who received him so hospitably here, represented that the Caribs cruelly ravaged their country, carrying away many captives to be eaten, and begged the Spaniards to lend their aid in avenging their many outrages. This the gallant Ojeda was very ready to do, and, guided by some Indians, he sailed seven days, to an island which, I think, must have been Granada. There they discovered the Caribs in great numbers, drawn up on the shore all ready for combat; for, no matter what the odds against them, these fierce cannibals were always eager for a fight. They battled bravely, desperately, but were slaughtered by hundreds and driven into the forests. Then, setting fire to their huts, the Spaniards secured what little plunder there was and departed. Again on the mainland, the friendly Indians were rewarded with a share of the spoils, and rejoined their tribe, everywhere magnifying the wondrous deeds of the white strangers. Three weeks later the latter sailed away from the Main, and touched at the island of Curaçao, which Vespucci reported to be inhabited by giants.

Their next haven was at the entrance of the Gulf of Maracaibo, where they made the discovery of Indians living in huts built over the water. There were twenty of these water habitations, bell-shaped, built on platforms supported upon piles driven into the bottom of the lake. They were quite large, and each house had a rude drawbridge to connect it with its neighbor, while numerous canoes lay afloat upon the placid surface of the lake.

The Indian name of this settlement is said to have been *Coquibacoa*, but Ojeda bestowed upon it an appellation that has since been applied to the entire country. He called it "Venezuela," or the Little Venice, and thus, trivial and accidental, was the origin of the name of what is now a great republic.

If the Spaniards were surprised at seeing here a new civilization, the Indians were even more astonished to see the great white-winged ships—living monsters, in their eyes—come bearing down upon them from the gulf. They fled in a panic to their dwellings, raised the drawbridges, and made their simple preparations for defence. A fleet of canoes appeared at this juncture from the sea, the occupants of which paddled swiftly into the forest, but soon returned, with sixteen maidens, whom they distributed, four to each ship. It seemed that their native wit had divined the desire of the strangers. Having no gold, no possessions of value except these virgins, they gave them freely, as a peace-offering.

As such the Spaniards accepted them, and were highly delighted at these overtures. But they were not destined to enjoy them, for suddenly, while the water-dwellers were swimming and paddling about their ships in great numbers, the sixteen maidens leaped overboard and struck out for the woods, while flights of arrows were sent at the ships from the warriors in the canoes and the swimmers themselves.

It did not take long for Ojeda to make these amphibious savages repent their action, and soon a score of them were dead and dying, and the warriors in full flight to the forest. The girls were gone, however, and, as the houses held no plunder, Ojeda sailed away.

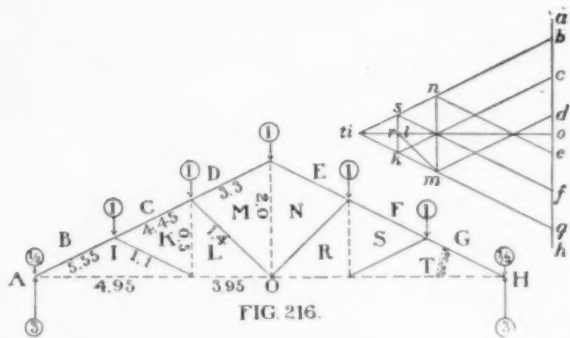
Such is the account given by the Florentine gentleman, after whom America is supposed to have been named, of the first lake-dwellers found in the New World.

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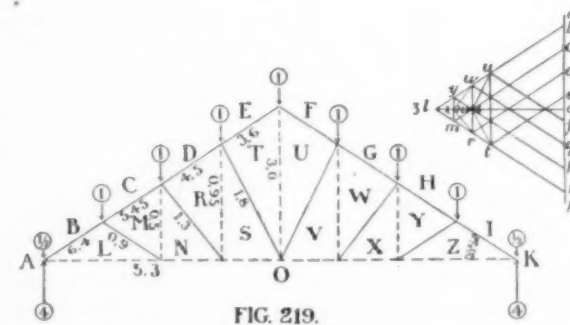
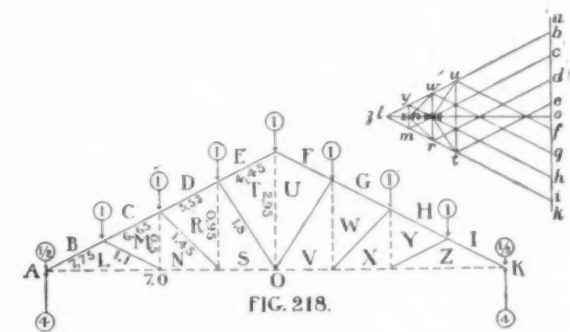
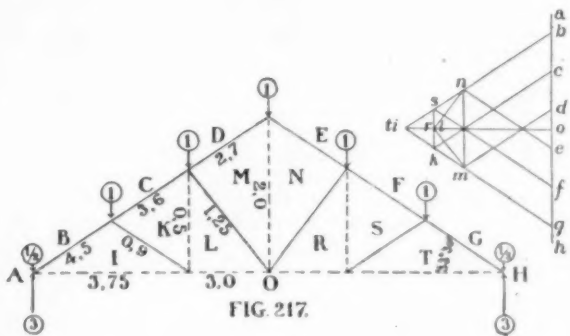
AN ARTIST CLAIMS A COPY AS HIS OWN WORK.—An anecdote is related by Mr. Colin Rae Brown, which is enough to make the owners of foreign pictures uncomfortable. He says:—"My personal faith in 'experts,' never great, received a severe check in 1856, when, being in Brussels, I was present at the examination of two cattle pictures undertaken by Verboeckhoven, the celebrated animal painter. One of these was an original picture which the eminent artist had recently sold to a Flemish banker; the other, a copy made by a young but rapidly rising member of the Academy, and the object of the meeting was to decide a friendly challenge by the banker, to the effect that he (Verboeckhoven) could not tell which was his own and which was the copyist's production! Both pictures were painted on identical canvases and framed exactly alike, and, after a close scrutiny with the naked eye and with a small magnifying glass, the distinguished painter fixed on the copyist's picture as being his (Verboeckhoven's) own!" The ability to copy exactly is common enough in Belgium, and there are qualities in the work of many of the painters which are well adapted for reproduction by an artist with the faculty of imitation. But as skill in making exact copies is dangerous to the artist whose works are selected as well as to the public, some measures will have to be adopted abroad to keep it within legal limits.—*The Architect*.

SAFE BUILDING.¹—XLV.

CHAPTER XI.—GRAPHICAL ANALYSIS OF STRAINS IN TRUSSES
(Continued).



WHEN we analyze Figure 216 we first take the joint AB at foot of rafter; next the joint BC immediately above; next the first joint along tie-rod; next the second joint along rafter and so on. Figures 217, 218 and 219 are similar. Figures 220, 221 and 222 will present no difficulty; nor will Figures 226, 227 and 228, but in the latter three we find that we cannot follow the above rule of passing from a joint along rafter to one on tie-rod; for we begin at joint AB (Figure 226) and find the strains BS and SO ; we next pass to

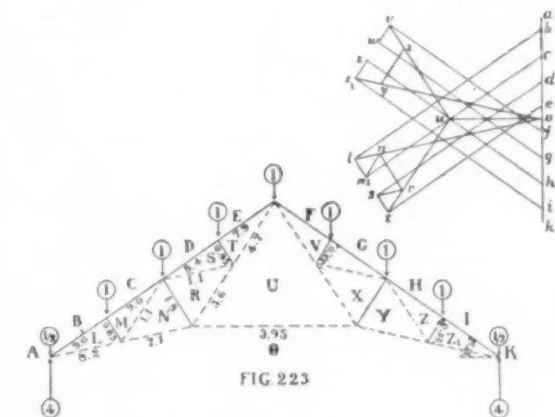
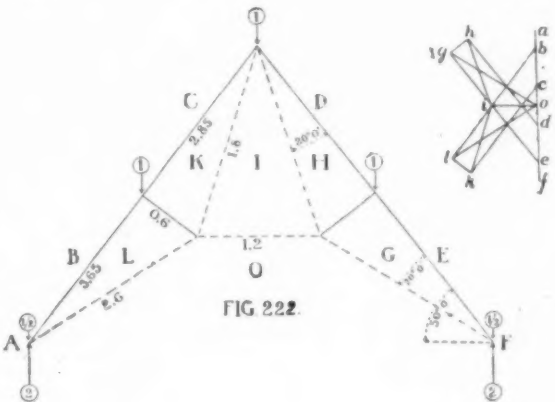
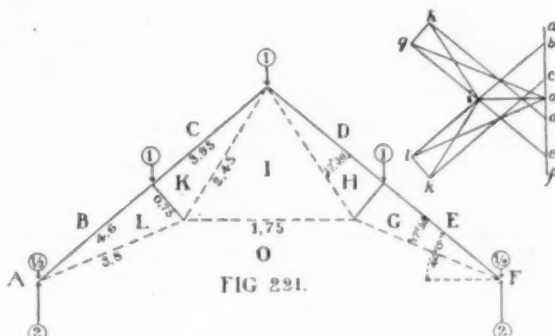
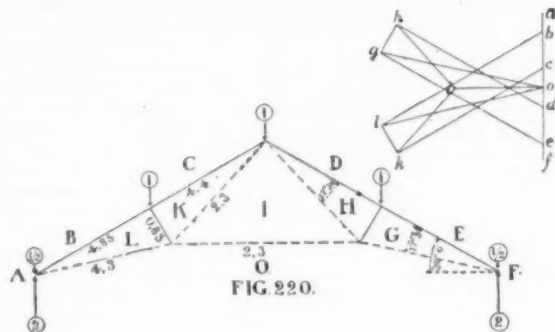


joint BC and find the two unknown strains CR and RS ; were we now to pass to the joint at the tie-rod, we should find it impossible to continue, for there would be three unknown strains, namely, RN , NM and MO ; but if we pass first to joint CD we find the two unknown strains DN and NR , and then going back to the joint at tie-rod, there remain only two unknown strains NM and MO which we can now find.

Figure 223, we will find, presents a difficulty at the joint $C D$ and

this truss, in effect, cannot be analyzed by the same method as the others.

We begin at joint AB and find the unknown strains BL and LO ; we pass the joint BC and find the strains CM and ML ; we now pass to first joint along tie-rod and find the strains MN and NO ; we now pass to joint CD but find three unknown strains DS , SR and



RN ; we try the second joint along tie-rod, but this, too, has three unknown strains NR , RU and UO ; so have all the other joints, we are, therefore, completely stopped. We reason, however, that the duties of LM and MN , are apparently the same as those of TS and SR , namely, to truss transversely the long (half) lengths of rafter. As the loads are the same on all joints we will assume that $SR = MN$ and $TS = LM$.

We can now continue our work, for at joint CD there only

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remain two unknown strains DS and RN . Passing to the second joint along tie we can continue, for, RN being now known, there only remain the two unknown strains RU and UO .

This method of reasoning is correct, where loads are uniform and the rafter divided into four equal panels; were this not the case, we

should have to find the strain on RN first, and by one of the methods shown in Figures 223a and 223b.

In the former we assume (temporarily) that the intermediate panels or joints do not exist.

We take care to re-proportion our loads on the joints properly, as there are now only two panels to main rafter, where before there were four.

We now find the strain on RN without any difficulty by drawing a separate strain diagram similar to the one shown in Figure 220 and having found the strain on RN we proceed with our original strain diagram annexed to Figure 223.

Or, we will assume (temporarily) that Figure 223 is altered to have three struts as shown in Figure 223b, taking care to keep RN the same, and the divisions of rafter the same, the loads on joints will therefore not be changed. We now find RN without difficulty

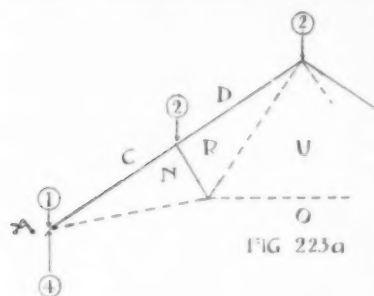


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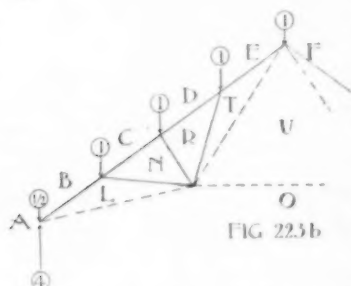


FIG. 223b

have three struts as shown in Figure 223b, taking care to keep RN the same, and the divisions of rafter the same, the loads on joints will therefore not be changed. We now find RN without difficulty

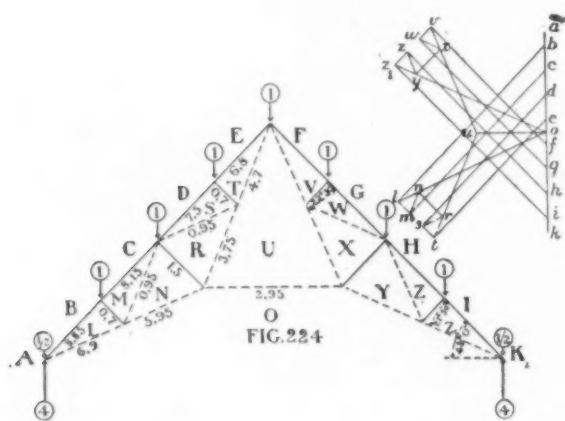


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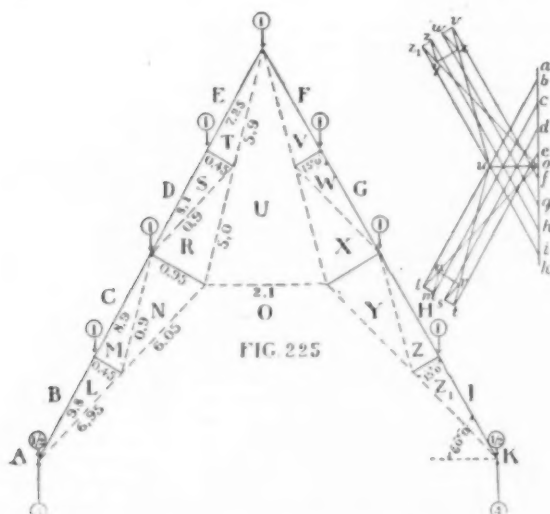


FIG. 225

by drawing a separate strain diagram like that shown in Figure 226; and having found RN proceed with our original strain diagram without difficulty.

Figures 224 and 225 are similar to Figure 223, excepting the inclination of main rafters, and angles between rafters and tie-rods.

Figures 213 to 219 are best adapted to wood, or wood and iron

construction; while Figures 220 to 228 are best adapted to iron construction, they being on the principle of a pair of inclined trussed beams tied together at one point and there taking up the horizontal thrust due to the inclination. Sometimes, if more convenient for

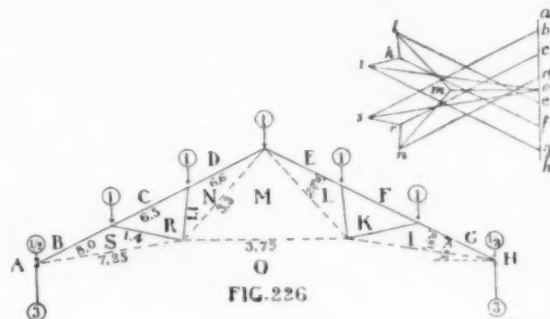


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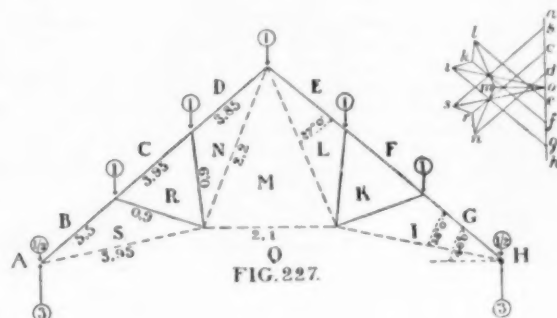


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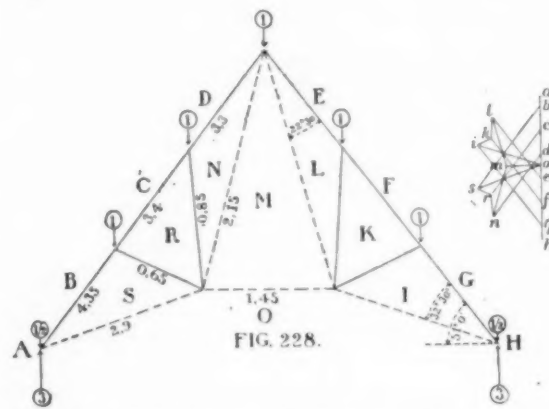


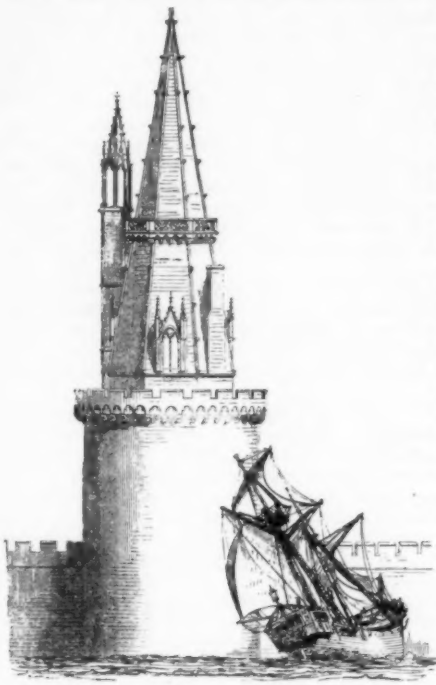
FIG. 228

securing roof beams, etc., the principals are made of wood, the balance of truss usually being of iron.

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[To be continued.]

OUR IMPERILLED FORESTS.—The wholesale extravagance of the people of the United States with the timber which abounds in this country and the merciless way in which the forests are being destroyed has attracted the attention of the Geographical Society of Germany. At a recent meeting Chief Forest Master Kessler called attention to the subject, quoting from the tenth census. He stated that in 1880 the 25,708 saw-mills in operation in the United States converted \$120,000,000 worth of raw timber stock into various kinds of lumber, and he asserted that at the same rate there would be no good-sized timber left in forty years. He spoke of the enormous waste of wood through forest fires, which are the result, for the most part, of carelessness or a desire to clear land for cultivation, and declared that the planting of new forests, which has of late years received some attention in the Eastern States, cannot begin to offset the waste. He said that there is every reason to fear that America will soon be a country impoverished for tree property. Mr. Kessler made the striking comparison that while the United States has but 11 per cent of its area covered by forests, the empire of Germany has 26 per cent of its entire area so covered. Mr. Kessler said that the reckless destruction of forest trees in America and the indifference manifested by Americans in the restoration of forests is a menace, not alone to the wealth of the nation, but threatens serious deterioration both to climatic conditions and the fertility of the soil. In a recent report to the State Department, Consul Merritt of Chemnitz calls attention to Mr. Kessler's remarks as worthy of the attention of the Department. — *The Evening Post*.

ARCHITECTURE UNDER NATIONALISM.¹—VI.

WE have based our calculations as to the amount of wealth annually produced under Nationalism upon the supposition that application to work on the part of the people will then be only as close as it is at present.

There are, however, many reasons for believing that application will be far more intense and its productiveness correspondingly increased, and that idleness will be comparatively rare in a social state in which faithful individual effort is assured the reward of all that is desirable and in which disgrace and deprivation are sure to follow indolence or neglect.

After what has already been said in this article it might seem superfluous to consider further these incentives for application, but so much depends upon a clear understanding of this point which has so often been a stumbling-block for those who discuss Nationalism without knowing what it is, that a few words in relation to incentive will be pardoned.

In just what manner the wealth of our Coöperative Commonwealth will be distributed among the citizens for their services, it is evidently impossible to foretell. Probably in different ways at different stages in the nationalization of industry, the principle of distribution on a basis of *effort* rather than *ability* becoming more and more recognized. This is clearly the only just basis of distribution, and is accordingly, for this reason, in the end inevitable. The capacity for wealth production of a nation being the result of ages of civilization, every individual, as a product of that civilization, is entitled to an equal share of the wealth due thereto, irrespective of any special ability or lack of ability he may individually have received from nature or education, provided only that he does his best.

Two brothers, A and B, have inherited to-day equal wealth. A war breaks out. A, being patriotic, leaves home and family to serve his country. He is wounded in battle and loses forever his ability to provide for his family. B is unpatriotic and cowardly. He remains at home and amasses a princely fortune in army contracts. The descendants of the patriot, deprived of capital and education, sink lower and lower under the heartless struggle for existence, called free competition, in which now only giants can succeed, while those of the unpatriotic brother, the "individualist," obtain the highest education and enjoy every form of luxury.

Every one recognizes this as unjust, but all do not see that the community in recognizing a system of unrestricted competition in industry is responsible for it. The descendants of A and B are equally entitled, so long as they do their duty, to an equal share in the fruits of civilization irrespective of the action of any particular individual, or individuals, in the line of their pedigree, since all are descended from the same common stock—children in the same human family—which produced those fruits. Hence the nation should own all the machinery of production in order that this equal distribution may become practicable.

But, inasmuch, as the nation is gradually assuming control of certain industries which already owe their existence to governmental intervention or franchise, there is and will continue some time to be a transition period, in which a basis of distribution in proportion to ability will prevail.

In this article, however, I refer to Nationalism only in its completed and perfected form, and assume a basis of equal distribution dependent upon effort alone.

The principle of equal pecuniary reward to all workers irrespective of their productive ability has been the cause of much unfavorable criticism of Nationalism for three reasons: First, on the ground that such equal distribution would deprive many having superior ability and industry, of luxuries which they are now able to obtain; second, that it would lead to a wholesale shirking of work by the lazy and selfish, and third, on account of a false idea that a pecuniary reward is

the only one which will, or ever can appeal to the average human being.

The first of these three objections is answered the moment we fully realize the prodigious increase of productiveness effected by Nationalism, whereby more than sufficient is produced to provide every individual with every want and luxury which can reasonably be desired in a community of workers.

Let us examine the second.

Idleness which under the competitive system is not only allowed but even encouraged, would be discouraged under Nationalism by universal condemnation.

To-day unproductiveness on the part of the wealthy is regarded rather as a mark of distinction than the reverse, and in England, as a necessary condition of the highest social distinction, whereas under Nationalism, it will be regarded as the most profound disgrace.

Now moral and intellectual effort and achievement, the real wealth producers, stand below financial shrewdness in the rewards and honors of society.

Under Nationalism they will attain the highest rewards and honors within the bestowal of the people, because it will be for the interest of all to have this so.

Now, not only is there no law for the adequate punishment of idleness, but in the present condition of things there could be none. The tramp may be imprisoned, but imprisonment for the tramp means comparative comfort and security. He has nothing to lose, and this is the case with most idlers in the two extremes of social position.

Under Nationalism idleness will be punished by disgrace and the deprivation of all the great wealth and luxuries the nation would otherwise bestow.

Under the present system, work is arduous and unceasing. Under Nationalism it will become the pleasurable exercise of one's strongest faculties and tastes for a definite and useful purpose, an exercise which increases in intensity of interest as those faculties and tastes are developed by cultivation.

Man is by nature ambitious and active. Indolence is the result of disease or discouragement. When in a normal and healthy condition, man, like all animals delights in the exercises of all his functions. Such exercise is a structural necessity the neglect of which results in pain. No severer punishment can be inflicted upon a vigorous nature than forced inactivity. When each individual is allowed to pursue the special activity for which he is best fitted, as will be the case under Nationalism, the danger will be, not that he will work too little but that he will work too much. It must be borne in mind that under the competitive system every kind of occupation is and must be made more or less disagreeable by the very nature itself of the competitive struggle, and it is this alone which now renders work arduous. Thus in the practice of architecture, the detective, legal and financial duties, worries and limitations, and the hurry necessitated by the competitive state are the items and the only ones which render the occupation of the architect irksome. Under Nationalism the expression "work" will acquire an entirely new meaning. It will signify "interesting occupation" which corresponds simply with our expression "play"; the only difference being that it will be of the kind in which the interest constantly increases through life with the increasing knowledge and skill gradually acquired in the game as it progresses.

When the interests of all become identical, there will be a strong and common motive to make every occupation as pleasant as possible, and when the united energy of an entire people is directed upon the attainment of this object, success will be certain. The architect of industrial buildings instead of being hampered by restrictions urged in the interest of larger profits to capitalists will be encouraged to plan and construct workrooms healthy, comfortable and attractive by thorough ventilation, lighting and every form of sanitary construction and appropriate artistic treatment; this new motive for making every occupation as pleasant as possible will be a strong incentive to supplant by machinery all those kinds of manual work which are, by their nature, unhealthy, dangerous, or especially disagreeable.

The third cause of criticism, that a pecuniary reward is the only one which can possibly appeal to the average man, has been to a great extent answered by what has already been written.

This much, however, may be added, that whatever may be the success of the method of recompense proposed under Nationalism for the encouragement of good work, the method now in vogue must be pronounced a total failure. The hardest workers now as a rule receive the smallest pecuniary reward and honesty and generosity stand little chance before sharpness and selfishness.

The money gauge is evidently totally inadequate to measure intellectual effort. The custom of gauging the value of an artist's work, for instance, by a uniform percentage on the cost of the building tends constantly to the deterioration of his art. In a society which pretends to make the reward proportional to ability, the highest intellectual and emotional effort is measured by the same material standard as a purely mechanical or speculative operation backed only by large capital. The designing of a cathedral may produce as much as the commission on a cargo of hogs or on the speculation of a stock gambler, either of which might require but the writing of a single letter.

Under Nationalism no attempt is made to perform the impossible task of measuring mental effort by material standards. Cooperation enables the nation to furnish its citizens free with all the material wants,

¹ Continued from page 170, No. 768.

and intellectual ability and effort are recognized and rewarded by promotion into higher intellectual authority.

But even if pecuniary reward were made dependent upon ability (real and not fictitious) under Nationalism, instead of upon effort, the result would, after all, in either case, be very nearly the same. For it must be remembered that all education being free, every individual will be supported by the State during the courses of schooling and apprenticeship for life's work, or, say, up to the age of 25. Then, if we assume that compulsory service to the nation terminates at the age of 45 or 50, after which the nation resumes the support of its citizens, pensioning those who have manfully labored to support the nation in peace as it now does those who have bravely slaughtered their brethren for their country in war, there will remain only from 20 to 25 years, which will be affected by the question of method of remuneration.

Under the influence of mutual helpfulness which common interests would foster all work will become respectable and respected. There will be no so-called "menial" service. There will be none of the senseless distinctions in the "respectability" of different occupations which exist now; as, for instance, between gambling at wholesale as in the stock-exchange and at retail, as at the gaming-table, the former being eminently respectable, though infinitely more injurious to society as affecting countless outsiders; and the latter eminently disgraceful, though harmful only to the individual gambler, himself. Or, as between the skilful mechanic and the wealthy Corporation Treasurer of to-day, the former often requiring infinitely more brains and experience than the latter, who may delegate the real work to assistants. Yet custom places the latter occupation far higher, socially and financially, than the former.

Under Nationalism a liberal education will be given alike to all, and machinery and organization will do much of the work now left to individuals, relieving men of unhealthy and tedious drudgery on the one hand, and of extraordinary responsibility on the other.

The marvellous financial and executive ability now required of business managers to launch and afterwards pilot safely through the stormy seas of competition, every important mercantile or speculative enterprise of to-day, will be supplanted by the perfect system of the great industrial army of nationalists. Then the duties and responsibilities under this system, both of officers and men, will be so equally distributed among all the workers that none will ever feel overburdened by an undue share. Accordingly the remuneration of all workers, even on a basis of ability, would be far more equal than now, and those who fear disastrous results from the adoption of the juster basis, very greatly overestimate the danger.

To illustrate my meaning let us imagine for instance a possible manner in which the Department of Architecture may be organized under a Nationalist administration, without assuming, of course, that the details introduced for the purpose of completing the picture are indispensable to the general plan.

In order that architects may supervise the erection of the structure they design, the national architectural offices will have to be distributed throughout the country in accordance with the requirements of each locality; and for the convenience of the profession they will be built adjoining the great sample-stores of the district. Evidently a much smaller number of architects will be required for a given amount of building than now. Probably a very small proportion of the architects and draughtsmen now practising in Boston, if methodically employed, and relieved of the legal, financial and competitive work now exacted of them, could suffice for the purely architectural work they perform. But under Nationalism, however, the duties of engineer and draughtsman will devolve upon the architect, and as the enormous increase of national wealth will increase also the amount of building, all of which will be placed in charge of architects, the profession will undoubtedly be much larger in proportion to the population than now.

Accordingly the department of architecture, sculpture, and painting for the Boston district will comprise a hundred or more architects. They will occupy a building appropriately designed for the purpose, and as the structure will stand as a permanent expression of the state of our national art at the period of its erection, its proper architectural treatment both exterior and interior will be a matter of patriotic solicitude to every citizen.

As it is indispensable for the highest development of architecture that sculpture and painting be closely allied thereto, or rather, form an essential part thereof, the same building will as intimated contain also the studios of sculptors and painters as well as a museum of the best products of these allied arts.

The site will be made worthy of the structure by landscape gardening, fountains and statuary, arranged in such a manner that the approach shall do honor to the monument. The building itself, both without and within, will be richly adorned with color and sculpture appropriate to its purpose and an atmosphere of refinement will pervade every part inspiring the occupants fittingly for their work. It will face diagonally with the points of the compass in order that all sides may be reached by the direct rays of the sun at some time during the day, the new streets of the city being laid out with this in view.

There will be no "draughtsmen" in the present acceptance of the word. Every part and detail of a building being equally important in the eye of the artist will be the work of his own hand. The enlarging and copying of drawings will be done by photographic and other mechanical processes conducted in a special department of the building devoted thereto. Thus, after the architect has drawn his

quarter-inch-scale working-plans, they will be taken into the mechanical department, and such portions of them as the architect desires will be instantly enlarged to, say, an inch-scale, and returned to him. These enlargements will be corrected and refined by him, and then still further mechanically enlarged to full size. Once more the architect will alter and perfect the final enlargements, after which all the drawings will be ready for copying in the mechanical department for distribution among the various builders.

Aided by this mechanical enlarging process, the architect will be encouraged always to begin his designs upon a very small scale, say an eighth or sixteenth of an inch, following them up with many successive enlargements, by which process much greater boldness and simplicity of effect, and much more perfect harmony of proportions are attainable, than is possible without the aid of these successive studies.

In this way the architect will be absolutely relieved from all the purely mechanical and laborious processes he is now subjected to, and thus be free to devote his attention to every detail of the design. His only assistants will be his fellow artists, the sculptors and painters, with whom he will be in constant communication throughout the work.

Of course, under the competitive system all this would be impossible. It could only be carried out by the aid of the wealth of a great Cooperative Commonwealth and on a grand scale. Though a syndicate of talented architects formed on some such basis in any of the great cities even now would probably meet with considerable success both as a financial and economical enterprise.

Since architecture is even to-day, with all its needless drawbacks, one of the most attractive occupations, there will under Nationalism when these drawbacks are removed, be so large a number of aspirants for its practice that only those having exceptional talent or even genius for it will be enrolled by the nation. Undoubtedly the principle of longer working-days for attractive and shorter for unattractive occupations will be adopted by the Commonwealth so far as practicable. But were this principle alone relied upon for equalizing the applications, the days of the most attractive ones might have to be prolonged beyond the limit of healthfulness, and one of the dangers most to be guarded against under Nationalism will be over-application. Even now history is full of cases of physical and mental injury due to over-application for love of work on the part of artists and talented men; and under Nationalism the favorable conditions for work will multiply such cases indefinitely unless wise measures are taken by the administration to provide against it. The people will then be as solicitous for the life and strength of its workers in peace, as they now are of its fighters in war.

Accordingly the length of the architect's working-day will be limited by Nature's laws of health, and it is certain that by the observance of these laws, a greater amount of work will be accomplished in the long run than by their neglect. Therefore a system of selection for talent will govern the admission into the architectural ranks, and it is in this manner that the law of the survival of the fittest will be carried out under Nationalism. It is in this way that Nationalism is seen to be in the direct line of evolution to a higher plane of human life.

How now will the various buildings to be erected by the nation be distributed among the national architects without overworking some and underworking others, and yet in a manner which will yield to the nation the full benefit of the peculiar talents of each individual.

The constantly increasing complication in all industries arising from the rapid progress of science and invention has evolved the specialist in the various professions. As in medicine the separate parts of the body have become the subjects of distinct sciences each requiring years of special application for its mastery. So in architecture, special research and experience are requisite for attaining the best results in designing the various kinds of buildings needed. Thus the building of school-houses has become a science of itself. So it is with libraries, and equally with theatres, churches, bridges, hospitals, and, in short, all buildings erected for specialists will require specialists for their erection.

Yet it is, all the same, indispensable that the specialist should be grounded in the principles of general practice, and with this in view the first training of all architects is the same.

The department of architecture will then be divided up into groups of specialists, natural aptitude guiding one individual towards the scientific or engineering side of architecture and another toward the more distinctly æsthetic, emotional, or poetic side, the former corresponding somewhat with the civil engineers of the present day and the latter with our sculptors.

This subdivision into groups of specialists will not only greatly facilitate the distribution of work but it will form an element of harmony and good feeling among the practitioners by excluding, so far, feelings of jealousy which might arise were there no such natural distinction between the workers.

But a still further security against the growth of petty rivalries and jealousies lies in the fact that important work will be provided for all at all times, and that it will be almost impossible to say in the case of nine-tenths of the buildings erected under Nationalism which will be the most important, especially from the standpoint of the architect. The element of size alone will not constitute superiority, for the smallest buildings may be dedicated to the highest purposes. Richness of material and decoration alone will not necessarily open the greatest field for the architect, for the work of the sculptor and

painter will predominate in these. Importance or nobility of destination will not constitute superiority; for under Nationalism all forms of honest work will be seen to be equally noble, and in a like manner the buildings in which such work is performed, and this will be recognized in its true relationship when no longer overshadowed by the money estimate.

I fail, therefore, to find any opportunity under such a system, for the development of petty jealousies predicted by unbelievers in Nationalism, in architecture at least. But I do find the amplest incentives for the noblest form of friendly emulation. Natural genius will, of course, show itself in its works, and lead to prominence, but as soon as the great truth is generally recognized, that, for the highest good of our national architecture, the individual must be made secondary to his art, that personality must be sacrificed for principle, and that the utmost attainment of genius is the contribution of a microscopic atom to the general progress; then will a jealousy due to inequalities of natural endowment be impossible, and no other cause for such a feeling will exist.

Thus it is clear that equal material remuneration among architects at least for equal effort will be a perfectly just and extremely desirable principle, beside relieving artists of all sordid considerations of pecuniary emolument.

The interior administration of our architectural department will be very simple, the utmost possible freedom from unnecessary restrictions of every kind upon individual action being aimed at. Each group of specialists will elect from among its number its Representative or Foreman, and these Representatives will in the same manner elect its Chief of the District Department of Architecture. The duties of these officers will be to place the buildings to be erected in charge of the proper architects, to keep account of the general progress of all work in their District and render a proper report of such work at proper intervals.

It seems to me unnecessary to insist that though election to these offices will be viewed as an honor as implying confidence on the part of the constituents, yet there will be nothing in them of a nature to incite to corrupt practices or intrigue for their attainment. Indeed, most true artists would prefer to be free from the somewhat distracting duties and responsibilities attending them.

At the present time it is customary for the architectural student to obtain the practical part of his training by serving as draughtsman in some architect's office. Under Nationalism a far better and more thorough system of preparation will be provided for the young architect.

A special Preparatory School of Architecture will form a wing of the main building already described, in which students will receive a complete course of architectural and engineering training, theoretical and practical.

This school will possess immeasurable advantages over any now existing in the world, or which could exist under the competitive system. In the German academies thorough courses of both architecture and engineering are given under the same roof open to all.

The leading practising architects of the country are employed to give lectures and practical courses of instruction at the schools at certain hours, usually each instructor giving from four to eight hours a week to this work. At Berlin, when the writer studied in the Royal Academy, there were twenty such courses, most of them conducted by the ablest practitioners in the country.

The principle of instruction in the French Academy at Paris, is very different from the German. Distinguished practising architects give courses of instruction, it is true, but it is a matter of etiquette for a pupil to confine himself to a single instructor during the whole academical course. The result is that the student sees very little of the master, and depends for his advancement substantially upon the emulation existing among the pupils themselves, and the example of the most proficient among them. Such a method of instruction may be good for the painter and sculptor, but for the architect it is totally inadequate.

In both academies, regular monthly or quarterly competitions among the pupils on a given programme constitute prominent features of the course.

Our nationalist school will retain whatever features are good in both French and German schools.

The "concours" will be retained, but instead of being competitions for the solution of some programme arbitrarily composed for the occasion, they will be competitions for the solution of programmes for buildings actually to be executed for the nation by the practising architects themselves who constitute the Board of Instructors in the Academy. As in the German schools now, the practising architects under Nationalism will give courses of lectures and of instruction in design to the students in the adjoining building, as a regular part of their professional duties, devoting thereto, perhaps each from four to eight or more hours a week. The course in design will consist in the practising architect giving his pupils for a programme the actual building (no architect having charge of more than one building at any time) he is himself commissioned to erect at that time. The programme will be presented to his pupils after he has prepared his first working-drawings precisely as it was presented to him by the administration, with such additional explanations as he may deem necessary for his pupils; and after they have completed their drawings, each will have the advantage of comparing them not only with those of their fellow-pupils, but still better with those of the master himself as prepared for actual execution. The importance of this

feature of our academical course as a means of inducing a serious, intelligent and practical study of their plans on the part of the student is inestimable. The training at once assumes the attractiveness of reality, and both pupil and master are immensely benefited at the same time. The architect acquires the invaluable habit of expressing his ideas in the clearest manner by word and pencil, and is obliged to have a good reason for every architectural form which the conditions of the problem have evolved. Everything must be truthful, logical and refined in his design in order that it may serve as a perfect model for his pupils. On the other hand, any peculiarly happy points which may be developed by the studies of the pupils will be gladly incorporated by the architect in the plans to be executed, such adoption not only encouraging and gratifying the pride of the student but benefiting the public as well.

After the plans are completed and during the erection of the building, an important part of our course of instruction will consist in the inspection of the work by the pupils under the architect's guidance and explanations, from time to time as the work progresses.

Thus the training of the architectural student for his professional work will be scientifically conducted in the most thorough manner both theoretically and practically. He receives instruction not from one architect alone but from many, all working harmoniously together in one style, the national style, and all interested in his progress.

The haphazard and superficial instruction which the student of to-day receives as a draughtsman in his wanderings from office to office, picking-up here a little and there a little, copying letters, running errands, tracing ill-digested plans which he only half understands, and perhaps never sees executed, haggling for an increase in his salary, and ever harassed by petty rivalries and jealousies, will be happily done away with forever.

The various building trades will work in harmony with the architects. Like them they will be divided into specialists in each great department. Thus in the mason's trade, the same individual will take charge of the masonry of the same kind of building as a specialist in that class, and in this way builders and architects in the same class will become personally acquainted with one another and with their peculiar work, and the work of both be thereby facilitated and improved. The specifications of the architect as to the materials to be used will consist simply in designating these materials through their numbered samples in the great sample-store adjoining the building of the department of architecture. The same numbers will be affixed to the samples published in the great national catalogues, so that the builder will be obliged only to refer to these to enable him to carry out the terms of the specification to the letter. The builders will have nothing to do with estimating the cost of the structures. This will be done by specialists in the architectural department. Nor will the builder nor any of the workmen have anything to do with contracts or payments of any form whatever connected with the building. The specification of the architect properly signed by him and countersigned by the head of his department, will constitute the order of the builder upon the national supply-department for building materials. All the details for the stone-cutting will be made by the architect. The builder will have nothing to do with the stone-cutters. These will be employed by the government directly at the quarries where the details of the architect will be carried out. In this manner all waste of stone and cost of transporting the rough material will be avoided. It will be the same way with the framing which will be cut and fitted at the mills.

The builder will take the place of the clerk-of-the-works of to-day, and have charge, under the architect, of all the workmen employed on the building, entirely relieving the architect of any responsibility for delays and inaccuracies not due to errors in the plans. All the workmen will, of course, be on a financial equality, and they will be subjected only to such discipline as is necessary to the proper conduct of the work. The officers will consist simply of the builder or chief of the works, and the foremen in the different trades, who will see that the men are provided with materials and that they use these materials properly and economically, and do their duty generally. Gross carelessness and indolence will be reported and punished by reduction of remuneration and by such other means as may be found most effective.

It is likely that before Nationalism can be introduced in its complete and perfect form, machinery will have supplanted most or all of the most disagreeable parts of the builder's work, such as conveying the heavy materials from the ground to the parts of the building where they are to be finally laid. But even then there will for a long time be no lack of men incapable of doing the difficult and more intellectual parts of the construction. These will be glad of the opportunity to perform the purely mechanical operations, uneducated foreigners will, so far as the immigration laws will allow, flock to the nation which first adopts a rational system of industry and undertake such forms of labor as will be found arduous by the natives under the high grade of cultivation such a system will furnish, before suitable machinery shall have been invented as a substitute.

The kind of work which will remain after machinery and foreigners have undertaken the most arduous and mechanical parts, will be a high grade of skilled labor, involving perhaps as long a course of preparatory education and as much ability, though of a different kind, as the various professions, and deserving of as high a material reward.

A word about the morality and justice of Nationalism and I shall then endeavor to explain in conclusion the method by which I believe

the system may be speedily introduced into our country without friction or confiscation of personal property, when once the people become sufficiently informed as to its principles to desire it.

J. P. PUTNAM.

[To be continued.]

THE DOME OF ST. PAUL'S.

THE WHISPERING GALLERY.



THE mathematical theory of sound has been completely worked out, yet he would be a bold man who would venture to predict *a priori* what the exact acoustic properties of any proposed large edifice would be. This is, however, scarcely to be wondered at when we call to mind how easily the delicate sound-waves may be disturbed, reflected, absorbed, or reinforced. Laboratory experiments show conclusively that the presence or absence of a suitable sounding-board may make all the difference as to whether vibrations shall or shall not be audible to the company filling a room such as the Lecture Theatre of the Royal Institution.¹ The writer remembers once opening the west door of Ely Cathedral, when immediately there fell upon his ears, as distinctly as though he had been within a few feet of the speaker, the words of one of the Commandments read out by the present Bishop of Carlisle at the altar more than 450 feet away; every syllable was distinct, yet the vibrations had to traverse the choir with its groined vault, the lofty central octagon, and the nave with its wooden wagon-head ceiling. These remarks have been suggested by a passage in Lord Rayleigh's "*Theory of Sound*,"² which may be of interest to architects. He says:

One of the most striking of the phenomena connected with the propagation of sound within closed buildings is that presented by "whispering galleries," of which a good and easily accessible example is to be found in the circular gallery at the base of the dome of St. Paul's Cathedral. As to the precise mode of action acoustical authorities are not entirely agreed. In the opinion of the [late] Astronomer Royal,³ the effect is to be ascribed to reflection from the surface of the dome overhead, and is to be observed at the point of the gallery diametrically opposite to the source of sound. Every ray proceeding from a radiant point and reflected from the surface of a spherical reflector, will after reflection intersect that diameter of the sphere which contains the radiant point. This diameter is, in fact, a degraded form of one of the two caustic surfaces touched by systems of rays in general, being the *loci* of the centres of principal curvature of the surface to which the rays are normal. The concentration of rays on one diameter thus effected does not require the proximity of the radiant point to the reflecting surface.

Judging from some observations that I have made in St. Paul's whispering gallery, I am disposed to think that the principal phenomenon is to be explained somewhat differently. The abnormal loudness with which a whisper is heard is not confined to the position diametrically opposite to that occupied by the whisperer, and therefore, it would appear, does not depend materially upon the symmetry of the dome. The whisper seems to creep round the gallery horizontally, not necessarily along the shorter arc, but rather along that arc towards which the whisperer faces. This is a consequence of the very unequal audibility of a whisper in front of and behind the speaker, a phenomenon which may easily be observed in the open air.

Let us consider the course of the rays diverging from a radiant point *P*, situated near the surface of a reflecting sphere, and let us denote the centre of the sphere by *O*, and the diameter passing through *P* by *AA'*, so that *A* is the point on the surface nearest to *P*. If we fix our attention on a ray which issues from *P* at an angle θ with the tangent plane at *A*, we see that after any number of reflections it continues to touch a concentric sphere of radius *OP* cosine θ , so that the whole conical pencil of rays which originally make angle with the tangent plane at *A* numerically less than θ , is ever afterwards included between the reflecting surface and that of the concentric sphere of radius *OP* cosine θ . The usual divergence in three dimensions entailing a diminishing intensity varying *inversely as the square of the distance* is replaced by a divergence in two dimensions like that of waves issuing from a source situated between two parallel reflecting planes, with an intensity varying *inversely as the distance*. The less rapid enfeeblement of sound by distance than that usually experienced is the leading feature in the phenomena of whispering galleries.

The thickness of the sheet included between the two spheres becomes less and less as *A* approaches *P*, and in the limiting case of a radiant point situated on the surface of the reflector is expressed by $OA (1 - \cos \theta)$, or, if θ be small, $\frac{1}{2} OA \cdot \theta^2$ approximately. The solid angle of the pencil, which determines the whole amount of radiation in the sheet, is $4\pi\theta$; so that as θ is diminished without limit the intensity becomes infinite, as compared with the intensity at a finite distance from a similar source in the open.

It is evident that this clinging, so to speak, of sound to the surface

of a concave wall does not depend upon the exactness of the spherical form. But in the case of a true sphere, or rather of any surface symmetrical with respect to *AA'*, there is in addition the other kind of concentration spoken of at the commencement of the present section, which is peculiar to the point *A'* diametrically opposite to the source. It is probable that in the case of a nearly spherical dome, like that of St. Paul's, a part of the observed effect depends upon the symmetry, though perhaps the greater part is referable simply to the general concavity of the walls.

The propagation of earthquake disturbances is probably affected by curvature of the surface of the globe acting like a whispering gallery, and perhaps even sonorous vibrations generated at the surface of the land or water do not entirely escape the same kind of influence.

In connection with the acoustics of public buildings there are many points which still remain obscure. It is important to bear in mind that the loss of sound in a single reflection at a smooth wall is very small, whether the wall be plane or curved. In order to prevent reverberation it may often be necessary to introduce carpets or hangings to absorb the sound. In some cases the presence of an audience is found sufficient to produce the desired effect. In the absence of all deadening material the prolongation of sound may be very considerable, of which, perhaps, the most striking example is that afforded by the Baptistery at Pisa, where the notes of the common chord, sung consecutively, may be heard ringing on together for many seconds. According to Henry⁴ it is important to prevent the repeated reflection of sound backwards and forwards along the length of a hall intended for public speaking, which may be accomplished by suitably placed oblique surfaces. In this way the number of reflections in a given time is increased, and the undue prolongation of sound is checked.

Thus far Lord Rayleigh: but it may be remarked thereon that the whispering gallery at St. Paul's is not at the base of the dome, but considerably below it—at the bottom, in fact, of the slightly-inclined drum on which the dome rests—and that the dome, according to Mr. Penrose is a paraboloid generated by the rotation of a portion of a parabola round an axis lying in its plane, and making an angle of $38\frac{1}{2}$ degrees with the axis of the curve; the axis of rotation, of course, coinciding with the vertical line through the centre of the octagon which the dome covers, and the inclined line of the drum being tangential to the generating curve. Now it is at least singular that the data furnished by Mr. Penrose lead to the conclusion that the axis of the generating curve, produced downwards, traverses the whispering gallery; or, in other words, the source of sound is always on, or very near to, an axis of symmetry of the dome overhead. The greater part of the height of the drum is broken up with pilasters, windows and niches, which would materially interfere with the reflection of sound-waves, but the broken-up surface commences at a height of some feet above the gallery, and it would appear that the waves, impinging upon a considerable portion of the smooth band thus left above the head of a person in the gallery, would be first reflected to the portion of the domical surface near the vertex of the generating curve, and thence down again in the neighborhood of the spot diametrically opposite to the source of sound.—*T. J. Eagles in the R. I. B. A. Journal.*



[Contributors are requested to send with their drawings full and adequate descriptions of the buildings, including a statement of cost.]

DOORWAY TO HOUSE OF W. P. MASON, ESQ., 211 COMMONWEALTH AVE., BOSTON, MASS. MESSRS. ROTCH & TILDEN, ARCHITECTS, BOSTON, MASS.

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OFFICE-BUILDING FOR THE *Globe-Democrat* PRINTING COMPANY, ST. LOUIS, MO. MR. ISAAC S. TAYLOR, ARCHITECT, ST. LOUIS, MO.

RED granite base with red sandstone for first and second story walls and for trimmings above; body of walls of red brick. The ground-floor will be used for the newspaper counting-room, mailing-room, etc. The presses will be placed in the basement with boiler and engine room in sub-basement. Composing-room and editorial-rooms on 7th and 8th stories. Will be of strictly fireproof construction throughout. Italian marble on floors and walls of all corridors and entrances. All conveniences and finish of a thoroughly first-class modern office-building. Cost \$375,000.

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¹ Tyndall's "*Lectures on Sound*," p. 81, 2d ed. 1869.

² Vol. II, sect. 287, pp. 115-117.

³ *Airy's "On Sound,"* p. 145, 2d ed. 1871.

⁴ "*American Association Proceedings*," p. 119. 1856.

PROPOSED HOUSE, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y. MR. W. M. MACCAFFERTY,
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HOUSE FOR MRS. W. S. HILL, GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. MESSRS.
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A CLUSTER OF COLUMNS IN THE CLOISTER, MONREALE, SICILY.
[Gelatine Print.]

It is not an uncommon thing for architects about to make a trip to Europe to ask if they cannot be of some service to us, and we always explain in what way their efforts may be profitably expended for the benefit of our subscribers. Experience has shown that these well-intentioned offers were made in total misapprehension of the difficulties that would attend their execution, for of the many travelling architects who have offered aid only one has had the perseverance to surmount the difficulties his own good nature imposed upon him. We believe that our subscribers will share the gratitude we feel toward Mr. John Lyman Faxon, of Boston, for the series of negatives of fragments of the famous cathedral at Monreale, which enable us to publish the first subject in this issue.

A HOUSE ON THE MUSEUM PLACE, BUDA-PESTH, HUNGARY.
HERR. NIC. VON YBL, ARCHITECT.
[Gelatine Print.]

ORNAMENTS BY AN UNKNOWN SIXTEENTH-CENTURY ARTIST.
[Engraving.]

RUISHTON CHURCH, SOMERSET, ENG. P. M. JOHNSTON.

PULPIT AND ORGAN, ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH, FRAMLINGHAM,
ENG. E. S. PRIOR, M. A.

CHANCEL, HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, READING, ENG.

THE drawing produced this week was exhibited in this year's Royal Academy, and the work proposed was described in *The American Architect* for August 16 last, when the external view was published.

THE WHITE HART, HAVANT, ENG. MR. EDWARD STALLARD,
ARCHITECT, HAVANT, ENG.

THE building has a frontage of forty-four feet to the North and thirty-three feet to the East Streets, and is faced with red bricks, pointed with a tuck-pointed joint in black mortar, and has moulded red-brick labels, string-courses and cornices, with red terra-cotta panels. The raised name panels to each front are carried out in red rubbing bricks set in shellac, with lettering formed in relief in the brickwork. The upper part of fronts, and also the roofs, are covered with strawberry-colored Broseley tiles, with ornamental bands, etc.

NO. 9 BUSH LANE, CANNON STREET, LONDON, E. C. MR. THOMAS
R. RICHARDS, ARCHITECT, LONDON, ENG.

THIS building is situated on the west side of Bush Lane, close by the Cannon Street Station and Hotel. It has six floors, including the basement, and good lighting is secured throughout. The light to the lower floors being of much importance, iron construction is used here, permitting of continuous windows running right round the external sides. The upper floors extend across the arch-way, which is fireproofed and lined on underside with white-glazed bricks, as is also the wall under it opposite the windows. Each floor is subdivided into offices of convenient size, and the building is so constructed as to admit of all or any of the divisions being removed as desired. A small area at back, lined with white-glazed bricks, lights and ventilates the water-closets, lavatories, etc. The entrance hall is paved in mosaic, and a good, light, easy-going staircase leads direct from the entrance to the top floor. Prismatic pavement-lights are placed all round roadways to light basement, and have the area walls under same lined with white-glazed bricks. The fronts generally are in red brick, with moulded strings, cornices, key-stones, etc.; red-glazed brick are used for the piers and pilasters, and for the windows dressings, etc., over door, and green-glazed bricks are introduced in strings and panels. The dressings to entrance doorway are in red Mansfield stone, and the door in hardwood.

COMMUNICATIONS

[The editors cannot pay attention to demands of correspondents who forget to give their names and addresses as guaranty of good faith; nor do they hold themselves responsible for opinions expressed by their correspondents.]

THE LOSS OF LIFE ON THE N. Y. CENTRAL R. R.

NEW YORK, September 22, 1890.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE AMERICAN ARCHITECT:—

Dear Sirs:—In regard to your remarks of Sept. 20, 1890, in relation to statement made by Mr. Powderly that "forty men had lately been killed on the New York Central Railroad between 33d and 65th Streets," I beg to say that you are in error in regard to the road running through the tunnel between these two points; that is, the part of the road to which Mr. Powderly referred is the old road on the west side of the city, running to the freight yards, a freight depot being at 33d Street, and also one at 65th Street, and which runs through 11th Avenue on the surface of the street, and not the passenger road running through 4th Avenue tunnel.

Respectfully,
GEO. W. WHITE.

DURABILITY OF HIGH BRICK BUILDINGS.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

TO THE EDITORS OF THE AMERICAN ARCHITECT:—

Dear Sirs,—I have been in search for an article upon the advantages and durability of high brick buildings.

If you can help me out in any way, either through the columns of your own paper or in referring me to some pamphlet or paper of this nature, I shall be very glad to remunerate you. If any back number of your paper contains such an article, please mail it to me. Hoping you will be able to render me some assistance,

I am yours very truly,
THOS. GAMON.

A CORRECTION.

A CORRESPONDENT who desires to put others on their guard writes as follows:—

"Your reviewer of foreign books has gotten me into a little extra correspondence by stating in the number of July 12 last, that the price of *L'Architettura Italiana* was 4 francs, when I find in reality it is 6 francs and 1 additional (total 7) for postage."

We are, of course, very sorry to have misled any one.

NOTES AND CLIPPINGS

COUNTERFEIT PAINTINGS PRODUCED AT FONTAINEBLEAU.—An unexpected support has just been furnished to American advocates of the suppression of the duty of 30 per cent on foreign paintings and works of art imported into the United States. One of their arguments was to the effect that, as this duty made the importation dearer, Americans would purchase only paintings of renowned artists, and consequently that there would be a stronger incitement to selling them counterfeits skilfully gotten up. Nobody cared to buy common-rate paintings, when it cost no more, at least as to custom-house duties, to import first-rate works of art. The artists of the two worlds easily understood that, and this is why they applauded so warmly the announcement by the United States Minister on the opening of the American Artists' Circle in Paris, that the House of Representatives at Washington had abolished the duty of 30 per cent. They hope at present that the recent discovery of the stupendous frauds perpetrated by some low artists without any scruples may persuade the American Senate to maintain the abolition decreed by the House. The counterfeiters were discovered through the exertions of the sister of the famous painter Courbet, who died a few years ago. His paintings, however, were not the only ones upon which counterfeiters exercised their nefarious practices, and a whole lot of landscapes, portraits, Virgins and historical scenes were found offered for sale at Brussels, the great emporium for that kind of spurious works of art. In the month of July, says *Le Temps* of Paris, the catalogue of a large sale of paintings to be held at Brussels was sent to all papers of the Continent. In that catalogue figured a "standing portrait of Courbet's sister," by her brother. He had made, indeed, three or four portraits of her, but in bust, and she could not remember of having ever being painted "standing" by him. She went to Brussels, accompanied by her cousin, M. Eugene Courbet, a treasurer for the city of Paris. They saw that the portrait was that of some woman, but not at all of Miss Courbet, and they caused a rectification to be made on the catalogue. In the course of their investigations it was learned that a Brussels dealer, also the owner of a store in Paris, possessed a whole lot of alleged paintings by the great masters, Troyon, Corot, Courbet, etc. The dealer ordered them to be painted by some artists, the principal of whom lived at Marlotte, the celebrated village in the midst of the Fontainebleau forest, the cherished gathering-place of so many foreign and French artists, and not far from the place inhabited by Millet, the painter of "The Angelus." Those counterfeiting painters

had each his specialty, but two of them worked especially on imitations of Courbet. One of them had been the pupil and the friend of the great artist, and he so perfectly imitated his style that one of his counterfeits was admitted at the latest Salon in Paris. The other was, however, the principal painter of the pictures offered for sale by the Brussels dealer. The latter, in order to give to the imitated paintings a better appearance of the genuine, which were known to date some years ago, "cooked" Courbet's counterfeits in a campaign-stove of peculiar arrangement, and thus they looked to have the age they would have had if genuine. These practices facilitated the sale of those spurious works of art, but now the nefarious trade of the Brussels dealer is at an end, for he has been compelled to close his store. — *N. Y. Tribune*.

AIR-FILTERS.—Last year Dr. R. J. Petri undertook a series of experiments at the Charlottenburg Polytechnic, in order to test the efficacy of textile air-filters for excluding micro-organisms. A short account of these experiments was published in the *Proceedings of the Institution of Civil Engineers*. A measured volume of air containing germs was passed through a filtering-cloth, and the result was ascertained by cultivation experiments on gelatine. The cloth used was a cotton fabric especially made for the purpose, and contained a weft of eighteen to twenty threads and a warp of nineteen threads to the centimetre. The volume of the air passed through was 191.75 cubic metres per square metre of filtering-surface. Dr. Petri found that this cloth failed to keep back the germs, as in one cubic metre of filtered air there were 2,900 bacteria and 13,500 spores of fungi. Some experiments were made with another cloth of closer fabric, and which had been used as an air-filter for some time. This gave far better results, although there were 510 germs of bacteria and 320 fungi spores in a cubic metre of air. It was found that a cloth which had been in use seventeen months had retained approximately 6,780,000 bacteria and 8,570,000 fungi spores per square metre of surface. These results were calculated to upset the belief of those who were trusting to the efficacy of air-filters of this nature, and in a recent number of the German publication, *Zeitschrift für Hygiene* (Vol. vii., p. 379), Dr. Karl Möller, who is a member of a firm engaged in the production of air-filters, criticises Dr. Petri's experiments, the results of which he considers not to be reliable. There are, he says, two kinds of air-filters, "germ-proof" and "dust-proof." The former consists mainly of ten layers of a thick, closely woven, and very rough material. The layers are arranged in a series of bags or pockets, the surfaces of which are placed at an angle to the direction of the air-current, the angle varying between three and five degrees. This disposition of the cloth, it is claimed, has a very great influence on the efficacy of the filter. In the dust-proof filters only one thickness of cloth is used. Dr. Möller complains the Dr. Petri did not conduct his experiments under conditions suitable to testing the filter. The latter caused the current of air to pass at right angles to the surface of the cloth, which, further, was strained by the passage of large volumes of air at an excessive velocity. Moreover, the cloth was not sterilized to begin with. On the whole it would seem that further experiments are required before we can say definitely that a "germ-proof" filter has not been made, although it seems too much to expect that, by any arrangement of layers of cloth, micro-organisms can be altogether arrested. Upon the value of "dust-proof" air-filters there is, or rather, should be no need to enlarge; their advantages are plainly manifest and consistently neglected. — *The Builder*.

USING ELECTRICITY IN MAKING IRON.—The most recent discovery made by Dr. Stephen H. Emmens is a process of making wrought-iron from pig metal without puddling. This is done by electricity, and the principal factor in its production is a dynamo. The method is very simple. The pig-iron is placed in vats or baths which are nearly filled with a chemical solution, and which are also provided with a series of plates of thin sheet-iron. These plates are connected with the negative pole of a dynamo, and the pig-iron is connected with the positive pole. The effect of this arrangement is that when a current of electricity is generated by the dynamo it gradually causes the iron of the pig-iron to become separated from its associated carbon, silicon, sulphur, phosphorus and other impurities, and to appear in a pure condition in the form of a deposit on the sheet-iron plates. When the deposit attains a sufficient thickness it is taken from the plates and forged or rolled into any desired form. The quality of this wrought-iron is superior to that of the best Swedish or Russian iron in the market. This iron can be bent, rolled or twisted into any shape, cold. The superintendent said that he could take a horseshoe nail, fasten the head of it in a vise, and twist it into an almost perfect screw without breaking. Blacksmiths have used the iron and pronounced it of the best quality. The specimens the doctor has at his laboratory appear to possess all the points of superiority he claims for them. The doctor has filed his papers for a patent both in the United States and in England, and he expects in a short time to make the iron upon a much larger scale than the experimental one. He has received inquiries concerning his process from nearly all parts of the world. A few days ago he received a letter from L. Imperatori, a large manufacturer of iron, in Italy, and the inventor of a patent process for the production of steel and iron, informing him that he had heard of the Emmens process, and would arrive in this country about the 1st of October to see it. It is also probable that some of the members of the English Iron and Steel Association, which will be in Pittsburgh in October, will visit the Emmens works. — *Pittsburgh Post*.

FEATHER FACTORIES IN GERMANY.—The United States Consul at Mannheim says that in Mannheim and the neighborhood there are several large factories worked by steam, with enormous machines employing hundreds of hands, engaged in preparing feathers for market. The feathers come in great quantities from Russia, Austria, and other parts of Europe, and also Asia, China especially sending vast quantities in a very dirty condition. The feathers come into the factory in large

bales. These are opened near a kind of gin or breaker, which separates the feathers from a lumpy or bunched form, and flings them around in an air-filled chamber, through which a constant current is blowing. From this machine they go to another, in which, by means of ventilators, a separation of the short and light feathers from the long and heavy is made. Stage after stage, through machines arranged and shaped much like cotton-gins, the feathers fly, each machine separating the lighter from the heavier, until the most delicate, flaky, snow down, is flung out into a large chamber. In one stage of the process, the feathers are cleansed. This is done by placing them in a large steam-heated boiler, into which steam is projected, and made to cleanse every particle of dirt from the feathers. Long before the feathers have time to be wet through by the steam, dry air is injected from one side, while suction currents draw off every particle of dust or dirt loosened by the steam. The largest feathers, those which on account of the long quills are unfitted for use, are sent to the State prisons, where for very small sums, the "wings" are carefully torn from the quills and returned to the factory, where they are cleansed and prepared for market. Most of the factories endeavor to get out of the feathers as much as possible of the down. A very fine quality of this article, that of the eider duck, fetches as much as 35s. a pound. The machines are very simple in character and construction, and require in their working no special skill. They consist of breakers and ventilators. Contrivances for catching dust have been invented, but never any so skillfully contrived as to keep the fine particles from finding their way into the open rooms and thence into the lungs of the workpeople. The machines are not patented, the demand not being large enough to warrant the expense of obtaining and maintaining patent rights. — *Journal of the Society of Arts*.

OLD CHURCH FLOORS.—Church floors present many interesting details. In York Cathedral, on the pavement, there used to be certain stones that marked the places where the leading personages were to stand in ceremonies. In Westminster Abbey there used to be a straight line of small stones in the middle of the paved floors to enable processions to keep in the centre of the ambulatories, portions of which may still be traced. — *The Gentleman's Magazine*.

TRADE SURVEYS

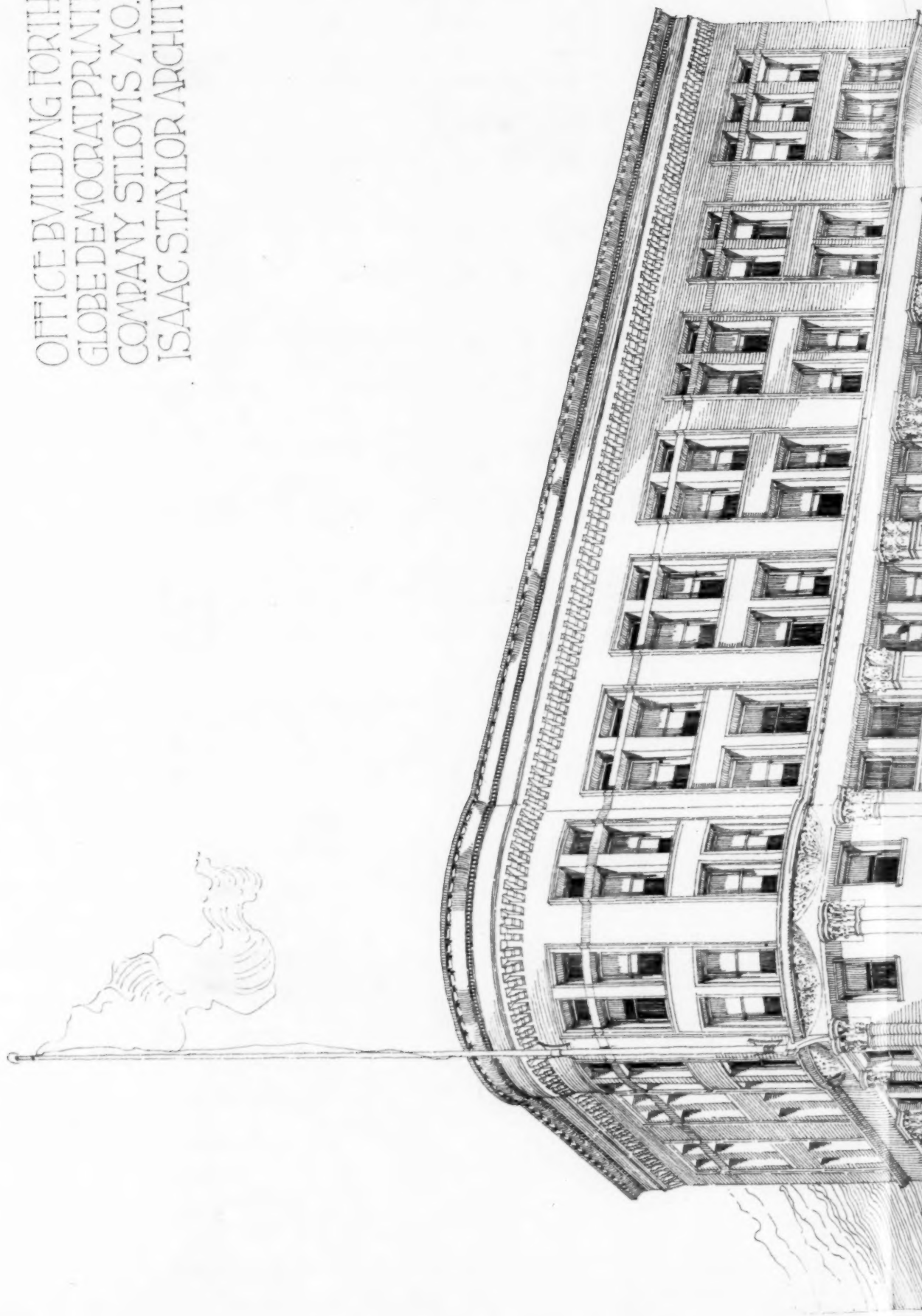
The reaction from temporary depression has been sudden and complete, at least for the time being. Important changes will be made in Treasury management. A broader commercial and financial basis will be laid by the business interests. The great expansion in all directions is having the effect of changing men's views as to the functions of money, and as to the importance of a sufficient volume of it. The disposition of present political issues will open up in the near future the consideration of a number of vital, and, as might just now be termed, radical measures. This will bring out, probably, a new and radically different set of public men. The change may not be sudden, but the driving necessity behind will not brook delay very long. Business has been up to the average during September, despite untoward influences. Jobbers have large stocks, especially those dealing in imported commodities. Manufacturers in all lines at home are crowding production as they have been for months past. Even in dry goods, hosiery, upholstery and carpets, great activity prevails. Stocks are large, but a remarkably active distribution is going on. In boots and shoes the output is very heavy, in paper prices are strong, and mills are running for the most part, according to recent estimates, within ten to fifteen per cent of their maximum capacity. Hardware manufacturers are everywhere pretty fully engaged, and hardware jobbers both East and West report a good business in progress. Architects are even now quite busy on winter work. Contractors and consulting engineers say that the winter months will be months of active preparation for early work next year. Civil engineers in Boston, New York and Chicago occupying positions which give their words much force say that at no time has there been as much new work projected. Railroad building is less promising than usual, but rail-makers have sold upwards of a million and a half tons of steel rails, besides much other stuff, and at this time they are in receipt of inquiries for large lots for winter and early spring delivery. Leaving out of account the doings of the speculators, trade is on a most solid and satisfactory basis. The chronic complaint of many Western writers that the West is suffering from interest exactions due the East is again proved to be without foundation. The greater productive capacity of the newer sections growing out of assistance received is a practical answer to all complaints. The iron and steel makers of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Tennessee and Alabama are all far oversold. A recent review of the Southern lumber interests shows that saw-mill capacity has been taxed for months, and an excellent season is ahead. New Orleans cotton authorities figure out that the gain which cotton-growers will realize out of this crop will stimulate cotton culture sufficiently to be felt in the implement, tool and general machinery interests. The same views are expressed at Memphis. As to the advisability of buying heavier stocks of all kinds, merchants and manufacturers differ. The basis for the difference is the probability of an advance in prices in 1891. It is rather strange that such a probability, or rather improbability, should cause concern in the month of September, 1890, but, as observed a few weeks ago, the subject is one that is studied by investors, manufacturers and others. Here is one fact that points in that direction: a large volume of available capital at home and abroad is now held in reserve. It is not that investors are not satisfied with profits and dividends on investments already made, but they feel that the country is about taking a new departure; that political views are changing; that vast possibilities and opportunities are opening up; that new theories and views are seeking a fighting ground, and, therefore, there is a little hesitancy they can hardly explain in the matter of launching out on a grander scale of investment than ever. One matter the leaders in the world's activities would like to be assured of is the permanency of any given political policy, whatever it may be. There is no power to give that assurance. The people are restive, and investors know it, but how that fact can affect the safety of investments the average observer fails to see. There is need of a well-defined national policy. Questions which the interests of thousands of millions of capital demand should be settled for good and all are made political foot-balls. There are a good many straws pointing in the direction of a more businesslike management of governmental affairs and in every department of them.

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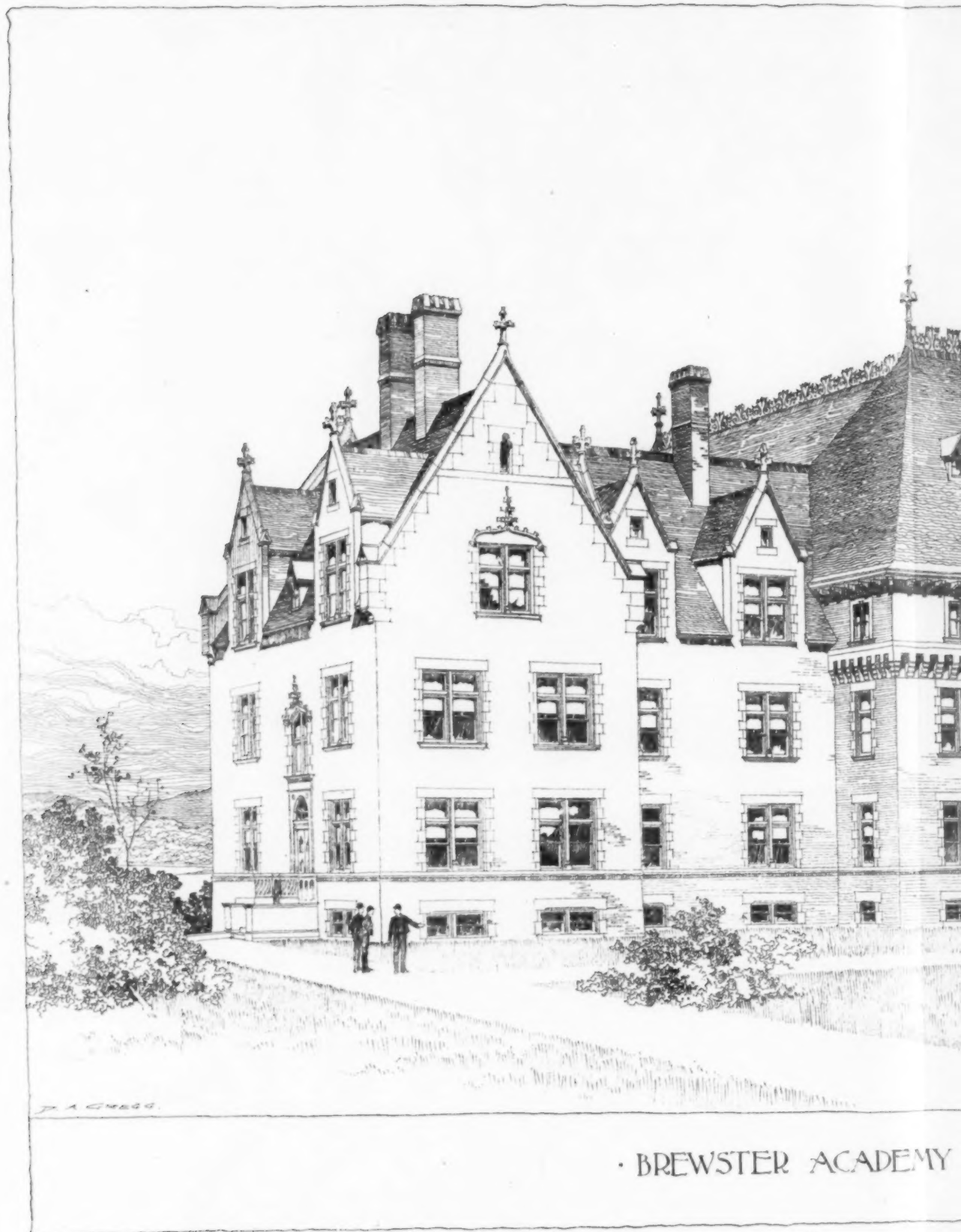
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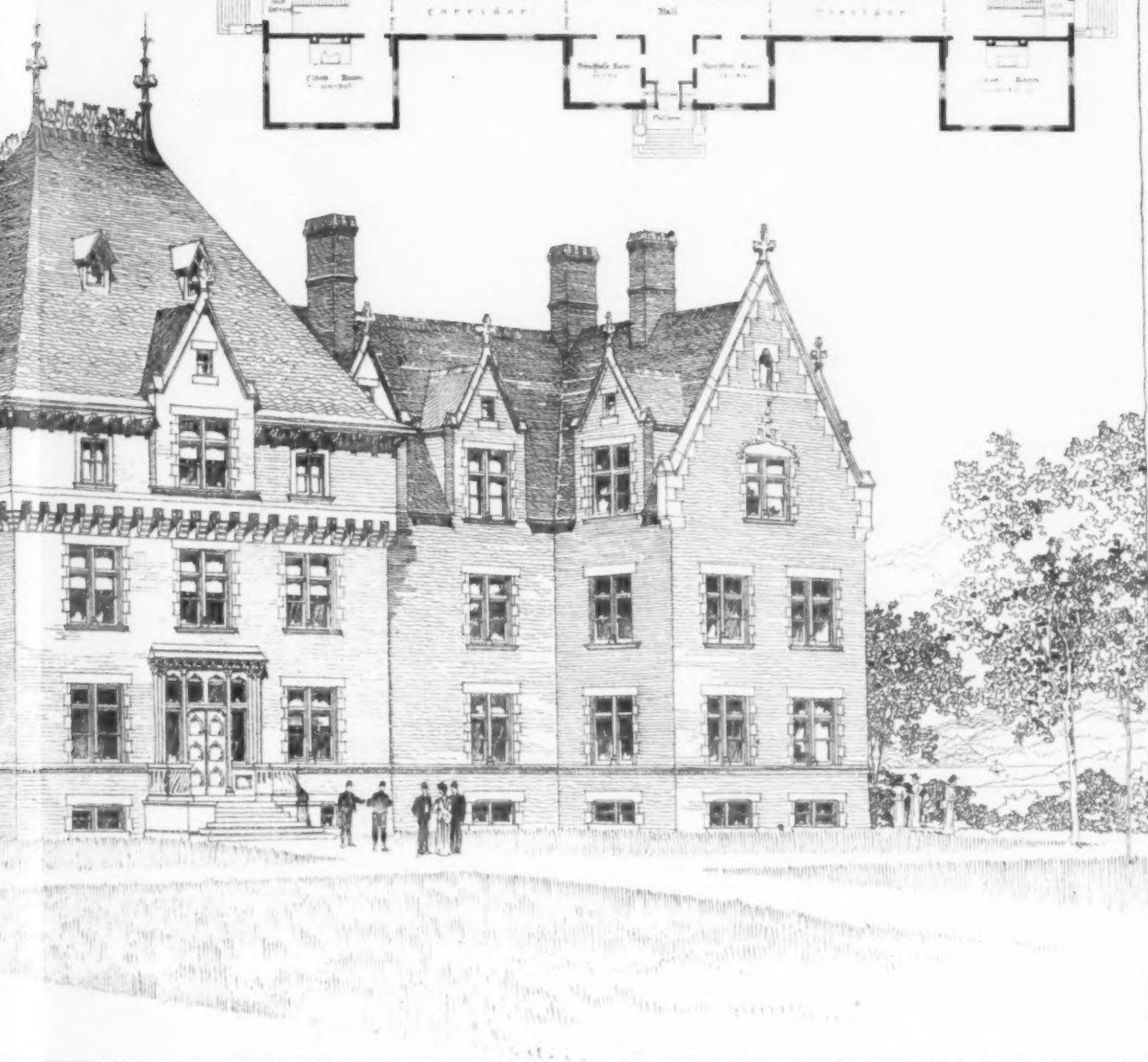
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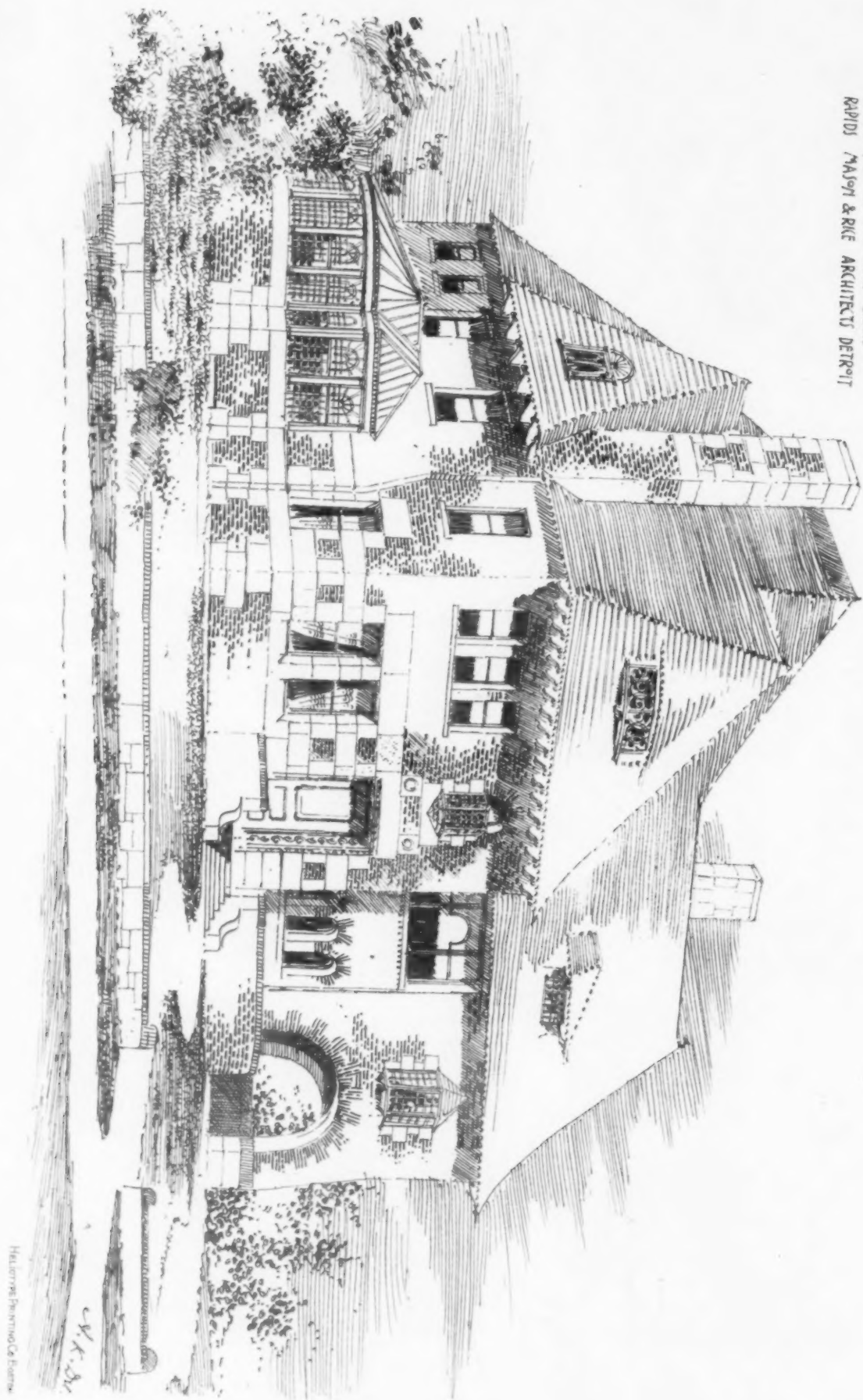
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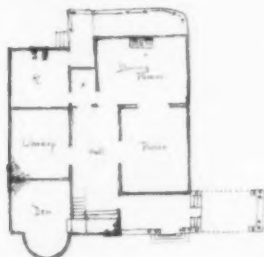
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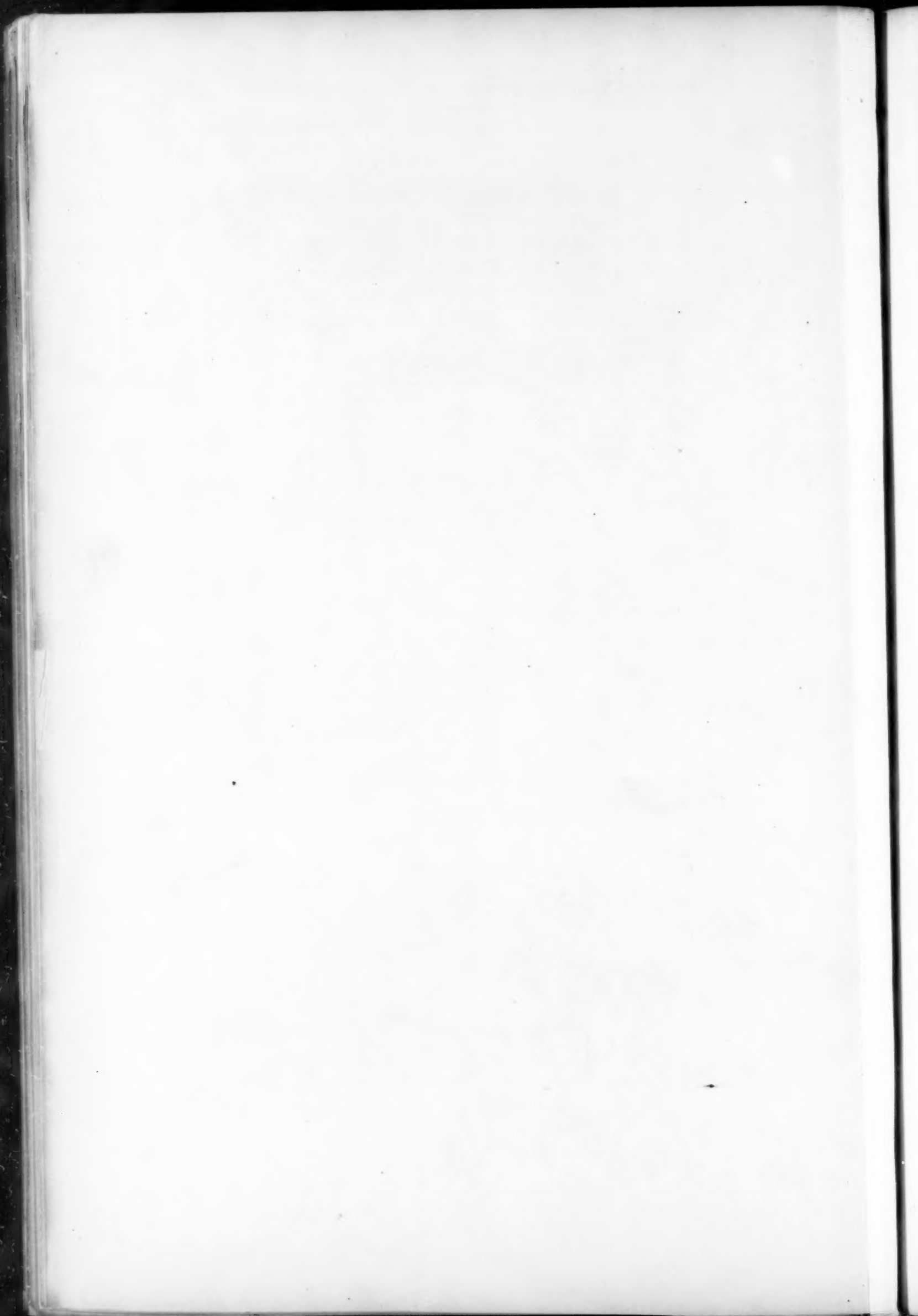
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1st Story

Proposed House on Staten Island.
W.M. Macafferty, Archt.
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Because of its great power and efficiency for the quantity of water used, we have named our pattern of plunger elevator "The Titan," and we do not hesitate to claim its superiority as regards quality of workmanship and material, and more especially on account of valuable improvements in both elevator and hydraulic valve designed and introduced by our superintendent, one of the pioneer builders of hydraulic plunger elevators.

The Titan Elevator is equally serviceable for both passenger and freight purposes. The car or platform is carried upon the top of a strong wrought-iron plunger or piston, to which it is securely attached by means of bolts and a cast-iron platen with threaded socket beneath.

This plunger is carefully turned to a uniform diameter and smoothly polished; it travels perpendicularly in a cylinder of equal length, sunk in the ground beneath the elevator shaft, to a depth corresponding to the height of the lift. Specially selected and tested wrought-iron pipe is used for both plunger and cylinder. The latter is provided with a packing at the top which prevents any leakage of water. We make the outside of the plunger $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches smaller than the inside diameter of the cylinder, thus leaving a space between of $\frac{3}{4}$ inch.

Into this space near the top of the cylinder is admitted the water, under pressure, through a perfectly balanced valve which is operated from the car by means of a wire hand-rod or rod. The plunger and car are immediately forced upward by pressure of the water which continues to enter the cylinder until the valve is closed, when the car comes to a stop. It is then supported by the column of water confined in the cylinder. Upon reversing the valve the water is gradually discharged and the car and plunger slowly descend by the force of gravity. It is seen that herein lies the absolute safety of

this style of elevator, because it is impossible for the car to descend any faster than the water is displaced by the plunger and discharged from the cylinder through the single small orifice which admitted it.

In locations where the pressure of the city water is too low or the rates too high, it is often found advisable to pump the discharged water either into a gravity tank at the top of the building or a direct-pressure tank in the basement, whence it is again supplied to the cylinder. We consider the latter method much the preferable as it dispenses with a long, double line of piping and danger of leakage and freezing. We often find it practicable to save the waste-water from elevators for other purposes by forcing it into tanks by

plainly or in elegant style, with panelled cherry, oak or mahogany, plush or leather upholstery, bevelled plate mirrors, stained-glass, brass or wrought-iron screens, annunciator, gas-fixture or electrolier. For hotels a lower deck is added for baggage.

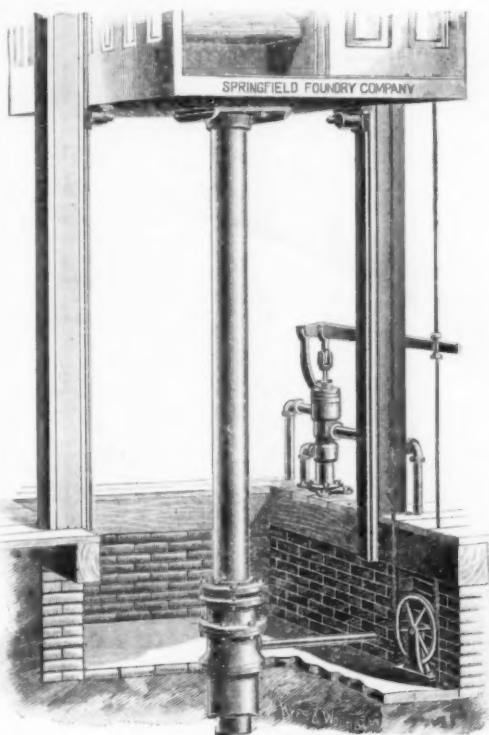
The Titan Elevator is noiseless; it requires no room outside the shaft, and all water is confined below the surface of the ground where it can do no damage; neither can it freeze. It is, therefore, peculiarly adapted to residences, hotels, dry-good stores, club and lodge rooms.

For freight purposes, also, this form of elevator is most desirable, and is furnished in all sizes from the smallest with a capacity of 500 pounds, to those designed for large warehouses and factories, with platforms capable of raising loaded wagons with horses attached. In many cases it is replacing the primitive, slow and hard working hand-hoist in hardware, furniture and grocery stores, wagon and machine shops. We are using one ourselves for adjusting quickly and easily heavy castings under a suspension drill, and it works admirably, as does another for raising pig-iron and fuel to the cupola platform in our foundry. We should be glad to show these elevators to any one interested.

The Titan Hydraulic Elevator requires scarcely any care beyond an occasional lubricating of the plunger. We supply for this purpose the "Titan Lubricant," a compound which has proved itself exactly adapted therefor.

We shall be pleased to furnish promptly circulars, estimates, and information as to exact amount of water required for a given service. We have complete facilities for building elevators on short notice, and an improved and expeditious method of erecting them. For prices please send us, as nearly complete as possible, the following data:

1. Plan or sketch, showing hatchways (size) and surroundings, walls enclosing shaft and material of same; location of water-main and sewer or tanks, with approximate distances, and sides on which car will be entered.
2. Elevation, showing roof and each floor, location of water-main and sewer or tanks, with distances between same, height of each story and travel of car.
3. Description of car: if for passengers, stating whether single or double decked, finished outside or in front only, and giving particulars as to style of finish, and the kind of wood, glass, metal-work, seat, upholstery,



means of a pump or discharging it directly into a tank if the latter is not too much above the cylinder. An Indicator may be attached to the elevator platform which will register the number of gallons used.

Our valve is of peculiar and ingenious construction which prevents pounding of the water and sudden jerking of the car; it is closed automatically as the car reaches the upper or lower landing. Its packing, as well as that of the elevator cylinder, can be easily replaced when worn out.

Our cars are framed of hard wood, braced with iron and finished to suit the purchaser,

annunciator, and gas or electric-light fixture desired.

4. The required lifting capacity and speed of car per minute; the water-pressure at the location of elevator cylinder, and the length and diameter of the supply-pipes running to same from main or tank. If the elevator is to be operated from a pressure-tank, state whether we are to furnish pump, etc.

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THE COMBINATION GAS-MACHINE.

This is the oldest and best independent lighting apparatus on the market, and is

in use, and are selected from the profusely illustrated little book entitled "*Light for Evening Hours*" just issued by the company, and which will be sent on application to their Detroit office, or at either of their branches in Chicago, Boston, or St. Louis.

DETROIT HEATING AND LIGHTING CO.,
380 WIGHT STREET, DETROIT, MICH.

OSWEGO INDURATED FIBRE BATH-TUBS.

The manufacturers have aimed to give to the public a bath-tub which will embody all the features that are desirable, viz.:

A handsome article of furniture, cleanliness, ease of care, durability, lightness, economy in

in one piece under a heavy hydraulic pressure, and are without joint or seam.

As the rim of the tub is also part of this one piece, there is no crevice where impurities can possibly collect. The material is a non-conductor of heat and cold, thus retaining the heat in the water, greatly increasing the comfort of the bather, and adapting it especially for electric-baths.

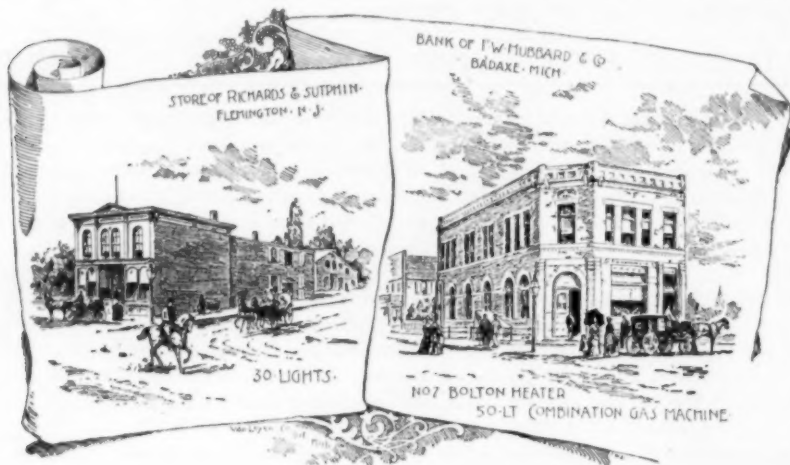
The pores of the fibre are filled with a hardening or indurating material, and subjected to a high degree of heat, making it impervious to water and practically indestructible.

The outside of the tub is white, or, in baking, is given a mahogany, rosewood, or oak finish, unless it is specially ordered to correspond with the woodwork of the room in which it is to be placed. The rim will be finished like outside of tub, unless specially ordered in enamel.

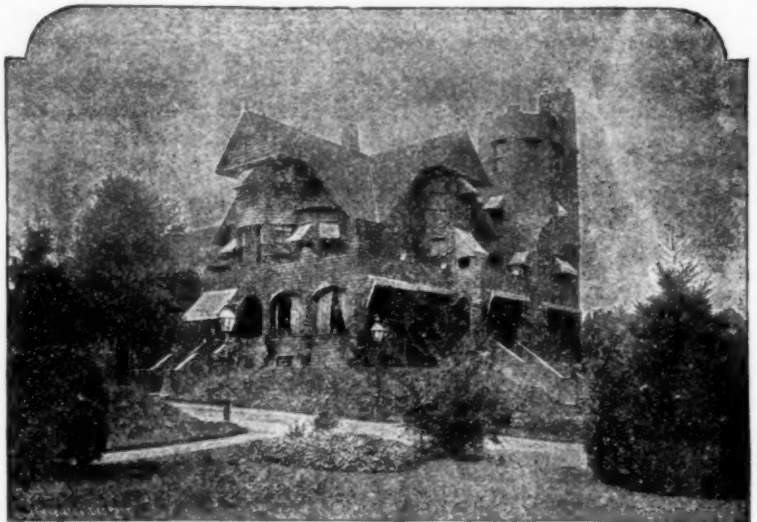
The inner surface of the tub is lined with white enamel. The enamel may be tinted if preferred. This also is subjected to a high temperature, and thoroughly baked into the tub, making a hard, lasting, durable and impervious lining, capable of a high finish, which is easily cleaned without scouring, as it will not rust or absorb.

Throughout the process, nothing in the slightest degree injurious is used, and, with this treatment, the tub will be found to be a luxury, and its surface has a uniform temperature and is never cold.

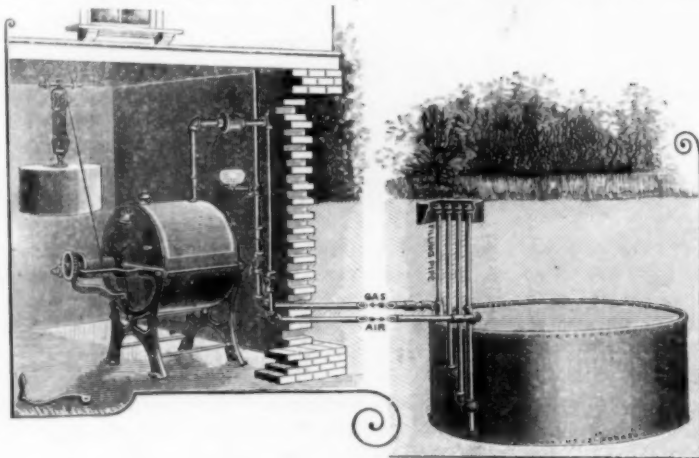
Its lightness is desirable in relieving the weight on floors, in reducing cost of trans-



adapted to country and suburban residences, churches, schools, stores, hotels, theatres and other buildings. It has been in use for over twenty years, in all parts of the United States and Canada, as well as in South America and the Sandwich Islands. It is perfected by every device suggested by long experience and its material and workmanship are the best that can be procured. This apparatus is absolutely safe, and during all the years it has been in use, it has never caused an accident. No fire or heat is used, and therefore no fuel is required. It is automatic and makes gas only as it is required and used. It is very simple and the entire apparatus demands less attention than a single oil-lamp. It is cheaper and better than electric-light or city gas according to the testimony of many customers who have used both. Its durability is a feature on which its manufacturers lay particular stress. They regard the average life of their apparatus as about fifteen years, while many



Residence of Hon. James McMillan, Grosse Pointe, Mich.



machines have been in use over twenty years, and are still giving the best of service. The engravings printed herewith show the machine and several buildings in which it is

use of hot-water, compliance with the latest sanitary regulations, and cheapness.

The material from which these tubs are made is a pure wood fibre. They are moulded

portation, and increasing the ease with which it may be moved, avoiding danger to walls and woodwork.

It is well adapted to the use of country-houses, with or without a regular bath-room, as its weight, which is but sixty pounds, makes it portable.

It is a better and cheaper tub than any other first-class tub when finished and set in position; no expense of casing, painting or finishing is required. When the tub is set up, it is complete with the exception of the plumbing. Fittings, including standards, waste and overflow, are specially designed for the tub, and are included in the price. Bath cocks can be attached by boring with a sharp bit, from the outside. When the point of the bit has gone through the white enamel inside, the bit should be reversed and the hole completed from the inside. Special fittings can be sent to our factory and fitted to the tub before it is finished, thus making a perfect connection without cost to the purchaser.

Owing to the fact that it stands open and raised from the floor, it is always easy of inspection, and allows no closed spaces for collection of dust or foreign matter. It thus meets the latest sanitary requirements, and is the most desirable tub for all public institutions.

THE OSWEGO INDURATED FIBRE CO.,
OSWEGO, N. Y.

WHAT AN EXPERT ENGINEER SAYS.

A PROMINENT engineer called recently at the works of the A. A. Griffing Iron Co., Jersey City, N. J., and was much impressed with a new style of steam and hot-water radiator, which they had just brought out.

The accompanying cut shows the utility of the radiator.

The special features of the Bundy Defiance Radiator, for that is the name given it, are its adaptation for use under windows, in a recess or wherever a low radiator is required, and also its compactness. The maximum or surface can be placed in a limited space. In placing the Bundy Defiance under windows, the window-sill oftentimes serves as a top-

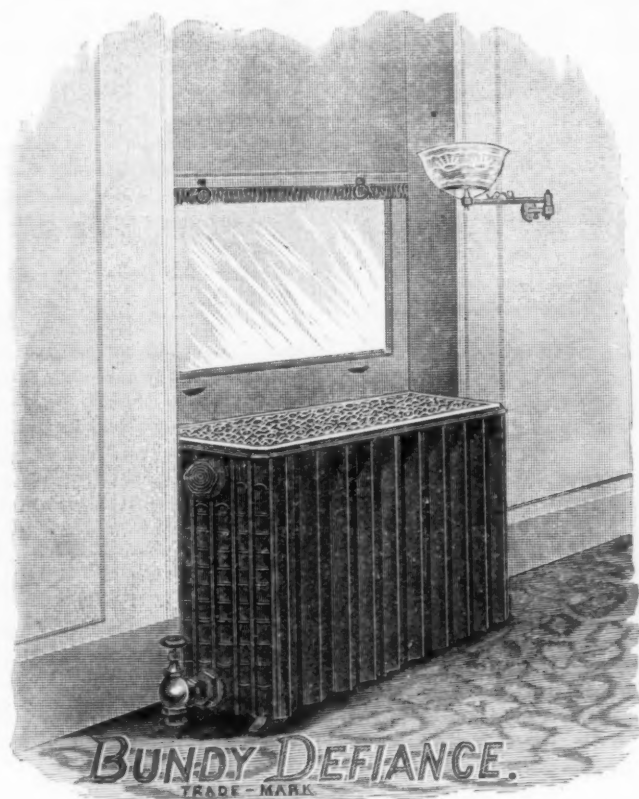
of the radiator 4". As all sections are exact duplicates, they are interchangeable and can be conveniently added to or subtracted from a radiator with very slight expense, and produce a radiator of precisely the size wanted.

Further information regarding the Bundy Defiance Radiator can be had from the manufacturers.

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A NEW PLASTERING MATERIAL.

KING'S Windsor Cement for plastering walls and ceilings, which is claimed to be both fire and water proof, is the material now being used on the Madison Square Garden, New York City, and also in the United States Government Court-House and Post-Office Building, at Williamsport, Pa. Among the numerous jobs where it has been used, as we understand to the entire satisfaction of the owners, are the New York Central Railroad Depot at Niagara Falls, N. Y., Dr. Meredith's Church, Brooklyn, the Lincoln Club, Brooklyn, Mr. Wm. Knowlton's House at 87 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, addition to the Arlington Hotel at Washington, D. C., the Hier Flats at



finish for the radiator, then again, a marble slab resting on brackets over the radiator produces a handsome effect.

There are two sizes of Defiance sections, 8" x 13" and 11" x 18" respectively, the former figures representing the widths of the sections of radiators while the latter show the heights, but the height varies. It increases when the radiator is set on legs, and here a special feature is observed in the great variety of heights in which the legs are furnished. They can be had $\frac{1}{2}$ ", 1", $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", 2", $2\frac{1}{2}$ ", 3", $3\frac{1}{2}$ ", 4", $4\frac{1}{2}$ ", 5", and $5\frac{1}{2}$ " high, so the radiators can be furnished in different heights, varying by half inches, from $13\frac{1}{2}$ " to $23\frac{1}{2}$ " high. When no height is specified in ordering, the 1" height is always shipped.

The larger section has 7 square feet of heating-surface, the smaller one 4, and in either case each section increases the length

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24 STATE STREET, NEW YORK, N. Y.

THE Whittier Machine Company have recently put into the electrical plant of the Suburban Light & Power Company of Roxbury, two horizontal steel boilers, each six feet in diameter. The same Company have recently put into the residence of Mrs. John Carter Brown at Newport, R. I., a Plunger Elevator for passenger service.

THE GROWTH OF A GREAT BUSINESS.

In the summer of 1868, a partnership was arranged between the late Linus Yale, Jr., then of Shelburne Falls, Mass., and Henry R. Towne, then of Philadelphia, Pa., for the development of a business to be based upon the inventions and patents of Mr. Yale relating both to bank and key locks. In October of that year, the two partners gave effect to their plans by the organization of the Yale Lock Manufacturing Company (of which they held all the stock), and by the purchase of land in Stamford on which to erect a building for the accommodation of the business, which had for several years previously been conducted on a small scale at Shelburne Falls. While Mr. Towne attended to the erection of the new buildings in Stamford, Mr. Yale continued to conduct the business at Shelburne Falls, until December 25th, 1868, when he died suddenly of heart disease, in the city of New York. Notwithstanding this severe blow, the new enterprise was carried forward by Mr. Towne and Mr. John B. Yale, son of the inventor. The new buildings were pushed to completion, and in March, 1869, the machinery and business were moved from Shelburne Falls to Stamford, starting in the latter place with about thirty employes.

In June, 1869, Mr. Towne was elected President of the corporation, to succeed Mr. Yale, and in the summer of 1870 the representatives of the Yale estate disposed of their interest in the business, the entire control and management of which then passed into the hands of Mr. Towne, who has continued in the Presidency down to the present time. In 1873, the late Franklin Underhill became Treasurer of the Company, which office he occupied until his death, seven years later. In 1877, Mr. Schuyler Merritt entered its service, becoming soon the Secretary, and later the General Manager. In 1881, Mr. George E. White was elected to the office of Treasurer, which he still holds. Among those longest connected with the Company are Mr. Emory Stockwell, Superintendent of the Bank Lock Department, and Mr. Warren H. Taylor, Superintendent of the Small Lock Department, both of whom, as well as a few others still in the business, came with it from Shelburne Falls.

Mr. Yale had been chiefly interested in inventing and manufacturing bank locks; Mr. Towne had been attracted to the business by the possibilities which he foresaw in the pin-lock with flat key, now generally known as the "Yale Lock." Since Mr. Yale's death both branches have been largely developed, but the business in key-locks on the Yale system, which obviously embraces a larger field than the bank lock business, has grown more largely, and has long constituted the most important feature of the business.

In 1875, Mr. Towne obtained exclusive rights under the patents of Mr. T. A. Weston, relating to differential pulley blocks, and simultaneously acquired, by purchase, the business of three manufacturers, each of whom had previously been making pulley blocks in competition, thus uniting all interests and obtaining control of the market during the lifetime of the Weston patents. All of these interests were duly transferred to the Company, which thereupon added to its manufacture the making of pulley blocks, and later, of cranes and other hoisting machinery. In 1877-78, Mr. Towne (then controlling all of the stock of the Company), also negotiated the acquisition of the business of two competing lock

manufacturers, viz: The United States Lock Company, of Plymouth, Mass., and the American Lock Company, of Cazenovia, N. Y., thereby greatly strengthening the position of the Company in its key lock business. At about the same time a partnership arrangement was entered into with Sargent & Greenleaf, of Rochester, N. Y., for the pooling of interests relating to time locks, whereby the parties to the agreement secured a controlling position in this field.

The original building (now known as the "Old Lock Shop"), was about 35 x 120 feet, with a one-story annex at the east end, 35 x 45 feet, was constituted the brass foundry and boiler-room. A small addition (the present shipping shed), was made about 1872 to accommodate post-office wood-work, and in 1873 a new foundry building was erected, which has since been utilized for the engine-room. In 1875-1876, the south wing of the present pulley-block shop was erected, additions thereto being made during the next two or three years until the whole of the present building was completed. In 1881, the growth of the business was such as to necessitate a large increase of capital, and a large extension of plant; a considerable portion of the new capital then issued was taken by employees and others, as was also the case with subsequent issues, so that the Company now has numerous stockholders. During the summer of 1881, the range of buildings fronting on Pacific street, and also the present foundry building, were erected, at which time also the present steam plant was installed. The west end of the post-office building had been erected a short time before and the eastern extension thereof was built during the summer of 1882. In 1883, the growth of the business compelled a further extension, and during the summer of that year the present crane-shop and smith-shop buildings were erected. At the present time plans are in preparation for a new building east of the present smith-shop to accommodate pulley-block and chain-making, the building now occupied for these purposes being required for use in connection with the Small Lock Department. Plans are also under consideration for a large extension of the foundry building. The number of employees has increased steadily from thirty in 1869, to over eight hundred at the present time, exclusive of those employed at the branch houses of the Company in New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston.

YALE & TOWNE MANUFACTURING CO.
STAMFORD, CONN.

NEW OFFICE.

We have opened a fine office in Chicago at 36 Lake Street, from which office our entire western business will in future be handled. It is our intention to carry a large stock of Florida steam and hot-water heaters for hard and soft coal. Also a large stock of radiators, etc.

We have also largely increased our facilities at our factory, Geneva, N. Y., by erecting a mammoth machine shop and making additions to our present large foundry. Our force of men has been greatly increased and we have all the latest and best facilities and conveniences for turning out work promptly and in good shape, so that this year we are in better condition to meet the demands of our customers than ever before. The rapid increase of our business from year to year has been certainly marvellous and very gratifying to us.

Up to the present time this year our sales have been about one-half larger than those of last year up to the same time. We have never experienced brighter prospects for business.

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A WROUGHT-IRON GRILL.

This grill is one of two recently made by Messrs. J. B. Shannon & Sons, of Philadelphia, for the front doors of the Hon. W. H. Kemble's house in that city, from drawings



Wrought-Iron Grill made by J. B. Shannon & Sons.

by Mr. James H. Windrim, architect. The work is of wrought-iron, Bower-Barfed, and each grill measures 48 x 15 inches.

J. B. SHANNON & SONS,
1029 MARKET STREET, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

NOTES.

The Standard Paint Company of 59 Maiden Lane, New York, whose building paper prepared with the celebrated P. & B. compound has been favorably known in market for years, announce placing in the market two new grades of building paper; one whose trademark is the "Universal" is prepared with their P. & B. compound, is thoroughly waterproof, acid, alkali and gas proof and in all respects superior to the ordinary building papers in market. A special feature, and one which has induced the manufacturers to give it the name of the "Universal" in addition to its merit as a building paper, is that they have put it in market at a lower price than any building paper of any description, for which

reason they feel certain that it is bound to become the universal building paper.

The other new brand is put into market under the trade-mark of the "Giant" building paper; this paper is completely saturated with waterproof, acid and alkali proof and insulating material, and the work is so thoroughly done that the paper can be cut in any way and torn into bits and no particle of it will absorb moisture. Every fibre is thoroughly impregnated and there has never been a similar paper manufactured before. The paper is more waterproof than leather and where the best article that it is possible to make is wanted, the "Giant" paper is sure to be used. The attention of architects and builders is especially called to these papers, and they are urged to send for samples.

STANDARD PAINT CO.
59 MAIDEN LANE, NEW YORK.

A PARTY of interested gentlemen, comprising West End Street Railway officials, and others, met at the Central Power Station of the West End Road in Boston, a few weeks ago to witness practical tests on a large scale of the fireproofing qualities of "Anti-Pyre" the Boston fireproof paint.

Many of the spectators aided in the attempts to ignite the wooden building which was the subject of the experiment, but all efforts to destroy the structure, which was protected with two coats of Anti-Pyre, were fruitless, although shavings and other combustible materials were tried first on the interior, and were afterward applied to the exterior walls.

The result of the trials proved conclusively that the manufacturer of Anti-Pyre made no undue claims for his material, and it was the unanimous opinion of the gentlemen present that Anti-Pyre is the best and cheapest fireproofing yet placed on the market. Mr. John C. Page, the well-known insurance agent, was an especially delighted spectator. The West End Company, is now applying Anti-Pyre to their immense new car-house at Grove Hall.

THE Moore & Wyman Elevator and Machine Works, Boston, have recently constructed and erected the following elevators: a special hydraulic hoisting apparatus for the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad, to operate the drop at their new station, Atlantic Avenue; drop is 52 feet long, 12 feet wide and weighs 11 tons. A special belt-power machine for the West End Street Railway Company, to raise and lower electric cars at their Bartlett Street car shops. A special hydraulic freight elevator for the Suffolk Storage Company, building on Northampton Street, platform 21 feet x 12 feet, used to raise and lower loaded furniture wagons. Also the following hydraulic passenger elevators, American Express Company building, corner Franklin Street and Hawley Street; Warren Sherburne's new building, corner Merrimack and Friend Streets; and one belt passenger elevator for Hallett & Cumston's building, 198 Tremont Street. They also have the contract for two steam passenger elevators for the Sears Building, corner Court and Washington Streets.

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THE New York Insulated Wire Company, 649-651 Broadway, New York, sole manufacturers of the Grimshaw White Core wire, have orders on their books for wiring the new World Building and Imperial Hotel, New York, the residence of Ogden Goelet at Newport, R. I., and the new buildings which the N. Y. Life Insurance Company are now erecting in Kansas City, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Omaha and Montreal. The manufacturers claim for the Grimshaw White Core wire that the high quality and peculiar properties of its insulation make it preeminently a safe wire; very desirable for all electrical purposes, and especially for inside and concealed wiring. It has been upon the market for the past seven years and is approved by the board of fire underwriters and inspectors.

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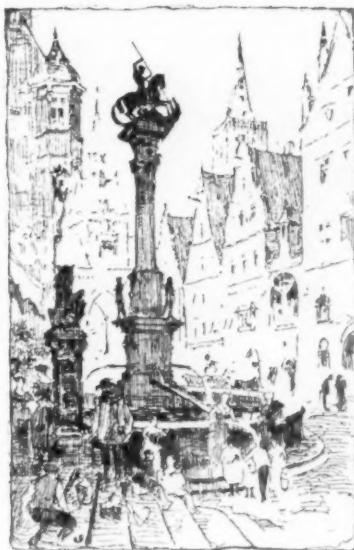
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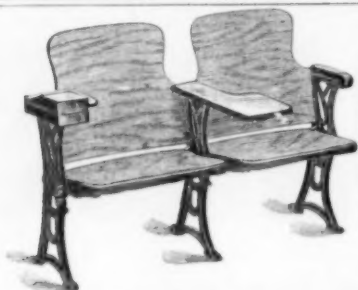
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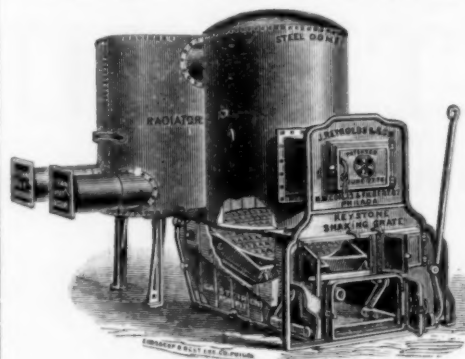
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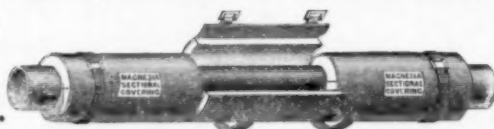
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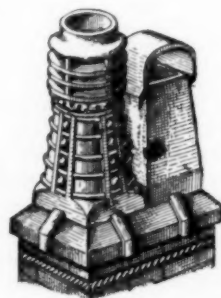
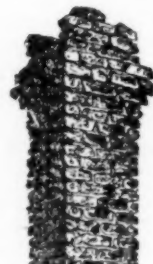
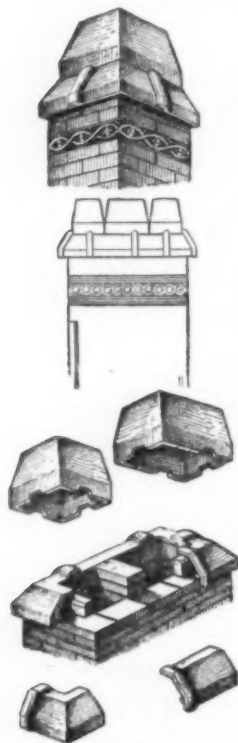
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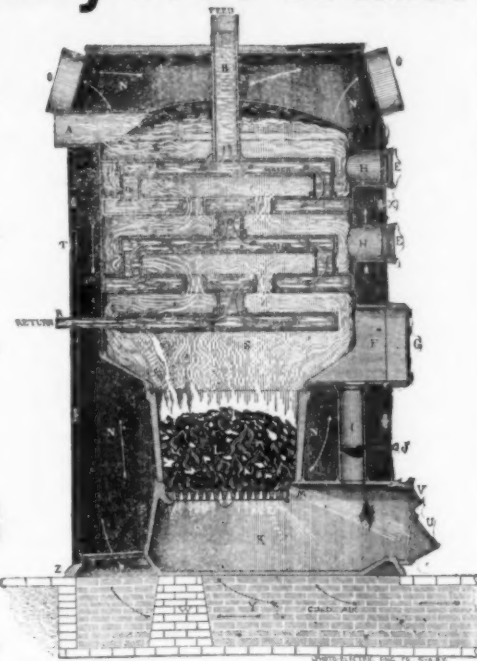
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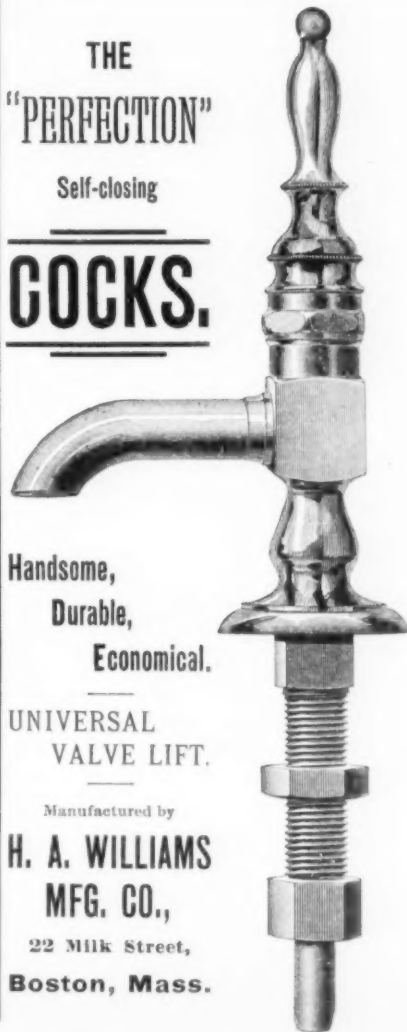


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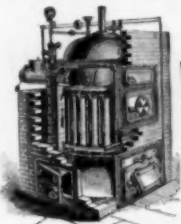
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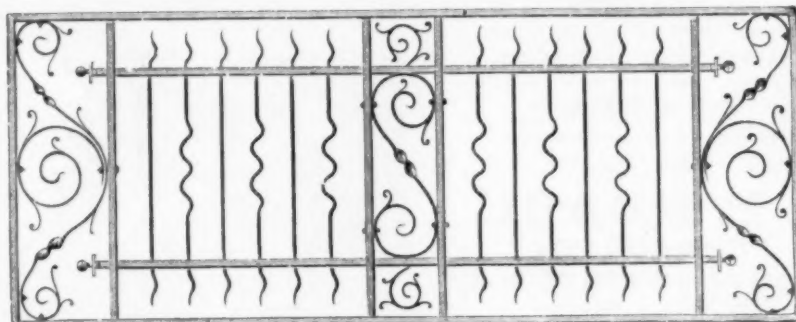
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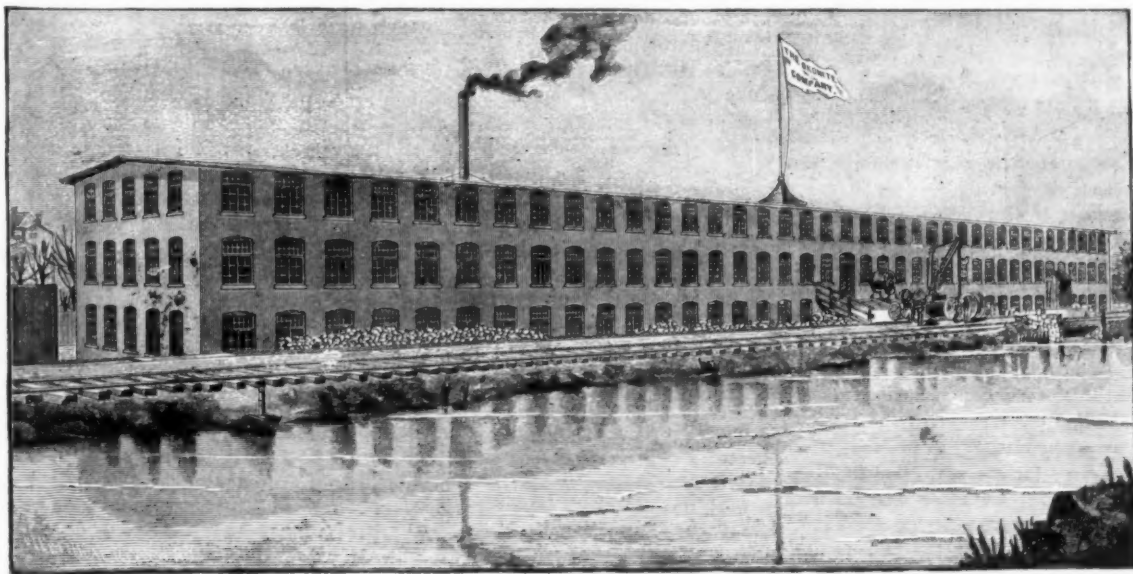
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OKONITE INSULATED WIRE.

THE question, "How can wires for electric lighting be made safe," is being asked daily, and concerns the architect, builder and house owner quite as much as many of the large electric-light companies who are having so much difficulty with their lines on account of their evident unsafe condition. There is, to be sure, less danger from electric wires used in lighting dwellings and buildings of various kinds, than from those used for power and out-door lighting, as in the first instance, the incandescent light is generally employed and the lighting done chiefly by continuous currents at 100 volts or other low potential, while in the latter case the length of the lines

this factor-of-safety in house wiring that we wish to speak just now. There are a number of good insulated wires upon the market which are worthy of our confidence and have been found to fill the bill for this class of work, and among them the well-known Okonite insulated wires stand in the front rank. It must be remembered that the higher the insulation or non-conducting properties of the insulating compound used on a wire the more durable it is and the more efficient the wire or conductor. The difference then between the many insulated wires offered the public and which determines their relative value for aerial, underground, submarine, as well as for inside or house wiring purposes, is the

large and heavy machines, in the manufacture of millions on millions of feet of this famous insulating compound. This factory has an output of 60 miles or 316,800 feet of wire per day, and yet the company is behind in its orders, which cover all fields of electrical service to which insulated wire is put. We cannot say just what Okonite is made of, except that it is a compound of the best grades of Para rubber and other ingredients,—a composition obtained only by a long series of costly experiments and tests. All through the manufacture of Okonite insulated wires and cables the greatest of care is taken. A great deal of the work is accomplished by specially designed machinery, and only skilled



The Factory of the Okonite Company, Passaic, N. J.

and the large duty required generally, makes necessary a current of a much higher voltage, which is relatively more dangerous. There appears to be no good reason why electric wiring for lighting dwellings and other structures cannot be made perfectly safe if the user will but pay for good workmanship in installation, and use a thoroughly reliable insulated wire. It is in most cases a matter of dollars and cents, though there is no doubt that many of the aggravating complications and dangers arising from electric lighting in dwellings are due to careless workmanship and installation, and it is of the utmost importance that the men at least who plan this work should be electricians. We cannot impress too strongly upon the reader the necessity of getting expert help in this direction. Of great importance, too, is the quality of insulated wire used, and it is particularly of

insulation. Here it is that Okonite shows to particular advantage. The insulating compound, known as Okonite, and all wires and cables insulated with it, are manufactured solely by the Okonite Company, who have large salesrooms located at 15 Park Row, New York City, and London, England, presided over by Charles A. Cheever, President. The other officers are Williard L. Candee, Treasurer; F. Cazenove Jones, Supt.; and H. Durant Cheever, Sec'y; all representative business men of New York. To Mr. Candee, who is ably assisted by Geo. T. Manson, is due in no small measure the position occupied by Okonite insulated wires to-day. The company have just erected a new factory at Passaic, N. J.; an immense brick structure three stories high, 80 x 400 feet, situated on the Dundee Canal. About 400 hands are here at work in conjunction with numberless

labor is employed in all the departments. All wire is also thoroughly tested before leaving the factory, and any defects carefully noted and remedied. The chief characteristics of Okonite are its exceeding toughness and tenacity—rendering it non-labile to destruction by reason of abrasion or rubbing—superiority of insulation, extreme durability and effectual resistance to the decomposing influence of the elements. Okonite wire is very popular and that this is no idle boast, we may state that we have frequently received orders for 1,000,000 feet of this wire at one time. It has proved especially well adapted for inside and concealed wiring as it is thoroughly water-proof and can be laid in plaster and cement, under floors, behind partitions, under tiling, and in fact in any position desirable in a building, and is warranted not to crack or deteriorate but last in good form for all time.

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In conclusion, would it not be well for the laity generally to give the question of insulated wire a little more attention, so that we may know whether a wire is being installed in which can be placed our confidence, or whether our homes are being made veritable spider's webs; a mass of poorly insulated wires, badly placed, ever ready to visit us, the unlucky flies, with their dangerous power.

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In the work of developing the comparatively new but already extensive electrical industry, first importance has been given to economical considerations. The generating-machines have attained a degree of efficiency which places them in the very front rank of economical apparatus. The art of distribution has become so familiar as to be recognized as one of the exact sciences. The details of regulation, measurement and convenient location of wires, switches, lamps, etc., have all received extraordinary attention and attained a high degree of excellence. In consequence of the progress thus made the public is to-day enabled to secure electric light at approximately the price of gas. It can obtain electrical power at a cost which, in many cases, is less than that of steam or other motive power.

INSULATION.

Prior to the inauguration of what may be termed the new electric era, electricity was used almost solely for the purpose of trans-

mitting intelligence; the telegraph, the telephone, the fire-alarm, the various signaling systems and kindred applications are examples of such use. In these industries the insulation of the wires has but one function, viz: That of maintaining an effective service. If the insulation fails, the service fails: no other untoward result follows for the reason that the currents employed are so weak as to be incapable of developing any considerable degree of heat. With the inauguration of the new era involving new applications, as for example, electric lighting, electric motive power, and kindred uses, employing electricity under high pressure and in vast quantity, there was imposed upon insulation an additional duty, viz: that of protecting life and property. If herein the insulation fails, not only does the service fail, but life and property are at once seriously jeopardized. That this risk is not an imaginary one is abundantly attested by the numerous recorded accidents which have occurred during the past two or three years. That the remedy for these occurrences is not to be found in an improvement in the quality of insulation is equally well attested by the fact that, in spite of all the manifold so-called "perfected insulations," accidents continue to occur. *As a matter-of-fact, the one branch of electrical science which has not advanced in line with the new demands is this safeguarding of property from contact with the always-possible abnormal heat development in the wires.* It has been assumed by some that inasmuch as electricity was inherently safer than other mediums of lighting, the element of danger was practically absent, and by others that the danger could be sufficiently avoided by improvement in the quality of the insulation, hence the evolution of a host of "improved insulations"; many of which doubtless possess great virtue, but unfortunately they all follow one principle, viz: *That of affixing the insulation to or drawing it upon the wire itself.* This is the fatal error. The logic of all the relating facts in the art is against such practice. Modern electrical service is nothing more nor less than a service for the distribution of heat. True, economical considerations demand, and physical laws permit, that the conductors conveying this heat shall be so arranged and so proportioned as to remain cool, and therefore safe, while doing the calculated duty demanded of them. But the proportions and conditions thus pre-arranged and determined to secure safety are peculiarly liable to accidental derangement, thereby imposing a duty for which they were not calculated; in this event the conditions of safety are gone, and heat is at once developed in such proportion and in such place as the extent and the nature of the derangement may determine. It is apparent, therefore, that any system of insulation which aims to secure absolute protection must take cognizance of, and provide against, the effect of this always possible development of heat. Experience has demonstrated that the practice of affixing the insulation to the wires does not do this. All insulations which can be so affixed are of necessity compounded of oils, gums, or other flexible and adhesive materials, all of which are readily affected by heat. Vain efforts have been made to find a new elementary material, or to compound known materials which shall have the multifold property of high insulation, great resistance to heat, extreme flexibility and proof against acids, gas, etc. The great value to the art of an insulation possessing these naturally diverse qualities has been of late years so keenly appreciated as to concentrate

the inventive mind on the line of its pursuit to the exclusion of any consideration of other methods of protecting the wires. This is the only explanation of the failure of the inventors to evolve a natural and effective solution of the problem. Necessity has been well said to be "the mother of invention," and it was by virtue of the necessities of himself and the numerous friends who depended upon him for advice in such matters that Mr. Edward H. Johnson was led to suggest the total abandonment of the old practice, and the substitution therefor of an enclosing tube, separate from, but forming a channel for conducting wires, continuous throughout their every ramification, thus fully protecting every inch of wire and rendering it accessible for periodic inspection or renewal, and by the same means absolutely confining within the safe limits of a non-inflammable channel the possible heat development.

The practical efficiency of such a method scarcely needs to be supported by argument or demonstration. Its very simplicity appeals at once and alike to the intelligence of the expert and the layman.

The elimination of the element of extreme flexibility as an essential requisite of insulation simplifies the problem, and permits of the employment of a variety of materials not at all available in the practice of affixing the insulation to the wires. Thus the door is opened, and the inventor now comes forward to provide the requisite perfection of detail. In this respect the industry is extremely fortunate in the chance which has brought to its aid Mr. Edwin T. Greenfield, a man of wider experience in the old method, and therefore more keenly appreciative of its weakness, than any man in this or any other country. To the thoroughness with which Mr. Greenfield has done and is doing his work is due the already high perfection of the new method and the guaranty that it will at once afford superlatively the elements of safety, economy, durability and convenience.

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device does not provide absolute protection. Its failure to do so arises from the fact that it is only affected by an overloading of the chain.

It is, of course, apparent that a partial break, an imperfect union or a leakage of the current may develop a sufficient degree of heat to effect the ignition of inflammable materials, and yet not sufficiently increase the current strength to overload and fuse the safety-link.

The object of the special conductor herein alluded to is to convert with absolute certainty all defects, whether a break, or leak or other fault, into a "short circuit" and the consequent overloading and fusing of the safety-link.

The effect of a "short circuit" is generally apparent at the point of its occurrence in the form of an instantaneous flash, hereinbefore alluded to as an effective of much damage because of its brief duration.

It is possible, however, to have present conditions of extreme inflammability, as for instance, gases, inflammable powder, as in a flour-mill, lace or other delicate fabrics, or even the insulation of the wires themselves.

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It hardens within a few hours, so that if applied in the afternoon or first half of the

night, the usual operations of the department can be pursued on the following morning with no injury to the plastering or hinderance to the work. It is much more tough and durable under blows or battering than ordinary lime mortar. We most heartily commend it for such purposes. Yours truly,

THOS. J. BORDEN, President.

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Gentlemen.—We used your Adamant Wall Plaster, on wire-lathing, in our mills on the ceiling of our picker and dust rooms, also on stairway partitions for the following reasons, viz:

1. The insurance underwriters strongly advised it.
2. As our mill was running, it would have been impossible to use anything else without shutting down, causing a large loss in waste of time.

The Adamant put on at night was as hard as a rock in the morning. Heavy looms are running at a high rate of speed on the floor above the picker-room and the jar of same has not injured the plastering in the least. We are perfectly satisfied with the Adamant, as it has thoroughly answered the purpose for which it was used.

EDWARD L. GRIFFIN, Treasurer.

GUARANTEED ROOFING PLATES.



We have three brands of tin plates for roofing purposes, for the integrity and good quality of each sheet of which our reputation and financial responsibility stand pledged. These three plates are alike, save in the one particular of the coating with which they are covered. The base plates are the same, being of steel of good quality, pliable, tough, correct in size, and trimmed to square corners. In the cleaning of the plates preparatory to the tinning they are subjected to the same processes and the same treatment. In all particulars up to this point the three articles are identical, and any given plate might be coated and finished to be either one or the other of the qualities at the discretion of the manufacturer.

COATING.

When it comes to the coating, these several plates differ from each other in the amount of metal applied, that is, in the thickness of coating and also in their treatment at the time and during the progress of the coating. Our first quality and highest price plate (Gilbertson's Old Method) is hand-dipped, or, in other words, it is an old method plate being coated in exactly the same manner as plates were coated many years since, before the introduction of labor-saving and material-saving machinery, which has tended to reduce the quality of plates. Each sheet of this brand carries all the metal it will take in the coating process. It is just as heavily coated as it can be.

Our second plate (Merchant's Roofing), being just the same in all other particulars, carries a little less coating, as will be more fully explained somewhat farther on. It has ample coating, however, to make it a most

excellent article, and one quite satisfactory for use in all cases, except where absolutely the best that can be made is wanted.

Our third plate, the cheapest of the three (Camaret), differs from the one last described in that the coating is not so heavy. There is, however, a good coating on the "Camaret," which feature makes the plate a great favorite for ordinary uses. It is an honest, straightforward article of its class.

Note the difference then between our three guaranteed plates. The steel plate or foundation is just the same in all, but the amount of

In order to protect ourselves, to protect the house-owner, to enable the architect to know just what plates are being used upon the buildings in his charge, and to show buyers in general just what they are being furnished, we have inaugurated certain measures which serve to distinguish our plates from all others. These include stamping each sheet with the brand and thickness, excluding all waster or defective sheets, and branding the actual weight of the contents of each box in plain figures, so that every one may know what is being supplied. In every way possible we

seek to divest the tin-plate trade of all mystery, and to transact business in a way to enable all to perceive its fairness.

ABSOLUTELY NO
WASTERS.

IC GILBERTSON'S OLD METHOD

Fac-simile of the Stamping on each Sheet of "Gilbertson's Old Method," IC Thickness.

coating applied differs in each case. The three plates differ in weight, as will be more fully explained below, and this difference is due solely to the difference in coating. Again, the three plates differ in price, and the difference here again is due to the variation in coating. Thus, from our assortment the consumer can obtain any quality he desires and further, he is always assured that he will be required to pay no more than actual value.

GUARANTEED PLATES.

We have made use of the term guaranteed plates, above, and while we suppose every reader understands, in a general way, what a guaranteed plate is, nevertheless we shall define just what our guarantees mean, in order

When we assert that all waster sheets are excluded from the boxes of our guaranteed plates, and further that there are no wasters of either of these brands to be obtained anywhere, we give utterance to a fact the real import of which comparatively few fully comprehend. Accordingly, we may be excused for a somewhat detailed explanation. In the manufacture of tin plate more or less defective sheets occur, and these are technically known as "wasters." The defect may be in the sheet itself, as for example an irregular edge, a fracture in rolling, a clipped corner, a hole, a piece of cinder rolled in, or a blister, or it may be in the coating, or both. The higher the quality of the plate the more rigidly are the defective sheets culled out in the assorting.

The usual rule is to pack these defective sheets in boxes by themselves, and, while

IX GILBERTSON'S OLD METHOD

Fac-simile of the Stamping on each Sheet of "Gilbertson's Old Method," IX Thickness.

that there may be no misapprehension possible. In the first place we tell just what our plates are in point of material employed in their manufacture, in respect to their working qualities, and in all other essential particulars, and then in selling we warrant or guarantee them to be exactly as represented. If a customer finds that by some accident some of the plates of these brands which we have supplied him are different from our representations, he has only to inform us of the fact in order to secure good plates in their place. Every possible care is taken in the manufacture of

branding them according to their quality and kind, to affix the designating mark "W" or "Waster," showing the exact nature of the plates in the box. So far, so good, and to the uninitiated it would seem that this is an honest straightforward way of doing things. No doubt it was so intended by the makers of plates who first introduced it, but unfortunately it affords dishonest people an excellent opportunity to cheat. Waster plates, of course, sell at a lower price than prime or perfect plates. Now if waster plates can be bought by the roofer and used as primes, it is evident that he can make a dishonest profit, and we are sorry to say that there are many who are ready to do this thing. So general has it become, in fact, that the demand for wasters is something phenomenal. Therefore, since wasters could be used to the prejudice of the primes of the same brand, it became necessary in order to protect the integrity of our guaranteed plates to have no wasters at all.

Accordingly the defective sheets that are discovered in the assorting are stripped of their coating and are devoted to another use; they do not appear in our trade at all. Our stamps and brands are applied to perfect sheets only, a most important fact for the architect, engineer, property-owner and roofer to know.

GILBERTSON'S OLD METHOD.

Our first-class plate, the heaviest coated that can be made, and the one of the three guaranteed brands described herein, costing the most money, is known as "Gilbertson's Old Method." As already mentioned, it is an old method plate, being hand-dipped and carrying all the metal possible in the coating. Each sheet is stamped, there being used for the purpose a die, the fac-simile of which is shown on this page. Two thicknesses are made for ordinary use—namely, IC and IX. The average weight of the IC plates is 240 pounds per box of 20 x 28, and of the IX, 296 pounds per box of 20 x 28. The 14 x 20 plates weight one-half as much, there being the same number of sheets per box—namely, 112. We also have IXX plates for special use, the 20 x 28 weighing 338 pounds. Each box, whatever the gauge, is branded with the actual net weight of the sheets contained therein. "Gilbertson's Old Method" averages some 16 pounds more of coating to the box than Merchant's Roofing, and 20 pounds more than Camaret, described below.

MERCHANT'S ROOFING.

Our guaranteed plate, second in amount of coating and price, is known as Merchant's Roofing. It has all the good qualities of the plate just described, except thickness of coating. The average weight of the boxes of the two thicknesses or gauges, in most common use, is as follows: IC, 20 x 28, 224 pounds; IX, 20 x 28, 280 pounds. We also have IXX, weighing for the 20 x 28, 322 pounds. The 14 x 20 size weighs half these amounts, and all the boxes are branded with the actual net weights of the sheets contained. Each sheet is stamped, a fac-simile of the stamping being shown on pages 4 and 5. The coating averages some 16 pounds per box less than that of "Gilbertson's Old Method."

CAMARET.

Our third plate, as already mentioned, carries a coating fair in thickness for plates of its kind, but averaging some 20 pounds per box less than our first-quality plates. Each sheet is stamped, the shape and character of the marking being shown on the following page. The average weight of the boxes, 20 x 28 plates is, for IC, 220 pounds, and for IX, 276 pounds, while the IXX weighs 318 pounds per box. The small size, or 14 x 20, weighs just half as much.

SPECIFICATIONS.

With what we present on these pages the architect is undoubtedly quite able to draw up specifications in a way to secure a good tin roof, but to further assist him we have prepared some "Formule" which have been considered both interesting and valuable by those who have examined them, copies of which we shall be glad to send you upon application. They are in form to be detached and readily combined with regular specifications. Here is what we say about them in a letter we sometimes send out:

In bringing out our Roofing Plates, stamped with the brand and thickness, and doing away with the waster sheets of same, it was the object of this house to put upon the market, not only an article which the architect could specify with security, but also one that would enable the property owner to receive what he was willing to pay for. There is to-day a difference of almost 100 per cent in price between the poorest and the best roofing-plate in the market. Nearly every brand is imported of two different qualities; that is,

MERCHANT'S IC ROOFING

Fac-simile of the Stamping of the Sheets of "Merchant's Roofing."

the plates, and also in the assorting and packing of them, and accordingly it is only where some gross carelessness upon the part of a workman has occurred that it becomes necessary for the customer to avail himself of our contract to make all deficiencies good. It is seldom indeed, that we are called upon to exchange plates.

good plates, or primes, and bad, or wasters. It is absolutely necessary in these days of competition that specifications should be so drawn as to hold each roofer up to his contract. Even the soldering of a roof is such an important matter that the roofer who uses soldering irons weighing less than eight pounds to the pair cannot possibly apply the amount of solder to the square that should be used; consequently, heavy soldering irons should be used so as to allow the solder to soak well into the seams where a first-class job is wanted. The very best material if not properly put on would make the roof a failure. Our object is to assist the architects all in our power, and with this idea in view we have drawn up specifications for both a Flat and Standing Seam roof, of the two sizes of plates, which we think will be an aid to every architect who desires to use tin for roofing.

The specifications that we have drawn up are simply intended as a reference for the architects, and while we have inserted our brand of "Merchant's Roofing" in same, yet any brand which the architect may choose to use can of course be written therein. This formula has not been written by us with any intention of dictating to the architect, but rather to assist him in specifying for a roof that will last, as it should, for years, while the majority of tin roofs put on to-day will not last five years before repairs commence; and the more opposition to the use of our brands, the greater the necessity for investigating the merits of the same, for in many cases where our guaranteed plates are specified the roofer endeavors to use something inferior. It is hardly necessary for us to say that such action, while of interest to the roofer personally, will naturally result to the detriment of the property owner, and also to the specification of the architect.

SOME ROOFING FIGURES.

We want to lay before architects and builders some figures relating to tin roofs; not in the sense of revealing the secrets of the roofer's business, nor in the least antagonizing him, but simply for the purpose of enabling the architect and contractor to talk intelligently when relative prices are being discussed. Let us preface our statements by the assertion that it costs no more to lay a roof of first-class tin, than of cheap tin, in the items of labor, solder, nails, cleats, charcoal, rosin, shop-rent and the various other sundries entering into the work. In fact, the chances of the lowest cost are in favor of the best articles of plate, for its working qualities are fully assured, while with cheap plates there is a risk of extra work necessary in repairing fractures, etc. However, for the sake of argument, let it be assumed that the expense of laying, including all things except the tin plate itself, is the same regardless of the brand or grade of tin employed. This will be very generally accepted as a fair proposition. Then it follows that the differences between using one tin plate and some other tin plate is simply the difference in the cost of the plates. Let us reduce the cost of tin plates to the cost of a square of roofing (100 square feet), which is the usual unit employed in roofing work. When tin plate costs \$15 per box of 20 x 28, the tin in a flat-seam roof costs \$3.75 per square. This is upon the assumption that the sheets are edged, 19 x 27 thus exposing 513 square inches per sheet. At the same price per box, the tin in a standing-seam roof, the sheets being edged 17½ x 27, and exposing on the roof when laid 479½ inches, cost \$4.02 per square. It is true that roofers do not all work to these exact dimensions; some use a little more in the seams, resulting in a slightly higher figure, and some use a little less in the seams resulting in a cost slightly less than above named. The variation, whichever way it may be, is, in any event, only a few cents per square and what we have named is certainly a fair average and a reasonable basis for what follows. With tin plate at \$15.25 per box, the cost of the tin in a square of roofing on the above basis is, for flat seam \$3.82, and for standing seam \$4.09. At \$15.50 the figures are \$3.88

and \$4.16 respectively; at \$15.75 they become \$3.94 and \$4.23; at \$16 they are \$4.01 and \$4.29 respectively. We might extend the list indefinitely, but we have shown enough to demonstrate that at 25 cents per box advance in price, something that is often made to appear very big, amounts in even figures to only 6 or 7 cents per square of roof, or to reduce it to the foot unit, sometimes employed in roofing work, it amounts to only six or sevenths of a mill per square foot of roof surface.

We have prepared the accompanying table for your use. It shows the extra cost per square for tin alone for different advances in price per box of tin plates of the two regular sizes, and for the two kinds of tin roofs. In using this table observe that in 14 x 20 plates there is just one-half as much surface, flat, as in 20 x 28, and that the plates per box cost only half as much. Accordingly an advance of 25 cents per box on 14 x 20 is equivalent to 50 cents per box on 20 x 28. In some



Fac-simile of the Stamping of the Sheets of "Merchant's Roofing."

portions of the country the unit is the small box. In others it is the large or double box. Hence the necessity of the double table and this explanation. It is cheaper for the roofer and better for the house-owner, we think, to use the large plates. However, there is a strong prejudice in different sections of the country in favor of the use of small plates.

In this table we have given the costs varying by 12½ cents up to \$2 per box. Figures for other and larger variations are easily obtained by combinations, multiplications, etc. For example, \$2.50 per box is the same as twice \$1.25; and \$3 is the same as one-and-a-half times \$2, or three times \$1, and so on.

TRICKS OF THE TRADE.

We feel obliged to caution architects, builders and house-owners against some of the tricks and dishonest practices that are at



Fac-simile of the Stamping of the Sheets of "Camaret" Roofing Plate.

present current in the tin-plate trade. We have already referred to "Waster" sheets. It is a fact that certain brands of so-called guaranteed plates are at present indiscriminately applied to primes and wasters alike. The sheets are all stamped, and there is no designating mark or symbol. After the roof is laid and painted, the stamping of the sheets appears for the inspection of the architect, but the blisters and spots with defective coating are all covered up.

Again, certain brands which the public have been persuaded to believe stand for good plates with fair coating, and which



Fac-simile of the Stamping of the Sheets of "Camaret" Roofing.

formerly had reputation, are at present applied to almost any grade of plate for which the roofer may call. He buys the cheapest and poorest plate he dares to undertake to use under the circumstances, and then pays a trifle for having the sheets stamped with a counterfeit badge of respectability. The fact that a plate is stamped is in itself no guaranty of quality. Unless there is a specific pledge from the house using the stamp and selling the plate, that waster sheets are rigidly excluded and that the stamp is in no case applied to any other quality of plate than that to which it rightfully belongs as set forth in their representations, it may be safely assumed that there is a trick somewhere. Never buy a roofing-plate of any grade whatever without

a specific statement of its exact quality, and a guaranty that if, upon examination, it falls in the least below that quality, it will be replaced. Guaranties apply alike to plates of good, medium and best qualities.

Look to the weight of your plates. There are light plates in the market, light in the iron or steel and also in the coating. We have given above the average weight per box of our three leading plates, and further have stated that the actual weight of the contents of each box is branded thereon. Accept no plates that weigh less, but be careful also in high-priced plates that the weight is not altogether in the iron or steel, and not in the coating. Coating determines the quality and establishes the value.

ACTUAL VALUES.

The one thought that we want to leave with you, in concluding our remarks on tin plates, is this, that there is no fictitious value about our goods. We sell with the market and ask only the fair value of each of the several grades. Whenever the statement is made that such and such a plate is just as good as one of ours, but costs less money, there is always one of two things true—either that the first part or the last part of the statement is false. The same quality cannot be afforded for less money, and since no man in business expects to part with his goods without a fair equivalent, it follows that it is the first part of the proposition that is wrong. Somebody is trying to persuade you to take much smaller value for a very little less money.

Extra cost of tin only.				
Advance in price of tin plates per box.	20 x 28 plates.		14 x 20 plates.	
	Flat-seam roofing, per square.	Standing-seam roofing, per square.	Flat-seam roofing, per square.	Standing-seam roofing, per square.
	\$0.12½	\$0.03½	\$0.06½	\$0.07
.25	.06	.06	.13	.14
.37½	.09	.10	.19	.21
.50	.12	.13	.26	.28
.62½	.15	.16	.32	.35
.75	.18	.20	.39	.42
.87½	.21	.23	.45	.49
1.00	.25	.27	.52	.56
1.12½	.28	.30	.58	.63
1.25	.31	.33	.65	.70
1.37½	.34	.37	.71	.77
1.50	.37	.40	.78	.84
1.62½	.40	.43	.84	.91
1.75	.43	.47	.91	.98
1.87½	.46	.50	.97	1.05
2.00	.50	.54	1.04	1.12

Table Showing the Additional Cost per Square of Tin for Roofing, for Different Advances in Price of Tin per Box.

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NOTES.

THE Pierce, Butler & Pierce Mfg. Co. of Syracuse, N. Y., have opened an office at New York City, 60 Barclay St., and at Boston, 237 Franklin St.; thus the Pierce, Butler & Pierce Mfg. Co. will be remembered by the trade as having offices in New York, Boston and Chicago, with main office at Syracuse, N. Y. This action on the part of the manufacturers of Florida Heaters is certainly suggestive of a healthy and increasing business, and the success which is attending their efforts must be very gratifying.

THE Whittier Machine Company have recently put into the Hotel Champlain, situated on Lake Champlain near Plattsburg, N. Y., an Elevator operated upon the Pressure Tank System for passenger service.

THE Narragansett Electric Light Co., of Providence, R. I., have contracted with the Babcock & Wilcox Co. for 1,120 horse-power additional boilers, and also for the reconstruction of their present Moore boilers into the Babcock & Wilcox system.

AMONG the recent sales of elevators by the Salem Foundry and Machine Shop of Salem, Mass., may be noted the following: Sewall

& Day Cordage Co., Boston, Mass.; Cornell Mills, Fall River, Mass.; Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing Co., Adams, Mass.; Salem Evening News, Salem, Mass.; Saunders Cotton Mills, Saundersville, Mass.; Newichawanick Company, South Berwick, Me.; Overman Wheel Co., Chicopee Falls, Mass. They report business as being uncommonly good for this time of the year.

THE Barnard Engineering Company, No. 15 Cortland Street, New York, have issued a pamphlet of eight pages containing a condensed description of their system for heating buildings by steam. The chief points of superiority claimed are that it saves fuel, secures perfect circulation, prevents noise and freezing. Leaky valves and joints are claimed to be made an impossibility by the introduction of the vacuum principle causing leakage, whenever it occurs, to flow into the pipes. These claims are supported by fourteen testimonials from well-known corporations and individuals. The book will be sent upon application.

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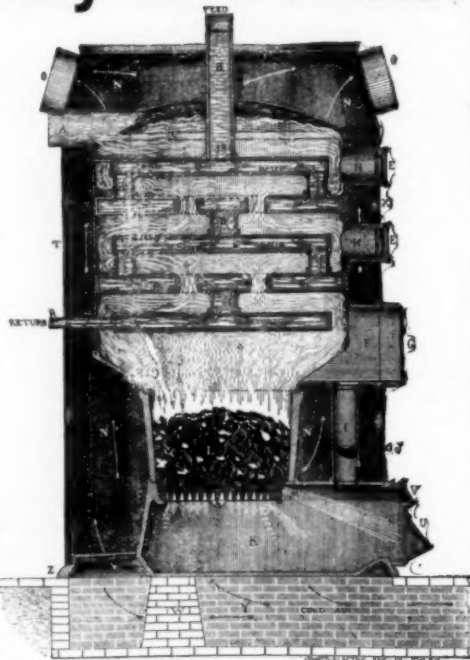
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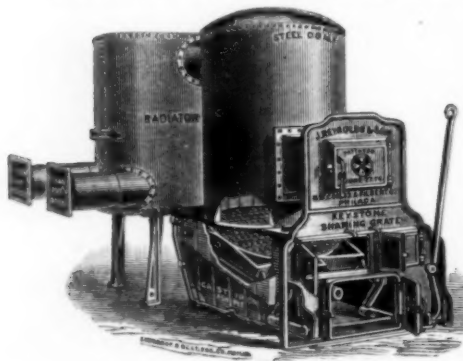


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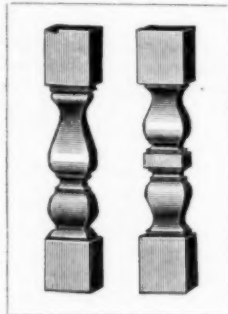
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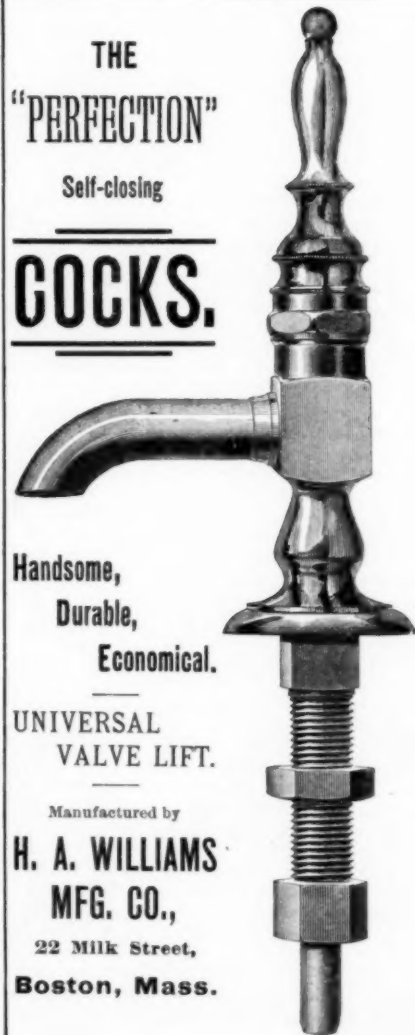
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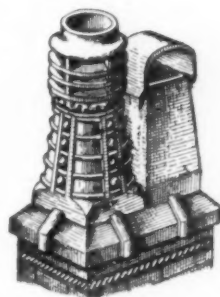
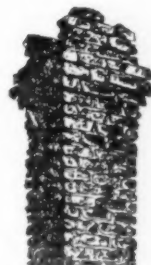
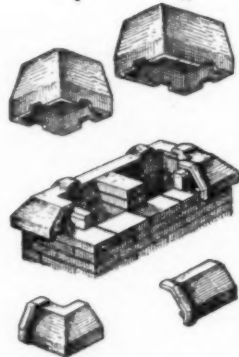
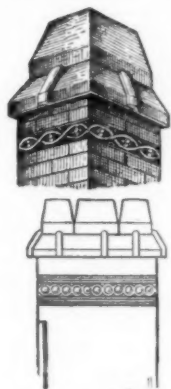
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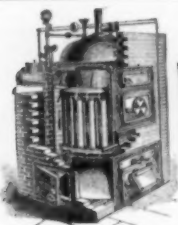
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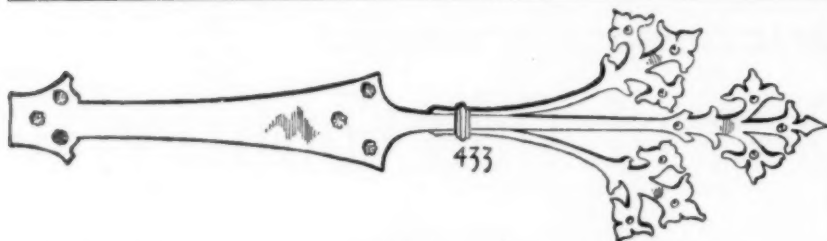
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THE "SANITAS" SYSTEM OF PLUMBING.

It is estimated that the special trap-vent law costs the people of Chicago, New York and Boston about \$250,000 a year, and it is known that this expenditure has been rendered entirely unnecessary by the improvements in plumbing appliances made within the last few years. The law in these cities requires every trap to be vented, no matter whether it is required or not. The result is a more or less rapid evaporation of the water-seal of the trap and a serious complication of the plumbing. A false sense of security is also one of the evil results of this law, for the effectiveness of the vent-pipe is easily destroyed by grease deposit, by condensation and by the friction of the air against the sides of the pipe.

Trap-venting can no longer be excused on the ground of its being necessary for the purpose of cleaning or oxidizing waste matters in the piping, since all first-class plumbing fixtures are now made with outlets large enough to permit of their filling the waste-pipes "full bore" at each discharge, and thereby purifying the pipes infinitely better than could the air current; and since all properly arranged waste-pipe systems provide for an ample circulation of air through all the main soil and waste pipes through the foot and head vents.

Now that several systems of plumbing have been invented which do not require the expensive and dangerous trap vent-pipes, architects, sanitary engineers and plumbers advocate a modification of this law in such a way as to give the public greater security with less expense and complication. People will then be able to substitute better and stronger fixtures for poor fixtures and complicated piping.

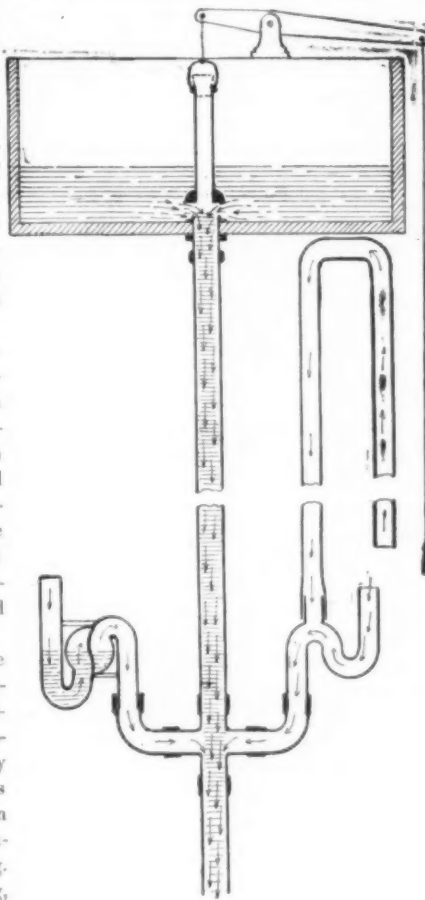
If a better scour is desired for the piping, the law should require every plumbing fixture to be constructed on the principle of a *flush-tank*, and for entire security, it should require all traps to be *anti-siphonic*, so that if the mouth of the vent-pipe becomes closed up by grease, the trap will still preserve its water-seal.

Traps may be tested to determine their power of resistance to siphonage, by very simple forms of apparatus, one of which is shown in the accompanying cut.

It is similar to the best forms employed by Boards of Health and others for the same purpose. A tank corresponding to a bath-tub,

sink, slop-hopper, flush-tank or other plumbing fixture, is discharged through a 2-inch valve and waste-pipe. Two branches enter the waste-pipe at the same point below the tank, and to these branches the different traps to be tested are connected. An overflow pipe for the tank is provided in the form of a stand-pipe from the valve, and corresponds with the overflow of ordinary fixtures.

A vent-pipe is provided with one or more bends as desired. This simple apparatus is sufficient to fully test the absolute and relative power of resistance of all kinds of traps, and



may be put up by any one with a minimum of expense and trouble. It consists of an ordinary copper or lead lined wooden cistern of say 26 gallons capacity, provided with the usual form of W. C. cistern stand-pipe valve 2 inches in diameter, operated by a chain and lever. The lever should be so attached to the valve tube or stand-pipe that the upper end of the tube may be closed by a cork as shown in dotted line, when desired. The 2-inch down pipe is of ordinary thin wrought-iron steam

or gas pipe, and the two branches are composed of a steam fitter's double T, and two-quarter bends, or 2-inch plain copper conductor-pipe may be used. The vent-pipe is composed of tin speaking-tube, carefully soldered to make the joints all perfectly airtight. Small pieces of pure rubber tubing are used at the connection of the traps with the iron branches and of the vent-pipes with the traps for the purpose both of making the joints airtight, and of preventing injury to the traps when they are made of glass. The traps to be tested should have small glass panes inserted in their upcast limbs to permit of inspection of the interior during siphoning, or they should have glass movable cups or sections. S-traps up to 1½ inches in diameter of bore may be made entirely of glass by a skilful glass-blower by bending a glass tube under the blow-pipe, and attaching a short tube at the crowns for the vent nozzle at a cost not exceeding \$5 apiece. The trap in the illustration was so made and can be duplicated by us for those who have not the facilities for obtaining them themselves. An ordinary cast-lead plumber's S-trap should be taken as a pattern for forming the glass S-traps.

For the length of the 2-inch pipe we have taken twelve feet, or the average height of a single story, and the branches for testing the traps are placed at middle distance, or six feet below the tank. The overflows of fixtures are sometimes stopped up by house owners to avoid the odors arising from foul, concealed overflow passages, or from bad traps, or those whose seals are destroyed by siphonage evaporation, or other causes. To reproduce this condition in our apparatus, the top of the tank valve stand-pipe is provided with a cork stopper. The use of this stopper also produces the effect of a closure of the main soil-pipe by snow or ice at the roof in winter. The whole of this apparatus as shown in the drawing, including a glass S-trap and thirty feet of vent-pipe and two return bends, may be obtained for \$30 or less. It is not necessary to connect the foot of the 2-inch pipe with a soil-pipe to make the experiments. It may waste into any open trough. A stout 3-ply rubber hose, 1½ inch inside diameter, may be used to connect the ball-cock of the tank with the water-supply.

With this apparatus strains much severer than are likely to be met with in practice are produced, but for comparative tests, it is desirable to be able to obtain the severest strains possible in plumbing.

The following are the results obtained in comparing the Sanitas with other traps. (1) The vented S-trap is connected with one branch and the other branch is corked. With

the top of the valve-tube closed a single discharge of two-thirds of the water in the tank destroys the seal of the trap, the vent being only fifteen feet long and containing two return bends as shown. (The trap being the 1½ inch trap with a 1½ inch vent opening at the crown, and the vent-pipe being either 1½ inches in diameter [the size of the bore of the trap as allowed by trap-vent laws], or 1½ inches. In both cases the seal is destroyed by a single discharge.) (2) The unvented Sanitas Trap subjected to precisely the same test as above, retains its seal under continued repetitions of the discharge without refilling the trap. The first discharge lowers the water enough to leave ample room above the water for the escape of air, but a seal of 1½ or 1½ inch in depth remains. Subsequent discharges have little effect on this seal, and each discharge has less effect upon it than the preceding. The test may be continued indefinitely, without destroying the seal. The "Adjustable" Sanitas Trap is used in these tests, since it is better suited than the other forms of the Sanitas Trap for experimentation, and is, moreover, especially constructed to resist extraordinary and abnormal strains of siphoning, but the other forms of the Sanitas Traps may be used if preferred, and will also resist them. (3) An ordinary 3-inch round or pot trap, unvented, subjected to the same ordeal soon loses its seal. (4) Smaller pot-traps lose their seal still more easily under the test. (5) Larger pot-traps up to 6 or 8 inches lose their seal more slowly, their ultimate destruction being only a matter of time. (6) If the unvented Sanitas Trap be attached to one of the branches and the vented S-trap be attached to the other (the arrangement is shown in the drawing), the former will lose but little water, while the latter will lose its seal altogether in a single discharge. The S-traps have ten feet of vent-pipe and one or two bends as shown. If the Sanitas Trap be but half-filled with water at the beginning of the test it will lose no water at all. (7) If the above experiments be repeated with the tank valve-tube open, the strains will be greatly reduced. The Sanitas Trap will be very slightly affected after the first discharge has opened an air-passage. The S-trap will, however, still lose its seal if the vent-pipe applied be long enough and contain bends enough. Thirty feet of 1½ inch vent-pipe, having three or four quick bends, or forty feet of 1½ inch vent-pipe, with five or six quick bends, will cause this trap to lose its seal.

The above results, which can be easily verified by any one, at any time, show that the Sanitas Trap, even unvented, is capable of resisting siphonage infinitely better than an ordinary S-trap fully vented according to the law, and infinitely better than any other known trap.

The Sanitas basins, bath-tubs and sinks are constructed on the principle of the flush-pot, that is, have outlets as large as the waste-pipes, and fill the latter "full-bore" when they are discharged.

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pipe for the heater enters the base at the bottom on one side, and the water of condensation escapes from the bottom on the opposite side. A diaphragm in the base forces the steam to flow through all the pipes, thus utilizing all the heating-surface. The heaters are encased in steel plate with a receiving-chamber for the air where it enters the fan. Ordinarily the air is taken in at the top from the room where the heater is located. The air taken into the heater, or discharged from the fan, can be conveyed to or from any point by means of distributing pipe. These fans are right or left hand, according as the pulley is on the right or left hand side as you face the outlet. Special heaters of this type, where the air is blasted through instead of drawn through, are furnished where the situation demands.

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Size of Heater.	Square feet Heating Surface.	Floor Space of Fan and Heater combined.	Height of Heater.	No. of Blower or Exhaust Monogram Pattern.
300 ft.	104	2 ft. 9 in. x 4 ft. 3 in.	6 ft. 9 in.	4
450 ft.	155	3 ft. 3 in. x 5 ft.	6 ft. 9 in.	5
600 ft.	207	3 ft. 9 in. x 5 ft. 6 in.	6 ft. 9 in.	6
800 ft.	307	4 ft. 3 in. x 6 ft.	6 ft. 9 in.	7
1000 ft.	345	4 ft. 9 in. x 7 ft.	6 ft. 9 in.	8

Prices of heaters will vary with the fluctuations of the market price of pipe and fittings.

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The fans may be driven either by a direct connected horizontal or vertical engine (dependent upon the size and style of the fan), by belt from an independent engine, or by belt from a line shaft. It is always desirable to have an engine devoted solely to the propulsion of the fan, so that the running of the fan shall in no way be dependent upon the running of other machinery.

The engines furnished for these fans are all of our manufacture, and embody the results of years of experience in the design of engines for this specific work. Fan propulsion is particularly trying to any engine. The engine must often run continuously for many days, frequently amid dust and dirt, and without its share of attention; in fact, with poor treatment in every particular. It is therefore obvious that such engines must be of the best as regards workmanship, design and strength, and such we can honestly claim our engines to be. They are carefully designed, with

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Our steel-pipe heaters have been completely changed in design during the past few months, and are now presented as by far the most carefully built and best designed heaters in the market.

The foundation upon which the heater rests is constructed entirely of wrought angle-iron, flanged and bolted. Upon this, and the expansion balls, rests a series of sectional bases materially changed in style from those we formerly manufactured.

Each section contains either two or four rows of vertical pipes, according to the requirements, connected by cross pipes at the top, as shown. The length of these pipes and their position prevents the evil effects of the unequal expansion of the pairs of vertical pipes, which are found in heaters of other makes, having return bends in place of cross pipes. Free expansion lengthwise of the sections is allowed for by resting one end of the sections upon balls which are supported by a casting beneath.

In order to prevent alternate expansion and contraction of the air between the pipes in the heater, and at the same time economize room and material, the sides of the sections are corrugated so that they fit each other closely and allow an equidistant spacing of the pipes in the heater.

The prime feature of the new heater is in the new style of section. Upon the end of each section is a circular flanged head, divided by a horizontal diaphragm, the upper part communicating with the steam supply, and the lower with the drip. The sides of the heads are planed, and closely fitted, a blank flange placed at one end of the series, and the large steam inlet and drip header at the other end.

To secure perfect joints we use the best copper gaskets, having entirely discarded asbestos and similar packing. All parts are tightly drawn together by substantial through bolts, and tight joints are positively secured. The upper parts of all sections are thus brought into communication with the inlet and the lower parts with the drip.

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Our Superior Swiss instruments, those with tongue-joint as well as those with pivot-joint, are the same make, made only for us, only with our trademark (firm name or initials) and only in this one (highest) quality. All the German silver in these instruments is hard rolled plate metal; no part is "cast and hammered" or "coined in dies," and ours are the only instruments made of rolled German silver. This is the only metal which insures perfect uniformity of density and hardness, and on these features the working, wearing and lasting qualities of instruments depend. All our Superior Swiss instruments, those with tongue-joint and with pivot-joint, are made of this rolled plate metal, and are

equally perfect and are unapproached in quality by any other make.

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ments, and they will answer for professional use. Our other grade of German instruments stamped with our trademark [arrow] will compare very favorably with any other German instruments except our above [key] quality. In these trademarks buyers have our guaranty for the quality of these instruments, instead of being obliged to select them according to their very often deceptive appearance.

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NOTES.

THE Salem Foundry and Machine Shops, manufacturers of freight elevators, are meeting with much success with their automatic locking hatch for elevator openings.

Among their recent sales may be noted the following:

Pacific Mills, Lawrence, 29; Everett Mills, Lawrence, 5; Springfield Prov. Co., Springfield, 15; Lyman Mills, Holyoke, 3; Overman Wheel Co., Chicopee Falls, 3; Spartan Mills, Spartansburg, Ill., 8; Lynchburg Cotton Co., Lynchburg, Va., 4; Sewall & Day Cordage Co., Boston, 9; Chelsea Jute Mills, Brooklyn, N. Y., 10; Salem Building Association, Salem, 10; P. Sim & Sons, Salem, 2; Fitchburg Manufacturing Co., Fitchburg, M. Butman, Lynn, W. P. Griswold, Holyoke, and many others.

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THE Whittier Machine Company have recently constructed for the Sewall & Day Cordage Company, Boston, two steel boilers each six feet in diameter.

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SPECIFICATIONS are out and bids are advertised for the erection of the new cavalry-barracks building at West Point, N. Y. The specifications for heating apparatus call for two Number 7 Gorton Boilers. These boilers are manufactured by the Gorton & Lidgerwood Company, Chicago, New York and Boston, who have furnished the Government with a number of their celebrated boilers at one time and another. There are now six of them in use at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, one of which has been giving the most satisfactory results for over six years and is still doing good service. The company last year filled a notable order for twenty-one of their boilers which were used in the Captains' and Lieutenants' quarters at Fort Sheridan, Ill.

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ALTERATIONS.

Boston, Mass.—Mt. Vernon St., near Mt. Pleasant St., Ward 23, remodel building for two families; owner and builder, Geo. A. Spear.

Hanover and Cross Sts., Ward 6, alterations to Station 1; owner, City of Boston; builder, J. H. Stephenson.

Beacon St., alterations to brick dwell. for F. C. Lowell; builder, F. L. Whitcomb; architects, Longfellow, Alden & Harlow.

Chicago, Ill.—A. Caton, two-st'y addition, 1910 Calumet Ave.; cost, \$2,000.

J. M. White, three-st'y addition, 3842 Johnson Pl.; cost, \$2,500.

Eugene S. Pike, one-st'y addition, 83-87 Fifth Ave.; cost, \$25,000.

Fairbank Canning Co., four-st'y addition to packing-house, Exchange Ave. and N. W. R. R.; cost, \$30,000.

L. Nelson, two-st'y addition, 303 West Indiana St.; cost, \$6,000.

APARTMENT-HOUSES.

Chicago, Ill.—F. W. Etten, 2 three-st'y flats, 2340-42 Portland Ave.; cost, \$10,000.

Albert Ochring, three-st'y flats, 34 Dayton St.; cost, \$5,000.

Louis Haack, two-st'y flat, 624 West Twenty-first St.; cost, \$5,000.

Charles Linsendolh, 2 four-st'y flats, 266-268 Noble St.; cost, \$15,000.

E. A. Cummings, 3 three-st'y flats, Sixty-ninth and Leavitt Sts.; cost, \$6,000.

John W. Davis, two-st'y flat, 5208 Sherman St.; cost, \$2,000.

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Andrew Lelja, two-st'y flat, Morgan St., near Sixty-first St.; cost, \$2,000.

CHURCHES.

Canton, Mass.—Frame church for Universalist Society, 507 x 90; contract to be let; architects, Loring & Phipps, Boston.

Chicago, Ill.—Deutsch Evangelical Church, church, Fifty-second and Justin Sts.; cost, \$7,500.

Rev. Noveraki, church, Forty-eighth and Page Sts.; cost, \$2,000.

Wabash Avenue Baptist Mission, church, 3801-03 Wabash Ave.; cost, \$10,000.

Maplewood Avenue M. E. Church, church, 783 Maplewood Ave.; cost, \$8,000.

HOUSES.

Arlington, Mass.—Ashford St., frame dwell., 31' x 41'; cost, abt. \$6,000; owner, Mrs. Ada Hammond; architect, Eugene L. Clark, Boston.

Chicago, Ill.—H. Rohrer, cottage, 965 Hinman St.; cost, \$2,000.

A. C. Hayner, 3 two-st'y dwells., 341-343 Forty-first St.; cost, \$9,000.

Horace G. Chase, three-st'y dwell., 3401 Michigan Ave.; cost, \$40,000.

Oscar Charles, four cottages, Bosworth St., near Grace St.; cost, \$3,600.

N. C. Niblack, two-st'y dwell., Forty-seventh St. and Woodlawn Ave.; cost, \$7,000.

E. L. Kendall, four cottages, Morgan and Fifty-seventh Sts.; cost, \$8,000.

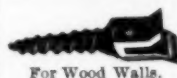
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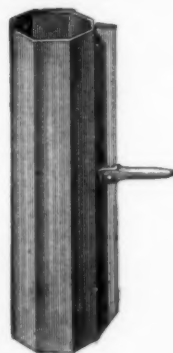
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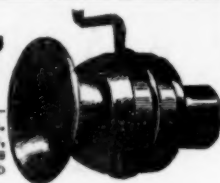


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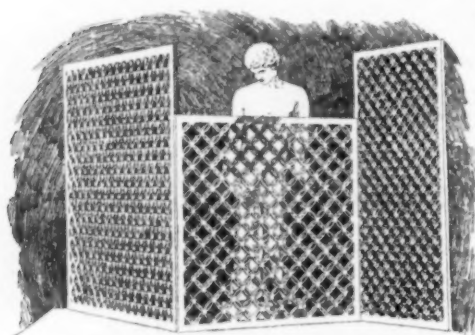
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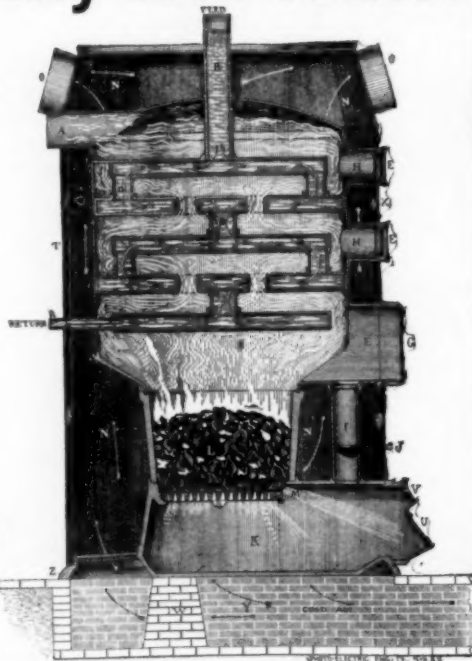
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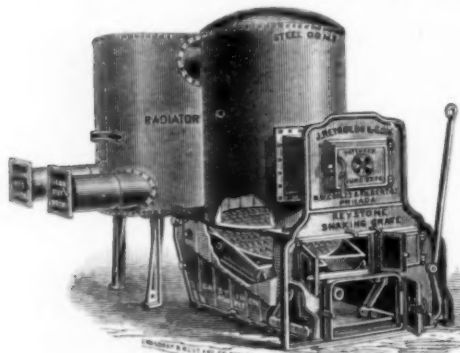
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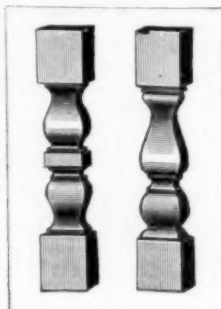
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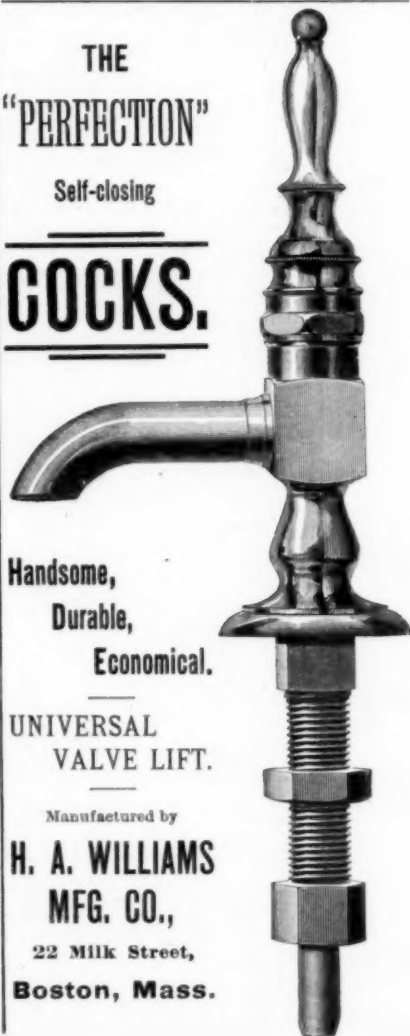
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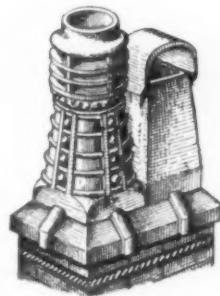
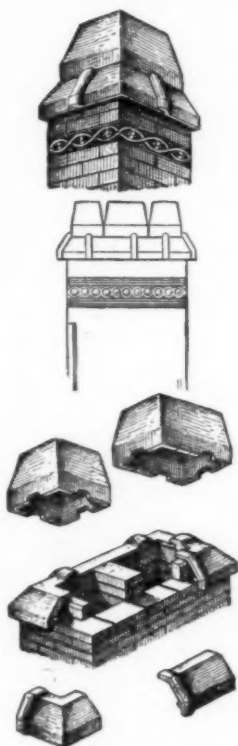
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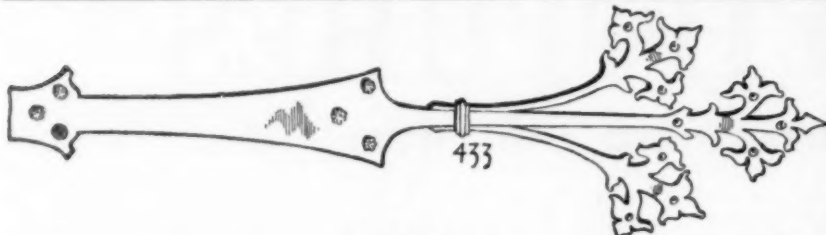
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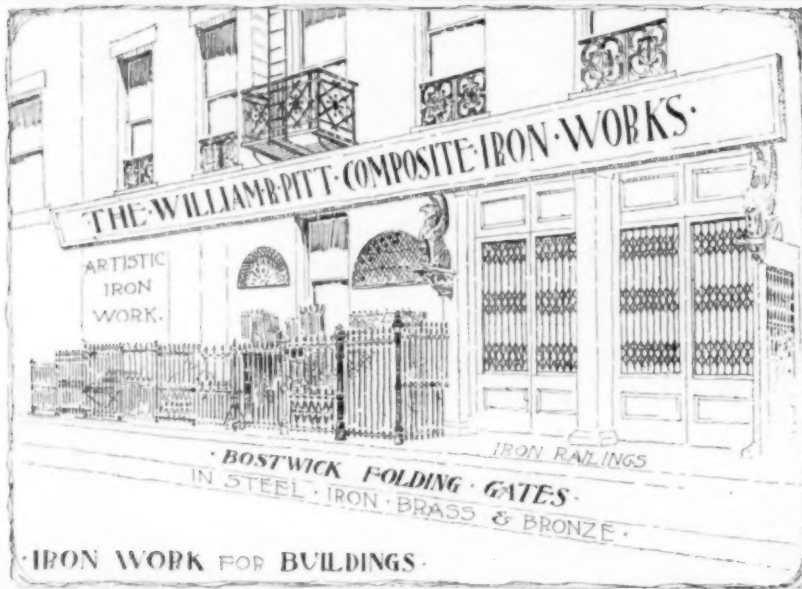
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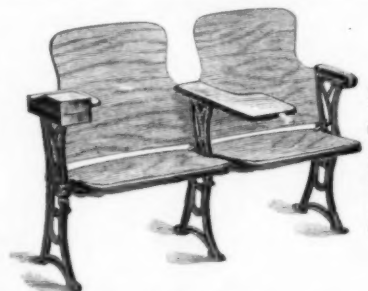
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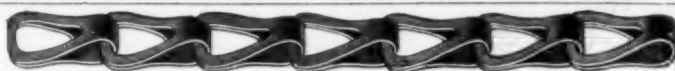
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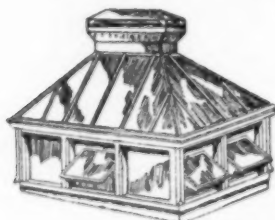
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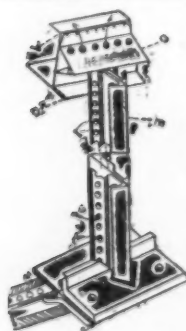
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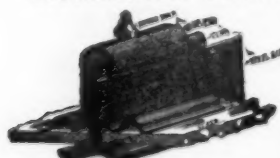
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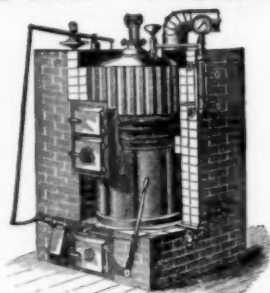
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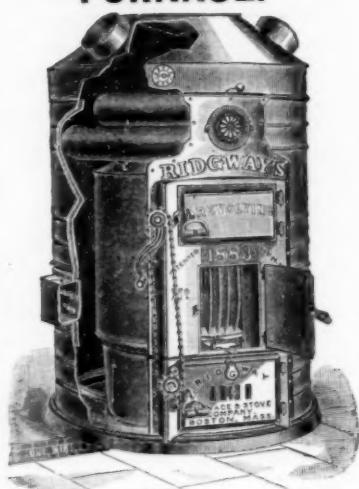
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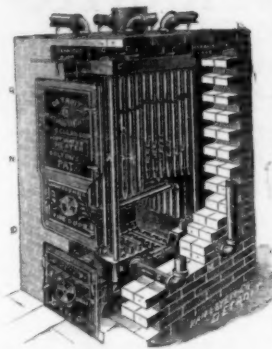
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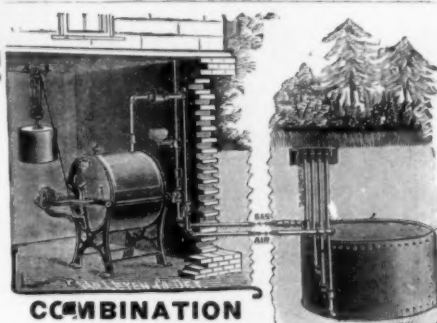
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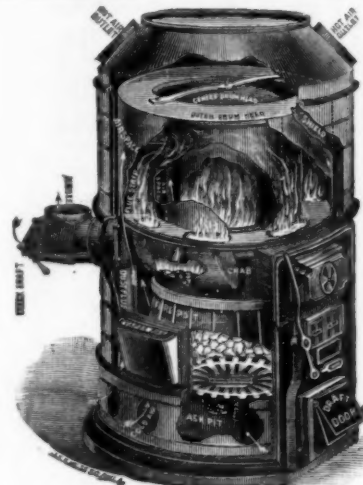


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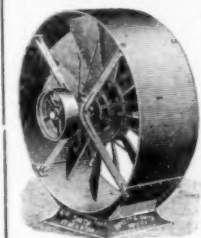
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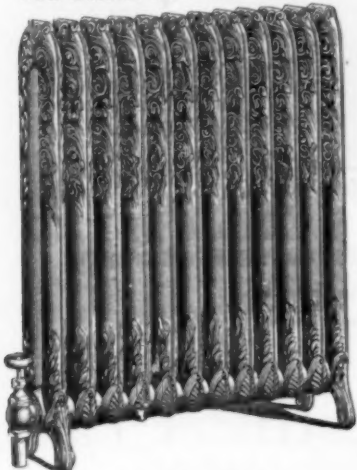
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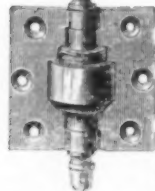
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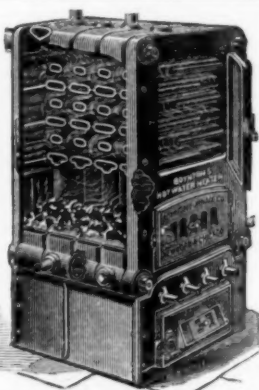
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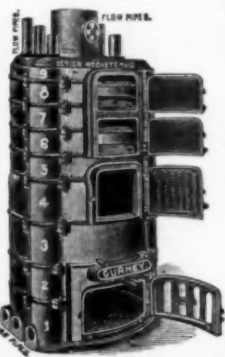
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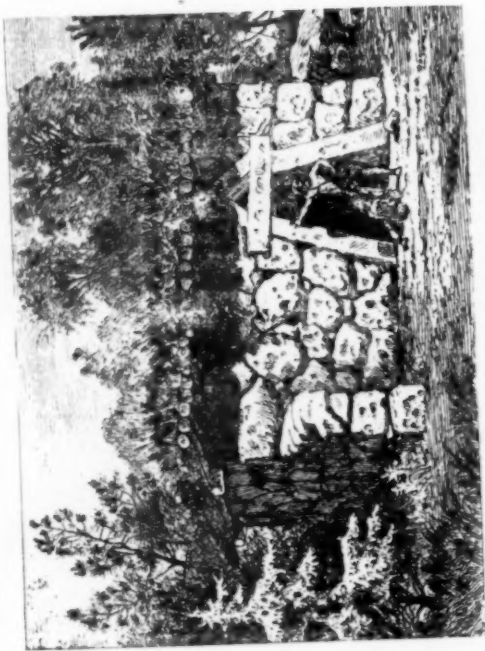
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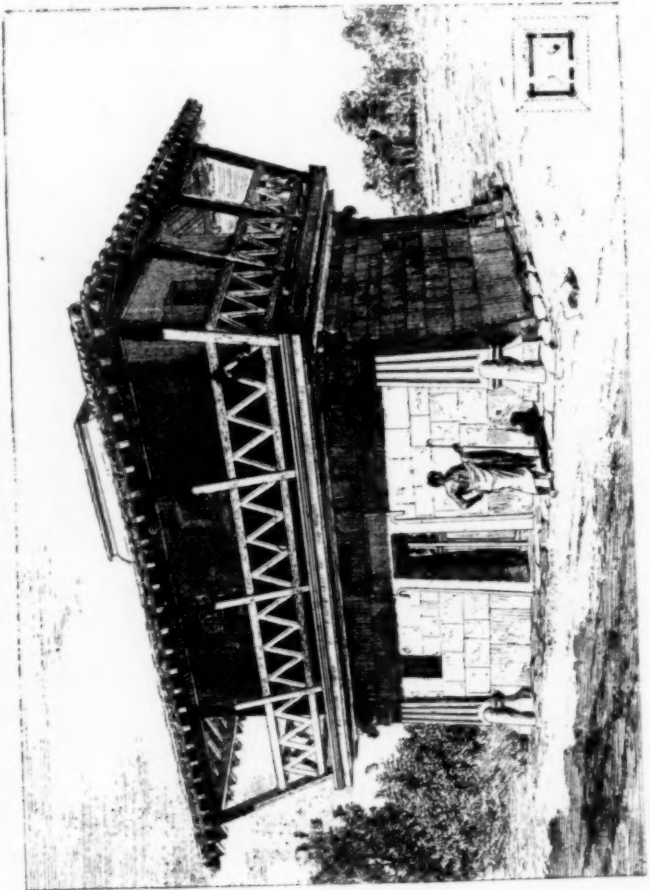
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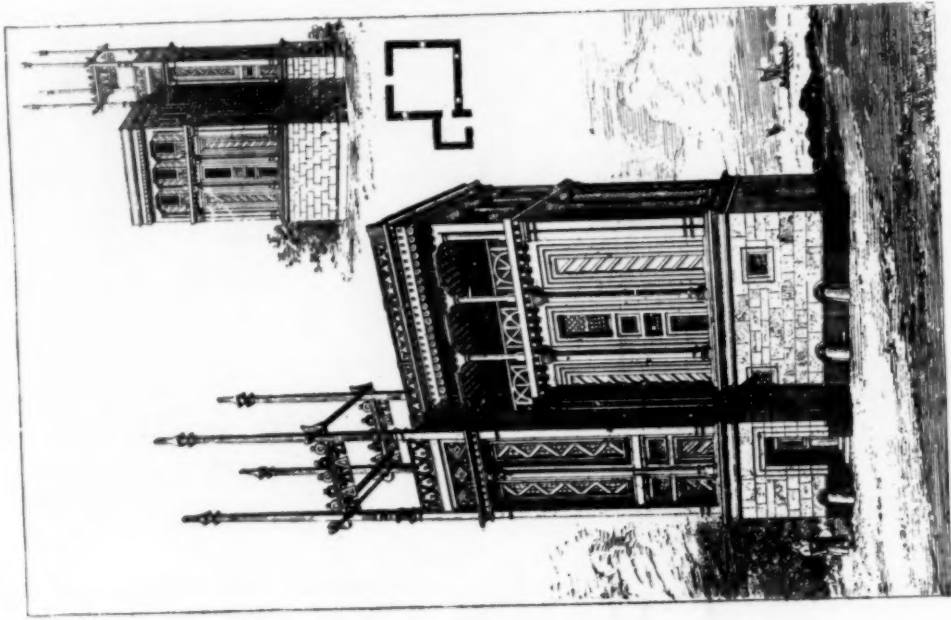
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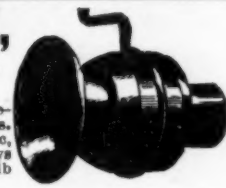


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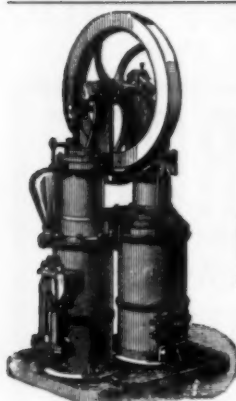
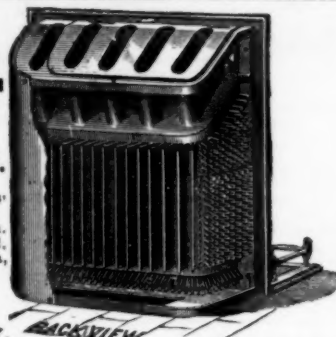
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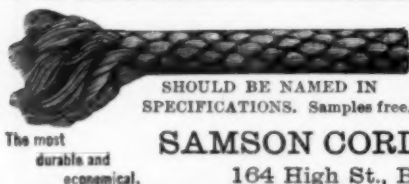
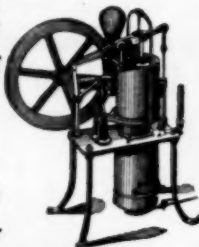
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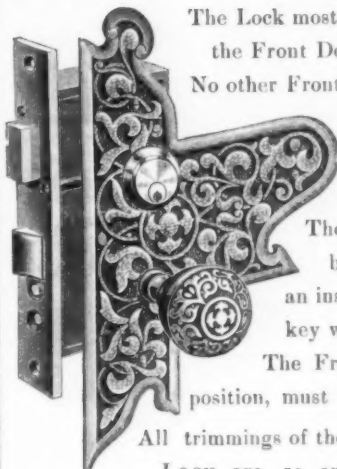
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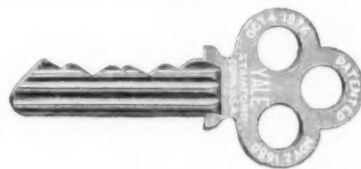
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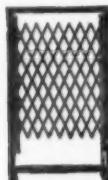
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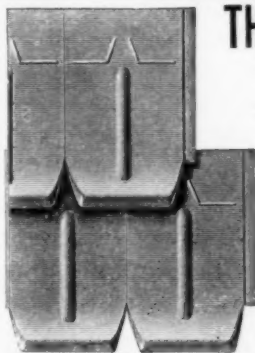
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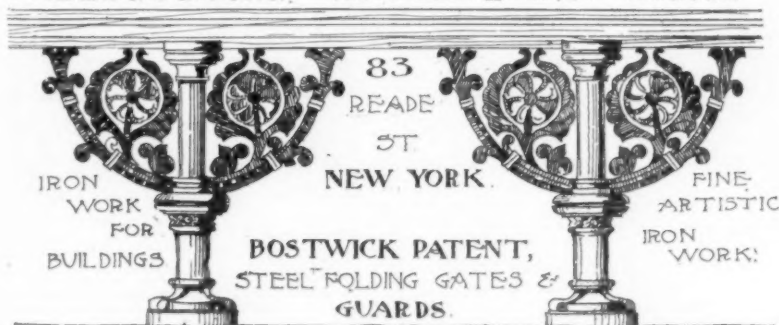
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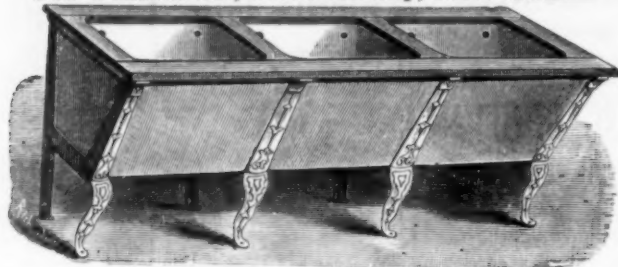
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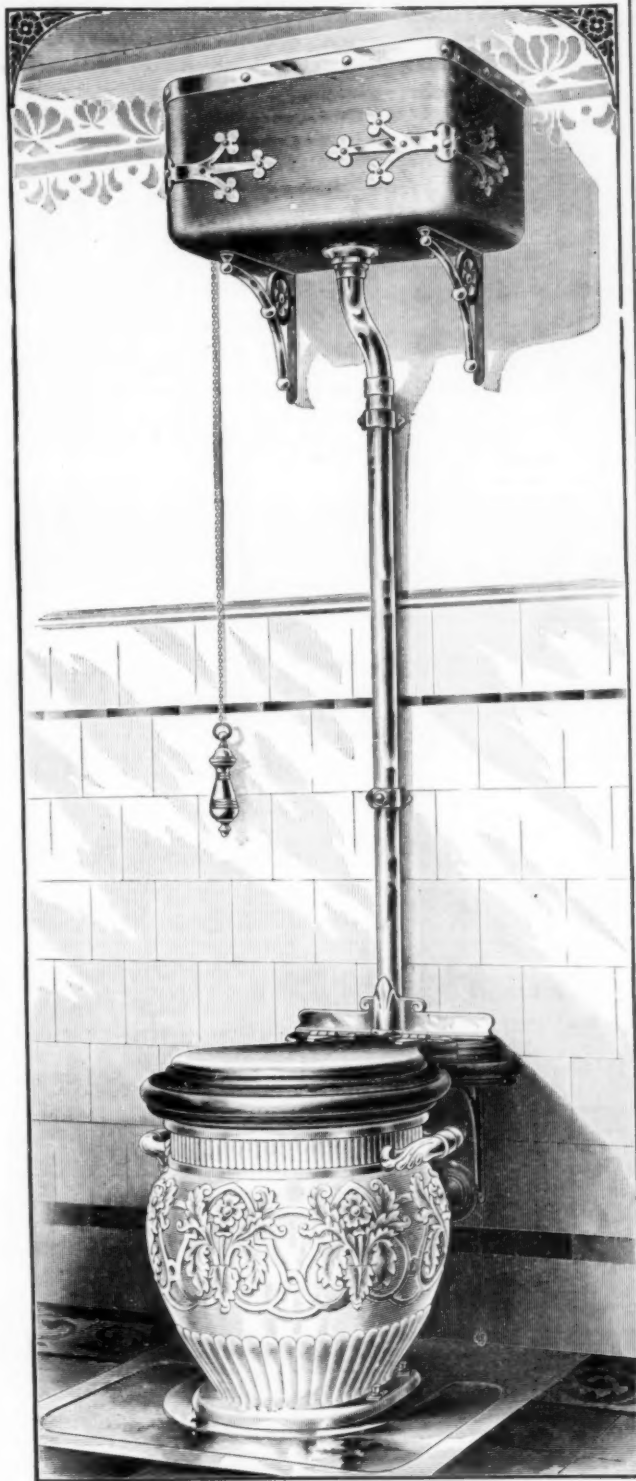
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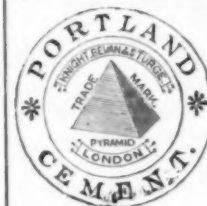
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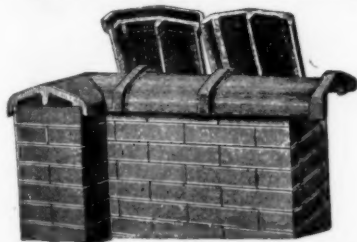
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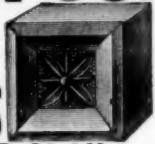
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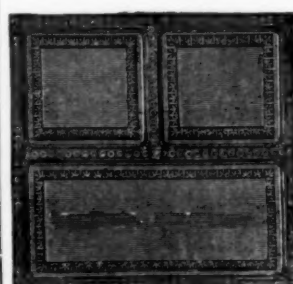
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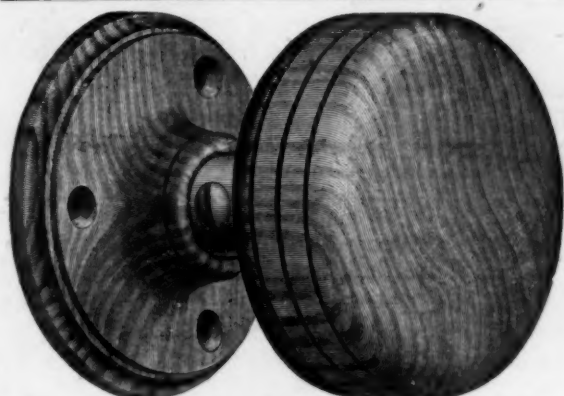
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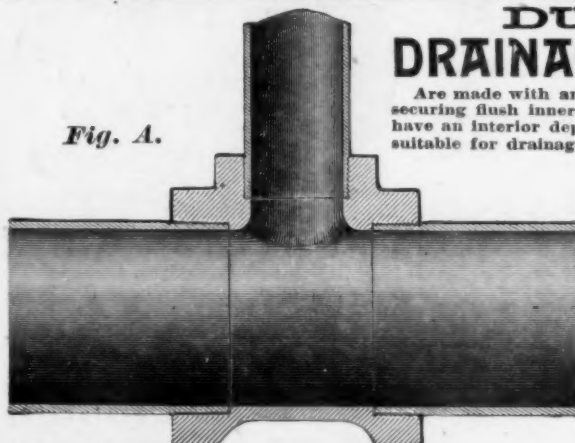
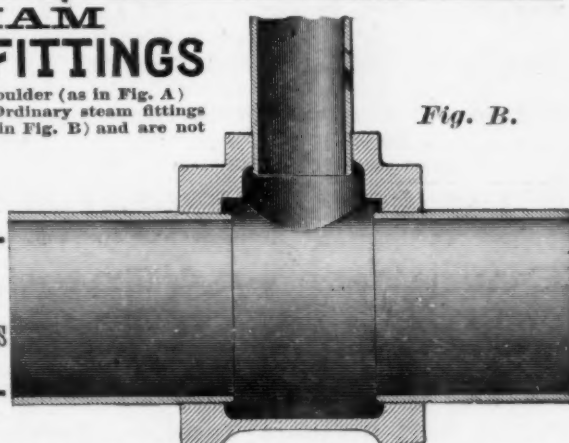


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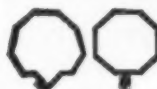
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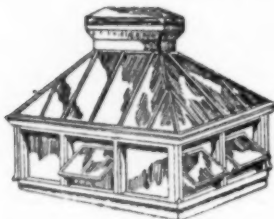
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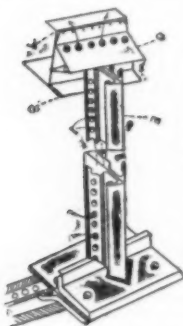
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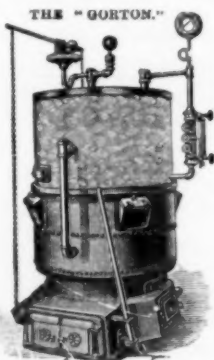
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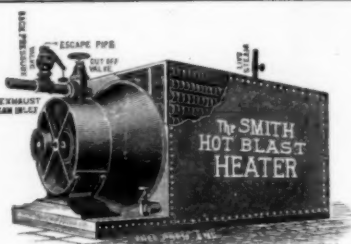
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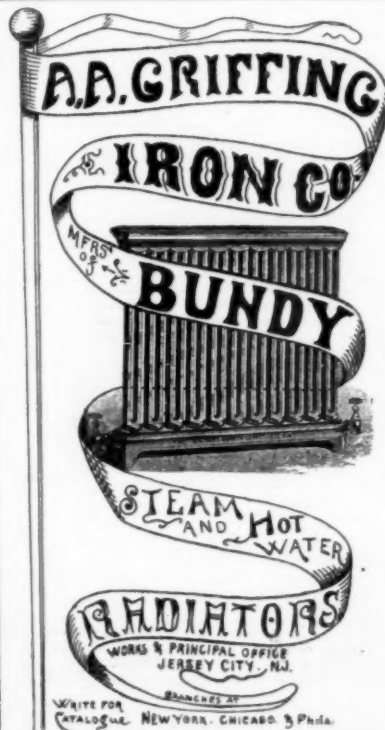
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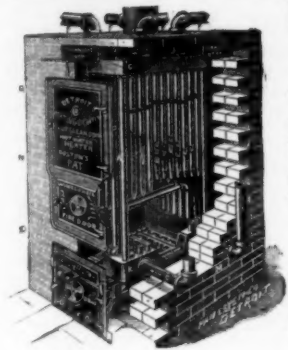
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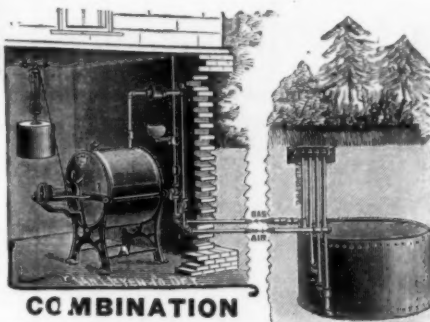
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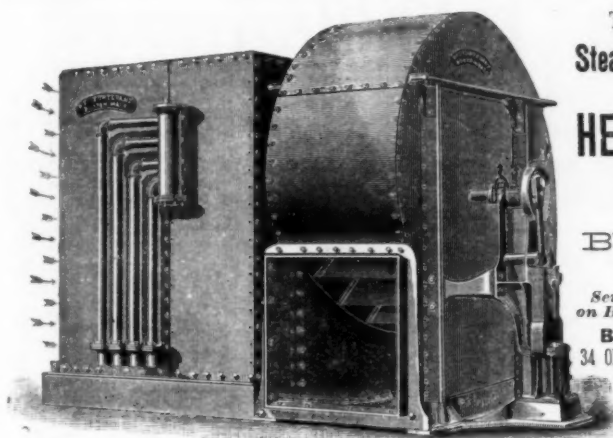
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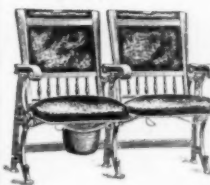
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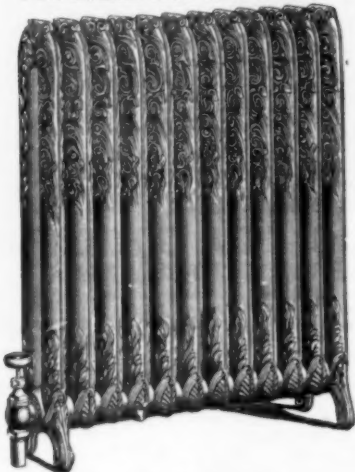
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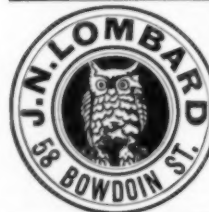
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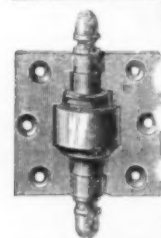
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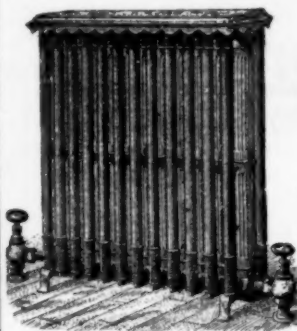
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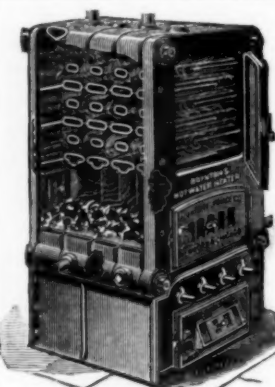
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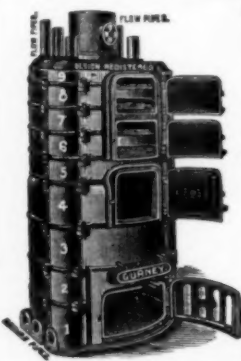
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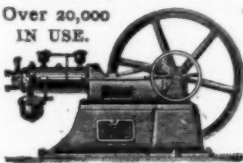
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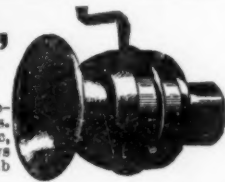
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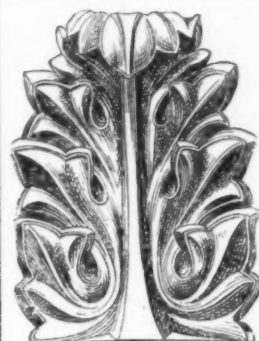
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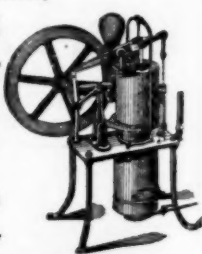
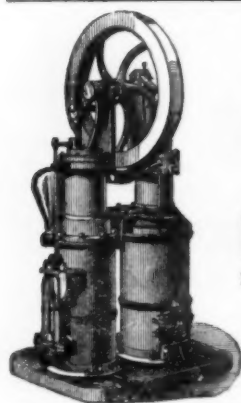
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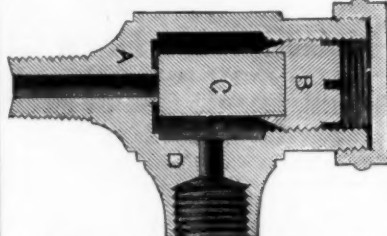
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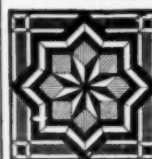
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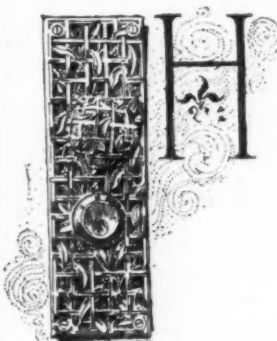
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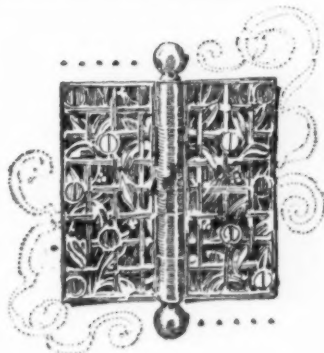
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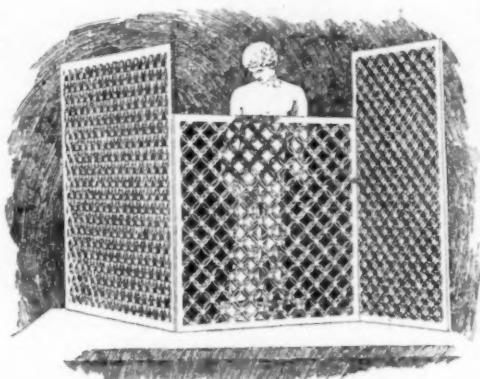
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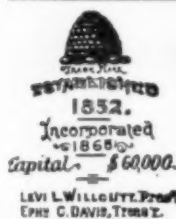
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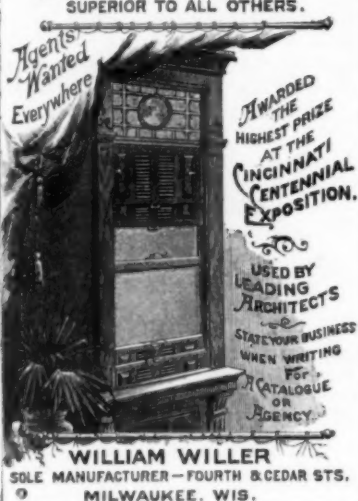
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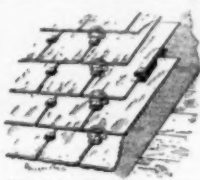


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Chicago, Ill.—First Primitive Methodist Episcopal Church, church, 14-16 North Mary St.; cost, \$5,000. Catholic Apostolic Church, church, 86 Locust St.; cost, \$3,000.

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Bushwick Ave., n e cor. Flushing Ave., 5 four-sty frame dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$40,000; owner, J. Mannechmidt, 966 Myrtle Ave.; architect, Frank Holmberg, 1161 Broadway.

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St. Mark's Ave., n s, 130' e Rogers Ave., 3 three-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$6,500 each; owner of one, Mrs. H. C. Chappell, 542 Nostrand Ave.; of the other two, Mrs. Ashfield, 631 St. Mark's Ave.; architect, George P. Chappell, 24 State St., New York.

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George L. Thomson, two-and-one-half-sty dwell, Hamilton Ave.; cost, \$5,116; architects, Samuel Hannaford & Sons.

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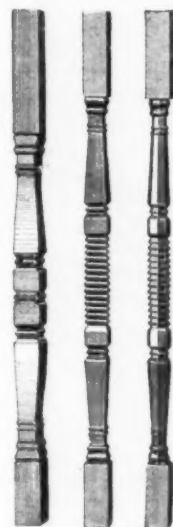
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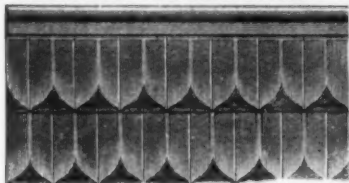
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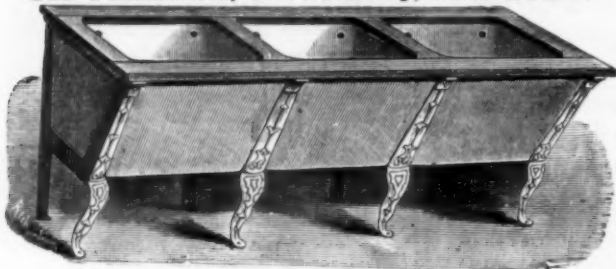
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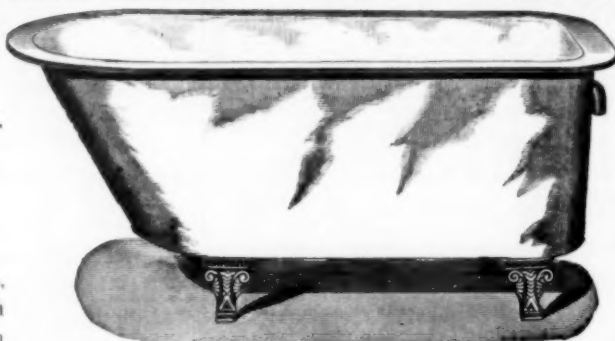
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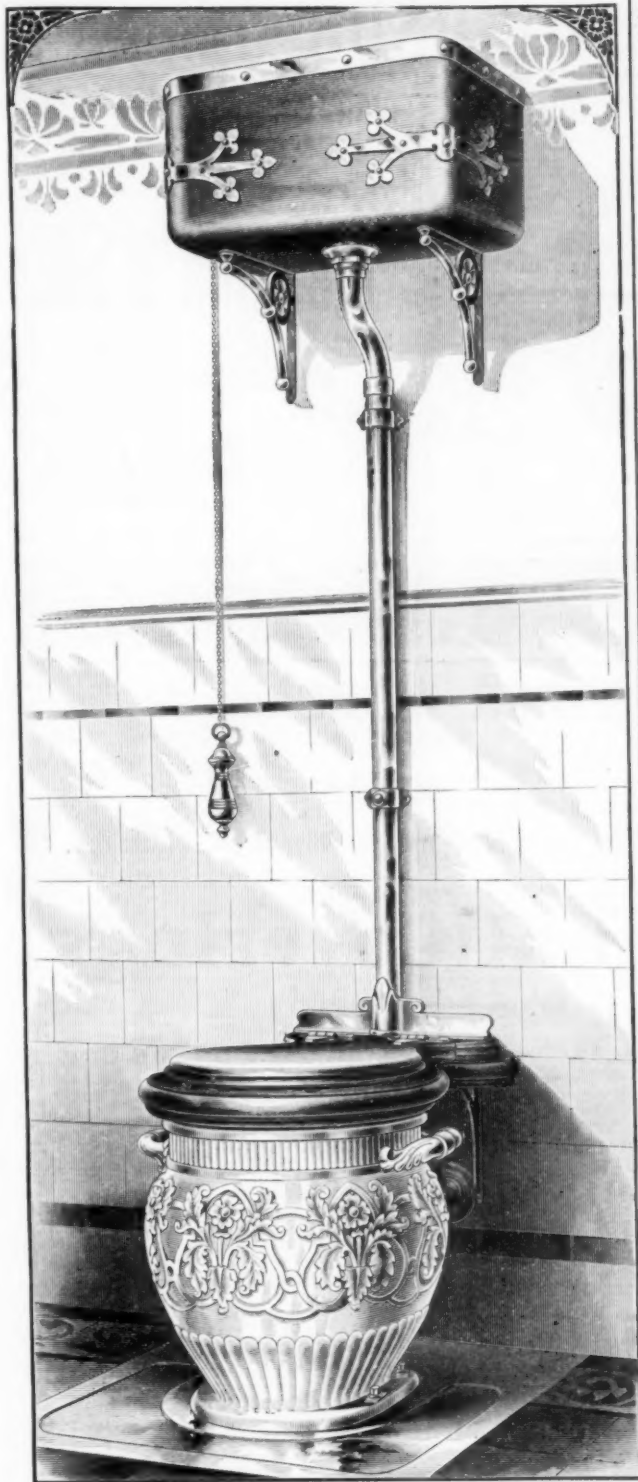
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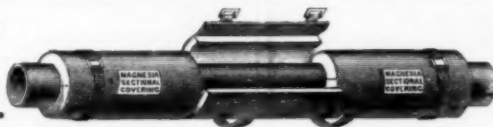
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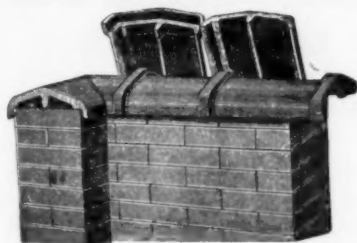
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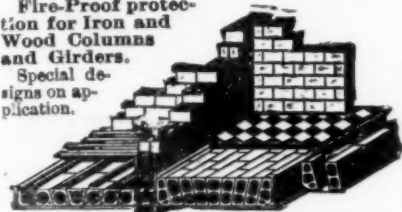
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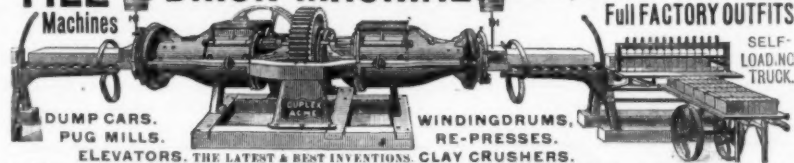
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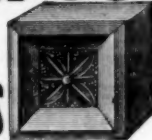
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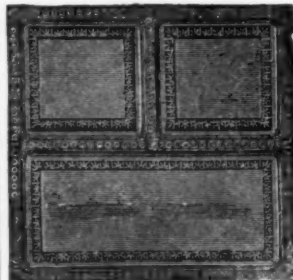
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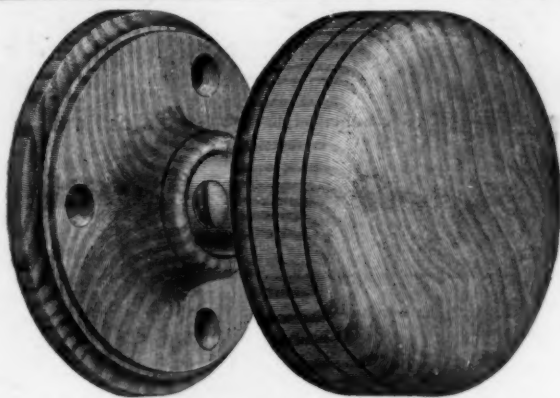
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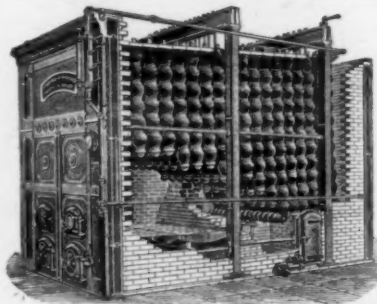
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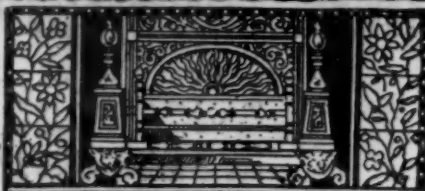
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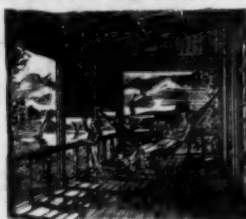
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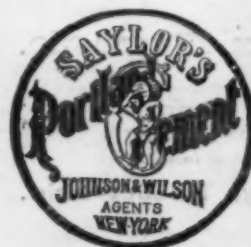
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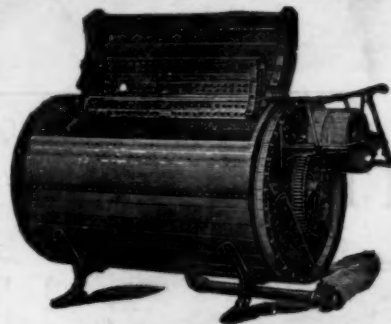
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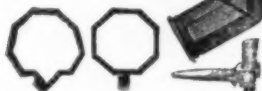
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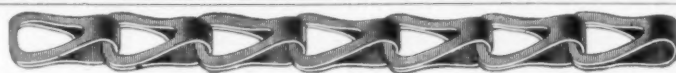
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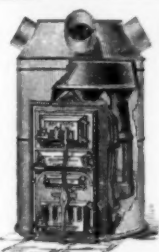
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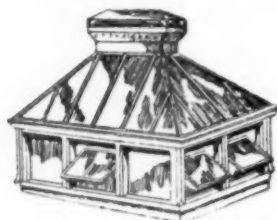
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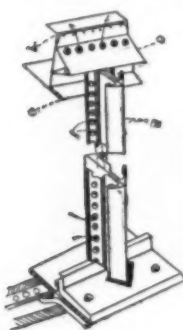
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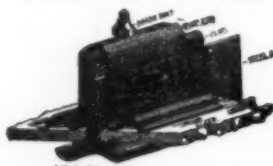
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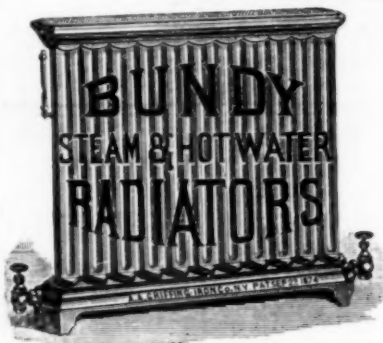
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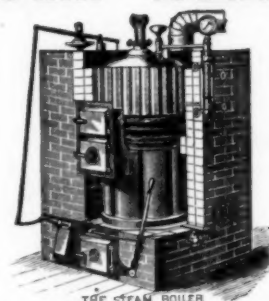


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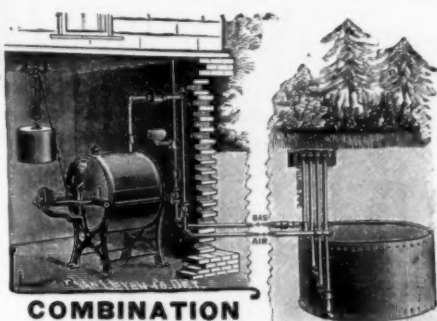
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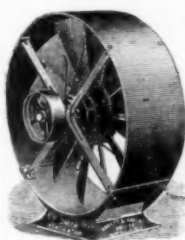
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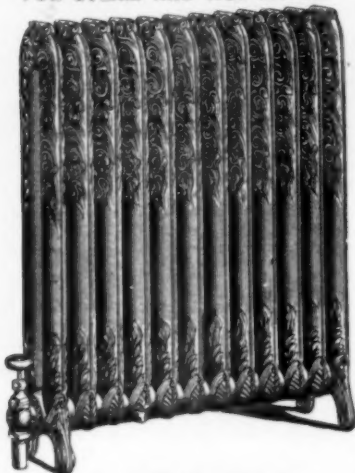
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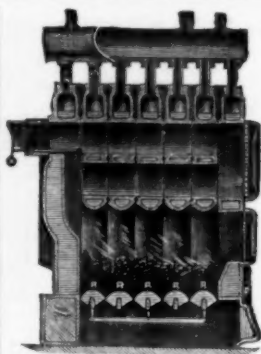
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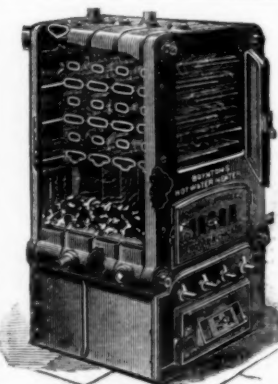
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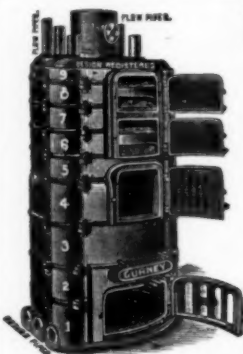
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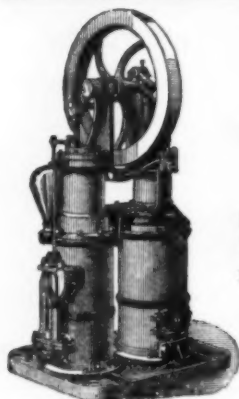
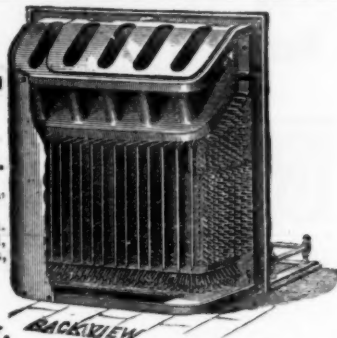
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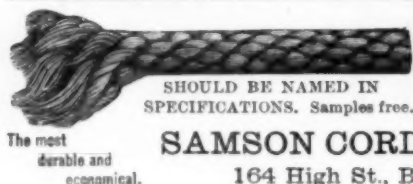
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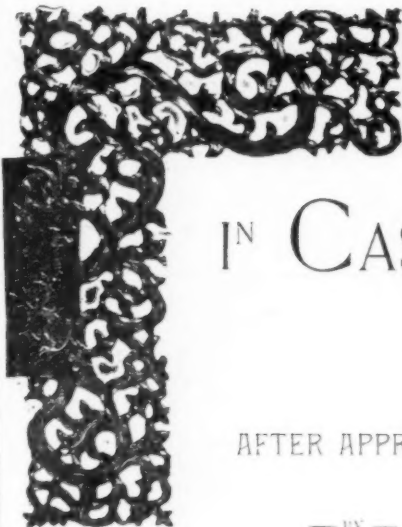
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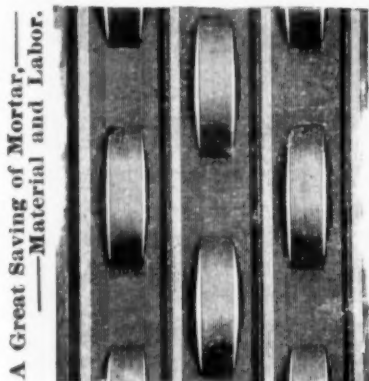
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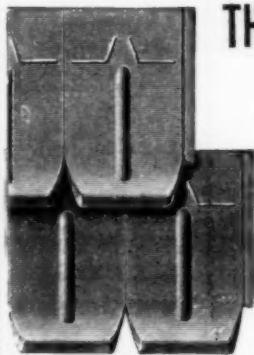
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Brooklyn, N. Y.—Greenpoint Ave., s s, 451' 10" w Manhattan Ave., three-sty brick stable, tin roof; cost, \$10,000; owner, George Treher, 135 Franklin St.; architect, C. Dunkake, 527 Grand St.
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Fourth Ave., s e cor. President St., three-sty brick store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$6,000; owner, John Kernnen, Third Ave. and Sixteenth St.; architects, H. L. Spicer & Son, Third Ave. and Fifty-third St.
Nevins St., s e cor. Union St., four-sty brick stores and dwells., tin roof; cost, \$7,000; owner, James Farrell, on premises.
Union St., n s, 250' e Van Brunt St., 3 five-sty brick stores and dwells., tin roofs; cost, \$9,000 each; owner, Daniel Ferry, 268 Court St.
Fourth Ave., s w cor. Thirty-third St., 2 three-sty frame stores and dwells., tin roofs, cost, \$4,000 each; owner, John J. Edwards, 52 Broadway, New York; architects, H. L. Spicer & Son, Third Ave. and Fifty-third St.
Ellery St., n s, 370' e Nostrand Ave., three-sty frame store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$4,600; owner, Henry Diemer, 38 Hopkins St.; architect, John Platte, 225 Lynch St.
Alabama Ave., w s, 75' 6" n Atlantic Ave., three-sty frame store and dwells., tin roof; cost, \$3,000; owner, Henry Kuhl, on premises; architect, Chas. Infanger, 68 Van Sicken Ave.
Fulton Ave., n w cor. Warwick St., three-sty brick store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$7,000; owner, F. Herchenroeder, Atlantic Ave., cor. Vermont Ave.; architect, Charles Meins, 2879 Atlantic Ave.
Atlantic Ave., n e cor. Williams Ave., 3 two-sty frame stores and dwells., gravel roofs; cost, each, \$1,000; owner, J. H. Reed, on premises; architect, A. J. Warren, 2583 Atlantic Ave.
Eldert St., s w cor. Evergreen Ave., three-sty frame stores and dwells., tin roof; cost, \$5,500; owner, Anna Herzog, 130 Court St.; architect, F. B. Langston, 1225 Bedford Ave.
North Seventh St., n e cor. Berry St., three-sty brick store and dwell., with extension, tin roof; cost, \$5,845; owner, J. W. Hunk, on premises; architect, A. Herbert, 145 Broadway.
Stanhope St., n e cor. Irving Ave., two-sty frame store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$5,000; owner, Chas. Kuecherer, 166 Suydam St.; architect, Frank Holmberg, 1161 Broadway.
Seventeenth St., n e cor. Tenth Ave., three-sty frame store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$3,000; owner, Patrick Gannon, 329 Eighteenth St.; architect, W. H. Wirth, 358 Seventeenth St.
Sixth Ave., w s, 60' n Eleventh St., three-sty brick store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$10,000; owner, John Heesch, 401 Eighth St.; architect, Wm. Wirth, 358 Seventeenth St.
Broadway, n s, 22' e Cooper Ave., 2 four-sty brick stores and dwells., cement and gravel roofs; total cost, \$22,000; owner, J. A. Loucks, Bay Ridge, L. I.; architect, W. M. Coots, 26 Court St.

Middleborough, Mass.—Brick stores, three stories, 50' x 80'; owner, Dr. G. W. Copeland; builders: Ernest Sampson, mason; Mr. Whittemore, carpenter; architect, J. Ph. Rinn, Boston.

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Philadelphia, Pa.—Toga St. and Germantown Ave., one-sty store; contractor, Benj. Walker, 3853 Germantown Ave.

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Holyoke, Mass.—A. Ferguson, four-sty brick tenement-block, brownstone trimmings, Plymouth Pl.; cost, \$13,000; architect, G. B. Alderman; builder, J. St. John.

WAREHOUSES.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Sixth St., e s, s Susquehanna Ave., three-sty warehouse and store; contractor, George W. Stewart, 2536 North Sixth St.
Gray's Ferry Ave., w Thirty-fifth St., three-sty warehouse; contractors, George F. Payne & Co., 410 South Juniper St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Recently, Judge Van Wyck, of the Brooklyn City Court, granted orders peremptorily directing B. Meirich to tear down and remove an unfinished four-story frame building at Fulton and Richardson Sts., because of its dangerous condition, and directing Edward C. Squance to tear down and remove an unfinished one-story frame shop on Ninth St., near Fifth Ave., which is within the fire limits.
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Thomson-Houston Co., electric-light station, Fifty-third St. and Ill. Cent. R. R.; cost, \$5,000.

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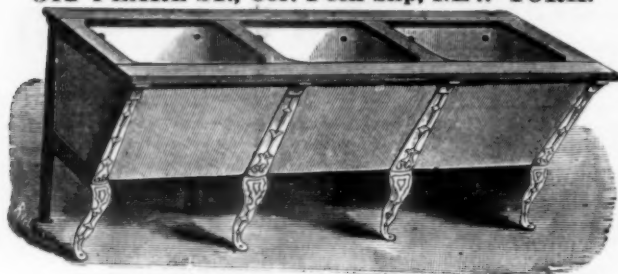
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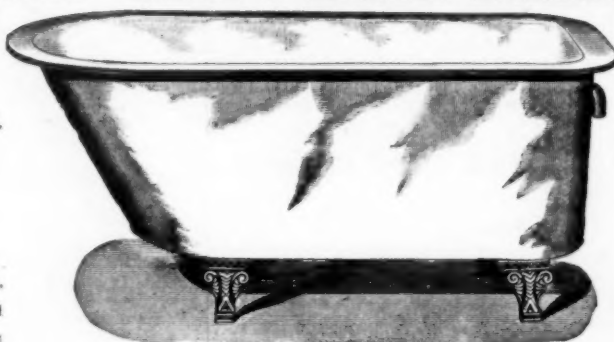
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Plans and specifications may be seen on and after the 28th day of July, 1890.

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July 10, 1890. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M., on the 6th day of August, 1890, for all the labor and materials required in the erection and completion of the United States Post-Office building at Lowell, Mass., (approaches and heating-apparatus not included) in accordance with the drawings and specification, copies of which may be had on application at this office or the office of the Superintendent. Each



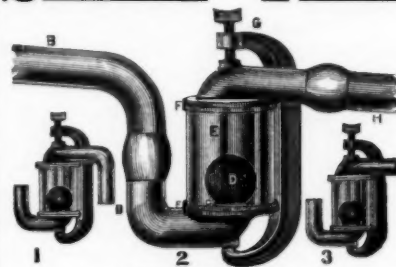
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bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$500. The Department will reject all bids received after the time fixed for opening the same; also bids which do not comply strictly with all the requirements of this invitation. Proposals must be sealed and endorsed "Proposal for the Erection and Completion (except Heating-apparatus and Approaches) of the United States Post-Office building at Lowell, Mass.," and addressed to JAMES H. WINDRIM, Supervising Architect.

July 9, 1890. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M., on the 2d day of August, 1890, for all the labor and material required to complete the approaches to the United States Court-House, Post Office, etc., building at Williamsport, Pa., in accordance with drawings and specification, copies of which may be had on application at this office or the office of the Superintendent. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$100. The Department will reject all bids received after the time fixed for opening the same; also bids that do not comply strictly with all the requirements of this invitation. Proposals must be sealed and endorsed "Proposals for the Approaches to the United States Court-House, Post-Office, etc., building at Williamsport, Pa.," and addressed to JAMES H. WINDRIM, Supervising Architect.

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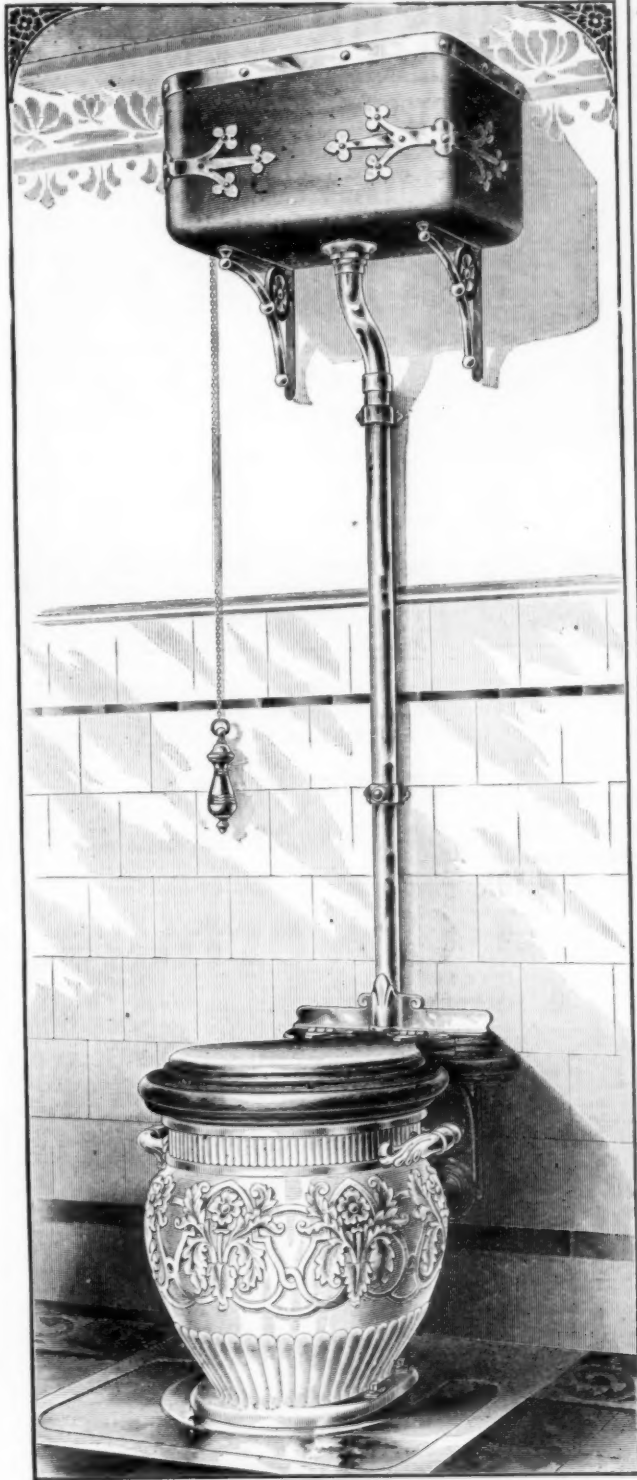
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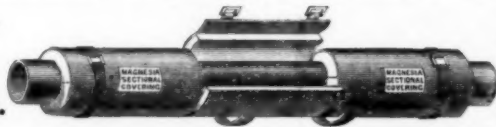
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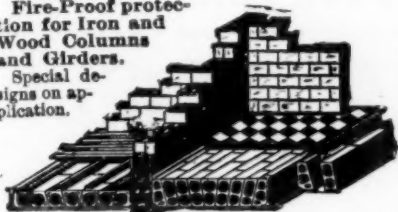


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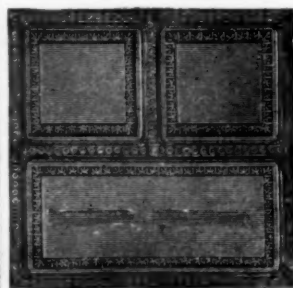
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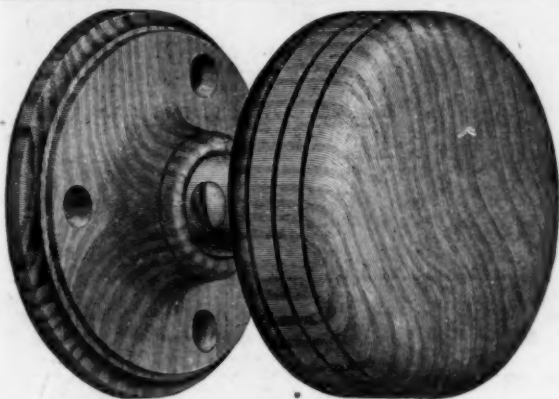
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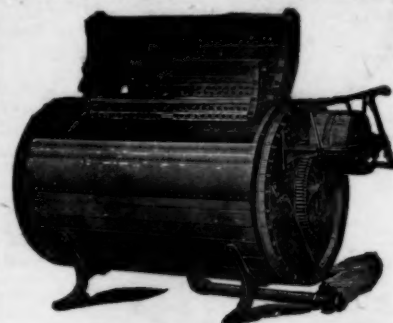
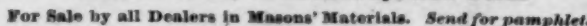


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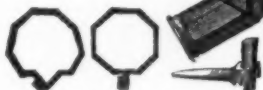
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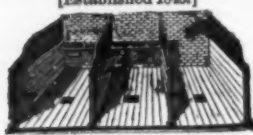
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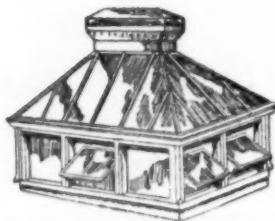
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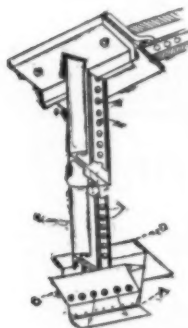
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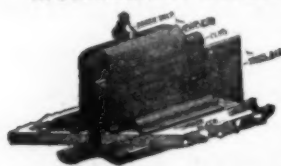
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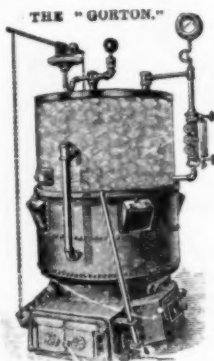
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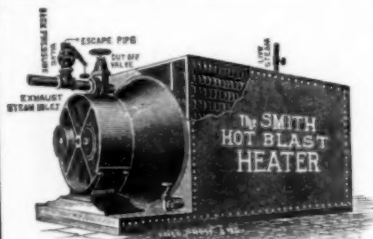
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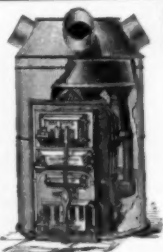
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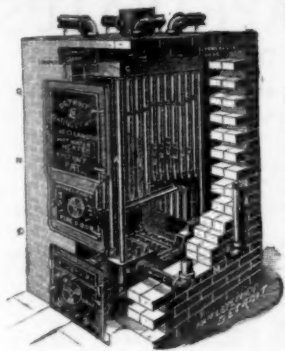


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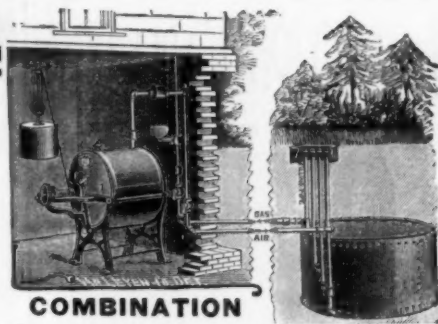


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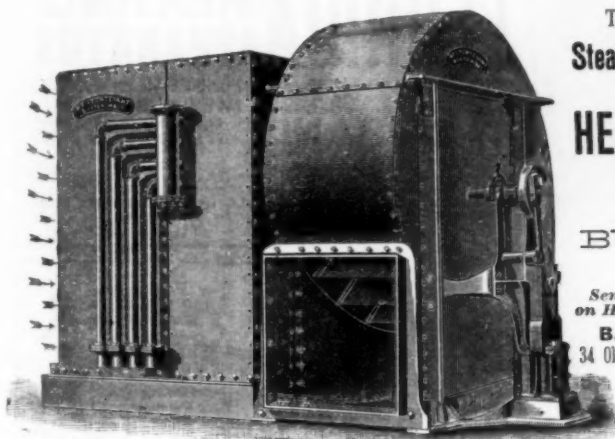
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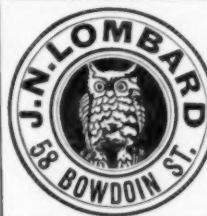
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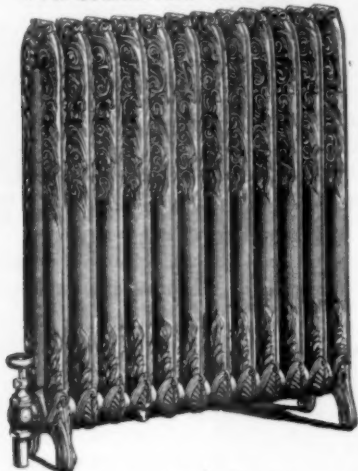
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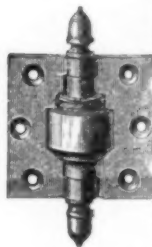
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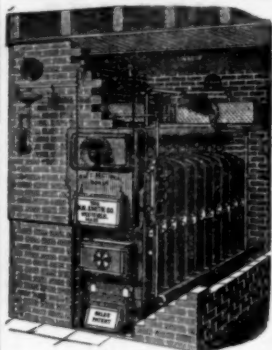
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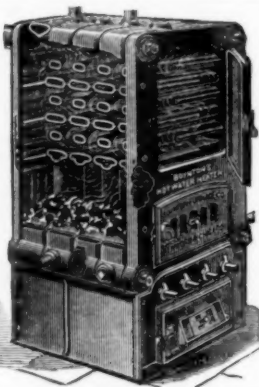
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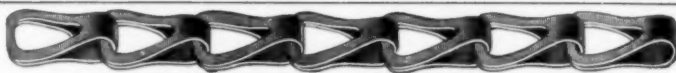
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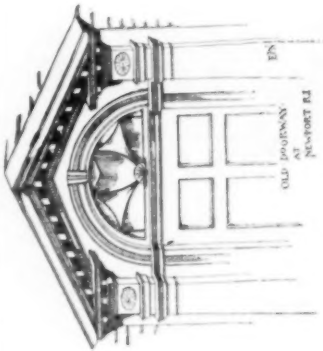
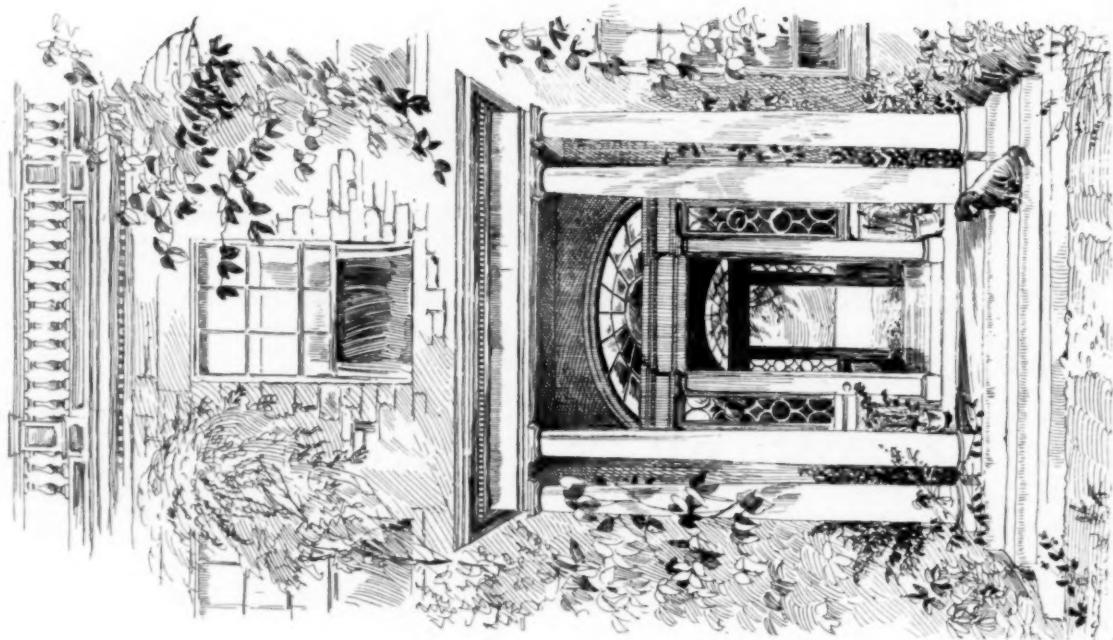
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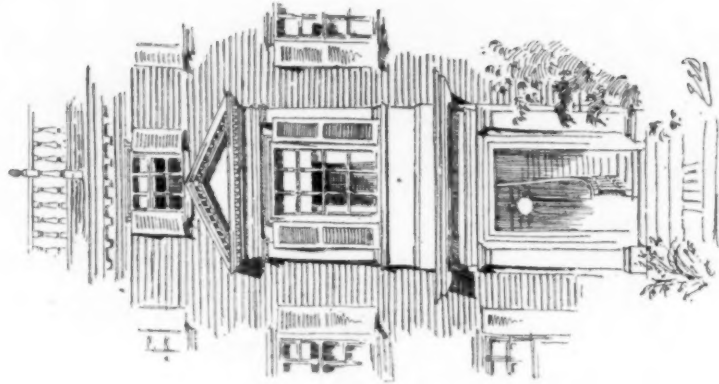
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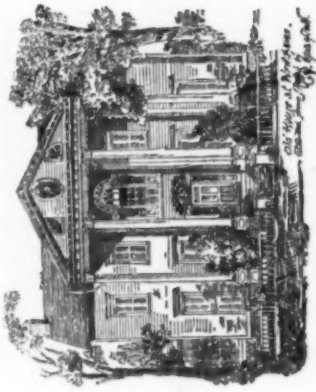
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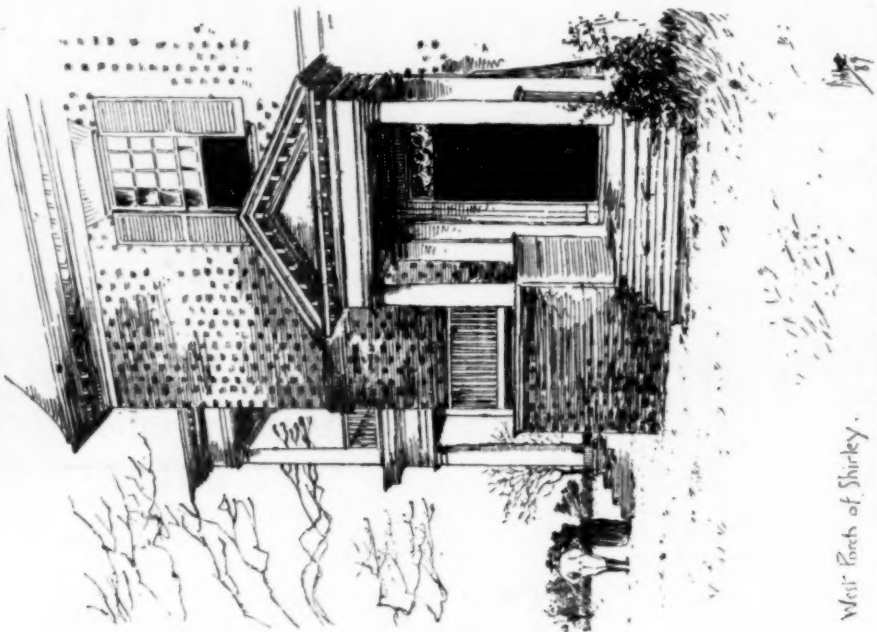
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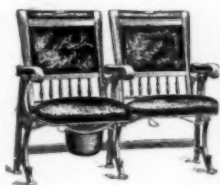


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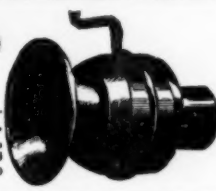


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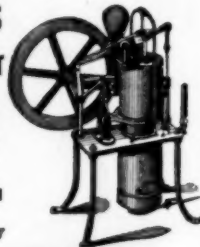


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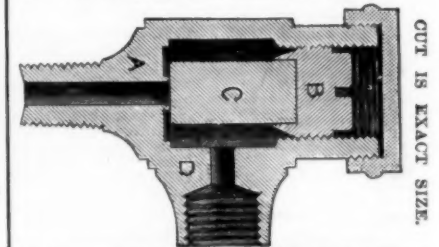
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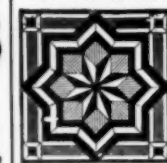
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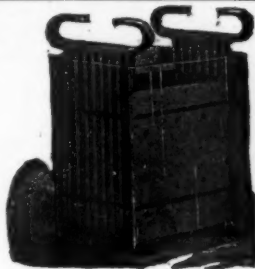
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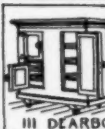
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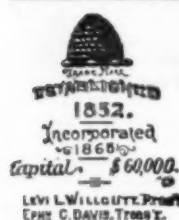
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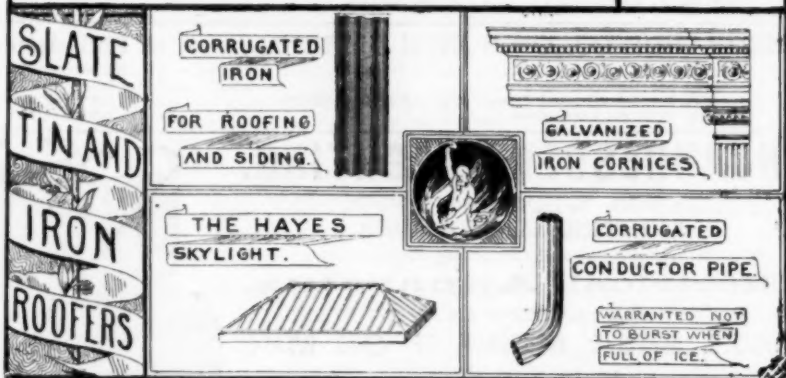
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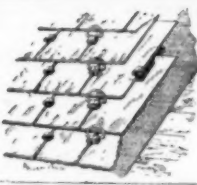
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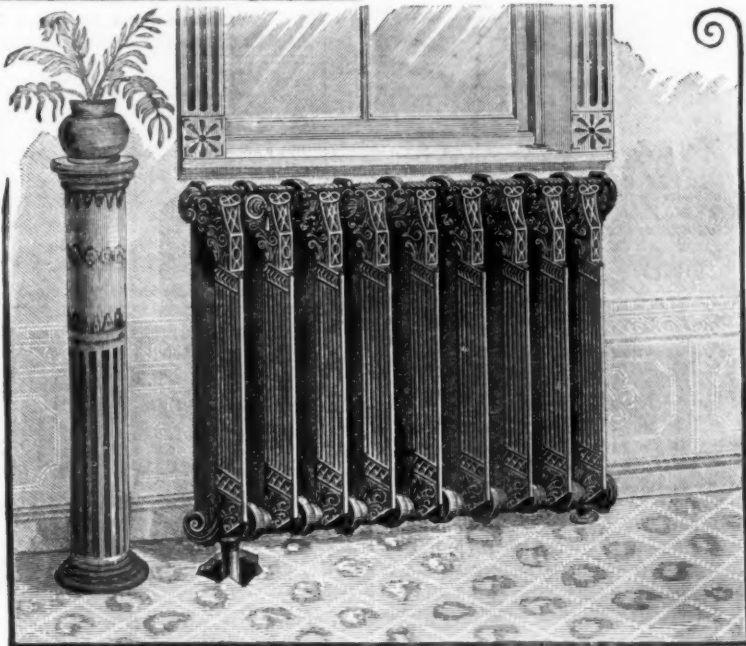
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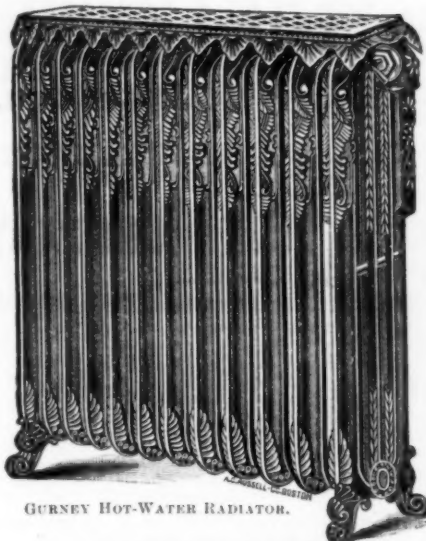


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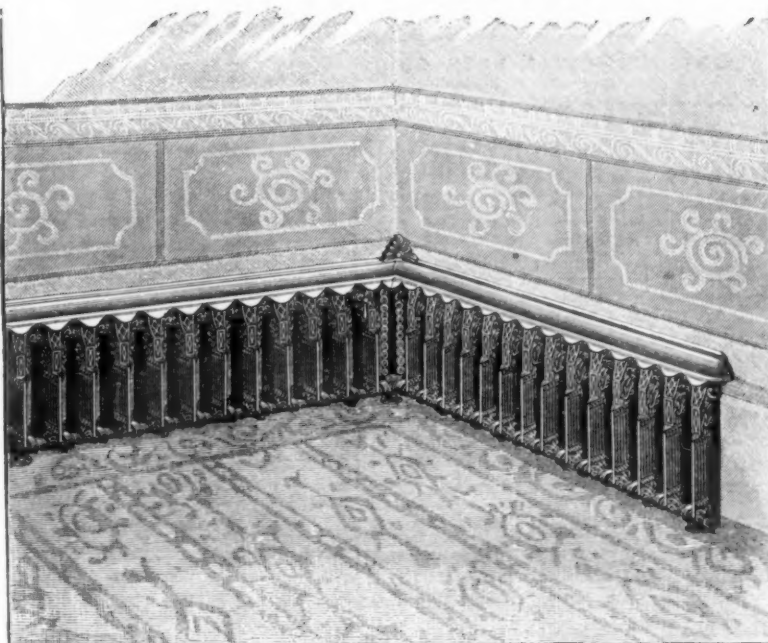
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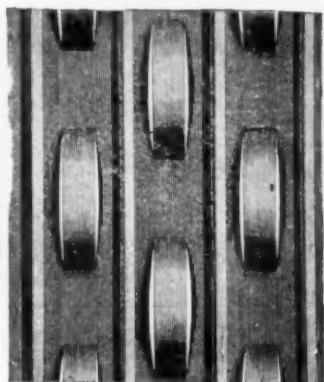
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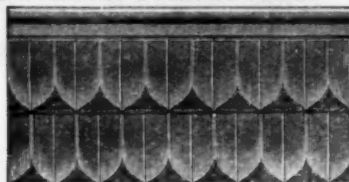
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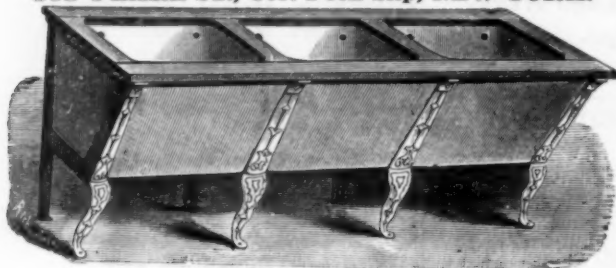
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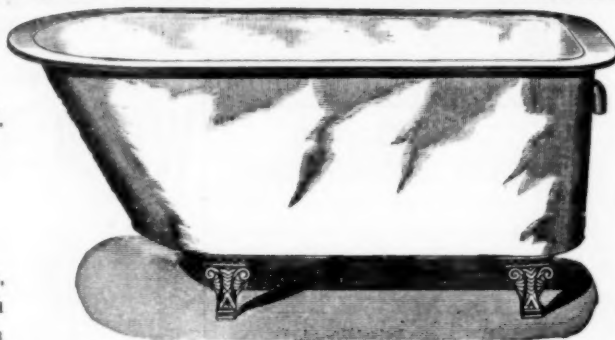
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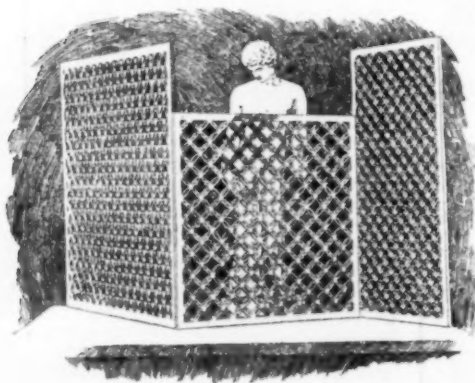
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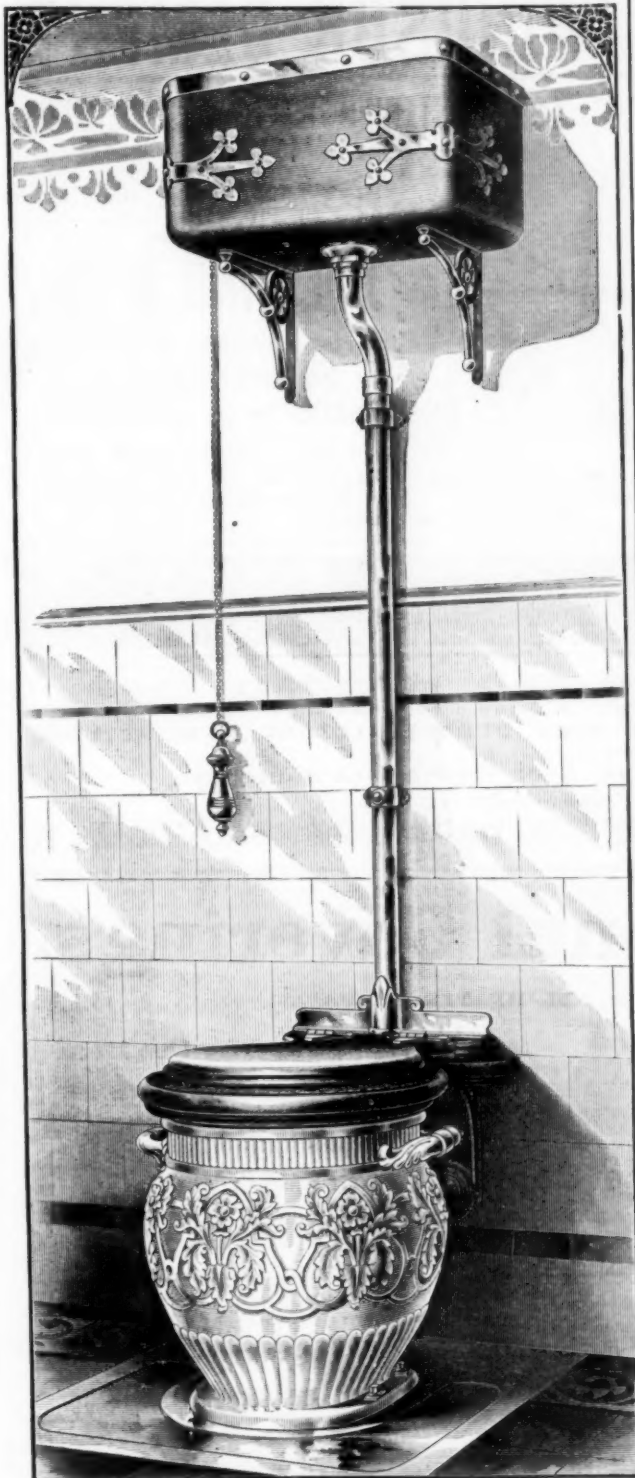
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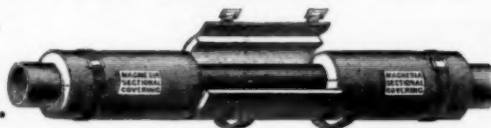
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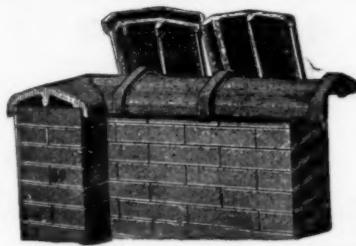
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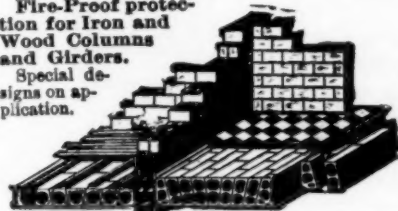
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John Lawrence, addition, 3006 Butler St.; cost, \$2,000.
Rudolph Brandt, two-sty addition, 53 Cedar St.; cost, \$10,000.

New York, N. Y.—Fifteenth St., bet. Fifth and Sixth Aves., addition to New York Hospital and new boiler-house; architect, George B. Post.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Ninth St., w. s. Jackson St., one-sty addition to dwell.; contractor, George M. Kirby, 1855 South Carlele St.

Market St., No. 519, addition to warehouse; contractor, Chas. M. Lam, 619 Commerce St.
South Fourth St., No. 742, three-sty addition to building; contractor, W. W. Crane, 1809 South Second St.

APARTMENT-HOUSES.

Arlington, Mass.—Main St., four-sty apartments and stores, flat roof, 50' x 80'; first story brick; owner, W. W. Rawson; contract to be let; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.

Boston, Mass.—Dundee St., Nos. 18-28, Ward 11, 6 four-sty brick apartments, flat roofs, 20' x 42'; owner, W. M. Henderson; builder, G. W. Adams.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Sixth St., n. s. 100' w. Fifth Ave., 5 three-sty brick flats, tin roofs; cost, \$6,000 each; owner, Sylvester Searing, Blythebourne, L. I.; architect, Joseph L. Quisenberry, 1168 Fourth Ave.

Chicago, Ill.—C. S. Hunt, two-sty flats, 144 West Monroe St.; cost, \$3,500.

Patrick Fitzgerald, two-sty flats, 274 North Hoyne Ave.; cost, \$3,200.

J. Garry, two-sty flats, 918 Walnut St.; cost, \$4,000.

Peter Mehler, two-sty flats, Halstead and Seventy-third St.; cost, \$2,000.

Henry Garritt, two-sty flats, 76 Myrtle; cost, \$2,600.

J. N. Canning, two-sty flats, 1184 W. Congress St.; cost, \$3,000.

John Strasburg, two-sty flats, 308 Troy St.; cost, \$2,000.

O. P. Olson, two-sty flats, 5202 Indiana Ave.; cost, \$3,500.

John B. Carison, five-sty flats, 226 N. Market St.; cost, \$8,000.

Wm. Fritz, two-sty flats, 6326 Cottage Grove Ave.; cost, \$2,000.

M. Pelcopt, two-sty flats, 227 Sangamon St.; cost, \$5,000.

V. Uher, three-sty flats, 22 Ashland Ave.; cost, \$5,000.

Wm. McKeone, 2 two-sty flats, Butterfield and Forty-eighth St.; cost, \$2,600.

Dr. Farney, three-sty flats, 938-940 Park Ave.; cost, \$16,000.

W. D. Bishop, 2 three-sty flats, 8647-8649 Calumet Ave.; cost, \$20,000.

Julius Schnoor, two-sty flats, 1980 Ashland Ave.; cost, \$2,000.

Katherine Dankirt, two-sty flats, Avenue J. near One Hundred and Eighty-fourth St.; cost, \$3,000.

R. E. Soderstrom, three-sty flats, 375 West Erie St.; cost, \$5,000.

John Newberry, three-sty flats, 2835 Fifth Ave.; cost, \$50,000.

J. R. Taylor, two-sty flats, 4628 Langley Ave.; cost, \$4,300.

Swedish Evangelical Church, two-sty flats, Madison near Fifty-fifth St.; cost, \$2,000.

August Doering, two-sty flats, Houston Ave. and Eighty-ninth St.; cost, \$3,400.

Coon & Lester, 2 two-sty flats, 24-26 Francisco St.; cost, \$10,000.

G. W. Williams, two-sty flats, 106 Flourney St.; cost, \$5,500.

August Brejcha, four-sty flats, 416 Marshfield Ave.; cost, \$6,000.

W. Leunay, two-sty flats, Buffalo near Ninety-first St.; cost, \$2,000.

Charles Mertens, 2 two-sty flats, 4311-4313 Wabash Ave.; cost, \$8,500.

Minneapolis, Minn.—M. A. Bradford, brick block of flats and stores, 232-240 Tenth Ave., n.; cost, \$25,000.

Rudd & Whitney, brick block of flats and stores, 208-210 Plymouth Ave.; cost, \$20,000.

Z. Anderson, three-sty brick block of flats, 1901-1903 South Fourth St.; cost, \$8,000.

New York, N. Y.—Eighty-first St., s. e. cor. Tenth Ave., five-sty brick flats, tin roof; cost, \$100,000; owner, John Caney, 69 East Eighty-seventh St.; architect, Geo. A. Bagge, 312 East Eighty-ninth St.

Ninth Ave., No. 9, 4 five-sty brick flats, tin roofs; cost, \$100,000; owner, John Smith, 2428 Eighth Ave.; architect, E. E. Gandolfo, 31 Union Square.

East Eighty-ninth St., 438-440, 2 five-sty brick flats, tin roofs; cost, \$30,000; owner, Bertha Von Barber, 442 East Eighty-ninth St.; architect, Frank Wennemer, 204 East Eighty-sixth St.

Twenty-fifth St., n. s. 375' w. Sixth Ave., five-sty brick flats, tin roof; cost, \$18,000; owner, E. Stummetz, 26 West Eighty-fifth St.; architect, H. H. Carter, 163 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth St.

CHURCHES.

Chicago, Ill.—George Thompson, church, 3409-3411 Dearborn St.; cost, \$5,000.

Cincinnati, O.—Walnut Hills Lutheran Church, two-sty church, Locust and Lane Sts., Walnut Hills; cost, \$12,000; architects, Des Jardins & Hayward.

Holley, N. Y.—First Baptist Church, Geddes St., stone church, slate roof; cost, \$17,000; contract let; architect, A. Forbes, Rochester, N. Y.

New York, N. Y.—Staten Island, church for Sailor's Snug Harbor; architect, R. W. Gibson.

FACTORIES.

Chicago, Ill.—The Baker & Vatter Co., four-sty factory, 1102-1106 Marianna St.; cost, \$12,000.

G. N. Barker, factory and office, Anthony Ave. and Fort Wayne R. R.; cost, \$7,500.

R. E. Boener, one-sty factory, 99-101 Bunker St.; cost, \$5,000.

New York, N. Y.—Scammel St., Nos. 38-42, five-sty brick factory, tin roof; cost, \$30,000; owner, James Wallace, 55 West Thirty-eighth St.; architect, Daniel Burgess, 240 East Eighty-sixth St.

HOUSES.

Arlington, Mass.—Main St., frame dwell.; cost, abt. \$3,500; owner, W. W. Rawson; contract to be let; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.

Baltimore, Md.—B. F. Bateman, three-sty brick building, n. w. cor. Light and Ostend Sts.

Hy. Knefely, 2 three-sty brick buildings, s. s. Hollins St., e. Parkin St.

G. E. Warfield, 4 three-sty brick buildings, s. s. Fayette St. w. Schroeder St.

Mrs. E. H. M. Stonebraker, 5 two-sty brick buildings, McDermott St. between Exeter St. and Central Ave.

Boston, Mass.—Whitney St., No. 22, and rear No. 20, Ward 22, 2 three-sty frame dwellings, flat roofs, 21' x 35'; owner, Thos. Burns; builder, M. T. O'Brien.

Whitney St., near Tremont St., Ward 22, three-sty frame dwell., 24' x 42'; owner, Margaret T. O'Brien; builder, Jas. Pearce.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Macon St., n. s. 480' e. Saratoga Ave., 5 two-sty and basement brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$3,500 each; owner, John Kehoe, 2158 Fulton St.; architect, John E. Dwyer, 1510 Broadway.

Sumter St., n. s. 175' w. Hopkinson Ave., 3 two-sty and basement brick dwellings, tin roofs; total cost, \$14,000; owner, Mary A. Benckman, 427 Gold St.; architect, Mr. Thomas.

Forty-sixth St., s. s. 100' w. Fourth Ave., 2 three-sty frame dwellings, tin roof; cost, \$3,000 each; owner, James Cochran, Forty-ninth St. and Third Ave.; architect, Thomas Bennett, Third Ave. and Forty-ninth St.

Pacific St., n. s. 200' e. Stone Ave., 2 three-sty frame dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$3,000; owner and architect, J. C. Truax, 26th Ward.

Richmond St., e. s. 225' n. Fulton St., 2 two-sty frame dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$3,000 each; owners, E. M. Smith, 245 Dean St., and Sarah C. Scofield, 338 State St.; architect, E. M. Smith, 245 Dean St.

Howard Ave., e. s. 45' n. Sumpter St., three-sty frame dwell., tin roof; cost, \$4,500; owner, John Peffer, Sumpter St. and Howard Ave.; architect, Chas. Infanger, 68 Van Sicken Ave.

Halcyon St., s. s. 200' w. Throop Ave., 6 two-and-a-half-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$5,000 each; owner, architect and builder, David Weild, 359 Hancock St.

Warwick St., w. s. 125' s. Arlington Ave., two-sty frame dwell., tin roof; cost, \$3,200; owner, F. H. Koenig, Ashford St.; architects, Denmar & Fischer, 221 Atlantic Avenue.

Russell Place, e. s. 100' s. Herkimer St., three-sty frame dwell., tin roof; cost, \$3,500; owner, Ernst Sutterlin, 224 Howard Ave.; architect, Frank W. Ames, 1002 Halsey St.

Throop Ave., n. w. cor. Hart St., 5 two-and-a-half-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$6,000 each; owner, J. Rapalyn, 828 West James Place; architect, J. Reynolds.

Pacific St., s. s. 241' s. w. Utica Ave., 8 two-sty frame dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$2,000 each; owner, Joseph Hopkins, Jr., Bushwick Ave. and Pilling St.

McDougal St., s. s. 100' w. Hopkinson Ave., 14 two-sty brick dwellings, tin roof; cost, \$2,500 each; owner, Joseph Hopkins, Jr., Bushwick Ave. and Pilling St.

Bushwick Ave., e. s. 49' 31' n. Elm St., 2 three-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; total cost, \$14,000; owner, Martin Warr, Bushwick Ave., cor. Suydam Ave.; architect, Th. Engelhardt, 905 Broadway.

Ralph Ave., e. s. 50' s. Herkimer St., 3 four-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; total cost, \$18,000; owner, Peter Kelly; architect, H. Vollweiler, 486 Hart St.

McDougal St., s. s. 100' w. Hopkinson Ave., 14 two-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$2,500 each; owner, Jos. Hopkins, Jr., Bushwick Ave. and Pilling St.

Seventeenth St., s. s. 100' w. Tenth Ave., 2 three-sty frame dwellings, tin roofs; total cost, \$7,000; owner, Thos. Crane, Prospect and Eleventh Aves.

Bergen St., n. s. 100' e. Ralph Ave., 13 two-sty frame dwellings, gravel roofs; cost, \$1,500 each; owner, Jacob Georgens, 251 Floyd St.; architect, Frank W. Owens, 1002 Halsey St.

Jefferson Ave., s. s. 102' 6" w. Stuyvesant Ave., 3 two-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, each, \$4,200; owner, Wesley E. Bush, 137 St. Mark's Ave.; architect, John E. Dwyer, 1540 Broadway.

Greene Ave., s. s. 125' w. Central Ave., 8 two-sty frame dwellings, tar and gravel roofs; cost, each, \$2,500; owner and architect, V. R. Case, 3021 Morrison St.

Cambridge, Mass.—Garfield St., frame dwell.; owner, R. T. Green; contract to be let; architects, Rand & Taylor, Boston.

Lambert St., cor. Walnut Ave., frame dwell., 40' x 50'; cost, abt. \$10,000; owner, C. Warren Ellis; contract to be let; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.

Chelsea, Mass.—Powderhorn Hill, frame dwell., 20' x 40'; owner, A. T. Hunnewell; architects, Rodman & Norris, Boston; builder, Chas. Kilby.

Chicago, Ill.—John Zimmerman, two-sty dwell., Centre Ave. near Evanston, cost, \$3,000.

A. M. Garland, two-sty dwell., Winter, near Seventy-seventh St.; cost, \$3,300.

I. L. Kein, three-sty dwell., 3432 Michigan Ave.; cost, \$3,000.

J. D. Allen, three-sty dwell., 3441 Michigan Ave.; cost, \$10,000.

John Schinder, two-sty dwell., 3918 Wabash Ave.; cost, \$5,000.

Haas Bros., two cottages, Woodlawn, near Seventy-first St.; cost, \$2,000.

W. H. Webb, two-sty dwell., Exchange and Ninety-sixth St.; cost, \$3,500.

Ed. Mendel, three-sty dwell., 3930 Grand Boulevard; cost, \$12,000.

George Daniels, two-sty dwell., 711 West Monroe St.; cost, \$2,500.

W. G. Bryne, two-sty dwell., Dickey and Seventy-ninth St.; cost, \$3,800.

Robert S. Elder, 7 two-sty dwellings, 103-115 Evanston Ave.; cost, \$28,000.

C. F. Johnson, three-sty dwell., 231-233 Hampden Court; cost, \$12,000.

Alex. Monroe, two-sty dwell., Winchester, near Fifty-third St.; cost, \$3,000.

John Schneider, two-sty dwell., 5918 Wabash Ave.; cost, \$5,000.

Mrs. L. Stafford, 3 two-sty dwellings, 4830-4832 Evans Ave.; cost, \$12,000.

J. McConnell, two-sty dwell., Perry Ave. between Seventy-second and Seventy-third Sts.; cost, \$3,000.

Hansen & Fincholt, two cottages, 431-433 Pinkham Ave.; cost, \$2,000.

C. O. Stokes, two-sty dwell., 1102 Laundale Ave.; cost, \$4,000.

G. W. Wirchbant, two-sty dwell., Sherman Ave. near Eighteenth St.; cost, \$2,800.

Geo. T. Smith, two-sty dwell., Grand Bou. near Forty-seventh St.; cost, \$2,000.

Boyce A. Miller, two-sty dwell., 46 Roslyn Place; cost, \$14,000.

J. J. Doyle, two-sty dwell., Paulina and Tuttle Sts.; cost, \$3,000.

J. Garry, two-sty dwell., 1131 Wilcox Ave.; cost, \$3,000.

S. Wiley, two-sty dwell., 5413 Jackson Ave.; cost, \$3,000.

Robt. S. Elder, 7 two-sty dwellings, 103-115 Evanston Ave.; cost, \$28,000.

C. F. Camp, two-sty dwell., 858 Walnut St.; cost, \$3,000.

J. J. McGinnis, three-sty dwell., Diversey Ave. and Frank St.; cost, \$20,000.

Wm. Siver, 2 two-sty dwellings, Jackson Ave. near Fifty-sixth St.; cost, \$10,000.

S. Dombey, two-sty dwell., Winnaconna near Wright St.; cost, \$3,300.

E. Mandel, three-sty dwell., 3400-3402 Michigan Ave.; cost, \$100,000.

Miss Lizzie Beck, two-sty dwell., 260 Racine Ave.; cost, \$4,500.

I. Yick, two-sty dwell., 863 Sawyer Ave.; cost, \$4,000.

C. Nitschke, two-sty dwell. and barn, 1409 W. Ravenswood St.; cost, \$2,000.

M. A. Garrett, two-sty dwell., Yale and Harvard Sts.; cost, \$6,000.

Cincinnati, Ohio.—Peter Stewart, two-and-a-half-sty brick dwell., Wheeler, between Warner and McMillan Sts.; cost, \$3,200; architects, Rieg & Marty.

Dr. M. H. Keyt, two-sty brick dwell., McMillan St., Walnut Hills; cost, \$8,500; architect, Des Jardins & Hayward.

Val Englert, three-sty brick dwell., Marshall Ave.; cost, \$2,700; architect, E. F. Baude.

L. Ahlert, two-and-a-half-sty brick dwell., Betts Alley; cost, \$2,700; architect, E. F. Baude.

Oscar W. and Clara G. Keihn, two-and-a-half-sty frame dwell., Ingleside Place; cost, \$4,000; architect, W. W. Franklin.

O. Early, two-sty frame dwell., Foraker Ave.; cost, \$1,145; architect, J. C. Ellman.

Christ. Horstman, two-and-one-half-sty dwell., Western Ave.; cost, \$4,050; architects, Kuckertz & Pfeiffer.

Lexington, Mass.—On new street, near Monroe Station, frame dwell.; cost, abt. \$4,000; owner, G. F. Mead; contract to be let; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.

Little Rock, Ark.—H. P. Edmonson, two-sty frame dwell.; cost, \$3,000; architect, Fred J. H. Rickon; contract not let.

Minneapolis, Minn.—I. H. Edmonds, two-sty frame dwell., 71 North Fifteenth St.; cost, \$6,500.

New York, N. Y.—One Hundred and Fifty-third St., n. s. 194' e. Tenth Ave., three-sty brick dwell., tin and tile roof; cost, \$15,000; owner, Wm. F. Diebrow, 134 East Sixty-first St.; architect, Wm. Baker, Union Square.

Seventy-seventh St., n. s. 100' w. Columbus Ave., 9 four-sty brick dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$162,000; owner, Eli Martin, 100 West Eighty-first St.; architect, H. L. Harris, Temple Court.

West End Ave., s. e. cor. Seventy-second St., 5 four-sty brick dwellings, tin and tile roofs; cost, \$100,000; owner, W. E. D. Stokes, 269 West Seventy-third St.; architect, Joseph H. Taft, 33 East Twentieth St.

One Hundred and Fortieth St., s. s. 80' e. Willis Ave., three-sty brick dwell., tin roof; cost, \$5,000; owner, August F. Nickel, 208 Willis Ave.; architect, Wm. Graul, 215 Bowery.

Seventy-second St., n. s. 250' e. Ninth Ave., four-sty brick dwell., tin roof; cost, \$30,000; owner, Julius A. Kohn, 14 East Sixty-third St.; architects, Buchman & Deisler, 8 West Twenty-ninth St.

Eighty-eighth St., n. s. 325' e. Tenth Ave., 6 three-sty brick dwellings, tin roof; cost, \$75,000; owners, McDowell & Heney, 884 East One Hundred and Thirty-eighth St.

Park Ave., w. s. 102' 20" n. Seventy-ninth St., four-sty brick dwell., tin roofs; cost, \$17,000; owner, James McDowell, 172 Eighty-eighth St.; architect, Thomas Graham, 109 East Forty-fifth St.

Eighty-fifth St., n. s. 155' w. Ninth Ave., 8 three-sty brick dwellings, tin roof; cost, \$28,000; owner, D. Willis James, 11 Cliff St.; architect, John G. Prague, 1402 Ninth Ave.

St. Ann's Ave., e. s. 45' n. One Hundred and Thirty-sixth St., three-sty brick dwell., tin roof; cost, \$5,000; owner, Helen J. Twigg, 152 East One Hundred and Twenty-sixth St.; architect, Andrew Spence, 163 East One Hundred and Twenty-fifth St.

Eighty-seventh St., s. s. bet. Central Park, w. and Columbus Ave., 8 four-sty brick and stone dwellings; cost, abt. \$200,000; owners and architects, Chas. Buck & Co.

Norfolk, Va.—Brick dwell., 20' x 75'; owner, Barton Meyers; architect, E. A. P. Newcomb, Boston.

Philadelphia, Pa.—Smick St., s. s. w. Fountain St., 2 two-sty dwellings; owner, Henry Ashworth, Paoli Ave., w. Ridge Ave.

Broad St., w. s. s. Jefferson St., three-sty dwell.; contractor, S. R. Riley, 627 Filbert St.

East Cumberland St., No. 2342, three-sty dwell.; contractor, Wm. C. Haddock, 2219 East York St.

Lehigh Ave., s. s. e. Trenton Ave., 3 two-sty dwellings; owner, Owen McArdle, 1544 East Lehigh Ave.

Tucker St., s. s. w. Memphis St., 2 two-sty dwellings; owner, Owen McArdle, 1544 East Lehigh Ave.

Market St., n. s. w. Forty-second St., 4 two-sty dwellings; owner, Thomas C. Sloan, 51 North Fortieth St.

Seventy-second St., w. s. n. Gray's Ave., 7 two-sty dwellings; owner, Jos. Costello, 134 South Seventh St.

Herman St., n. s. w. Hancock St., three-sty dwell.; contractor, J. O. Broadbent, 314 Haines St.

High St., s. s. e. Cedar St., 2 three-sty dwellings; contractor, J. O. Broadbent, 314 Haines St.

Threat St., s. s. e. Boyer St., two-sty dwell.; owner, J. F. Meahan, Chew St., bet. Church St.

Passyunk Ave., No. 1335, three-sty dwell.; contractors, Duross & Welsh, 738 South Broad St.

Frankford Ave., e. s. n. Allegheny Ave., two-sty

dwelling and store; contractor, Wm. Born, 1013 Calowhill St.
Herman St., w s, w Hancock St., three-sty dwelling and store; contractor, J. O. Bradshaw, 314 Haines St.

Knorr St. and Torredale Ave., two-sty dwelling and store; owner, John Minnick, Tacony.
Seventy-second St., w s, n Gray's Ave., 7 two-sty dwellings; owner, Jos. Costello, 134 South Seventh St.
Fifty-third St., e s, s Woodland Ave., two-sty dwelling; owner, J. W. Colfash, Fifty-third St., s Woodland Ave.

Providence, R. I.—*Moore St.*, frame dwelling; owner, John McWilliams.
Providence St., frame dwelling; owner, Daniel A. Cook; builder, W. Barstow.

Angell St., frame dwelling; owner, J. F. Richards; builder, Chas. Richards; architects, Stone, Carpenter and Willson.

Somerville, Mass.—*St. James Ave.*, frame dwelling, 25' x 33', with L, 8' x 16'; owner, James Bolger; builder, John W. Prevost.

Wyatt St., near Cook St., double frame dwelling, 40' x 42', with L, 14' x 15'; owner, H. C. Holt.
Dover St., double frame dwelling, 40' x 77'; owner, Wm. H. Jones; builders, Dunlop & Phinney.

Dickinson St., four frame dwellings, each 22' x 30', with L's, 14' x 18'; owner and builder, John Elston.
Allston St., cor. Shawmut Pl., double frame dwelling, 22' x 39', with L, 13' x 17'; owner and builder, A. Headley.

Orchard St., near Russell St., double frame dwelling, 20' x 50'; owner, Gilmore Gethner; builder, J. K. Ricker.

Adams St., two frame dwellings, 30' x 38'; owner, Frank Downer; builder, Geo. T. Willoughby.
Chandler St., two frame dwellings, each 26' x 35'; owner and builder, Jason E. Herriek.

Medford St., near Central St., frame dwelling, 25.8' x 51.2'; owner, Alex. Sproul; builders, Gould & Murray.

Dana St., frame dwelling, 25' x 29', with L, 13' x 18'; owner and builder, Chas. E. Harris.
Belmont Pl., frame dwelling, 21' x 34'; owners and builders, Waugh & Waugh.

Mason St., frame dwelling, 21' x 50', with L, 10' x 28.0'; owner, John Atkinson; builders, Briggs Bros.
Richardson St., frame dwelling, 24' x 35'; owner, R. C. McNabb; builder, Peter L. Leroux.

Montrose St., frame dwelling, 24' x 27.0'; owners, A. A. Ball and J. W. Prevost; builder, John W. Prevost.

Hudson St., near Lowell St., frame dwelling, 21' x 26', with projections, 5' x 18' and 15' x 16'; owner, Solomon S. Higgins; builder, Robert H. Colluppy.

St. Louis, Mo.—Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$21,000; owner, T. Neukom; contractors, Zwicki & Doerflinger.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$15,000; owners and contractors, Kiel & Dawes Cont. Co.

Two two-sty brick dwellings; cost, \$7,000; owner, C. R. H. Davis; contractor, D. G. Hughes.

Two two-sty brick dwellings; cost, \$18,000; owners and contractors, Castano & Martin.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$2,500; owner and contractor, T. F. Marley.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$2,500; owner, Wm. Ickes; contractor, Fred Wendt.

Two-sty frame dwelling; cost, \$2,500; owner, Mrs. E. S. Mason; contractor, T. F. Marley.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$4,000; owner, L. Becker; contractor, Herbig Bros.

Three-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$4,300; owner, E. E. Acton; contractor, P. J. Smith.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$6,000; owner, E. J. Jett; contractor, S. L. Jones.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$1,200; owner, J. P. Downs; contractor, E. Halloran.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$11,000; owner, I. De Figueroa et al.; contractors, Goesse & Remmers.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$7,000; owner, Dr. Whipple; contractor, W. E. Clayton.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$5,000; owner and contractor, J. Bizant.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$17,000; owner and contractor, J. Bizant.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$3,800; owner and contractor, Sam'l. Bent.

Two-sty brick dwelling; cost, \$3,800; owner, Peter Bauer; contractor, H. Bauer.

Watertown, Mass.—*Coolidge Hill St.*, frame dwelling, 31' x 45'; owner, Sumner Coolidge; contract to be let; architects, Rodman & Norris, Boston.

Woburn, Mass.—Frame dwelling, 32' x 51'; owner, E. L. Shaw; contract to be let; architects, Rand & Taylor, Boston.

OFFICE-BUILDINGS.

Baltimore, Md.—The B. & O. R. Co. will build a two-sty office-building on n s Fort Ave.

Chicago, Ill.—Frances Bartlett, sixteen-sty office-building, 265-271 Dearborn St.; cost, \$350,000.

Cincinnati, O.—Joseph T. Carew, eight stores and office-building, Fifth and Vine Sts.; cost, \$150,000; architect, Jas. W. McLaughlin.

Thos. Emery & Sons, four-sty office-building and store, Fifth St.; cost, \$9,500; architect, Jos. G. Steinkamp.

Philadelphia, Pa.—*Sedgley Ave.*, n s, e Twenty-seventh St., one-sty office; owners, J. F. Hazard & Co., 506 Girard Building.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

Boston, Mass.—*Harrison Ave.*, East Springfield, East Concord and Albany Sts., Ward 18, two-sty brick library, pitch roof, 42' x 58'; owner, City of Boston; builders, Sampson, Clark & Co.

Swansea, Mass.—Town-hall, to be presented to the town by Hop. Frank S. Stevens; to be constructed of field-stone, with brownstone trimmings; one-sty and basement, high pitch roof, 61' x 80'; to have a tower, clock and bell; inside finished in oak; divided into town-hall, library and selectmen's room; builders: John J. Highlands, Fall River, mason; Angus McDonald, carpenter; J. Merrill Brown, architect, Boston.

SCHOOL-HOUSES.

Chicago, Ill.—Rev. P. L. Burmann, two-sty school-house, Thirty-sixth St. and Hoyne Ave.; cost, \$3,000.

Monticello, Ark.—Prof. Hinsman, frame school-building; cost, \$5,000; architects, Fred J. H. Rickon and F. W. Gibb, Little Rock, Ark.

New York, N. Y.—*Laurence St.*, No. 101, one-sty brick school-house, peak tin roof; cost, \$3,800; owner, St. Mary's Church, One Hundred and Twenty-

seventh St. and Riverside Drive; architect, Geo. Keister, 53 West Thirty-third St.

Marion Ave., *Travers St.*, *South Boulevard* and *Bainbridge Ave.*, five-sty brick convent and school, peak slate roof; cost, \$70,000; owners, Ursuline Nuns, Bedford Park; architect, T. H. Poole, 246 Fifth Ave.

St. John's College Grounds, Fordham, five-sty brick school, mansard, slate and tin roof; cost, \$100,000; owner, St. John's College; architect, James M. Farnsworth, Temple Court.

STABLES.

Boston, Mass.—*Bellevue St.*, near Rutledge St., Ward 23, one-sty frame stable, pitch roof, 25' x 30'; owner, H. I. Smith; builder, Jesse Smith.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—*Locust St.*, e s, 150's Beaver St., three-sty brick stable, with a crage for bear in cellar, tin roof; cost, \$15,000; owner, Wm. Ulmer, Belvidere St., cor. Beaver St.; architect, Fred Wunder, 126 Broadway.

Chicago, Ill.—*Skeels Bros.*, two-sty livery-stable, 512-513 23d St.; cost, \$8,000.
 Oliver Forsyth, two-sty barn, 1915 Michigan Ave.; cost, \$2,500.

Union Stock Yards and Transit Co., two-sty barn, Halsted St., near Forty-third St.; cost, \$3,000.

Cincinnati, O.—Enterprise Lumber Co., owners and architects, one-sty stable and open shed, Liberty St.; cost, \$3,000.

New York, N. Y.—*Eighty-eighth St.*, n s, 125' w Tenth Ave., five-sty fireproof stable; owner, Jas. McNiece; architect, G. H. Griebel.

West Nineteenth St., No. 161, four-sty brick stable, tin roof; cost, \$20,000; owner, Nathan Strauss, 345 West Fifty-seventh St.; architect, H. J. Hardenburgh, 10 West Twenty-third St.

Philadelphia, Pa.—*Locust Ave.*, n s, w Chew St., one-sty stable; contractor, Howard Rue, 5359 Adams St.

Jannette St., w s, n Freedland Ave., one-sty stable; owner, A. A. Harmer, Freedland Ave.

Van Pelt St., No. 2040, two-sty stable; contractor, Jos. H. Gilbert, 2124 North Sixteenth St.

STORES.

Boston, Mass.—*Dorchester Ave.*, near Richmond St., Ward 24, two-sty frame store, flat roof, 32' x 45'; owner, A. Gramer; builder, A. H. Plummer.

Park Sq., No. 34, Ward 11, one-sty brick store, flat roof, 27.6' x 36.7'; owner, H. F. Sears; builders, Neal & Preble.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—*Fourth Ave.*, s w cor. Fifty-third St., three-sty frame stores and dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$11,000; owner, James G. Davis, 244 Forty-ninth St.; architects, H. L. Spicer & Sons, Third Ave. and Fifty-third St.

Stagg St., n s, 350' w Waterbury St., four-sty frame store and dwelling, tin roof; cost, \$5,000; owner, Charles King, on premises; architect, F. J. Berlenbach, Jr., 289 Graham Ave.

Greene Ave., s w cor. Sumner Ave., four-sty brick store and dwelling, tin roof; cost, \$20,000; owner, Thos. B. Bryant, 272 Lewis Ave.; architects, J. D. Reynolds & Son, 363 Fulton St.

Macou St., s e cor. Ralph Ave., four-sty brick store and dwelling, tin roof; cost, \$14,000; owner, architect and builder, S. G. Holland, on premises.

Broadway, n e cor. Jefferson Ave., 5 three-sty frame stores and dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$4,200; owner, C. H. Moller; architect, F. Holmberg, 1161 Broadway.

Jefferson Ave., n s, 80' e Broadway, three-sty frame store and dwelling, tin roof; cost, \$7,000; owner, G. H. Moller; architect, F. Holmberg, 1161 Broadway.

Nostrand Ave., n s, 107' 90' w Myrtle Ave., 2 four-sty frame stores and dwellings, tin roofs; cost, \$12,000; owner, Christ. Gebhardt, 747 Myrtle Ave.; architect, Th. Englehardt, 905 Broadway.

Chicago, Ill.—F. Orloff, two-sty store and dwelling, 1500 Fillmore St.; cost, \$2,400.

Theodore Selling, two-sty store and dwelling, Grand Ave. and Tinkham St.; cost, \$3,000.

Henry Brown, 2 two-sty stores and flats, Thirty-first St. and Prairie Ave.; cost, \$4,000.

Wm. Bergstrom, two-sty store and flats, Morgan and Fifty-seventh Sts.; cost, \$2,200.

P. A. Bonfig, four-sty store, flats and barn, 375 North State St.; cost, \$15,000.

Reynert Reynertson, three-sty store and flats, 736 West Fourteenth St.; cost, \$6,000.

Justin Getzel, store and flat, 477 California Ave.; cost, \$2,500.

Wm. Madler, four-sty store and flats, 292 Sedgewick St.; cost, \$11,000.

E. D. Murray, 4 three-sty stores and flats, Cottage Grove Ave., near So. Chicago Ave.; cost, \$12,000.

Paul Mroych, store and dwelling, Forty-eighth and Wood Sts.; cost, \$2,500.

Wm. Ohlhaber, 2 three-sty stores and flats, 353-355 North Ave.; cost, \$15,000.

Jacob Winkler, two-sty store and dwelling, Commercial, near Eighty-ninth St.; cost, \$3,000.

N. B. Brueshaber, four-sty store and flats, 947 West Twenty-first St.; cost, \$7,000.

S. F. Savres, two-sty store and flats, Halsted and Sixty-ninth St.; cost, \$2,000.

Henry Sweet, five-sty store and flats, Thirty-first and Bondfield Sts.; cost, \$16,000.

C. Duckerson, two-sty store and flats, Halsted and Sixty-ninth St.; cost, \$4,500.

F. J. Sirey, two-sty store and flats, 605 Forty-seventh St.; cost, \$2,000.

J. Schiadsiki, two-sty store and flats, 549 Twenty-fifth St.; cost, \$3,500.

Nicholas Overton, two-sty store and flats, Michigan Ave. and One Hundred and Fifteenth St.; cost, \$2,100.

Joseph Dupley, 6 three-sty stores and flats, 330-334 Forty-third St. and 4350-4354 Langley Ave.; cost, \$16,000.

F. C. Bush, 2 two-sty stores and flats, Sixty-third and Carpenter Sts.; cost, \$6,000.

Herman Moormot, two-sty store and dwelling, 228 Horner St.; cost, \$2,500.

John O'Neil, 2 two-sty stores and flats, 4501-4503 Wallace St.; cost, \$7,500.

J. Younghaus, two-sty store and dwelling, School and Fifty-ninth St.; cost, \$3,300.

Andrew Venema, 4 two-sty stores and flats, 607-613 Southwood St.; cost, \$11,000.

William Wilson, 4 three-sty stores and flats, 379-385 Forty-third St.; cost, \$14,000.

Swan A. Nelson, four-sty store and flats, 183 Bel-den Ave.; cost, \$13,000.

Monticello, Ark.—Brick store and bank for R. H. Hyatt; cost, \$7,000.

New York, N. Y.—*East Ninth St.*, No. 86, five-sty store and workshops; cost, \$16,000; owner, Mrs. Hattie K. Hilton; architect, F. Goudard de Lachan, 543 Fifth Ave.

Waverley Pl., n e cor. Greene St., six-sty brick store, tin roof; cost, \$285,000; owner, S. C. Lyons, 67 East One Hundred and Twenty-seventh St.; architects, Buchman & Deisler, 8 West Twenty-ninth St.

Christie St., No. 194, six-sty brick store, tin roof; cost, \$14,000; owners, Weil & Meyer, 227 East Sixtieth St.; architects, Schneider & Herter, 48 Bible House.

Philadelphia, Pa.—*Master St.*, No. 2222, two-sty store; owner, John Malloch, on premises.

Somerville, Mass.—*Medford St.*, brick buildings for the New England Dressed-Beef Co.: one a market, 80' x 100', three stories; first story to be used for stores and markets, stories above for storage; another building, 80' x 125', three stories; first story for forging, second and third stories for wagon-factory. Also a three-sty stable, 80' x 125'; first story for wagons, second for horses, and above for hay; contracts for all to be let; plans are being prepared; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.

St. Louis, Mo.—Two-sty brick store and rooms; cost, \$5,000; owner, Albert Zimer; contractor, J. C. Hacker.

Two-sty brick store and rooms; cost, \$3,500; owner, Wm. Turner; contractor, P. Schmitt.

Three-sty brick store and dwelling; cost, \$6,000; owners, Hoffman Hardware & Paint Co.; contractor, F. Thoms.

White River Junction, Vt.—Ten brick and stone stores and music-hall; frontage about 275 feet and depth 60 feet; stores two stories and hall three; owner, Miss Mae E. Gates; builder, S. S. Ordway; architect, E. A. P. Newcomb, Boston.

TENEMENT-HOUSES.

Boston, Mass.—*North St.*, cor. Hanover Ave., Ward 6, five-sty brick tenement and store, flat roof, 31' x 36'; owner, A. Divolo.

WAREHOUSES.

Chicago, Ill.—Heintz & Weise, five-sty warehouse, Brown and Twenty-first Sts.; cost, \$15,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Boston, Mass.—*Boylston St.*, No. 84, and *Providence St.*, Ward 11, six-sty brick mercantile building, flat roof, 25' x 135'; owner, A. D. Claflin, Trustee; builders, W. A. & H. A. Root.

Horler St., Nos. 98-106, Ward 2, one-sty brick mercantile building, flat roof, 30' x 101'; owners, E. B. Dry Dock Co.; builders, M. S. & G. N. Miller.

Dudley St., No. 178, rear, Ward 20, two-sty frame mechanical building and stable, flat roof, 32.6' x 67'; owner and builder, W. Ballantyne.

Huntington Ave., near West Chester Park, Ward 11, four-sty brick club-house, flat roof, 55' x 99.4'; owner, Elysium Club; builders, W. A. & H. A. Root.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—*North Tenth St.*, s s, and *Bulldhead*, four-sty grain elevator, tin roof; cost, \$40,000; owner, Lowell M. Palmer, 181 Front St., cor. Burling Slip, New York; architect, Philip H. Gill, 11 Bowne St.

Thirteenth St., s s, 147' 10' w Sixth Ave., two-sty brick hall and dwelling, tin roof; cost, \$30,000; owner, architect and builder, Wm. Hawkins, 338A Fourteenth St.

Washington St., s e cor. Johnson St., eight and nine sty brick printing-house and office-building, brick, cement and gravel roof; cost, \$300,000; owner, Brooklyn Daily Eagle, Fulton St.; architect, George L. Morse, 213 Montague St.

Bryn Mawr, Pa.—Two-sty stone L-shaped dormitory for Bryn Mawr College; architects, Cope & Stewardson, 212 South Second St., Philadelphia.

Chicago, Ill.—Nelson Morris, foundation, Forty-fifth St. and Michigan Ave.; cost, \$2,000.

Hill Bros. & Co., elevator and engine-house, Thirty-ninth St. and W. I. R. E.; cost, \$12,000.

Rice & Bullen Maltine Co., six-sty malt-house, Robinson Ave., near North Ave.; cost, \$30,000.

Royce Bakery Co., two-sty bakery, Lincoln and Walnut Sts.; cost, \$5,000.

Cincinnati, O.—Cincinnati St. R. R. Co., foundation; cost, \$10,000; architect, Bert L. Baldwin.

Delaware Co., Pa.—Seven new brick buildings for House of Refuge; cost, \$250,000; architects, Cope & Stewardson, 212 South Second St., Philadelphia.

Louisville, Ky.—Drach & Thomas, architects, report the following work: Dwelling for J. Hite Barrett, Third and Oak Sts., pressed-brick, Portage stone trimmings; cost, \$9,000.

Young Men's Hebrew Association, gymnasium; cost, \$6,000.

Easton College, gymnasium building; cost, \$11,000; dormitory, \$28,000; library, \$12,000.

Cord, Linton & Co., warehouse; cost, \$7,000.

George Postelium, dwelling, Fourteenth and Chestnut Sts.; cost, \$6,000.

National Building and Loan Association, 13 dwellings on Sixth and Magnolia Aves.; cost, \$43,000.

Capt. Ed. J. Howard, dwelling, at Jeffersonville, Ind.; cost, \$45,500.

E. C. Bohm, guardian for Geo. M. Kean, business house, Main St., near Seventh St.; cost, \$18,000.

Mrs. H. W. Rudolf, dwelling, Walnut and Twenty-third Sts.; cost, \$3,500.

Cottage for Mrs. Steele, Seventeenth and Walnut Sts.; cost, \$3,000.

Cottage for Harry Schickel, Fourteenth and Magazine Sts.; cost, \$2,800.

J. C. Brennan, repairs of hotel, Seventh and Main Sts.; cost, \$4,000.

Chapel for Crescent Hill Presbyterian Church; cost, \$3,000.

Addition to store for John Hoerhoefer; cost, \$4,000.

Dwelling for Chas. W. Buck, First St. and Ormsby Ave.; cost, \$5,000.

Dwelling for J. A. Pungst, Thirty-first and Chestnut Sts.; cost, \$4,500.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Kinnard Press Co., brick machine-shop, Dupont Ave., near Forty-sixth Ave.; cost, \$5,000.

New York, N. Y.—*Staten Island*, fireproof stone music-hall for Sailors' Snug Harbor; architect, R. W. Gibson.

Twenty-seventh and Twenty-eighth Sts., and *Eleventh to Thirteenth Aves.*, seven-sty brick storage building, four-ply gravel roofing; cost, \$650,000; owner, Wm. W. Rossett, 77 Broad St.; architect, George B. Mallory, 50 Broadway.

Philadelphia, Pa.—*Dauphin St.*, s s, e Tulip St., one-sty weave-shop; contractor, Wm. C. Haddock, 2219 East York St.

Twentieth St. and Point Breeze Ave., three-sty hall and store; contractor, T. A. Ash, 210 North Eleventh St.

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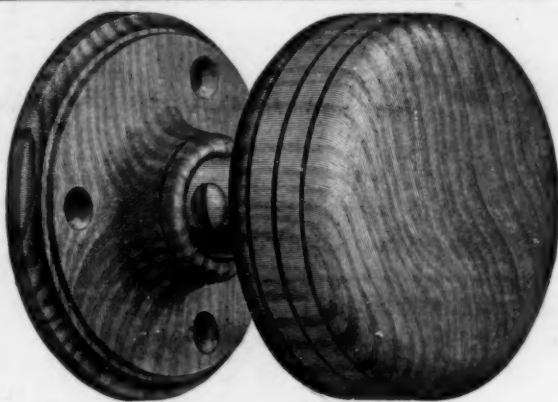
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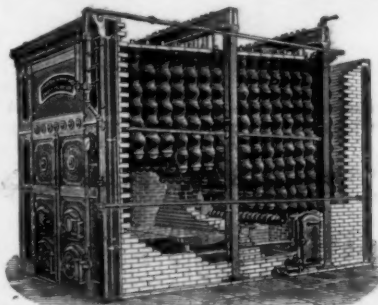
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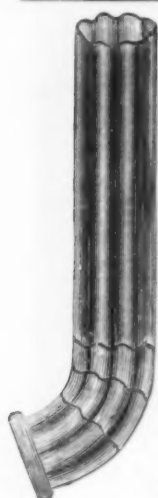
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4 00 @ 5 00

1 50 @ 2 00

1 40 @ 1 60

18 00 @ 20 00

41 @ 54

8 00 @ 10 00

25 @ 50

25 @ 50

45 00 @ 55 00

80 00 @ 120 00

40 00 @ 60 00

150 30 @ 180 00

120 90 @ 350 00

45 00 @ 50 00

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50 00 @ 60 30

42 00 @ 50 00

35 00 @ 40 00

13 00 @ 25 00

13 00 @ 15 00

25 00 @ 35 00

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25 00 @ 45 00

15 50 @ 20 00

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24 00 @ 35 00

2 25 @ 2 35

2 25 @ 2 50

4 50

1 50 @ 00

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50 00 @ 60 00

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Not sold.

12 00 @ 15 30

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10 00 @ 13 00

2 10 @ 2 25

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Not sold.

2 20 @ 3 00

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6 00 @ 7 50

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2 00 @ 2 35

3 50 @ 4 00

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P. 10 00 @ 13 00

9 @ 21

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18 00 @ 35 00

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40 00 @ 45 00

30 00 @ 35 00

16 00 @ 20 00

11 25 @ 13 50

14 00 @ 29 00

4 @ 35 00

14 00 @ 25 00

Not sold.

25 00 @ 37 30

16 00 @ 18 00

13 00 @ 17 00

22 00 @ 28 00

2 75 @ 3 00

2 30 @ 3 00

Not sold.

Not sold.

2 20 @ 3 00

Not sold.

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Not sold.

2 00 @ 2 35

3 50 @ 4 00

9 30 @ 13 00

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20 @ 30

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150 00 @ 250 00

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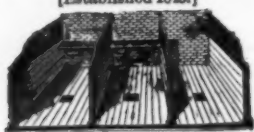
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" dark.....	15 00 @ 16 00	40 00 @ 45 00		Dark "
" red.....	15 00 @ 16 00	Phila. mould }		@ 15 00
Chicago pressed (Anderson).....		50 00 @ 50 00		Dark "
Chicago moulded.....				@ 15 00
Baltimore.....	7 00 @ 41 00	Anderson	15 00 @ 27 00	Pressed "
Philadelphia.....	@ 22 00	14 00 @ 32 00	65 00 @ 350 00	22 00 @ 26 00
Trenton.....	@ 22 00		45 00 @ 50 00	Best Paving
Milwaukee.....			45 00 @	@ 16 00
Moulded:			25 00 @	second "
Glens Falls Red Pressed.....	@ 37 00		60 00 @ 100 00	@ 14 00
" Buff.....	@ 30 00		30 @	Third "
" Moulded Red & Buff.....	45 00 @ 70 00		35 @	@ 13 00
Enamelled: Imp.			55 00 @ 65 00	
Enamelled (edge).....	85 00 @ 100 00			Dom. { @ 65
Enamelled (edge and end).....	90 00 @ 115 00		@ 120 00	@ 85
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" Black Cross.....	2 25 @ 2 50	2 60 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 3 00
" (Burham).....	2 50 @ 2 80	2 60 @ 3 00	2 90 @ 3 15	2 85 @ 3 15
" (White's).....	2 65 @ 3 00	2 60 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 2 85
" French (Lafarge).....	3 60 @ 3 75	@ 5 00	3 75 @ 4 25	Remmoo
" German (Alsen).....	2 90 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50	3 20 @ 3 40	2 50 @ 2 75
" (Fowler).....	2 25 @ 2 40	3 15 @ 3 35		2 75 @ 2 85
" (Vorwohler).....	2 50 @ 2 90			
" (Lagerdofer).....	2 90 @ 3 25	2 55 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 00	2 50 @ 2 75
" (Dyckerhoff).....	2 50 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 50	3 25 @ 3 50	3 00 @ 3 25
" Stettin (Anchor).....	2 35 @ 2 85		Not sold.	2 75 @ 2 85
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Roman.....	2 75 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50
Keene's coarse.....	5 75 @ 6 50	@ 6 00	6 00 @ 7 00	5 50 @ 7 00
" superfine.....	9 25 @ 10 25	@ 11 50	9 @ 10 50	8 00 @ 9 00
Lime:				
Lime of Teal.....	3 50 @ 4 00			
Hydraulic Lime.....	@ 1 45	@ 1 35	Not sold.	White Lime
Chicago Lime in bulk.....		St. John 1 00	55 @	25 @ 30 @ bush
Wisconsin.....	@ 90		60 @	White Mass
Rockland and Rockport, (Com.).....	@ 1 20	@ 1 05	Not sold.	1 25 @ 1 50
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State, finishing.....	@ 1 10	Not sold.	Not sold.	Not sold.
Plaster of Paris (calcined).....	1 20 @ 1 25	1 85 @ 2 00	1 55 @ 1 90	Not sold
" (casting).....	1 30 @ 1 35	2 00 @ 2 25	1 85 @ 1 90	1 50 @ 2 25
Hair (Cattle) P bush.....	12 @ 15	25 @ 30	30 @ 25	1 75 @ 2 50
" (Goat).....	22 @ 25	30 @ 30	30 @ 25	30 @ 25
Band, P load.....	1 00 @ 1 25	1 75 @ 1 90	@ 60	30 @ 35
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Bedford.....	45 @ 1 25	@ 60		55 @ 65
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Block		4 60 per box		Conschocken
Rubble		1 25 @ 1 50	8 50	1 45 @ 2 50
Bluestone (per sq. ft.)	30 @ 5 00	40 @ 1 75	75 @ 1 00	1 in. th. 10 @ 25
Sidewalk	50 @ 6 00	75	50 @ 1 00	37 @ 50
Planed				
Sandstone				
Longmeadow	80	80 @ 90		95 @ 1 16
Kibbe	90	90 @ 1 10		1 05 @ 1 35
Brown (Connecticut)	1 00 @ 85	1 25 @ 1 45	1 50 per cu. ft.	55 @ 1 00
Amherst	75 @ 1 00	85 @ 1 00	45 @ 50	
Berea	75 @ 1 00	80 @ 90	55 @ 65	
Berlin	75 @ 1 00	1 25 @ 1 35	55 @ 1 25	
Belleville	80 @ 1 25	75 @ 90		1 10 @ 1
New Brunswick (Dorchester)	1 00	2 00		1 00 @ 1
Caen	1 05	1 05		1 25 @ 1
Carlisle, English	1 05	1 05		95 @ 1
Corse Hill (Scotch)	1 05			
Marble (per cu. ft.)				
Lee, Mass.	1 25 @ 1 75	1 75 @ 2 50	Not sold.	2 00 @ 2 50
Rutland, white and blue		3 00	3 50 @ 6 00	2 00 @ 3 00
Sutherland Falls		2 00	3 50 @ 6 00	1 70 @ 3 00
Glens Falls, black			Not sold.	4 00 @ 4 50
Italian, blue-veined			Not sold.	2 50 @ 2 75
Sienna			Not sold.	4 00 @ 6 00
Tennessee, red			Not sold.	3 00 @ 4 00
Knoxville			Not sold.	2 00 @ 3 00
Pennsylvania, blue			Not sold.	2 25 @ 3 00
Vermont, white			Not sold.	
Slates, roofing (per square)				
green	5 00 @ 6 00	4 75 @ 5 25	5 50 @ 6 10	2 30 @ 3 00
unfading	5 00 @ 6 00	5 50 @ 6 50	6 50 @ 7 10	3 25 @ 3 75
purple	5 00 @ 6 00	5 50 @ 6 50	6 50 @ 7 10	3 50 @ 4 50
red	10 00 @ 10 00	10 00 @ 11 00	12 00 @ 14 00	7 50 @ 10 25
black, Lehigh	4 25 @ 4 75		6 25 @ 8 55	3 25 @ 4 00
Chapmans			7 30 @ 8 00	4 00 @ 4 65
Unfading Black, Monson, Mo.	5 50 @ 8 00	5 50 @ 8 00	6 00 @ 9 00	5 50 @ 8 00
Tiles, Am.			Not sold.	6 00 @ 25 00
N. Peach Bottom, warranted unfading				6 00 @ 6 75
PAINTS. (In oil, per lb.)				
White lead, Am.	7 @ 7 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2 @ 7	7
Zinc	5 @ 5 1/2	5 1/2	7 @ 10 1/2	7
Red lead, Am.	6 1/2 @ 7	7 1/2	6 1/2 @ 7	7
Venetian	6 @ 10 1/2	7 @ 12	1 1/2 @ 2 1/2	dry Eng. 8
Vermillion	65 @ 70	72 @ 75 dry	65 @ 68	Eng. 6 1/2 @ 7
Red Indian, Eng.	12 @ 20	12 @ 20	12 @ 20	dry Am. 1 1/2 @ 1 1/2
Yellow Ochre	6 @ 15	7 @ 12	3 @ 15	1 1/2 @ 1 1/2
Chrome	12 @ 20	18 @ 25	15 @ 25	20 @ 25
Green (chrome)	8 @ 13	8 @ 20	8 @ 20	20 @ 25
Green, Paris	25 @ 40	25 @ 40	18 @ 25	20 @ 25
Black, lamp	15 @ 25	15 @ 25	8 @ 30	20 @ 25
Blue, ultramarine	12 @ 18	18 @ 30	12 @ 35	20 @ 25
Oil, linseed, (raw)	60 @ 63	60 @ 61	67 @ 63	20 @ 25
boiled	63 @ 66	63 @ 64	67 @ 63	20 @ 25
Turpentine	40 @ 41	1 50 @ 6 00	1 25 @ 2 00	20 @ 25
Varnish, coach		2 50 @ 3 00	2 25 @ 4 00	20 @ 25
Shellac		2 @ 4	02 @ 02 1/2	20 @ 25
Fatty	2 @ 1 1/2	1 @ 1 1/2	1 @ 1 1/2	20 @ 25
Whiting	1 30 @ 2 00	2 @ 3	1 1/2 @ 2	20 @ 25
Paris white, (Eng.)		7 1/2	6 1/2 @ 7	20 @ 25
Litharge, Am.	54 @ 6	14 @ 20	4 @ 16	20 @ 25
Sienna (burnt)	14 @ 20	14 @ 20	2 @ 10	20 @ 25
Umber				20 @ 25
HARDWARE.				
Nails: (Per Cask.) Spikes, (wrought.)	@ 2 85	@ 2 20	2 75 @ 3 00	pr kg @ 2 25
10d. common	@ 2 60	@ 2 30	@ 2 35	@ 2 30
Shingle	@ 3 35	@ 3 5	@ 2 75	@ 2 60
Lath	@ 4 85		@ 3 65	3 60 @ 4 75
Finishing nails according to size.			Add .85 to \$1.15	per lb @ 6
(For casing nails add 75c. per keg.)			“ .50 to .90	Add pr cask
Butts: 4"x4" (per doz. pairs.)	@ 1 00	@ 1 20	@ 90	2 90 (all kinds.)
Plain	@ 1 50	@ 1 75	Not sold.	1 35 @ 2 00
Japanned	@ 1 50	@ 1 90	2 00 @ 3 75	1 35 @ 2 75
Acorn, Japanned	@ 65	@ 50	Not sold.	48 @ 50
Ball Tip, Boston Finish (per pair.)	@ 1 90	@ 1 05	2 00 @ 3 25	1 25 @ 1 25
Bronze metal	@ 10	@ 10	@ 12	37 @ 1 00
Brass (no cupboards)				
Ebony				
Apple wood				
Knobs: (per Set.)				
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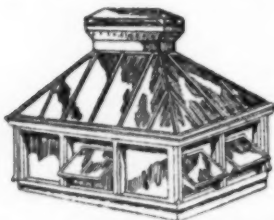
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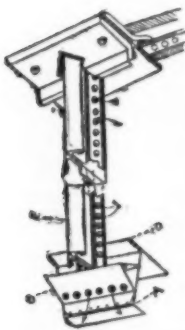
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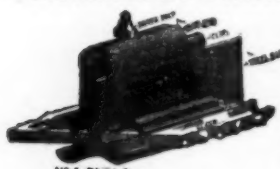
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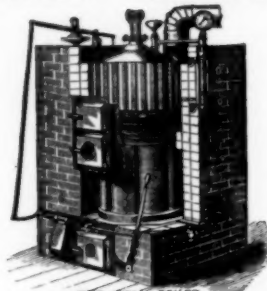
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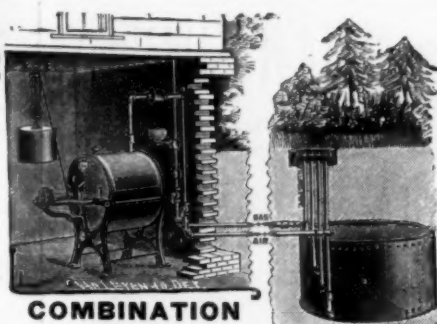
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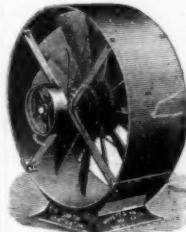
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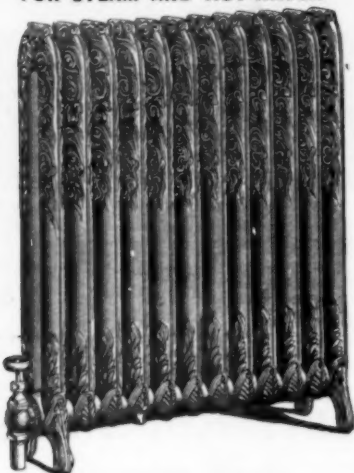
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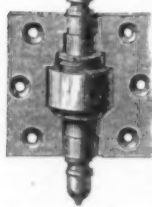
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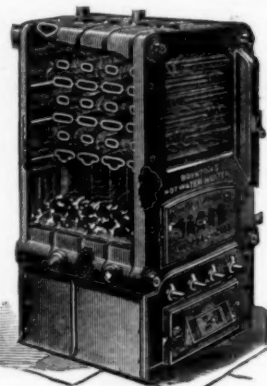
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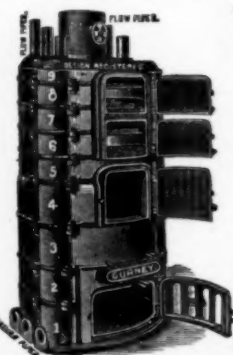
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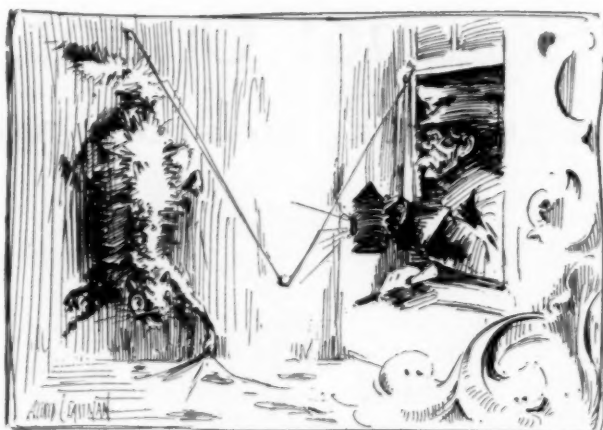
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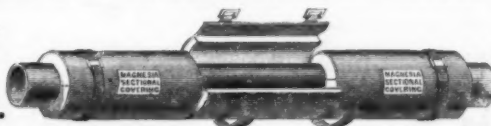
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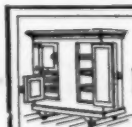
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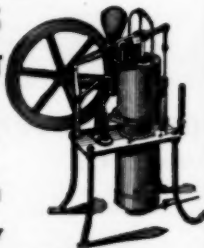
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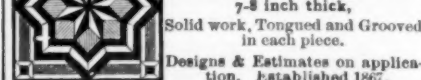
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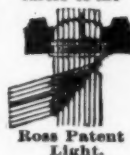
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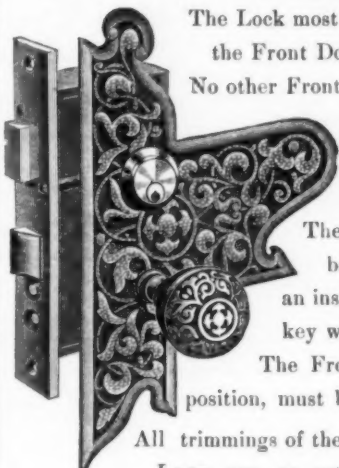
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Warren St., Nos. 633-637, Ward 21, 3 three-sty brick dwells., flat roofs, each 29' x 40'; owner, J. L. Simonds; builder, C. H. Beals.

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Birch St., near Prospect St., Ward 23, frame dwell., 24' x 30'; owner and builder, N. W. Colwell.

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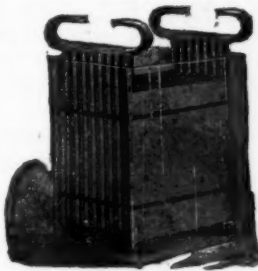
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Westcott St., near Talbot Ave., Ward 24, frame dwell., 27' x 35'; owner, A. A. Westcott; builders, Shepard & Russell.
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Clifton Park, near Clifton St., Ward 20, three-sty frame dwell., pitch roof, 25' x 43'; owner, Michael Mitchell; builder, Valentine Bock.
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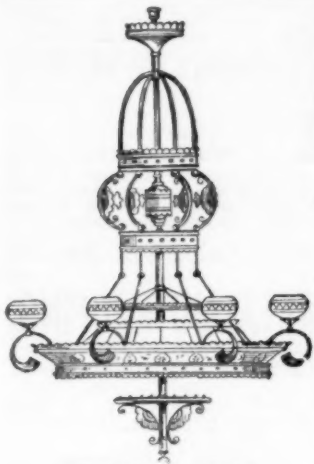
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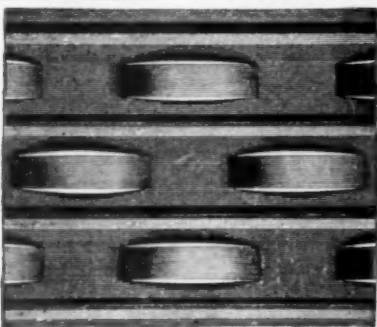
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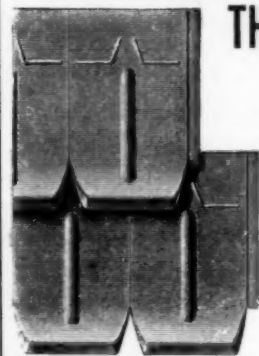
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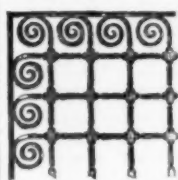
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nished by the Board.The external diameter of the sewer on Sections 8
and 9 is from eleven to fifteen feet, and on Sections C
and D is from six and one-half to nine feet. Some
other particulars are approximately as follows:

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Sec.	Feet.	Feet.	Feet.	brick masonry.	concrete masonry.	piles.
8.....	4,100	15	1,800	4,900	40	
9.....	3,700	14	2,000	4,000	40	
C.....	5,800	15	1,500	2,600	1,000	
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cating what sewer and similar work he has done, and
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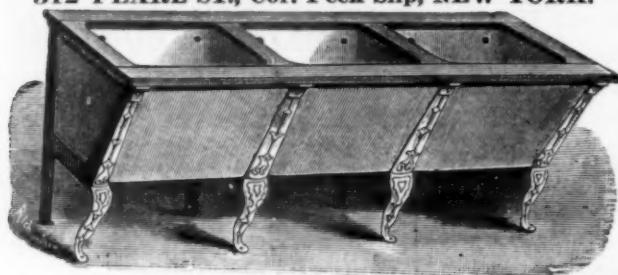
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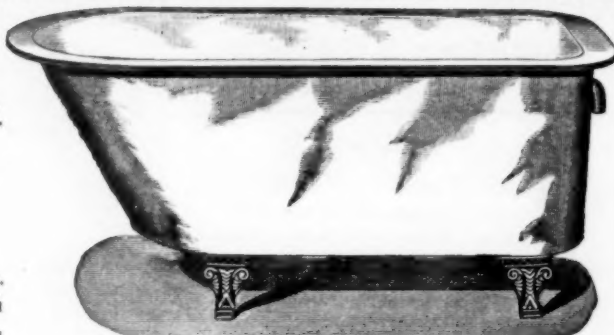
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partment, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M. on
the 15th day of August, 1890, for all the labor and
material required for the excavation, concrete founda-
tions, stone and brick work of the basement and
area walls of the United States Custom-House and
Post-Office building at Eastport, Me., in accordance
with the drawings and specification, copies of which
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Basement and Area Walls of United States Custom-
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partment, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M. on
the 16th day of August, 1890, for all the labor and ma-
terials required for the approaches to the United States
Post-Office, Custom-House, etc., building at Wilming-
ton, N. C., in accordance with the drawing and specifi-
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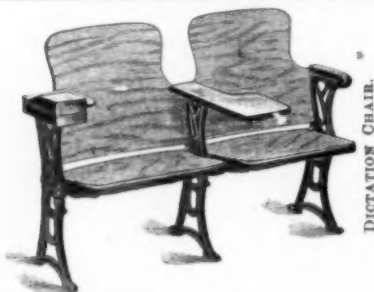
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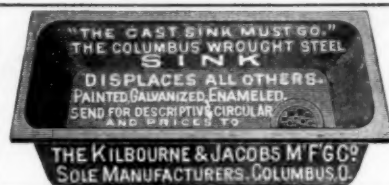
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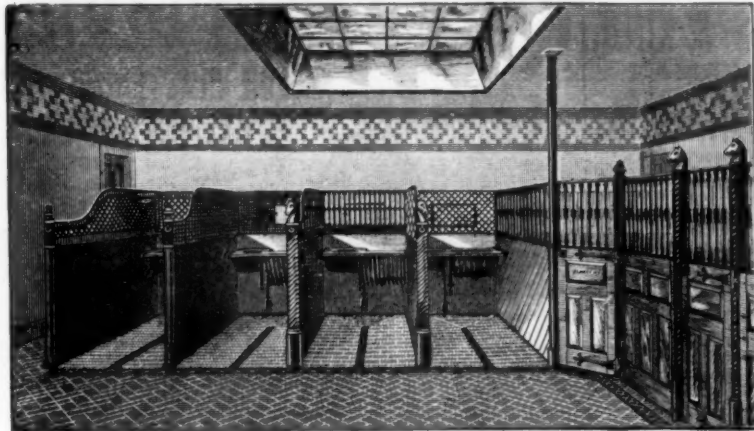
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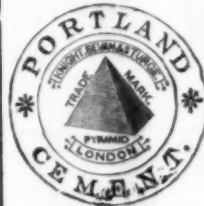
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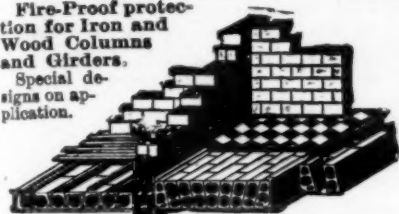
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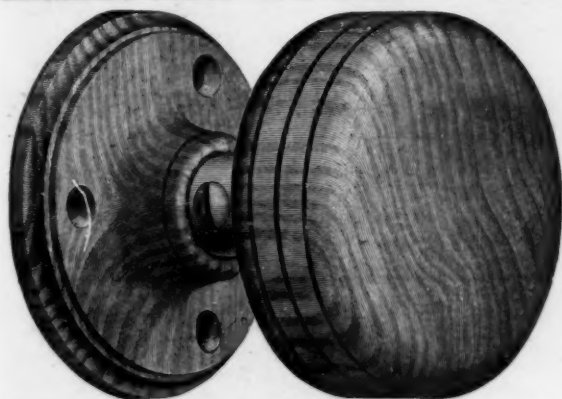
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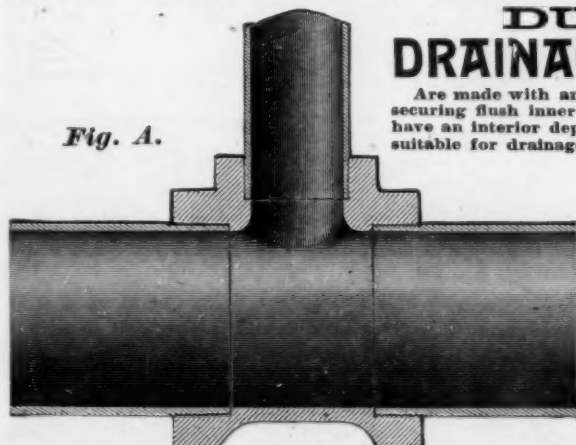
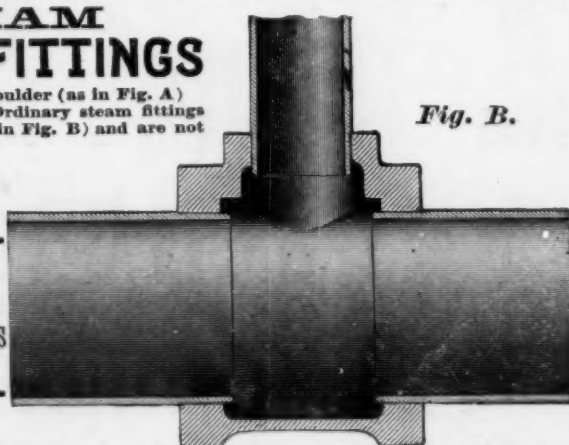


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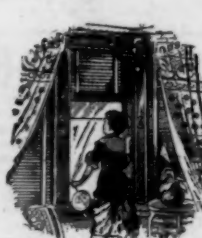
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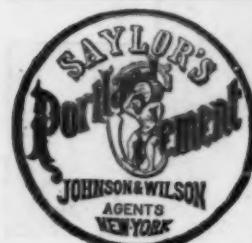
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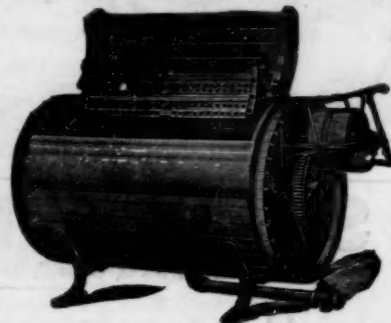
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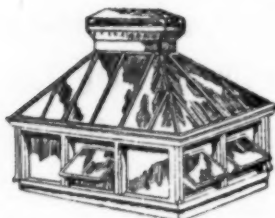
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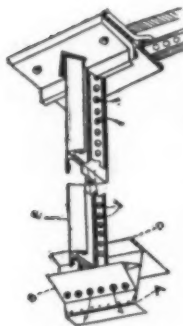
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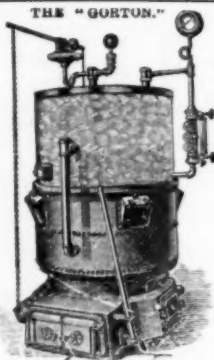
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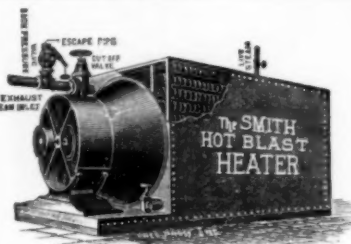


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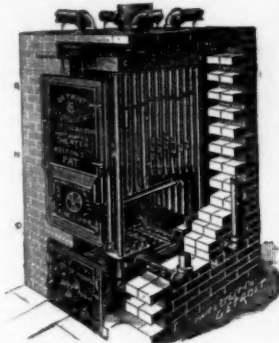


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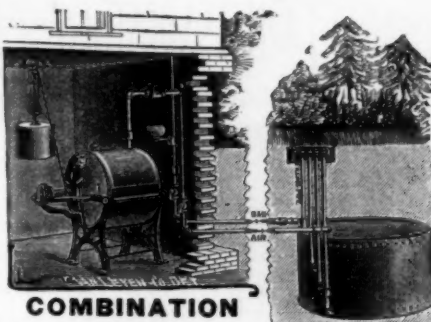
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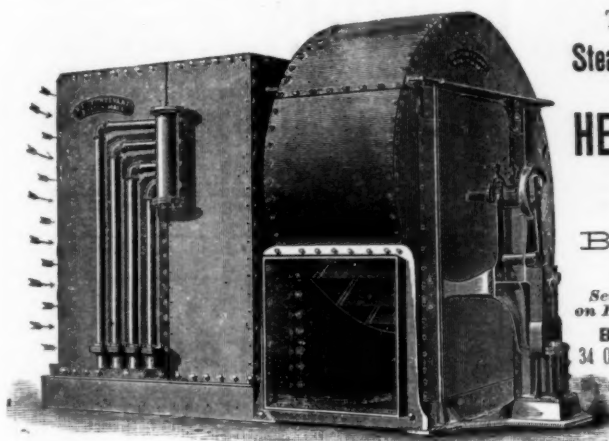
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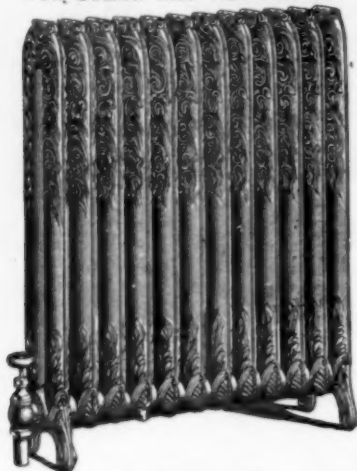


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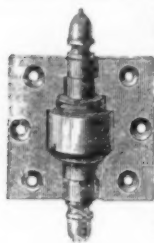
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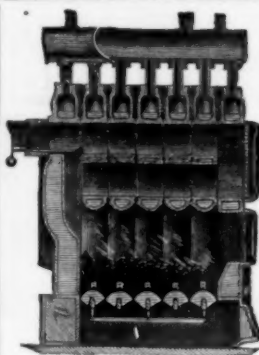
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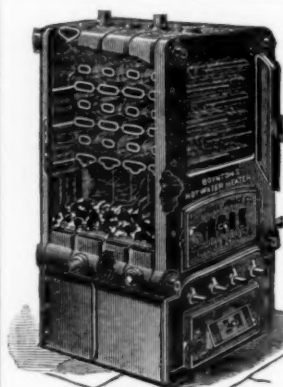
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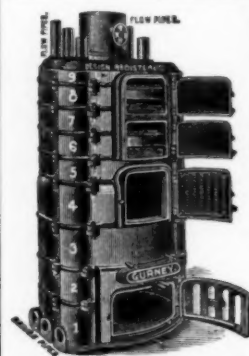
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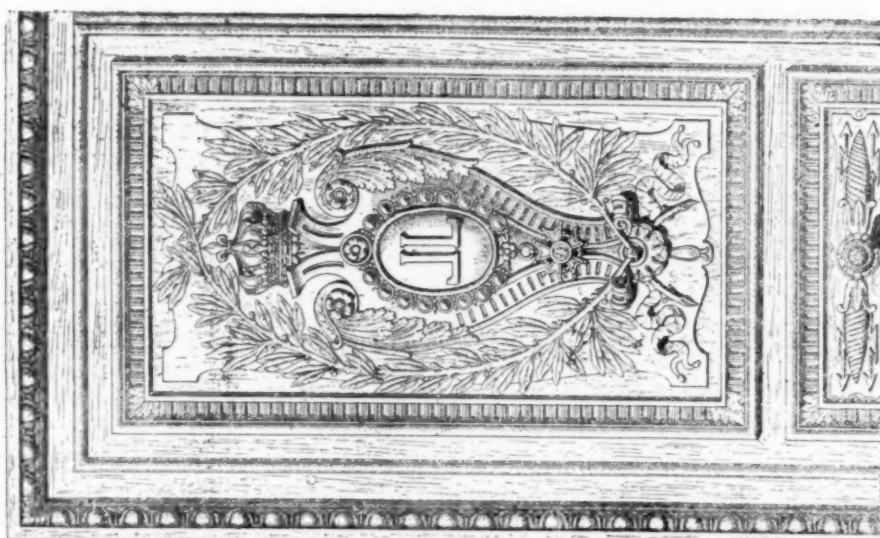
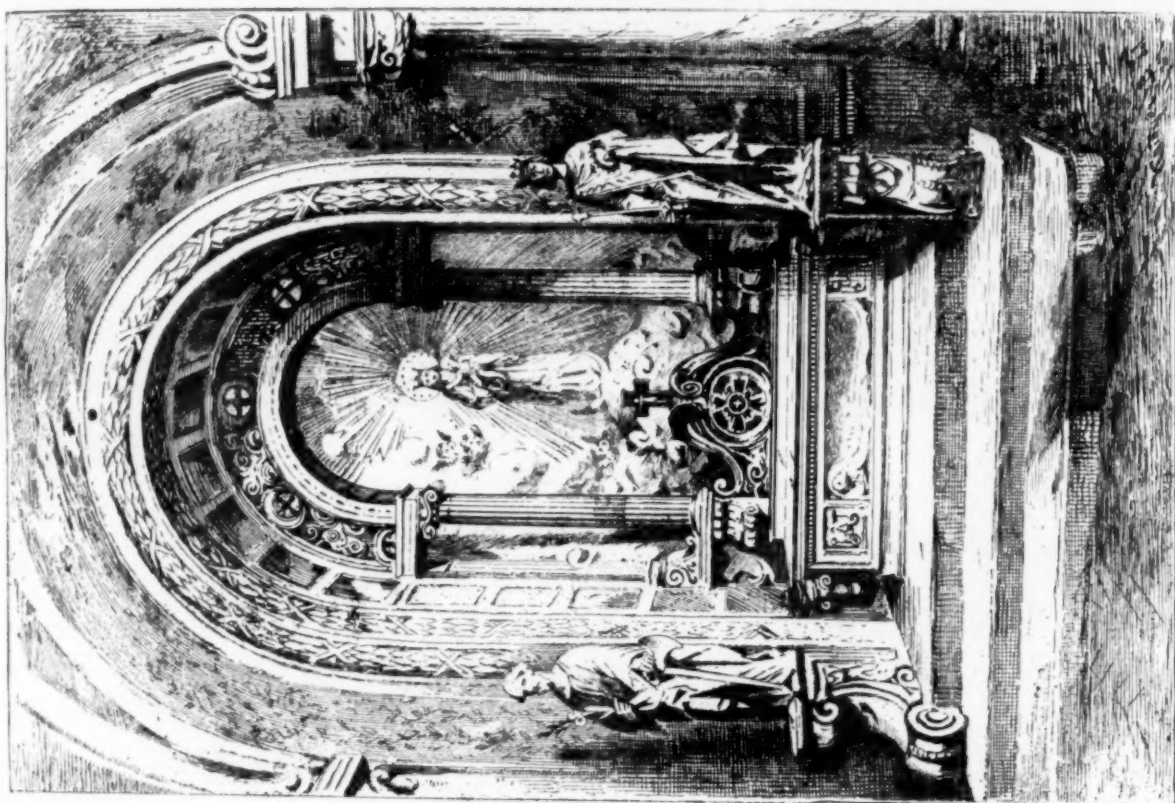
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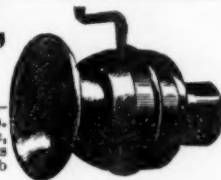
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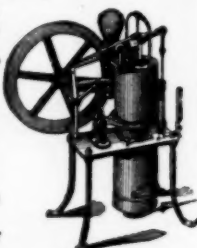
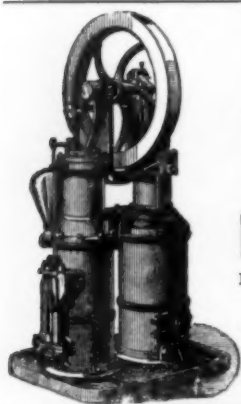
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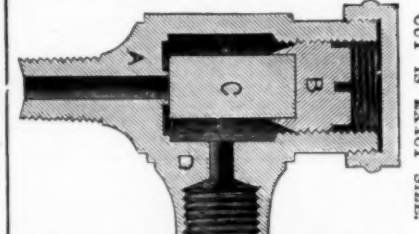
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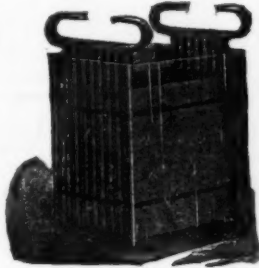
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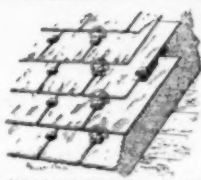
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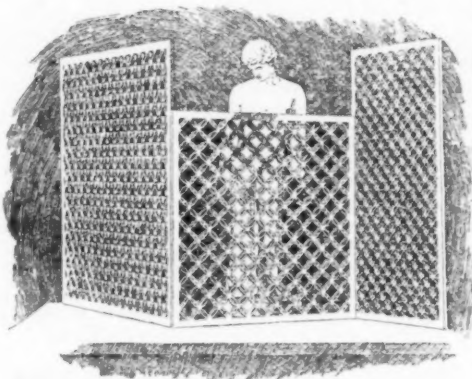
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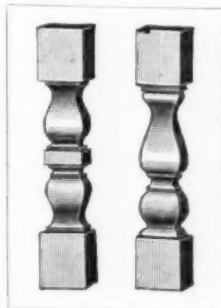
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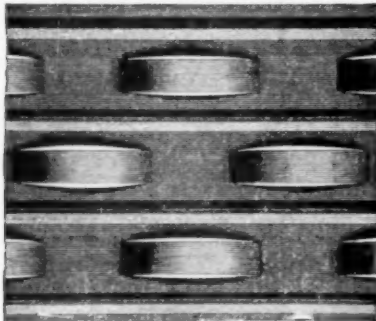


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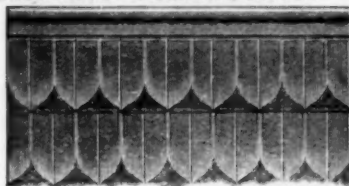
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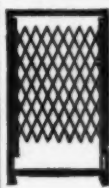
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The external diameter of the sewer on Sections 8

and 9 is from eleven to fifteen feet, and on Sections C

and D is from six and one-half to nine feet. Some

other particulars are approximately as follows:

Plans can be seen, and specifications and form of

contract can be obtained, at the above office.

Each bidder is required to make a statement indi-
cating what sewer and similar work he has done, and

to give references that will enable the Board to judge

of his business standing.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all

bids.

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Board of Metropolitan Sewerage Commissioners of

Massachusetts.

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Howard A. Carson,

Chief Engineer.

July 24, 1890. Sealed proposals will be received at

the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury De-
partment, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M. on

the 7th day of August, 1890, for all the labor and

materials required to complete the plumbing for the

United States Court-house and Post-office at Char-
lotte, N. C., in accordance with the drawings and

specification. Each bid must be accompanied by a

certified check for \$100. The Department will reject

all bids received after the time fixed for opening the

same; also, bids which do not comply strictly with all

the requirements of this invitation. Proposals must

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quirements of this invitation. Proposals must be
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building at Pittsburgh, Pa.," and addressed to JAMES
H. WINDRIM, Supervising Architect.August 2, 1890. Sealed proposals will be received at
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partment, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M., on
the 28th day of August, 1890, for all the labor and ma-
terials required in the erection and completion of the
United States Court-house and Post-Office building at
Opelousas, La. (except heating apparatus), in ac-
cordance with the drawings and specification, copies
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the office of the Superintendent. Each bid must be
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vitation. Proposals must be sealed and endorsed"Proposal for the Erection and Completion (except
heating apparatus) of the United States Court-house
and Post-Office building at Opelousas, La.," and ad-
dressed to JAMES H. WINDRIM, Supervising Archi-
tect.

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PROPOSALS.

LUMBER, ETC.

[At League Island Navy Yard.]

July 19, 1890.

Sealed proposals, endorsed "Proposals for Lumber,
etc., for the League Island Navy Yard, to be opened
August 12, 1890," will be received at the Bureau of
Provisions and Clothing, Navy Department, Washing-
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[At Tacoma, Wash.]

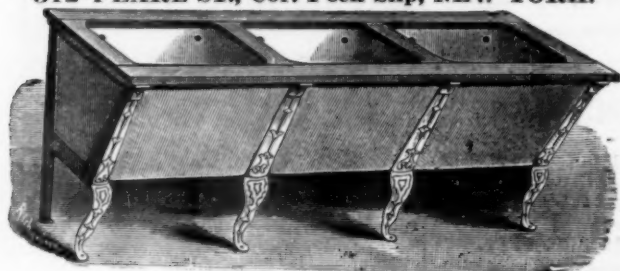
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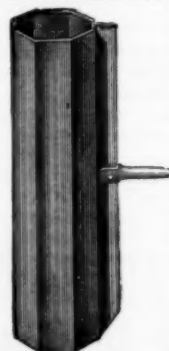
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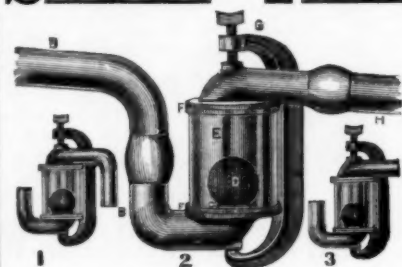
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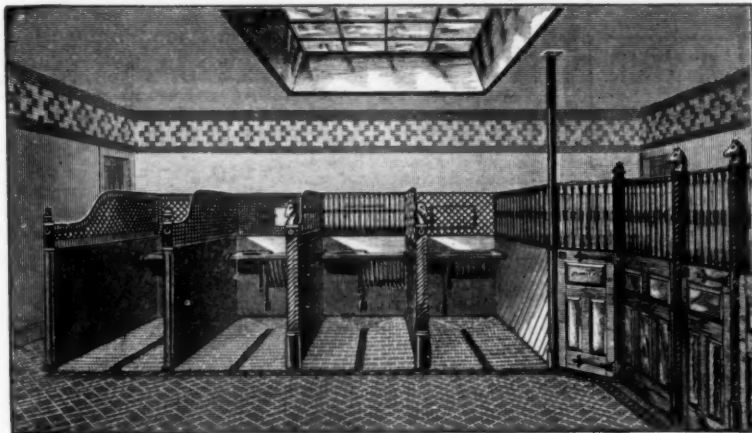
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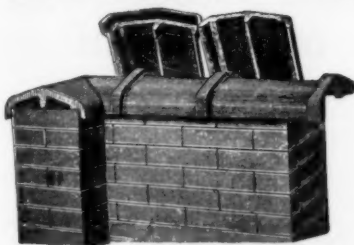
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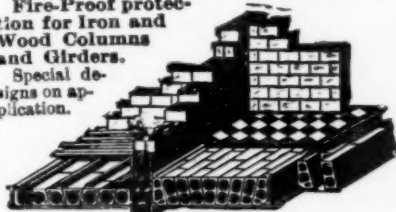
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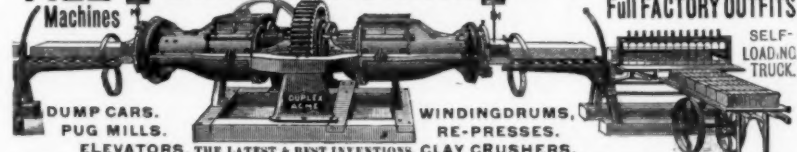
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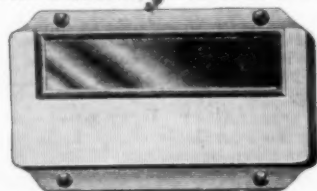
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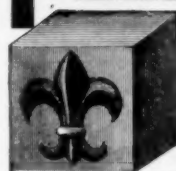
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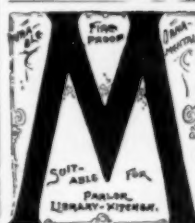
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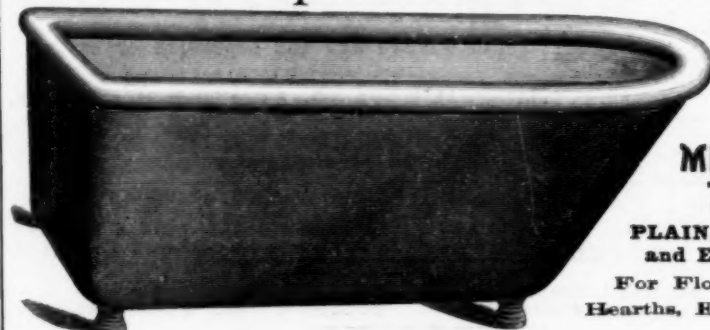


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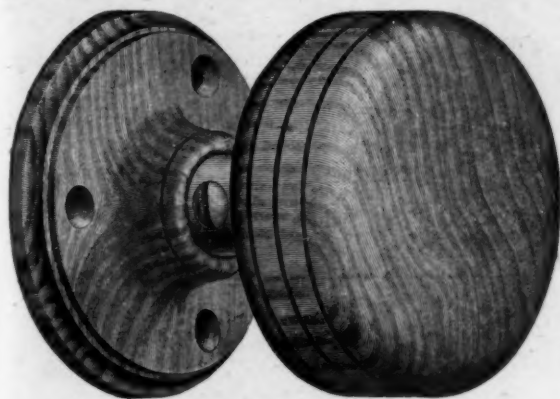
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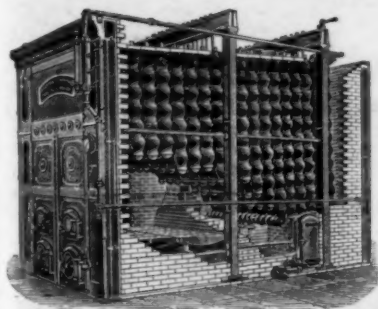
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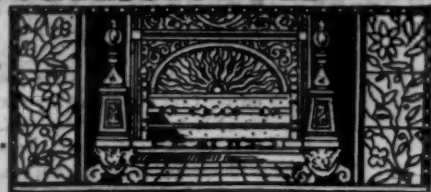
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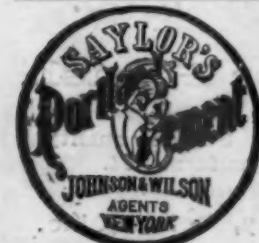
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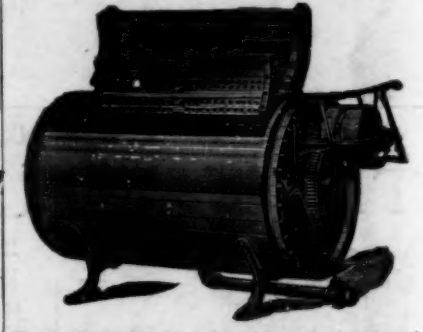
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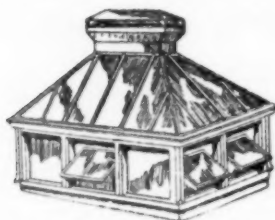
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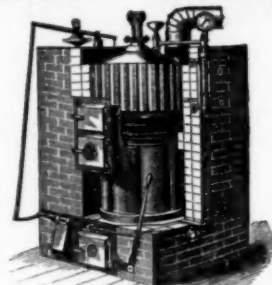
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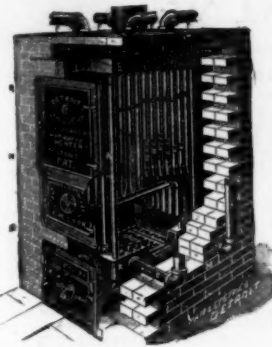
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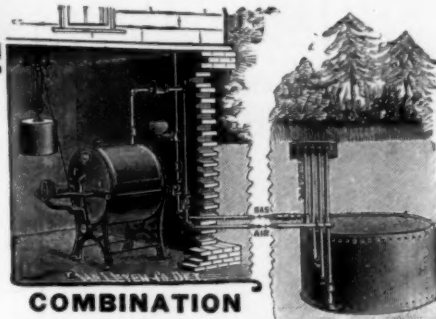


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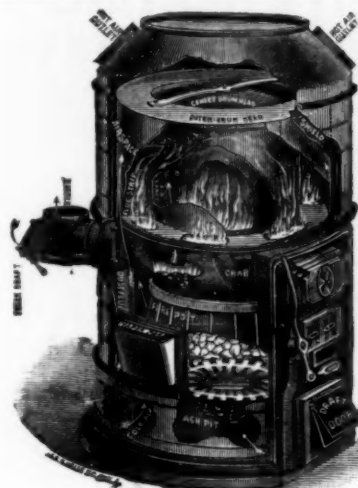
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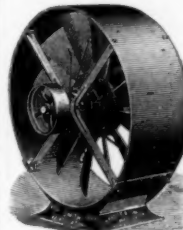
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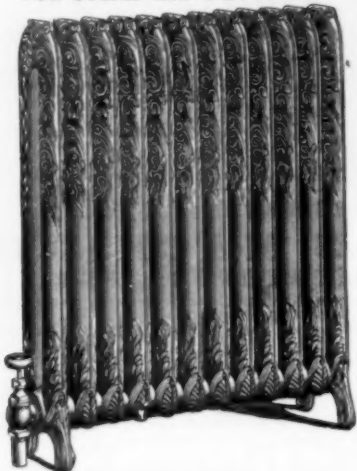
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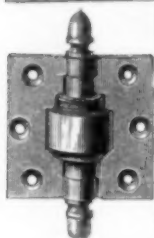
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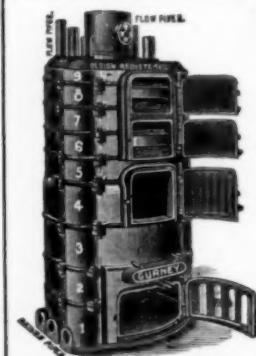
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ARCHITECTS AND BUILDERS who are required in their professional work and business to contract for large quantities of roofing plates, need to be placed on their guard against certain practices, which, it is alleged on good authority, are systematically carried on, by which inferior qualities of such plates are deliberately substituted in place of the better grades, to the great injury of the purchaser, and to the corresponding profit of the dishonest dealer. That an old and reputable firm of importers should descend to deliberate dishonesty in the race of competition with business rivals, is so improbable, that, were not the allegations of fraud made in the most positive terms by a reputable journal devoted specially to this trade, and reinforced by a declaration of willingness to present the proofs, they would scarcely be credible.

To understand how it is possible for such practices to be carried on, and, in many cases, with comparative impunity, it will be necessary to make some preliminary explanations.

As is well-known, all the tin plate used in this country, is imported, principally from Wales, the great seat of this ancient industry. All the leading manufacturers there have their representative houses in the United States, that handle their product, and the importer relies implicitly upon the foreign manufacturer to send him just what is ordered, and any attempt on the part of the latter to foist an inferior grade upon the importer would at once be detected, since the importer is the sole judge of the quality. It is, therefore, to the interest of the foreign manufacturer to exercise the most scrupulous fairness in the branding of his plates. This is particularly the case with imperfect plates, which are separately boxed and branded with the word "wasters," or the letter W; and any omission to do this would prove ruinous to the manufacturer, knowing which, it is scarcely necessary to say the latter do not venture to do it.

It appears that about 10 per cent of all the roofing plates sent to this country are of the kind known as "wasters," or imperfect plates, boxed separately, and branded as such, as above described. They are not worth as much as the perfect plates, or "primes" of the same grade, selling for 50 cents to 82 per box less than these. They are used largely for inside work, for which they answer quite as well as the best; but they are not fit to be used for roofing, since, when used in such exposed situations, they will last only a few years. It is affirmed, however, that many imperfect plates are used by roofers by selecting such as have only trifling defects, substitute them for "primes;" and these, when laid on a roof and covered with paint, cannot be detected until a season or two of wear develops their inferiority. There is no justification for this scampering; but the importer who would deliberately sort out the best sheets from a box of "wasters," and label them "primes," would be far more deserving of discredit. Yet this is what is alleged against at least one prominent house of importers, and it is easy to see that such dishonest practices place at a very great disadvantage the honorable importer who honestly guarantees the quality of his plates. The journal to which we have referred as fathering the accusation herein stated, declares that while competition in roofing plates is very keen, it has always been fairly conducted in this city, but that this cannot be said of Philadelphia. We reproduce in the following statement of charges made, our authority for the same being the *Roofer, Tinner & Sheet-Iron Worker*:

"It is easy to understand that where two firms, competing for a contract to furnish the same grade and quality of tin, have a margin between cost and market price of, say 50 cents per box, if one of these firms puts in a lower grade, stamped as a higher grade, or 'wasters,' with the word 'waster' erased, as primes, it obtains a leeway of from 50 cents to \$2 a box, and fair competition ceases.

"All tin plate is supposed to come here assorted, and if stamped, stamped on the other side of the Atlantic. We have lately come in possession of information which leads us to believe that terne plates are stamped by a Philadelphia firm of a better brand and grade than they are, and that, to defeat fair competition. When it is well-known that 'wasters' of one of the best grades of terne plate are sold in this market for \$2 a box less than the prime plates of the same brand, it is also clear that if these 'wasters' can be sold as prime plates there is a large profit to be made, or this profit can well be reduced in competition with an honest brand, and thus a large contract is secured at a still handsome profit. One firm has been importing a hand-dipped plate not stamped, offered in the market at about \$14.50 per box, but which when stamped with a better brand, usually sold at about \$17, can be sold at an immense profit

at a price far below that of the better brand with which it is misleadingly stamped, and yet above the market price of the quality of plate which it really is. It is well-known to the trade that no terne plate can now be sold at \$14.50 without the stamp of some well-known brand. We are prepared to prove that this firm to which we refer, who have an old-fashioned hand-dipped plate, which is a good quality, have for the purpose of defeating competition where other plates have been specified, stamped not only the 'wasters' of their old-fashioned plate, but the 'wasters' of a much cheaper grade than their best grade, and sold, billed and delivered the same as prime best grade plates. It is well also to remember that this house guarantees (?) such plate bearing the bogus stamp as better than anything imported, and as their own best grade, which shows their willingness, for the sake of gain, to smirch the reputation of their best grade and the value of their guarantee. We have also positive proof that this concern has had the 'wasters' of the old standard 'M. F.' brand assorted to such an extent that they have sold about one-quarter of such stamped 'wasters' as prime plates. Not long since this firm took a contract for a large amount of roofing plates at a sum greatly below other bidders, and their brand was in competition with two other brands. The plates with bogus brands were partially delivered to the roofer in wagon loads of loose sheets, which at once caused suspicion, the trade being well aware that the boxes are iron strapped and most difficult to break under ordinary circumstances. The two brands in competition are sold at considerably less than the old-fashioned kind, but, so as to defeat competition, a cheaper plate had to be stamped as the best grade 'old-fashioned.' It can be proved that the 'wasters' of this and other and lower grades of plates were stamped 'old-fashioned,' and delivered as such, though they were not the prime 'old-fashioned' grade in quality. The genuine 'old-fashioned' I. C. 20 by 28, commands now about \$17 per box, and when a reduction of fifty cents is considered a big difference, it can readily be seen that some other grade and brand than this 'old-fashioned' must have been delivered to compete with a lower-priced brand. We will now add that we have incontestible proof that clerks and porters of the firm to which we refer have been instructed by members of the firm to re-assort various grades and qualities of both bright and roofing plates for the purpose of picking out from the 'waster' plates such sheets as would pass as prime plates, and these 'waster' sheets so raised to 'prime' packed in boxes with the term 'waster,' or 'W,' erased from the box, were re-piled into stock as 'prime' plates, and they were added to the stock-sheet as prime plates, and deducted from the stock-sheet as 'wasters.'

"We can further prove that these specific plates so raised from 'wasters' to 'prime,' were loaded on wagons and shipped to customers as 'prime' plates, and were so charged and billed. We can also prove that this same metamorphosing of picked-out 'wasters' to 'primes' was done with their highest-price plates, and that the same process was gone through with 'E. C. C.' 'Calland' and 'Melyn' plates. We have incontestable proof that I. C. 20 x 28 of a certain brand of terne 'wasters' were picked over, the best sheets packed back in boxes, and the maker's stencil or burnt-mark, 'W,' erased, so that these picked 'wasters' could be, and were, added to the stock-sheet as 'prime plates.' In one instance in particular, for a large shipment of some carloads, the best sheets from at least twenty-five boxes of 'wasters' of an inferior brand, and twenty-five boxes of 'wasters' of the best brand, were picked out, and the whole fifty boxes of such picked 'wasters' were stamped as the best brand and shipped as such in this lot. In every instance, our evidence shows that this questionable work was done under the specific instruction, and with the full knowledge of, and for the increased profits of, the firm."

From the foregoing very specific charges, it will appear that architects, builders and the roofing trade will need to be particularly careful in their contracts and purchases, to so specify the quality of the plates that fraudulent substitution of inferior grades will be made too hazardous for the unscrupulous dealer to take the risk of exposure and punishment. Such dishonesty, furthermore, in addition to the injury it imposes upon purchasers, affects quite as seriously the honorable dealer whose guarantee of the quality of his plates is made in good faith.

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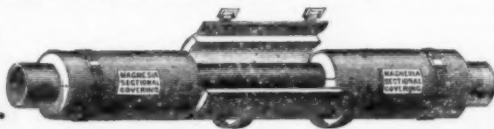
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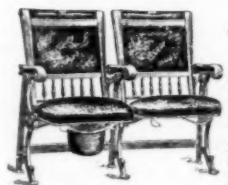
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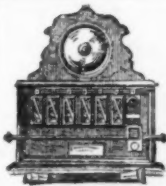
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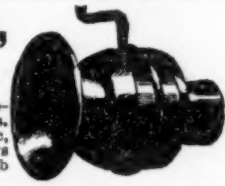


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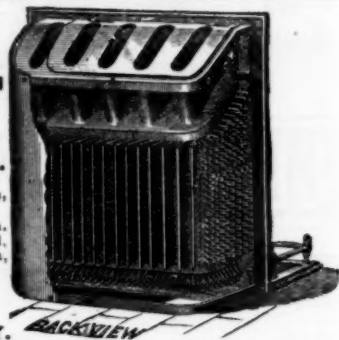
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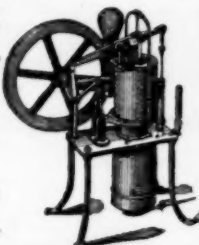
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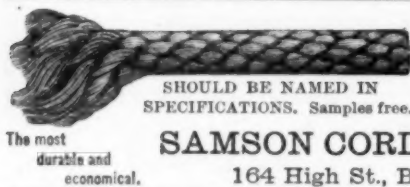
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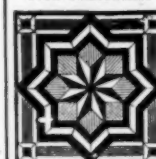
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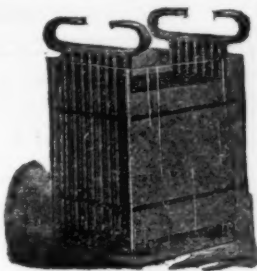
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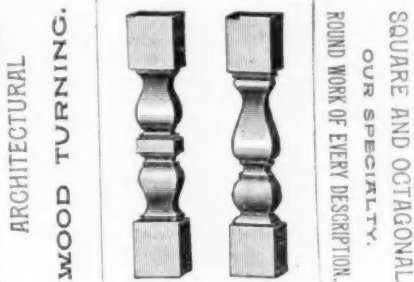
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Ashmont St., near Ocean St., Ward 24, frame dwell., 23 x 39'; owner, C. N. Mellin; builder, H. H. De Lorie.

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Walnut Ave., No. 287, Ward 21, frame dwell., 38' 51'; owner, R. M. Goode; builder, T. T. Milne.

Wardsworth St., near Pope St., Ward 1, frame dwell., 21' x 46'; owner, Patrick Anderson.

Leeds St., near Dorchester Ave., Ward 24, three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof, 23' x 43'; owner, Elmer E. Shepard; builder, H. J. McNabb.

Judson St., near Cottage St., Ward 20, frame dwell., 14' x 40'; owner, Charlotte M. Henderson; builder, W. M. Henderson.

Saratoga St., No. 462, Ward 1, three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof, 21' x 50'; owner, George Corlin; builders, Hatt & Rogers.

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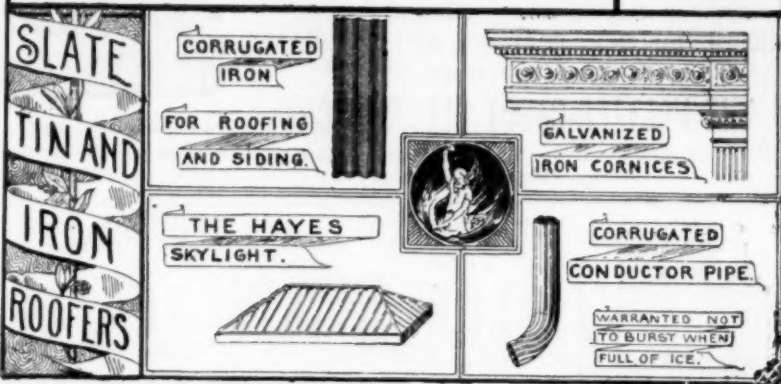
Milton Ave., No. 93, cor. Maxwell St., Ward 24, frame dwell., 32' x 52'; owner, W. J. Livermore; builder, Russell Park.

Ballou Ave., near Jones Ave., Ward 24, frame dwell., 21' x 28'; owner, Margaret McLaughlin; builder, Wm. McLaughlin.

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dwells.; owner, Wm. J. Ross, 1231 South Twenty-
first St.
Wyandusing St., n s, e Fifty-third St., 4 two-st'y
dwells.; contractor, R. C. Dothard, 5126 Master St.
Longshore Ave., n e cor. Vanduyke St., three-st'y
dwell.; owners, Keen & Frazer, Cramer Hill, N. J.
Hartville St., e s, n Cambria St., two-st'y dwell.;
contractor, Benj. Hetzel, Old Front St., s Tioga St.
Washington St., s w cor. Torrissdale Ave., 2 three-
st'y dwells.; owner, P. S. Costello, Tacony.
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and Master Sts.
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Carlisle St., w s, n Dauphin St., two-st'y dwell.;
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Jefferson St., n s, e Wood St., two-st'y dwell.;
contractor, Samuel S. Green, 352 Martin St.
Krail St., n s, e Queen Lane, 4 three-st'y dwells.;
owner, H. S. Becker, 3537 Fairview St.
Howard St., e s, n Berks St., 14 two-st'y dwells.;
contractor, Wm. Bartholomew, 143 West Norris St.
Hope St., w s, n Berks St., 17 two-st'y dwells.;
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Diamond St., s s, e Twenty-ninth St., three-st'y
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Allegheny Ave., s s, e Frankford Ave., two-st'y
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contractor, A. T. Wadsworth, 920 Somerset St.
Glenwood Ave., and *Ontario St.*, n s, 49 two-st'y
dwells.; owner, H. M. Zane, 806 Walnut St.
Garfield St., w s, n Germantown Ave., 2 two-st'y
dwells.; contractor, H. O. Smith, 1605 Erie Ave.
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dwells.; owner, Jos. Heaton, Marshall St., n Pike
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owner, R. Moffitt, 1926 East Second St.
Oxford St., No. 1400, four-st'y dwell.; contractor,
Jos. J. Gallahur, 2415 Ridge Ave.
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Mason.
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ine H. White; builder, A. A. White.
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Bogman St., two dwells.; cost, \$1,500 and \$3,000;
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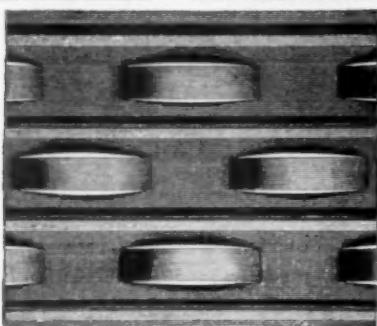
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Rush St., No. 32, frame dwell., 33' x 37'; owner,
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Tufts St., No. 46, frame dwell., 20' x 28'; owner
and builder, Augustus C. White.
Arthur St., three frame dwells., each 22' x 36';
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Elm St., cor. Hancock St., frame dwell., 22' x 29',
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Two-st'y frame dwell.; cost, \$7,000; owner, P. A. Wilcox; contractor, E. Marlatt.
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St. Vincent School, three-st'y school-house, 182-190 Osgood St.; cost, \$18,000.

Malden, Mass.—Franklin St., cor. Upham St., frame Primary school-house, 34' x 72', with projections, 10' x 34' on front and 20' x 30' on rear, four rooms; cost, abt. \$11,000; architect, Tristram Griffin, Boston; builder, W. B. Stinson.

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Boston, Mass.—Middleton Ave., No. 5, Ward 24, one-st'y frame stable, 15' x 18'; owner and builder, W. O'Brien, Jr.
Fuller St., No. 24, rear, Ward 24, one-st'y frame stable, 21' x 29'; owner and builder, J. Patterson.
Grainger St., near Elmore St., Ward 21, one-st'y frame stable, 20' x 25'; owner and builder, J. J. Johnston.
Maverick St., rear, near Cottage St., Ward 2, frame stable, 22'6" x 22'6"; owner and builder, James Gillespie.

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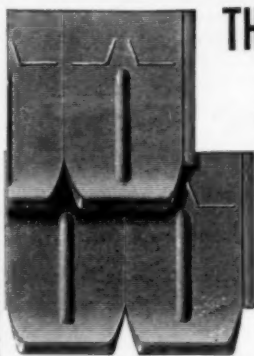
Brooklyn, N. Y.—Third Ave., n cor Fifty-first St., four-st'y frame store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$7,000; owner, John E. Seeba, 501 Fulton St.; architects, H. L. Spicer & Son, Third Ave. and Fifty-third St.
Hamburg Ave., s s, 100' e George St., three-st'y frame store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$4,200; owners, Joseph Brundenstein and wife, 18 Hamburg architect, E. Schrempf, 788 Myrtle Ave.
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Bedford Ave., n w cor Gates Ave., four-st'y brick store and dwell., tin roof; cost, \$14,000; owner, Daniel Winant, Bensonhurst, L. I.; architects, Amzi Hill & Son, 1161 Fulton St.

Bedford Ave., w s, 24' 10" n Gates Ave., 2 four-st'y brick stores and dwell., tin roofs; cost, \$18,000; owner, Daniel Winant, Bensonhurst, L. I.; architects, Amzi Hill & Son, 1161 Fulton St.

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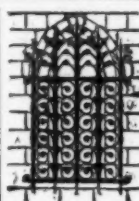
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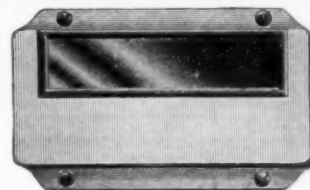
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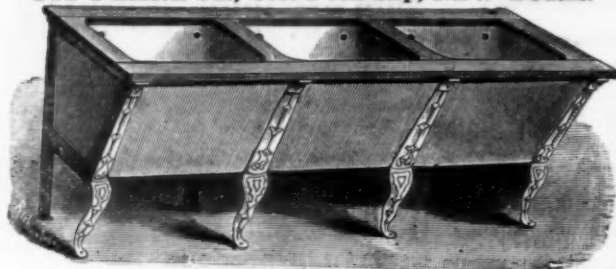
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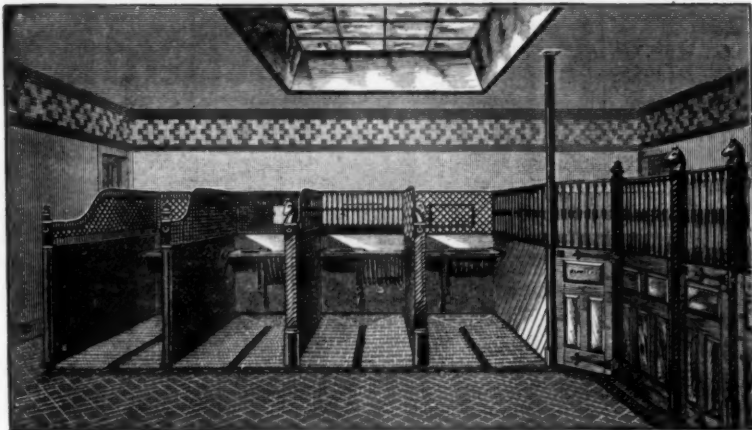
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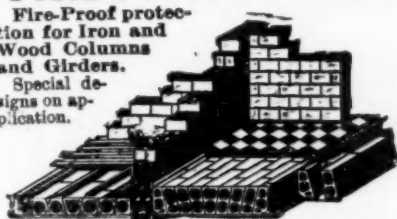
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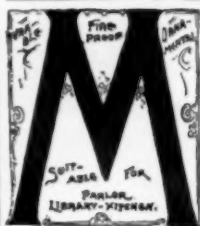


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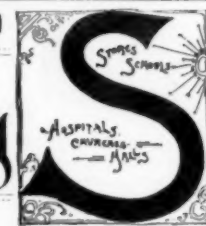


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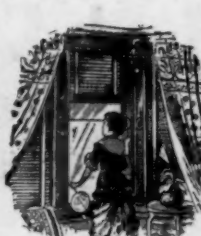
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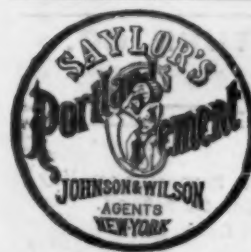
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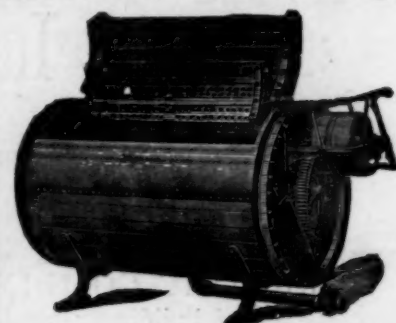
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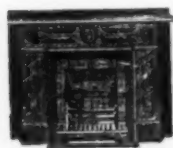
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Hemlock.....

Yellow pine.....

Cypress.....

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Pine.....

Spruce.....

Framing Timber:

Pine.....

Spruce.....

Hemlock.....

Yellow pine.....

Laths:

Pine.....

Spruce.....

Shingles:

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Pine, sawed.....

Spruce, sawed.....

Redwood.....

Cedar, split.....

Cedar, sawed.....

Cypress, split.....

Miscellaneous:

Pine.....

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Chestnut.....

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Ash.....

Cherry.....

Butternut.....

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" St. Domingo.....

Maple.....

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" white.....

" quartered.....

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Redwood.....

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Whitewood.....

Yellow pine.....

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Boston.

(Wholesale Prices.)

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42 00 @ 50 00

35 00 @ 40 00

13 00 @ 25 00

13 00 @ 15 00

28 00 @ 35 00

32 00 @ 40 00

40 00 @ 60 00

25 00 @ 45 00

15 50 @ 20 00

14 00 @ 16 00

24 00 @ 35 00

2 25 @ 2 35

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Chicago.

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30 00 @ 17 00

25 00 @ 28 00

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Not sold.

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2 10 @ 2 25

Not sold.

2 20 @ 3 00

Not sold.

6 00 @ 7 50

Not sold.

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Philadelphia.

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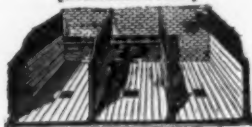
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	New York.	Boston.	Chicago.	Philadelphia.
	(Wholesale Prices.)	(Prices to Builders and Contractors.)		
BRICK.—P. M.				
Common: Cargo afloat.				
Pale.....	2 50 @ 3 25	Eastern } 9 00 @ 10 00	Building Brick @ 6 50	Sq. Hard @ 12
Jersey.....	4 00 @ 5 50	Hay State Hard 9 00 @ 10 00		" (4 9 00)
Long Island.....	5 50 @ 6 00	Domestic Com. 9 50 @ 10 00	Indiana Pressed 14 00 @ 20 00	Salmon " 6 50
Up River.....	5 00 @ 5 50	Domestic Face 20 00 @ 22 00	St. Louis Fronts 27 00	Sq. " @ 9 00
Haverstraw Bay and " 1st.....	5 75 @ 6 25	Philadelphia 40 00 @ 45 00		Light Stretchers @ 12 00
Hollow.....	@ 13 00	Phila. mould 50 00 @ 80 00		Medium " @ 14 00
Fronts				Red " @ 15 00
Croton, Brown.....	14 00 @ 15 00	Anderson 14 00 @ 32 00		Dark " @ 15 00
" dark.....	15 00 @ 16 00			Pressed @ 15 00
" red.....	15 00 @ 16 00			22 00 @ 26 00
Chicago pressed (Anderson).....	7 00 @ 41 00			Best Paving @ 16 00
Chicago Moulded.....	@ 22 00			Second " @ 14 00
Baltimore.....	@ 22 00			Third " @ 13 00
Philadelphia.....	@ 22 00			Dom. { @ 88
Trenton.....	@ 22 00			" { @ 88
Milwaukee.....	@ 22 00			
Moulded:				
Glens Falls Red Pressed.....	@ 37 00			
" " Buff.....	@ 30 00			
" " Moulded Red & Buff.....	45 00 @ 70 00			
Enamelled: Imp.				
Enamelled (edge).....	85 00 @ 100 00			
Enamelled (edge and end).....	90 00 @ 115 00			
CEMENT, LIME, etc.—(P. cast.)				
Rosendale Cement.....	90 @ 1 10	1 20 @ 1 40	Not sold.	1 30 @ 50
Louisville.....	Not sold.	Brooks, S. & Co 2 60 @ 3 00	1 05 @ 1 30	H. & S. E. 275 @ 300
Utica, Akron, Buffalo, Milwaukee.....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 60 @ 3 00	1 00 @ 1 25	2 85 @ 3 25
Portland, English (Gibbs).....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 60 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 25	2 85 @ 3 15
" " (K. B. & S.).....	2 25 @ 2 50	2 60 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 3 00
" " Black Cross.....	2 50 @ 2 80	2 60 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 85 @ 3 15
" " (Burham).....	2 65 @ 3 00	2 60 @ 3 00	2 90 @ 3 15	2 75 @ 2 85
" " (White's).....	3 00 @ 3 75	2 60 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	
" French (Lafarge).....	2 90 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50	3 75 @ 4 25	Hemmoor 2 50 @ 2 75
" German (Alsen).....	2 25 @ 2 40	3 15 @ 3 35	3 20 @ 3 40	Josson 2 50 @ 2 75
" " (Fowler).....	2 50 @ 2 90			2 75 @ 2 85
" " (Vorwöhler).....	@ 3 00	2 55 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 00	
" " (Lagerdofer).....	2 90 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50	3 25 @ 3 50	
" " (Dyckerhoff).....	2 50 @ 3 00			
" " (Hanover).....	2 35 @ 2 85			
" " Stettin, (Anchor).....	2 15 @ 2 45	2 15 @ 2 50	2 75 @ 3 00	
" American (Saylor's).....	2 75 @ 3 00		2 75 @ 3 25	
Roman.....	5 75 @ 6 50		6 00 @ 7 00	
Keene's coarse.....	9 25 @ 10 25		9 @ 10 50	
" superfine.....				
Lime:				
Lime of Teal.....	3 50 @ 4 00			
Hydraulic Lime.....	@ 1 45	@ 1 35	Not sold.	White Lime 25 @ 30 @ bush
Chicago Lime in bulk.....		St. John 1 00	55 @ 60	White Mass 1 25 @ 1 50
Wisconsin.....	@ 1 00	@ 1 05	Not sold.	1 00 @ 1 00
Rockland and Rockport, (Com.).....	@ 1 20	@ 1 10	Not sold.	
Rockland and Rockport, finish.....	@ 1 20	@ 1 20	1 00 bulk, 75c.	
Kelley Island Lime, finish.....	@ 85		Not sold.	
State, comm. cargo rates (nom.).....	@ 1 10		Not sold.	
State, finishing.....	1 30 @ 1 25	1 85 @ 2 00	1 85 @ 1 90	Not sold.
Plaster of Paris (calcined).....	1 30 @ 1 35	@ 2 25	1 85 @ 1 90	1 50 @ 2 25
" (casting).....	12 @ 15	35 @ 30	30 @ 25	1 75 @ 2 50
Hair (Cattle) & bush.....	22 @ 25	@ 30	30 @ 35	30 @ 35
" (Goat).....	1 00 @ 1 25	1 75 @ 1 90	@ 60	30 @ 35
Sand, & load.....				@ 1 00
STONE. (P. cubic foot, rough.)				
Granite: (Maine).....	45 @ 1 25	@ 80		55 @ 60
Limestone:	@ 1 00	95 @ 1 00	50 @ 55	75 @ 90
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Colorful..... & lb.	2 1/2			
Red..... & lb.	3			
White..... & bbl.	1 75			
Foundation:				
Dimension.....	50	500	20	500
Block.....	50	400	125	250
Rubble.....	50	125	150	50
Bluestone: (per sq. ft.)				
Sidewalk.....	30	40	1 75	1 10
Planed.....	50	60	75	50
Sandstone:				
Longmeadow.....	80	80	90	95
Kibbe.....	90	90	110	105
Brown (Connecticut).....	1 00	1 25	1 45	1 50
Amherst.....	90	90	100	105
Berea { Ohio.....	75	85	90	95
Berlin.....	75	85	90	95
Bellville.....	80	125	1 35	1 25
New Brunswick (Dorchester).....	1 00	75	90	1 10
Caen.....	1 05	1 05	2 00	1 25
Carlisle, English.....	1 05	1 05	1 05	95
Corse Hill (Scotch).....	1 05			
Marble (per cu. ft.)				
Leo, Mass.....	1 75	2 50	Not sold.	2 00
Rutland, white and blue.....	1 25	3 00	3 50	2 00
Sutherland Falls.....	1 75	2 00	350	1 70
Glens Falls, black.....			Not sold.	4 00
Italian, blue-veined.....			4 40	2 50
" Sienna.....			Not sold.	4 00
Tennessee, red.....			4 40	4 00
" Knoxville.....			4 40	3 00
Pennsylvania, blue.....			Not sold.	2 00
Vermont, white.....			3 50	2 25
Slate: Roofing (per square).....	5 00	4 75	5 25	2 30
" green.....	5 00	5 50	6 50	3 25
" unfading.....	5 00	5 50	6 50	3 25
" purple.....	5 00	5 50	6 50	3 25
" red.....	4 25	10 00	11 00	7 50
" black, Lehigh.....	4 25	4 75	12 00	7 50
" " Chapmans.....	5 50	8 00	6 25	3 25
" Unfading Black, Monson, Me.		5 50	8 00	4 00
Tiles, Am.....			Not sold.	5 50
N. Peach Bottom, warranted unfading				6 00
PAINTS. (In oil, per lb.)				
White lead, Am.....	7 00	7 1	6 1	7
" Zinc.....	5 00	5 1	4 1	5
Red lead, Am.....	6 00	6 1	5 1	6
" Venetian.....	6 00	6 1	5 1	6
Vermilion.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Red Indian, Eng.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Yellow Ochre.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
" Chrome.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Green (chrome).....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Green, Paris.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Black, lamp.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Sine, ultramarine.....	12 00	12 00	12 00	12 00
Oil, linseed, (raw).....	50	50	50	50
" " boiled.....	62	62	62	62
Turpentine.....	41	41	41	41
Varnish, coach.....	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
Shellac.....	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
Putty.....	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
Whiting.....	75	75	75	75
Paris white, (Eng.).....	130	130	130	130
Litharge, Am.....	14	14	14	14
Sienna (burnt).....	14	14	14	14
Umber.....	14	14	14	14
HARDWARE.				
Nails: (Per Cask.) Spikes, (wrought.)	2 85	2 20	2 75	2 25
10d. common.....	2 85	2 20	2 75	2 25
Shingle.....	3 35	2 30	3 65	2 60
Lath.....	4 85	3 5	4 85	3 60
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Japaned.....	1 50	1 90	2 00	2 75
Acorn, Japaned.....	65	50	Not sold.	48
Ball Tip, Boston Finish..... (pair).....	1 90	1 65	2 00	1 25
Bronze metal.....	10	10	12	100
Brass (for cupboards).....				35
Ebony.....				37
Apple wood.....				1 00
Knobs: (per Set.)				
Mineral, best.....	8	8	10	8
Lava.....	50	75	65	25
Hemacite.....	Not sold	17	31	25
Porcelain.....	30	50	25	50
Glass, solid.....	Not sold	85	1 00	1 00
Glass, silvered.....	Not sold	50	3 00	1 75
Bronze metal.....	75	50	3 00	60
Brass.....	100	50	3 00	75
Solder:				
Sheet Lead.....				134
Lead Pipe.....				6
Iron:				
I-Beams, up to and including 30 ft.....	3 3-10	3 1-10	3 20	2 8-10
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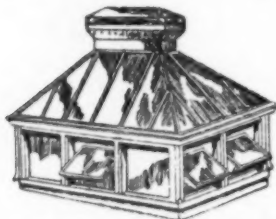


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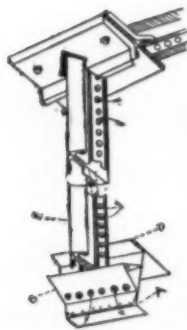
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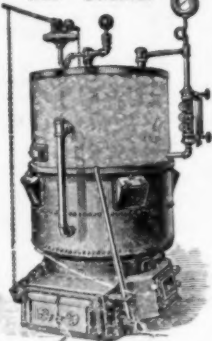
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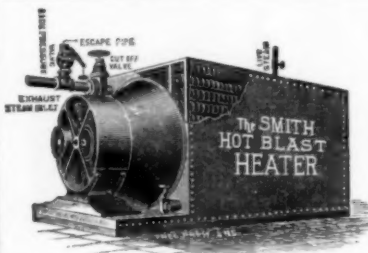
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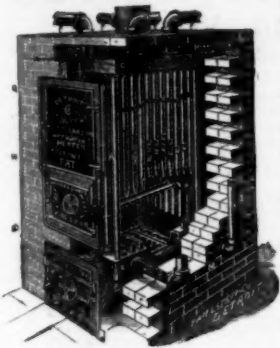
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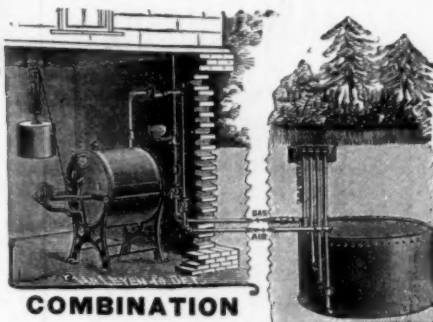
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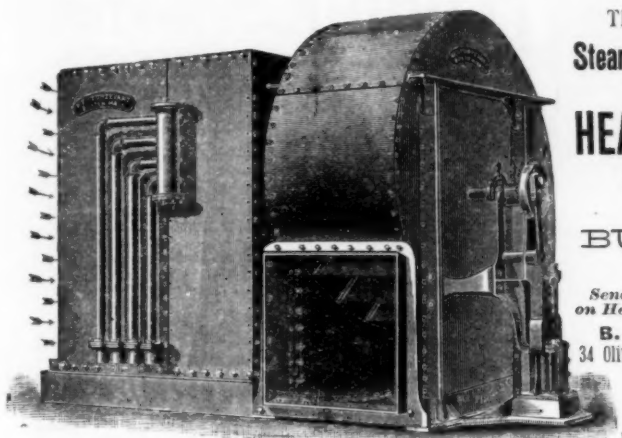
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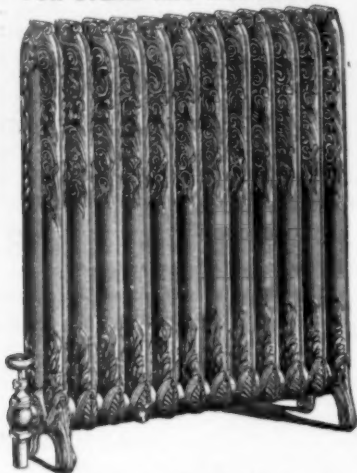
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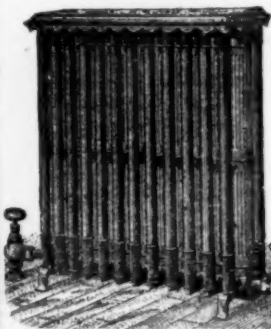
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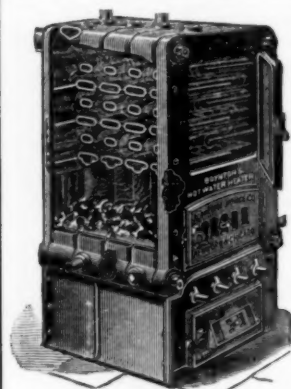
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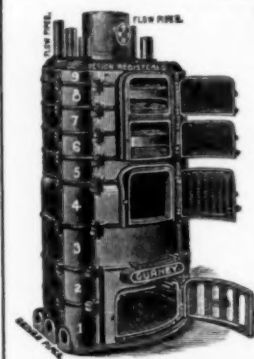
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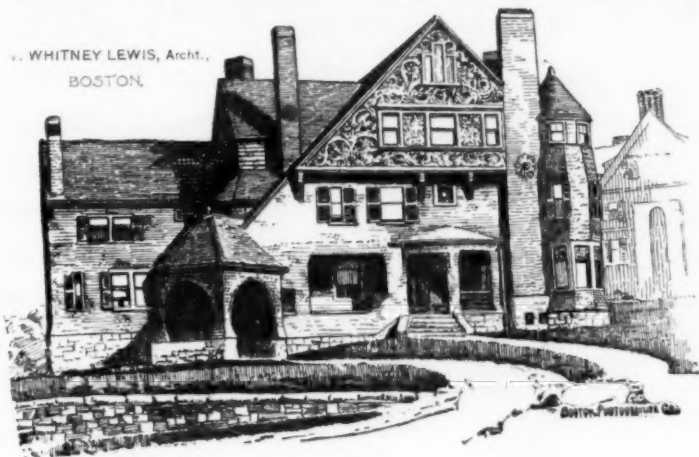
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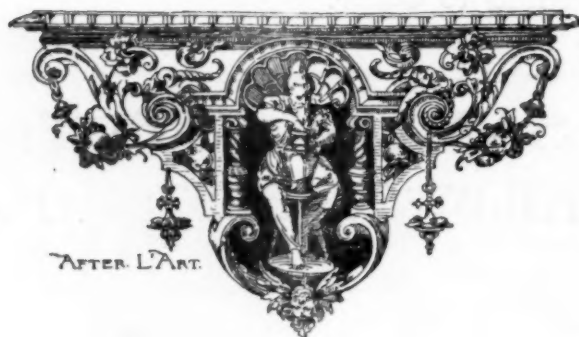
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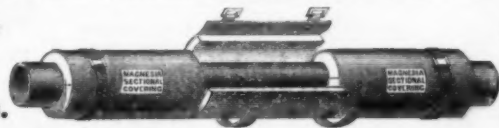
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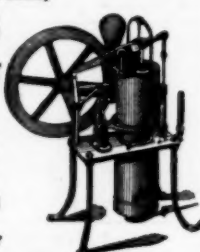
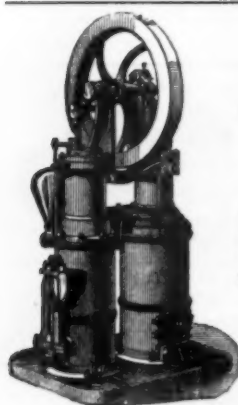
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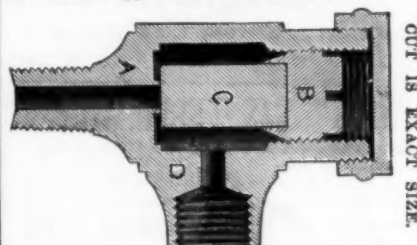
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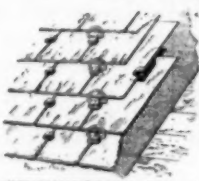
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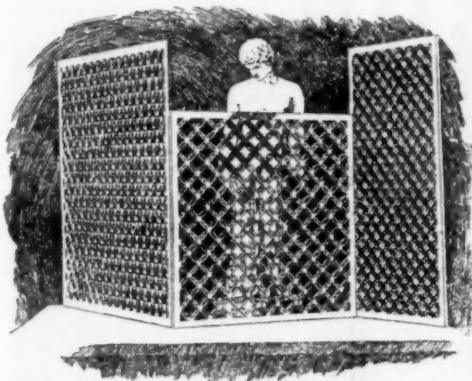
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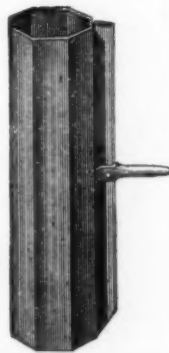
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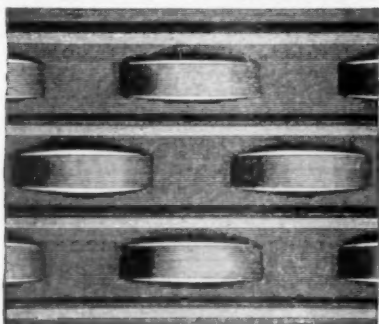


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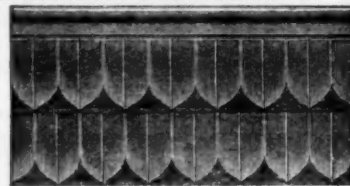
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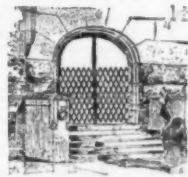
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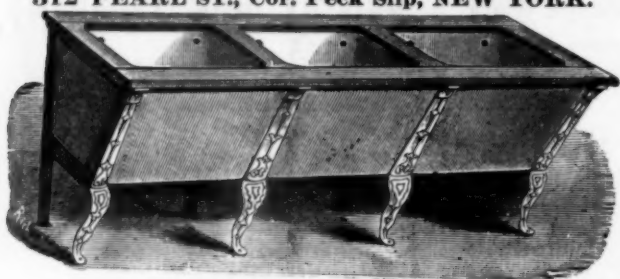
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each, will be built; Jno. V. Bishop has the contract.**Chicago, Ill.**—St. Mary's Mission, three-st'y train-
ing-school, 211-213 Washington Boulevard; cost,
\$12,000.**STABLES.****Brookline, Mass.**—Park St., frame stable, 25' x 46';
owner, J. W. Vose; contract to let; architect, O.
F. Smith, Boston.**Beaconsfield Terraces, brick stable, 60' x 100';**
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Ave.; cost, \$1,000.**W. S. Goudy, three-st'y barn, 46-48 Astor St.;**
cost, \$5,000.**Steele & Wedeles Company, three-st'y barn, 306-**
308 Twenty-sixth St.; cost, \$15,000.**D. S. Fogg, two-st'y barn, 5855 Wabash Ave.;**
cost, \$1,000.**BUILDING INTELLIGENCE.****STORES.****Boston, Mass.**—Tremont St., No. 147, cor. West St.,
Ward 10, six-st'y brick and stone store, flat roof,
29.3' x 93.9'; owners, Shreve, Crump & Low; build-
ers, Whidden & Co.**Tremont St., No. 172, and Mason St., Ward 10, six-**
st'y brick and stone store and offices, flat roof, 30' x
83.6'; owners, S. C. Inches and J. C. Bryant, trust-
ees; builder, Ira G. Hersey.**Chicago, Ill.**—Ed. W. Lee, three-st'y store and flats,
535 West Van Buren St.; cost, \$5,500.**Joseph Nasik, three-st'y store and flats, 569 West**
Nineteenth St.; cost, \$6,000.**William Stark, four-st'y store and flats, 108 Wells**
St.; cost, \$7,500.**Julius Krasniska, two-st'y store and flats, 47**
North Wood St.; cost, \$3,500.**F. J. Dewes, 4 four-st'y stores and flats, 748-756**
West Chicago Ave.; cost, \$35,000.**Pat. O. Connell, four-st'y store and flats, 156 Cent-**
re St.; cost, \$10,000.**Richard Healy, two-st'y store and flats, 3464 Hal-**
sted St.; cost, \$7,000.**St. Louis, Mo.**—Two-st'y brick store and dwell.;
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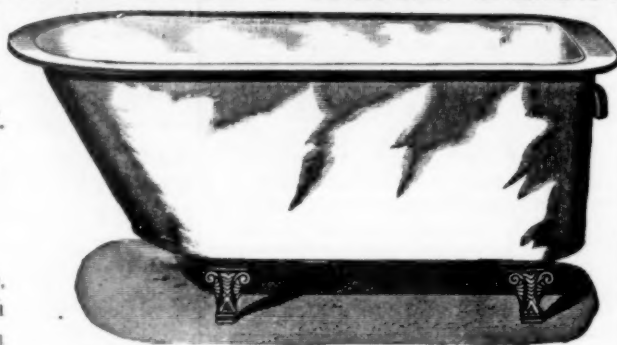
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Sealed proposals, in triplicate, subject to the usual conditions, will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 1st day of September, 1890, for the erection of one brick cavalry barracks as per plans and specifications to be seen at this office.

Inclose proposals in envelope marked "Proposals for Erection of Barrack" and addressed to the undersigned.

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COURT-HOUSE.

[At Morgantown, W. Va.]

Sealed proposals will be received by the Commissioners appointed for the purpose by the County Court of Monongalia County, West Virginia, at the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court, in Morgantown, in said county, until 12 o'clock, noon, on Monday, September 1, 1890, for the labor and material and the construction and completion of a Court-house at Morgantown, West Virginia, in accordance with the drawings and specifications furnished by John C. Fulton, architect, copies of which may be seen at this office.

PROPOSALS.

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1. All bids must be made upon the printed forms to be obtained from this office, in a sealed envelope directed to the undersigned, and marked "Proposals for Court-house at Morgantown, W. Va."

2. As an evidence of good faith, every proposal shall be accompanied by cash or certified check to the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300), made payable to the County Court of Monongalia County, in case the successful bidder shall fail, for ten days after an award, to execute the required contract and bond for the faithful performance of the terms of the contract. The checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them immediately after the contract is awarded or all bids rejected.

3. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

4. Bidders are requested to be present at the opening of proposals.

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COURT-HOUSE.

[At Tacoma, Wash.]

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the undersigned until 12 o'clock, noon, on the 28th day of August, 1890, for the several works required in the erection and completion of a stone and brick Court-house for Pierce County, State of Washington, to be built in the city of Tacoma.

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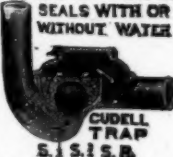
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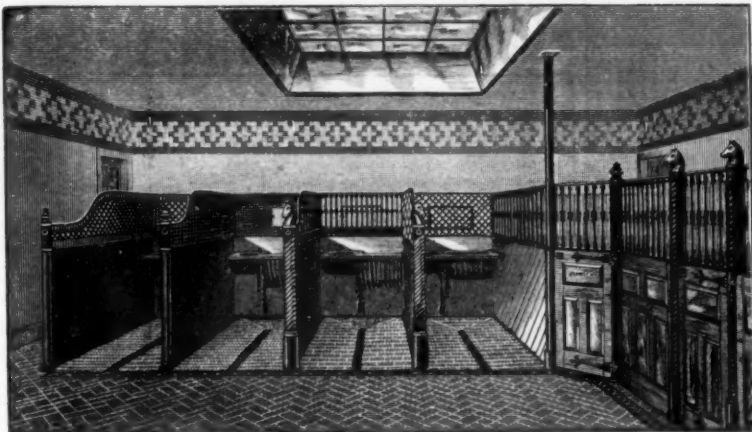
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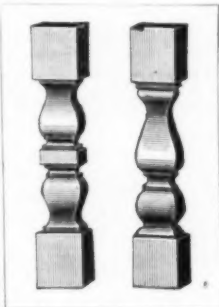
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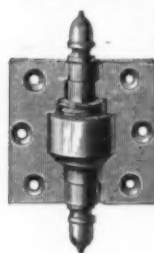
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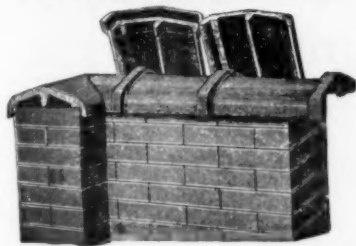
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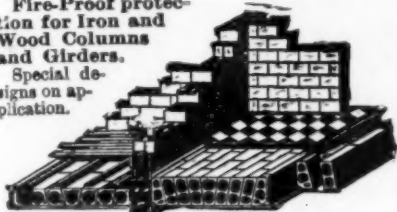
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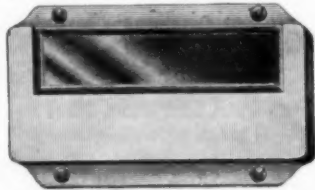
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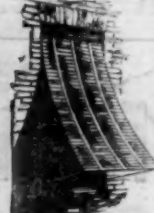
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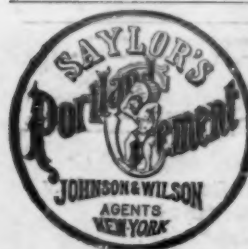
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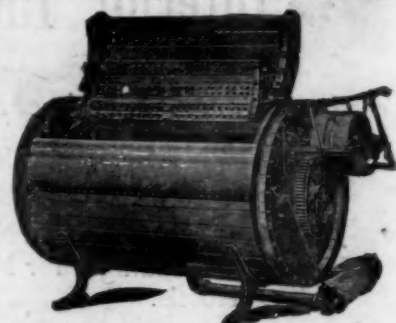
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Spruce.....	12 00 @ 16 00	14 00 @ 16 00	Not sold.	16 00 @ 18 00
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Pine.....		2 25 @ 2 35	2 10 @ 2 25	2 75 @ 3 00
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Spruce, sawed..... "	1 50 @ 2 00	1 50 @ 4 00	Not sold.	
Redwood..... P. M.	1 40 @ 1 60	3 75 @ 4 00	6 00 @ 7 50	30" 35 @ 40
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Cedar, sawed..... "		2 00 @ 4 00	2 00 @ 2 35	20" 35 @ 14
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Rosewood..... P. M.	@ 6	32 00 @ 35 00		
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" " Stettin (Anchor).....	2 15 @ 2 45			
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Roman.....	5 75 @ 6 50			
Keene's coarse.....	9 25 @ 10 25			
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Lime:				
Lime of Tell.....	3 50 @ 4 00			
Hydraulic Lime.....	@ 1 45			
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Rockland and Rockport, (Com.).....	@ 1 20			
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State, com. cargo rates (nom.).....	@ 1 10			
State, finishing.....	1 20 @ 1 25			
Plaster of Paris (calcined).....	1 30 @ 1 35			
" (casting).....	12 @ 15			
Hair (Cattle) P. bush.....	22 @ 25			
" (Goat).....	1 00 @ 1 25			
Sand, P. load.....				
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Granite: (Maine)				
Limestone:				
Bedford.....	45 @ 1 25			
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Phila. mould				
50 00 @ 80 00				
Anderson				
14 00 @ 32 00				
Building Brick				
@ 6 50				
Indiana Pressed				
14 00 @ 20 00				
St. Louis Fronts				
@ 27 00				
Sq. Hard @ 12				
" (4) 9 01				
Salmon " 6 50				
Sq. " 9 00				
Light Stretchers				
@ 12 00				
Medium " @ 14 00				
Red " @ 15 00				
Dark " @ 15 00				
Pressed " @ 15 00				
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Second " @ 14 00				
Third " @ 13 00				
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1 30 @ 50				
B. & S. E. 275 @ 300				
2 85 @ 3 25				
2 85 @ 3 15				
2 75 @ 3 00				
2 85 @ 3 15				
2 75 @ 2 85				
Hemmoor				
2 50 @ 2 75				
2 75 @ 2 85				
Johnson				
2 50 @ 2 75				
3 00 @ 3 25				
2 75 @ 2 85				
Not Sold.				
2 75 @ 3 00				
2 75 @ 3 25				
6 00 @ 7 00				
9 @ 10 50				
White Lime				
25 @ 30 P. bush				
White Mash				
1 25 @ 1 50				
1 00 @ 1 00				
Not sold.				
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Planed.....	50 6 00	75	50 1 00	37 50	
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Longmeadow.....	80	80 90		95 1 16	
Kibbe.....	90	90 1 10		1 05 1 35	
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Amherst.....	90 95	90 1 00	45 50		
Berea.....	75 1 00	85 90	55 65		
Berlin.....	75 1 00	80 90	55 65		
Bellville.....	80 1 25	1 25 1 35	1 25	1 10 1	
New Brunswick (Dorchester).....	1 00	75 90		1 00 1	
Canon.....		2 00		1 25 1	
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Sienna.....			Not sold.	4 00 6 00	
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Knoxville.....			Not sold.	2 00 3 00	
Pennsylvania, blue.....			3 50 6 00	2 25 3 00	
Vermont, white.....					
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unfading.....	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 25 3 75	
purple.....	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 50 4 50	
red.....	10 00	10 00 11 00	12 00 14 00	7 50 10 25	
black, Lohigh.....	4 25 4 75		6 25 8 55	3 25 4 00	
Chapmans.....	5 50 8 00	5 50 8 0	7 30 8 00	4 00 4 65	
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Red lead, Am.....	6 7	6 7	64 7	2 7	
Venolian.....	6 10 1/2	7 12	14 2 1/2	dry Eng. 6 68	
Vermilion.....	65 70	72 75 dry	65 68	dry Am. 6 7	
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Yellow Ochre.....	6 15	7 12	3 15	14 12	
Chrome.....	12 20	18 25	15 25	20 25	
Green (chrome).....	8 13	8 20	8 20	12 12	
Green, Paris.....	25 40	25 40	18 35	12 12	
Black, lamp.....	15 25	15 25	8 30	12 12	
Blue, ultramarine.....	12 14	14 30	12 35	20 20	
Oil, linseed, (raw).....	50 62	50 60	57 60	58 58	
boiled.....	62 65	62 63	57 63	61 61	
Tarpetine.....	41 45	150 47	51 51	50 50	
Varnish, coach.....		1 50 6 00	1 25 2 00	3 00 3 00	
Shellac.....		2 50 8 00	2 25 4 00	2 75 2 75	
Fatty.....	2 4	2 4	62 02	2 2	
Whiting.....	75 1 00	1 14	1 14	1 1	
Paris white, (Eng.).....	1 30 2 00	2 3	1 1/2 2	14 14	
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Ball Tip, Boston Finish..... (7 pair).....	65	50	Not sold.	1 00 2 50	
Bronze metal.....	1 90	plain 1 85	2 00 3 25	1 75 2 00	
Brass (10" supboards).....	10	10	1 00 3 00	50 3 50	
Ebony.....			13 16	134 16	
Apple wood.....			7 7	6 6	
Knobs: (7 Set.)					
Mineral, best.....	8	8	8 10	Not sold.	
Lava.....	50	75	65 80	25 50	
Hemacite.....	Not sold	17 35	31 40	25 25	
Porcelain.....	30	10	25 30	1 00 2 50	
Glass, solid.....	Not sold	88 1 00	Not sold.	1 75 2 00	
Glass, silvered.....	Not sold	50 3 00	50 3 00	50 3 50	
Bronze metal.....	75 2 00	50 3 00	1 00 3 00	75 1 25	
Brass.....	1 00 2 50	50 3 00	13 16	134 16	
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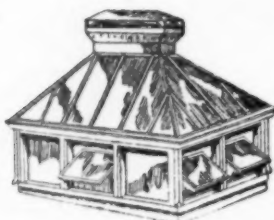


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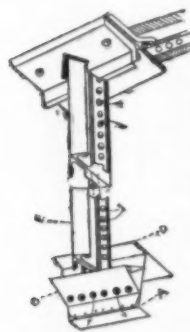
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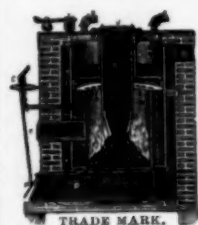
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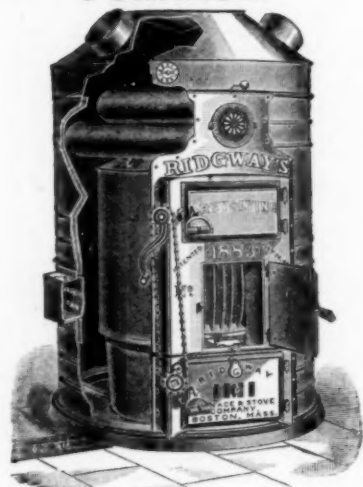
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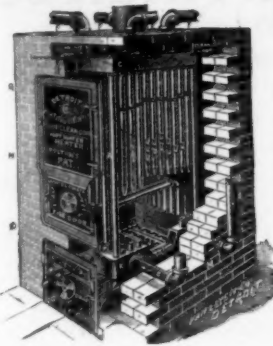
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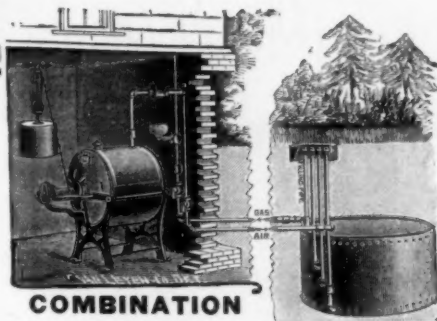
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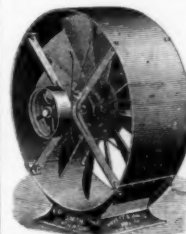
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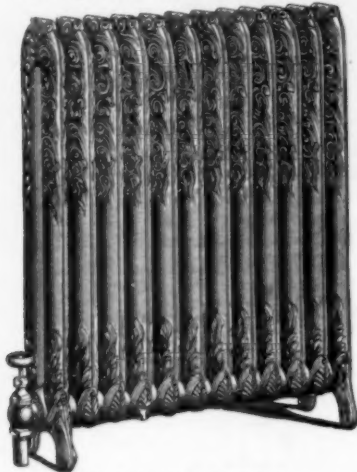
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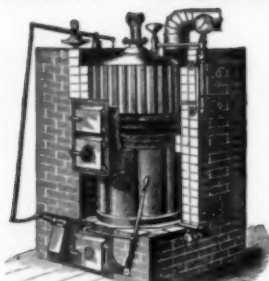


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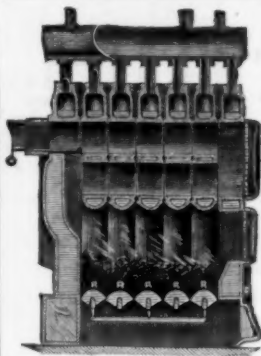
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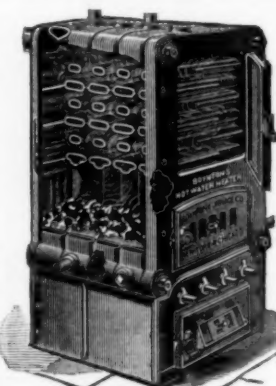
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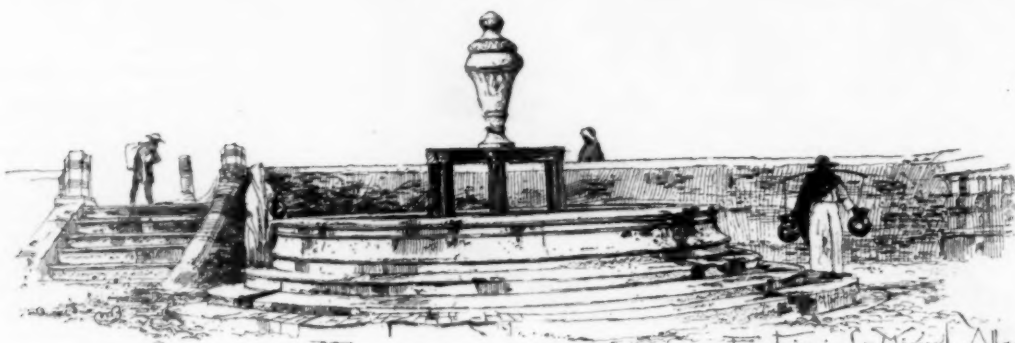
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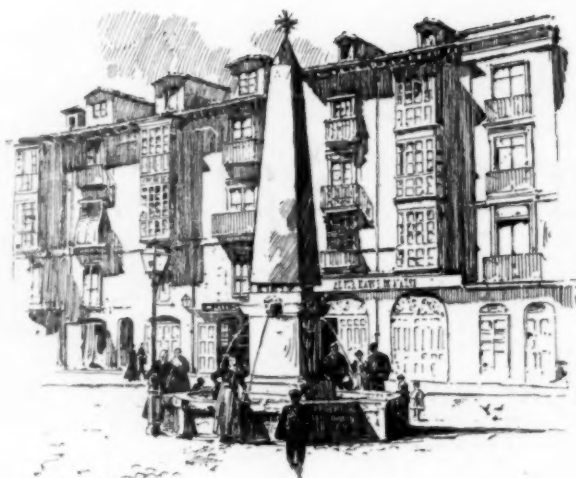
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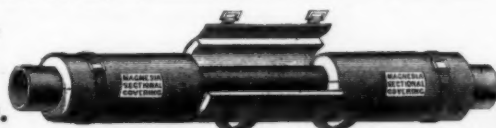
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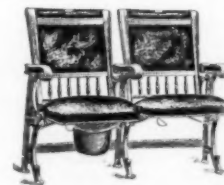
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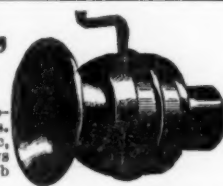
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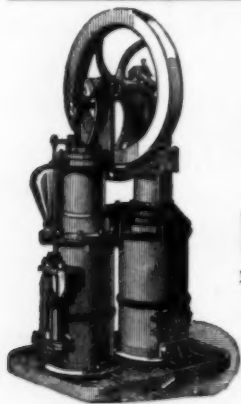
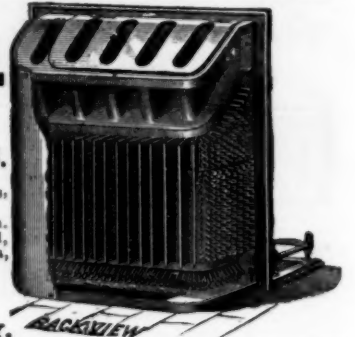
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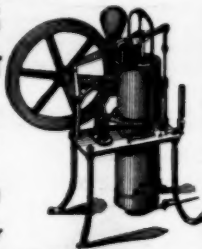
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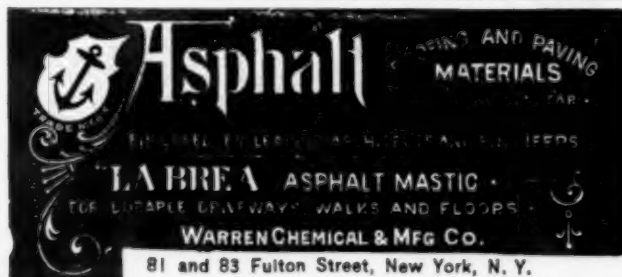
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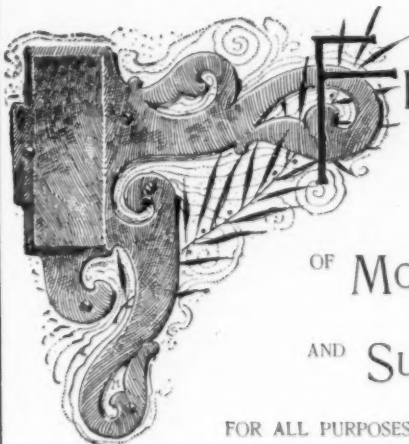
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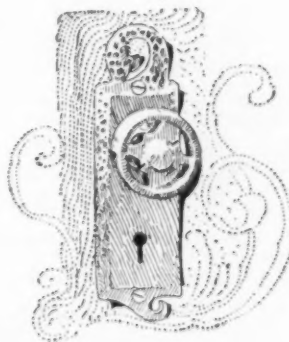
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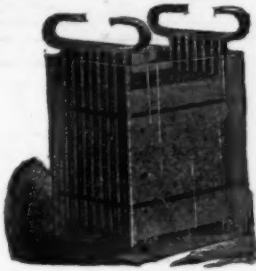
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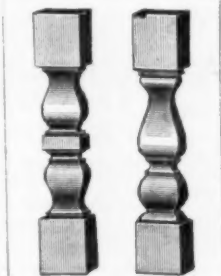
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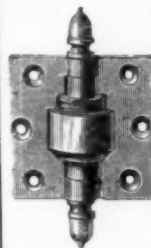
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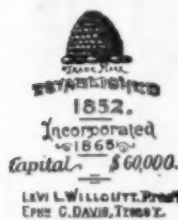
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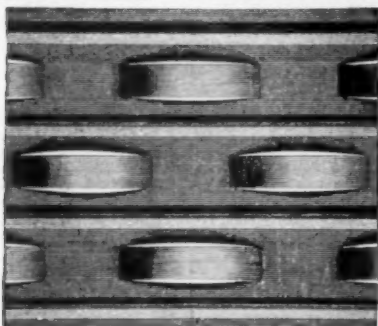
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Henry Ingham, frame dwell., 3032 Park Ave.;
cost, \$5,000.

Salt Lake City, Utah. — West Temple and Fourth
South Sts., 4 two-st'y brick and stone dwells.; cost,
\$18,000; owners, Walker Bros.; architects, Carrol
& Kern.

Liberty Park, two-st'y frame dwell.; cost, \$5,000;
owner, Jas. Eager; architect, W. E. Ware.
Thirteenth St., two-st'y brick and frame dwell.;
cost, \$6,000; owner, Jas. Millsbaugh; architect, W.
E. Ware.

Somerville, Mass. — Lee St., frame dwell., 25' x 36';
owner, Annie L. Fletcher; builder, Wm. K. Flet-
cher.
Unnamed St., off Meacham St., frame dwell., 23' x
30'; owner, Henry R. Glover; builder, Geo. Chaplin.
Meacham St., double frame dwell., 34' x 48';
owner, Henry R. Glover; builder, Geo. Chaplin.

Meacham St., two frame dwells., each 23' x 30';
owner, Henry R. Glover; builder, Geo. Chaplin.
Concord Ave., near Cook St., frame dwell., 25' x
48', also stable, 21' x 24'; owner, John Mac; builder,
Wm. E. Jones.

Richardson St., frame dwell., 22' x 26'; owner,
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Chicago, Ill. — Barnum & Richardson, two-st'y office,
64 Jefferson St.; cost, \$3,000.
The "Fair," sixteen stories, offices and stores, 184-
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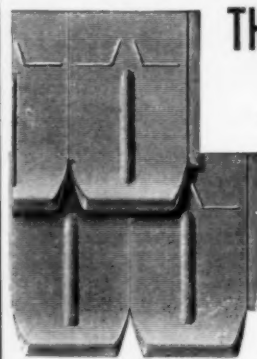
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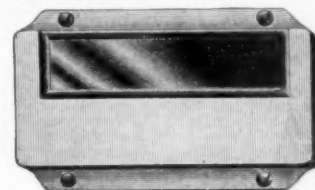
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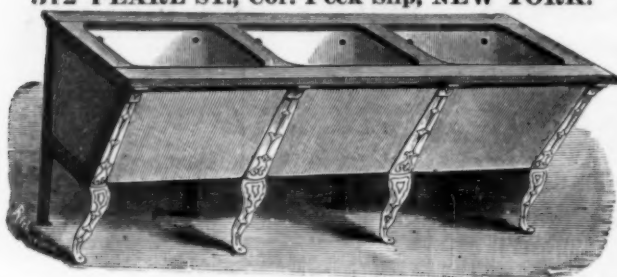
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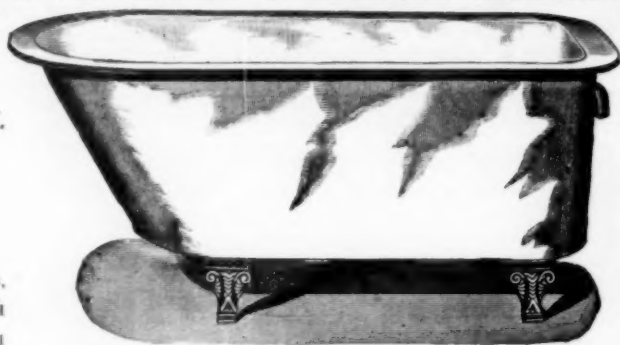
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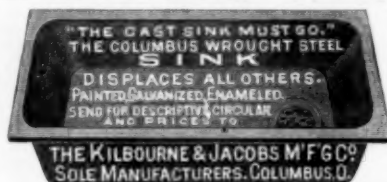
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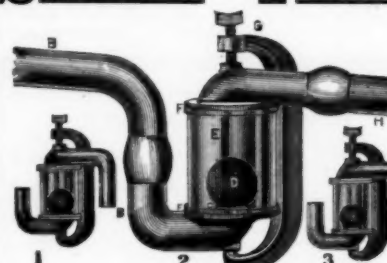
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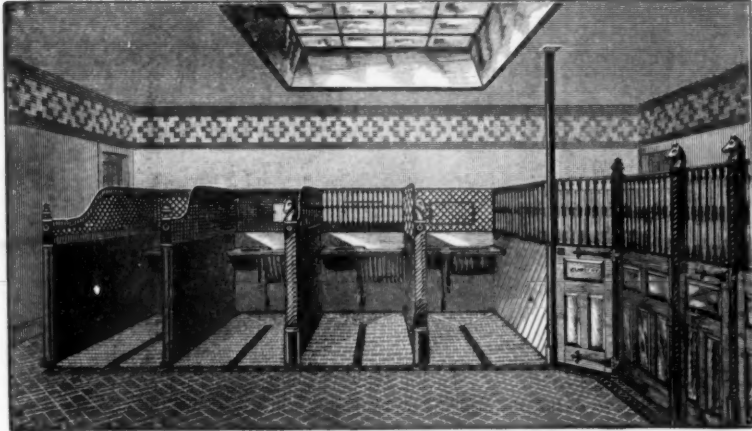
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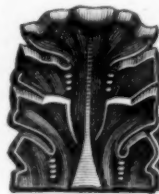
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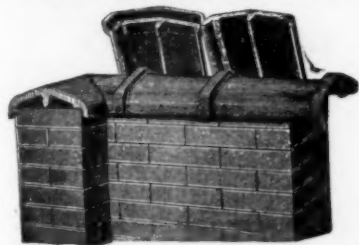
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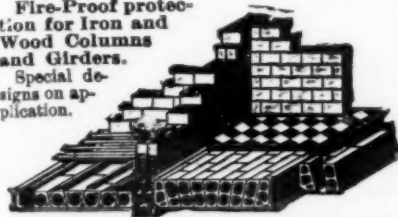
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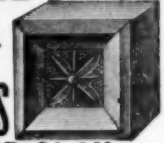
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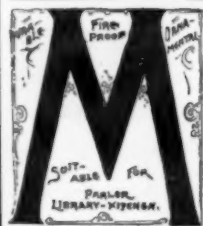
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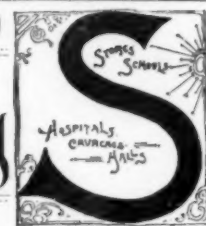
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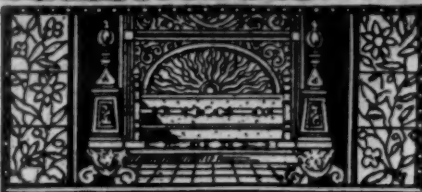
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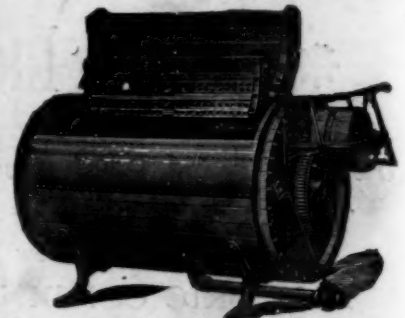


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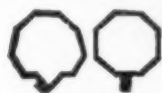
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Hemlock..... 12 00 @ 16 00
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Spruce..... 2 10 @ 2 20

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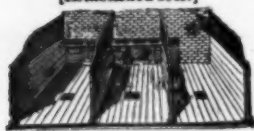
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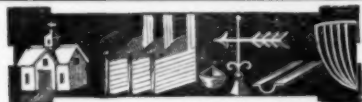
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	(Wholesale Prices.)	(Prices to Builders and Contractors.)		
BRICK.—P. M.				
Common: Cargo float.				
Pale.....	2 50 @ 3 25	Eastern.....	Building Brick.....	Sq. Hard @ 12.....
Jersey.....	4 00 @ 5 50	9 00 @ 10 00 }	@ 6 50 }	" @ 9 00 }
Long Island.....	5 50 @ 6 00	Day State Hard.....		Salm. @ 6 50
Up River.....	4 50 @ 5 50	9 00 @ 10 00 }		Sq. " @ 9 00
Haverstraw Bay 2nd.....	5 00 @ 5 50	Domestic Com.....	Indiana Pressed.....	Light Stretchers.....
" 1st.....	5 75 @ 6 25	9 50 @ 10 00 }	14 00 @ 20 00 }	@ 12 00
Hollow.....	@ 13 00	Domestic Face.....	St. Louis Fronts.....	Medium ".....
Fronts.....		20 00 @ 22 00 }	@ 27 00 }	Red ".....
Croton, Brown.....	14 00 @ 15 00	Philadelphia.....		@ 14 60
" dark.....	15 00 @ 16 00	40 00 @ 45 00 }		Dark ".....
" red.....	15 00 @ 16 00	Phila. mould.....		@ 15 00
Chicago pressed (Anderson).....		50 00 @ 50 00 }		Pressed.....
Chicago moulded.....				22 00 @ 26 00
Baltimore.....	7 00 @ 41 00	Anderson.....		Best Paving.....
Philadelphia.....	@ 22 00	14 00 @ 32 00		@ 16 00
Trenton.....	@ 22 00			Second ".....
Milwaukee.....				@ 14 00
Moulded:				Tatrd ".....
Glens Falls Red Pressed.....	@ 37 00			@ 13 00
" " Buff.....	@ 30 00			
" " Moulded Red & Buff.....	45 00 @ 70 00			
Enamelled: Imp.....	85 00 @ 100 00			
Enamelled (edge).....	90 00 @ 115 00			
Enamelled (edge and end).....				
CEMENT, LIME, etc.—(P. M.)				
Rosendale Cement.....	90 @ 1 00			
Louisville.....	Not sold.			
Utica, Akron, Buffalo, Milwaukee.....	2 50 @ 3 00	1 20 @ 1 40		
Portland, English (Gibbs).....	2 50 @ 3 00	Brooks, S. & Co.....	Not Sold.	
" " (K. B. & S.).....	2 25 @ 2 50	2 00 @ 3 00	1 05 @ 1 30	1 30 @ 50
" " (Burham).....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 50 @ 3 00	1 00 @ 1 25	B & S. E. 275 @ 300
" " (White's).....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 50 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 25	2 85 @ 3 25
" " French (Lafarge).....	3 00 @ 3 75	2 50 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 85 @ 3 15
" " German (Alsen).....	2 90 @ 3 25	2 50 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 3 00
" " (Fewer).....	2 25 @ 2 40	3 15 @ 3 35	2 90 @ 3 15	2 85 @ 3 15
" " (Vorwöhler).....	2 50 @ 2 90		3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 2 85
" " (Lagerdofor).....	2 50 @ 3 00		3 75 @ 4 25	
" " (Dyckerhoff).....	2 90 @ 3 25		3 20 @ 3 40	Hemmoor.....
" " (Hanover).....	2 75 @ 3 00			2 50 @ 2 75
" " Stettin (Anehor).....	2 85 @ 2 85			2 75 @ 2 85
" " American (Saylor's).....	2 15 @ 2 45			
Roman.....	2 75 @ 3 00			
Keene's coarse.....	5 75 @ 6 50			
" superfine.....	9 25 @ 10 25			
Lime				
Hydraulic Lime.....	3 50 @ 4 00			
Chicago Lime in bulk.....	@ 1 45			
Wisconsin.....	@ 1 00			
Rockland and Rockport, (Com.).....	@ 1 20			
Rockland and Rockport, finish.....	@ 1 20			
Kelley Island Lime, finish.....	@ 1 20			
State, com. cargo rates (nom.).....	@ 85			
State, finishing.....	@ 1 10			
Plaster of Paris (calcined).....	1 30 @ 1 25			
" (casting).....	1 30 @ 1 35			
Hair (Oatle) & bush.....	12 @ 15			
" (Giant).....	22 @ 25			
Sand, & load.....	1 00 @ 1 25			
STONE. (P. cubic foot, rough.)				
Granite: (Maine).....				
Limestone:				
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Dimension.		5 00 \$ ton	30	5 00
Block.		4 60 \$ perch		1 45 2 50
Rubble.		1 25 1 50	8 50	
Bluestone: (\$ sq. ft.)				
Sidewalk.	30 50	40 1 75	75 1 00	1 in. th. 10 25
Planed.	50 6 00	75	50 1 00	37 50
Sandstone.				
Longmeadow.	80	80 90		95 1 16
Kibbe.	90	90 1 10		1 05 1 35
Brown (Connecticut).	1 00	1 25 1 45	1 50 \$ cub. ft.	
Amherst.	90 95	90 1 00	45 50	
Berea.	75 1 00	85 90	45 55	55 1 00
Berlin.	75 1 00	80 90	55 55	
Belleville.	80 1 25	1 25 1 35	1 25	1 10 1
New Brunswick (Dorchester).	1 00	75 90		1 00 1
Ozen.	1 05	75 2 00		1 25 1
Carlisle, English.	1 05	1 05		95 1
Corse Hill (Scotch).				
Marble (\$ cu. ft.)				
Leo, Mass.	1 75	2 50	Not sold.	2 00 2 50
Rutland, white and blue.		2 00	3 50 6 00	2 00 3 00
Sutherland Falls.	1 25 1 75		250 6 00	1 70 3 00
Glens Falls, black.			Not sold.	4 00 4 50
Italian, blue-veined.			Not sold.	2 50 2 75
" Sienna.			Not sold.	4 00 5 00
Tennessee, red.			4 40	3 00 4 00
" Knoxville.			4 40	2 00 3 00
Pennsylvania, blue.			Not sold.	2 25 3 00
Vermont, white.			3 50 6 00	2 25 3 00
Slate: Roofing (\$ square).				
" green.	5 00 6 00	4 75 5 25	5 50 6 10	2 30 3 00
" unfading.	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 25 3 75
" purple.	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 50 4 50
" red.	4 25 4 75	10 00 11 00	12 00 14 00	7 50 10 25
" black, Lehigh.			6 25 8 85	3 25 4 00
" "Chapmans."			7 30 8 00	4 00 4 65
" Unfading Black, Monson, Me.	5 50 8 00	5 50 8 0	6 00 9 00	5 50 8 00
Tiles, Am.			Not sold.	6 00 6 75
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PAINTS. (In oil, \$ lb.)				
White lead, Am.	7 7 1/2	7 1/2	6 1/2 7	7
" Zinc.	5 5 1/2	5 1/2	7 10 1/2	7
Red lead, Am.	6 6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2 7	6 1/2
" Venetian.	6 6 1/2	7 12	12 20	6 1/2
" Vermilion.	65 70	72 75 dry	65 65	65
Red Indian, Eng.	12 20	12 20	12 20	12
Yellow Ochre.	6 15	7 12	8 15	12
" Chrome.	12 20	8 20	8 20	12
Green (chrome).	8 13	25 40	18 35	20
Green, Paris.	25 40	15 25	8 30	12
Black, lamp.	15 25	15 30	12 35	20
Blue, ultramarine.	12 18	15 30	57 60	58
Oil, linseed, (raw)	59 62	59 60	60 63	61
" "boiled"	62 65	63 63	61 61	50
Tarpetine.	41 42	45	51 51	50
Varnish, coach.		1 50 6 00	1 25 2 00	3 00
Shellac.		2 50 3 00	2 25 4 00	2 75
Putty.	2	2 50 4	62 62	2
Whiting.	75 1 00	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	1
Paris white, (Eng.)	1 30 2 00	2 3 1/2	1 1/2 2	1 1/2
Litharge, Am.	14 20	14 20	4 16	14
Sienna (burnt).	14 20	14 20	2 10	12
Umber.				
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Nails: (Per Cask.) Spikes, (wrought.)	2 85	2 20	2 75 3 00	pr kg 2 25
10d. common.	2 65	2 30	2 25	2 30
Shingle.	3 35	2 30	2 75	2 60
Lath.	4 85	3 5	3 65	3 60 4 75
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Japaned.	1 50	1 75	Not sold.	1 35 2 00
Acorn, Japaned.	1 50	1 90	2 00 3 75	1 85 2 75
Ball Tip, Boston Finish (\$ pair).	65	50	Not sold.	48 50
Bronze metal.	1 90	1 65	2 00 3 25	1 25
Brass (for supboards).	10	10	12	1 00
Ebony.				35
Apple wood.				37 1 00
Knobs: (per Set.)				
Mineral, best.	8	8	8 10	8
Lava.	50	75	65 80	Not sold.
Hemacite.	Not sold	17 33	31 40	25 50
Porcelain.	30	10	25 30	25
Glass, solid.	Not sold	50	Not sold.	1 00 2 50
Glass, silvered.	Not sold	88 1 00	1 50	1 75 2 00
Bronze metal.	75 2 00	50 3 00	50 3 00	50 3 50
Brass.	1 00 2 50	50 3 00	1 00 3 00	75 1 25
Solder:				
Sheet Lead.		7 1/2	7	13 16
Lead Pipe.		7	6 1/2	6 6
Iron:				
I-Beams, up to and including 30 ft.	3 3-10 3 1/2	3 1-10	3 20	2 8-10
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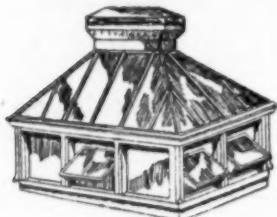
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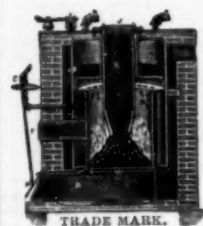
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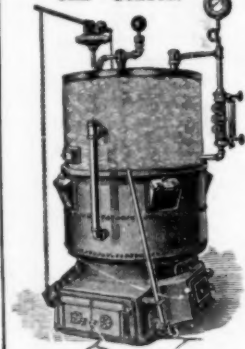
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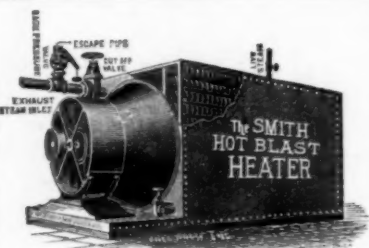
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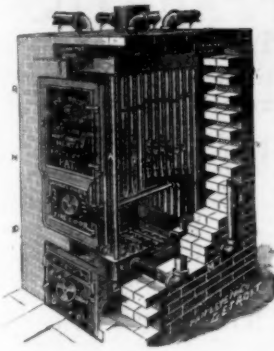
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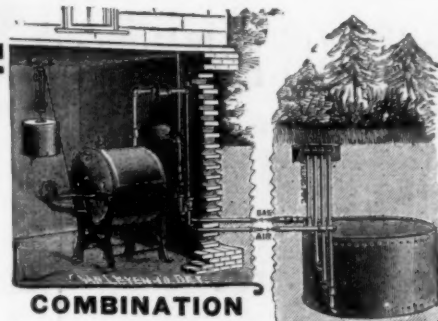
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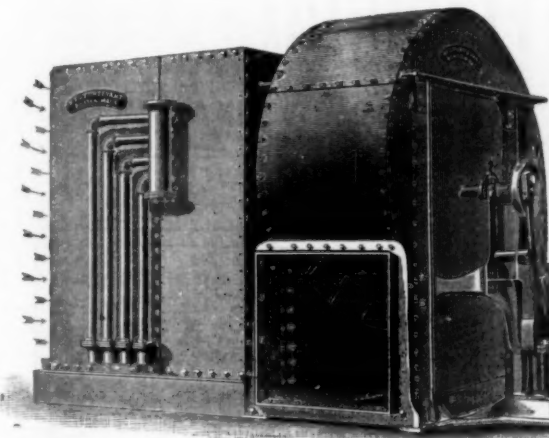


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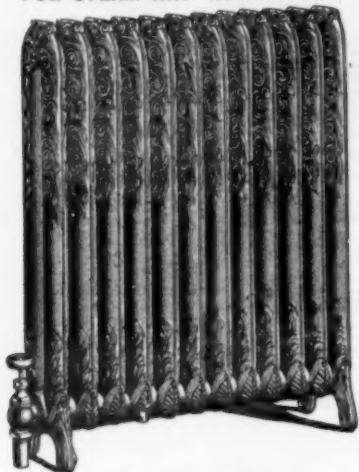
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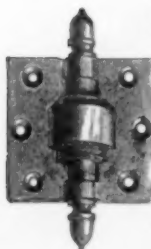
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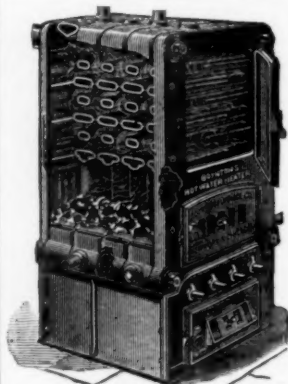
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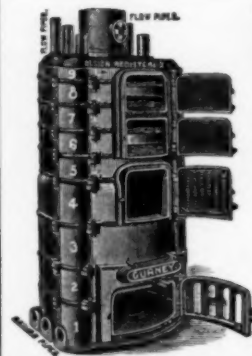
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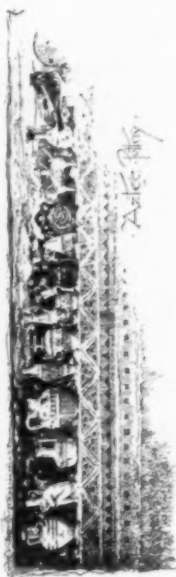
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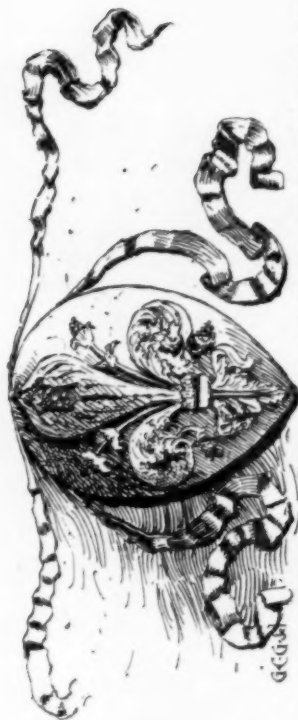
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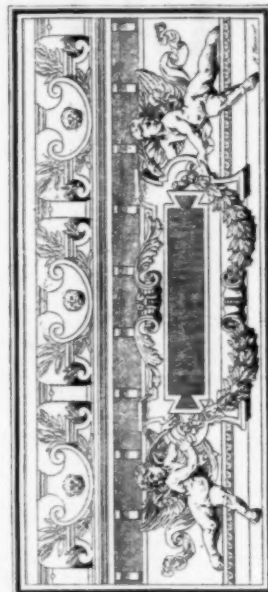
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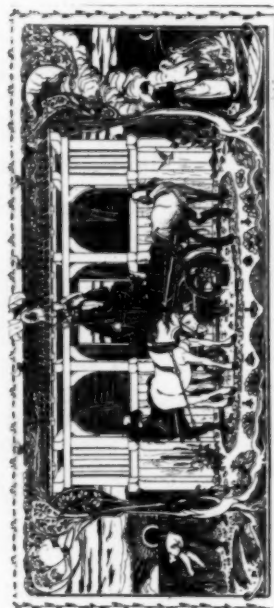
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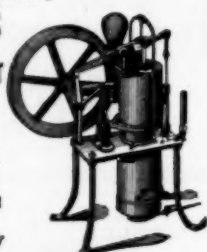
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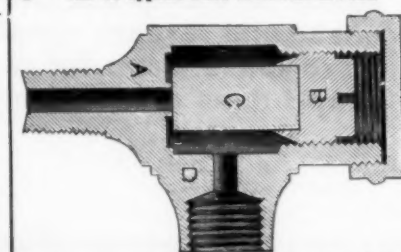
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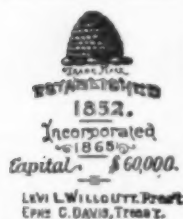
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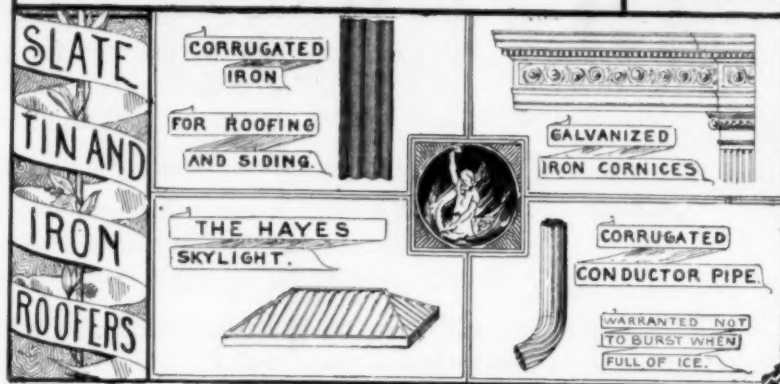
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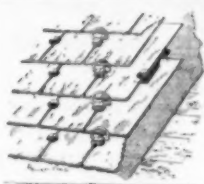
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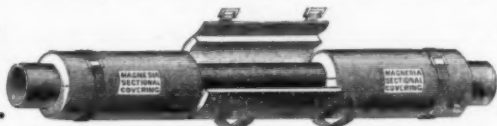
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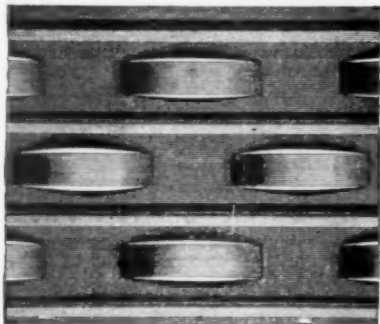
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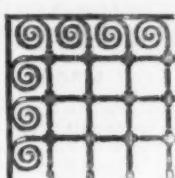
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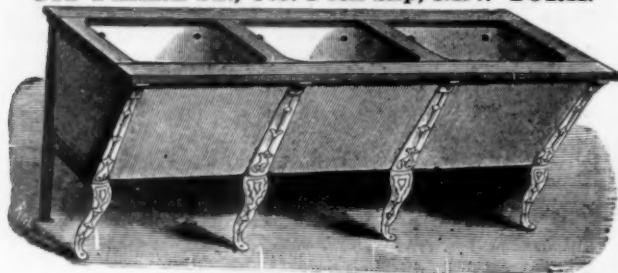
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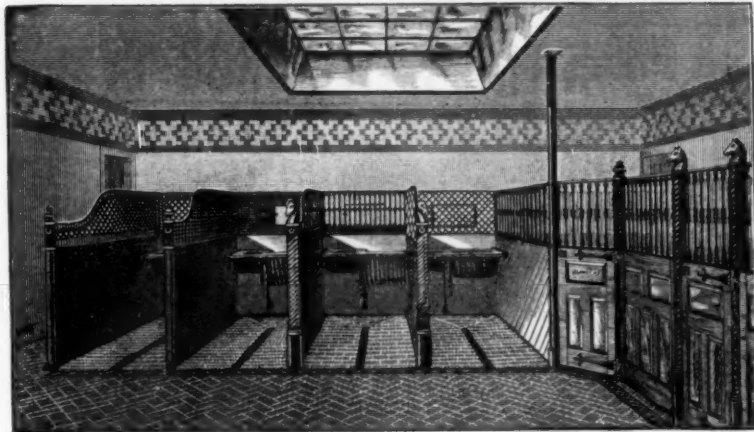
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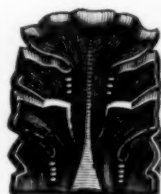
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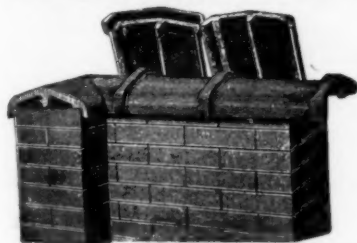
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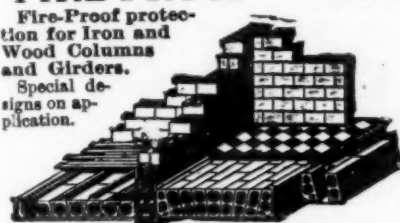
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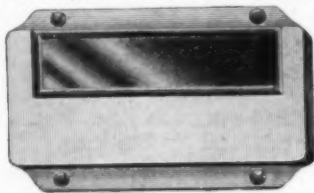
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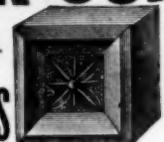
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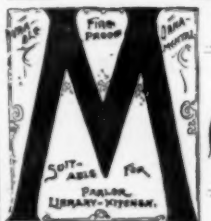
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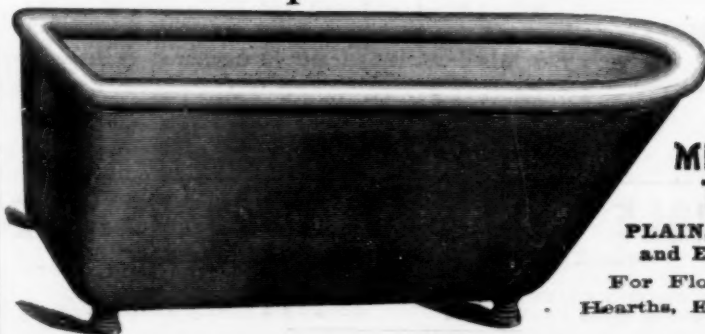
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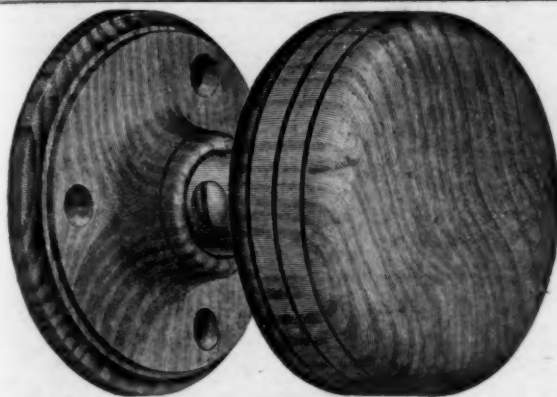
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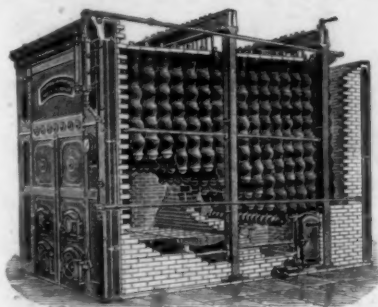
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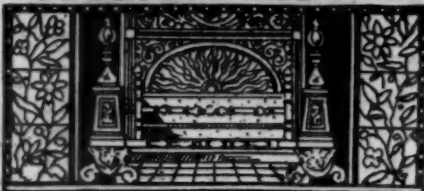
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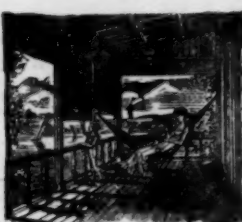
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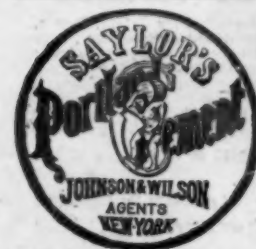
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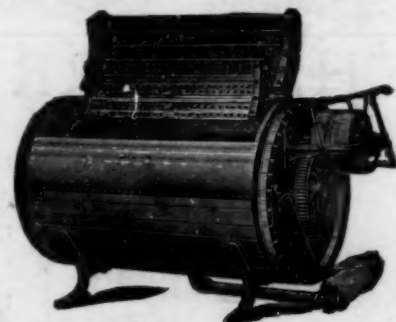
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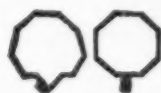
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13 00 @ 15 00	13 00 @ 15 00	12 00 @ 12 00	11 25 @ 13 50
28 00 @ 38 00	28 00 @ 38 00	29 00 @ 37 00	14 00 @ 29 00
32 00 @ 40 00	32 00 @ 40 00	10 00 @ 22 00	14 00 @ 25 00
40 00 @ 60 00	25 00 @ 45 00	Not sold.	Not sold.
14 00 @ 18 00	15 50 @ 20 00	12 00 @ 15 30	25 00 @ 37 30
12 00 @ 16 00	14 00 @ 16 00	Not sold.	16 00 @ 18 00
18 00 @ 21 00	24 00 @ 35 00	10 00 @ 13 00	13 00 @ 17 00
2 20 @ 2 25	2 25 @ 2 35	2 10 @ 2 25	2 75 @ 3 00
2 20 @ 2 25	2 25 @ 2 50	Not sold.	2 30 @ 3 00
5 00 @ 6 00	4 00 @ 4 50	Not sold.	Not sold.
4 00 @ 5 00	1 50 @ 2 00	2 20 @ 3 00	30 00 @ 40 00
1 50 @ 2 00	3 75 @ 4 00	Not sold.	24 00 @ 21 00
1 40 @ 1 60	3 00 @ 4 00	6 00 @ 7 50	30 00 @ 35 00
1 40 @ 1 60	3 00 @ 4 00	Not sold.	11 00 @ 14 00
18 00 @ 20 00	5 00 @ 6 00	2 00 @ 2 35	
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8 00 @ 10 00	25 00 @ 50	Not sold.	
25 00 @ 50	25 00 @ 50	Not sold.	
45 00 @ 60 00	45 00 @ 60 00	20 00 @ 40 00	30 00 @ 40 00
80 00 @ 120 00	55 00 @ 120 00	80 00 @ 100 00	80 00 @ 100 00
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180 00 @ 180 00	150 00 @ 180 00	150 00 @ 200 00	150 00 @ 250 00
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45 00 @ 50 00	45 00 @ 50 00	18 00 @ 35 00	25 00 @ 55 00
45 00 @ 70 00	45 00 @ 50 00	32 00 @ 40 00	45 00 @ 55 00
45 00 @ 70 00	45 00 @ 55 00	22 00 @ 40 00	45 00 @ 55 00
45 00 @ 90 00	45 00 @ 80 00	45 00 @ 50 00	60 00 @ 75 00
65 00 @ 70 00	50 00 @ 65 00	35 00 @ 50 00	57 00 @ 65 00
60 00 @ 70 00	50 00 @ 75 00	35 00 @ 50 00	60 00 @ 75 00
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Dimension		5 00 p ton	20	5 00
Block		4 60 p perch		Conshocken
Rubble		1 25 1 00	8 50	1 45 2 50
Bluestone: (p sq. ft.)				
Sidewalk	30 50 5 00	40 1 75	75 1 00	1 in. th. 10 25
Planned	50 6 00	75	50 1 00	37 50
Sandstone:				
Longmeadow	80 90	80 90		
Kibbe	90 110	90 110		
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green	5 00 6 00	4 75 5 25	5 50 6 10	2 30 3 00
" unfading	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 25 3 75
purple	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 50 4 50
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" Vermilion	65 70	72 75 dry	65 68	6 1/2
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Yellow Ochre	6 15	7 12	3 15	6 1/2
" Chrome	12 20	18 25	15 25	6 1/2
Green (chrome)	8 13	8 20	8 20	6 1/2
Green, Paris	25 40	25 40	18 30	6 1/2
Black, lamp	15 25	15 25	8 30	6 1/2
Blue, ultramarine	12 18	18 30	12 35	6 1/2
Oil, linseed, (raw)	59 62	59 60	57 60	6 1/2
" boiled	62 65	62 65	59 63	6 1/2
Turpentine	41 42	44	51 61	6 1/2
Varnish, coach		1 50 6 00	1 25 2 00	6 1/2
Shellac		2 50 3 00	2 25 4 00	6 1/2
Putty	2 4	2 4	02 04	6 1/2
Whiting	75 1 00	1 1 1/2	1 1 1/2	6 1/2
Paris white, (Eng.)	1 30 2 00	2 3	1 1/2 2	6 1/2
Litharge, Am.	54 6	14 20	6 1/2 7	6 1/2
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Brass (for supboards)	10	10	12	50 3 50
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Knobs: (p Set.)				
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Bronze metal	100 2 50	50 3 00	13 16	6 6 1/2
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Lead Pipe				
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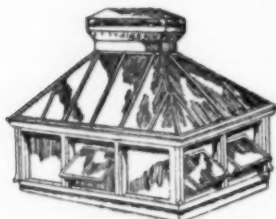
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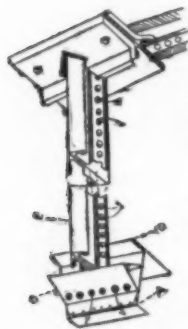
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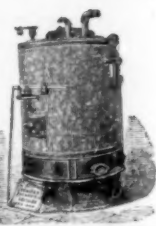
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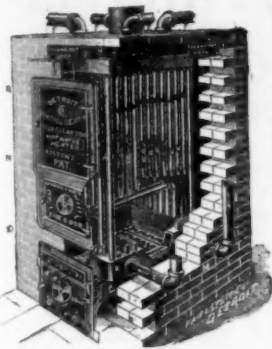
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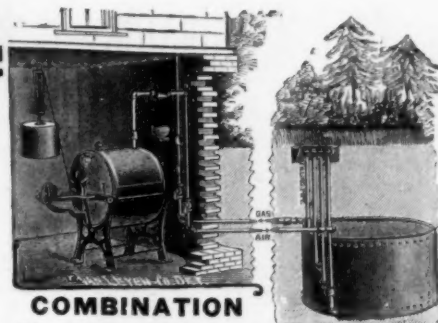


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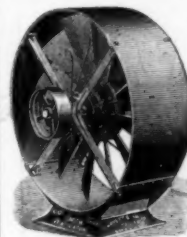
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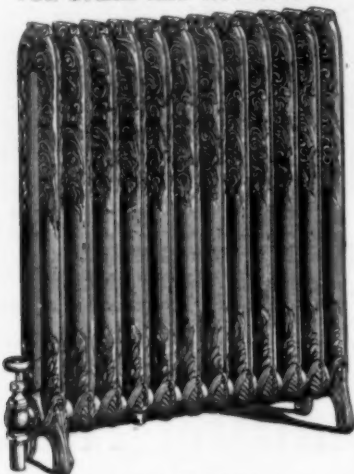
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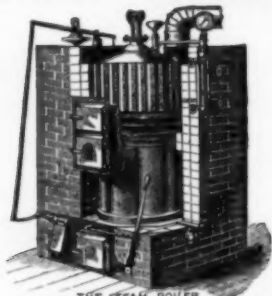
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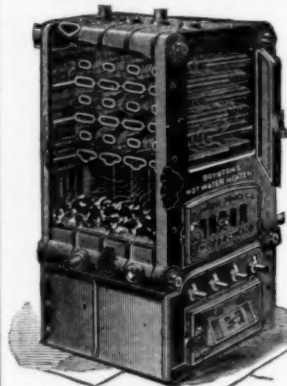
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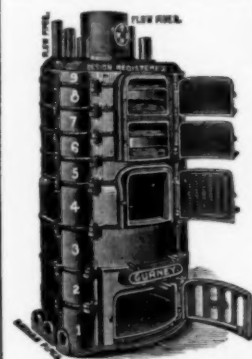
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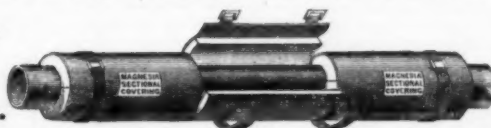
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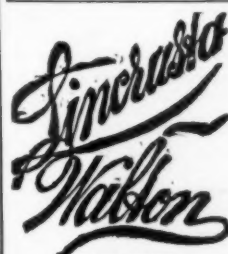
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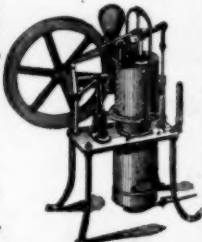
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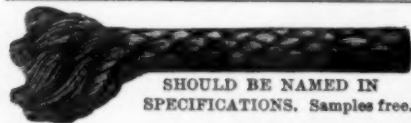
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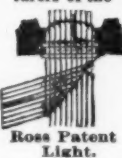


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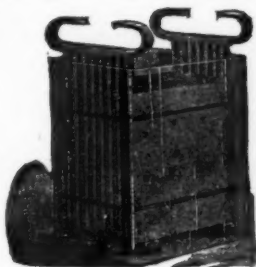
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Marcy Ave., n w cor. Grand St., three-st'y brick store and factory, tin roof, raised one story and internal alterations made; cost, \$5,500; owner, Lewis Bellmar, 295 Grand St.; architects, Helneke & Co., 77 Rodney St.

Bedford Ave., s w cor. Hancock St., 2 four-st'y brick stores and dwells., tin roofs, four-st'y brick extension, tin roof, added and internal alterations made; cost, \$13,500; owner, M. Moller; architect, W. H. Gaylor, 110 South Eighth St.

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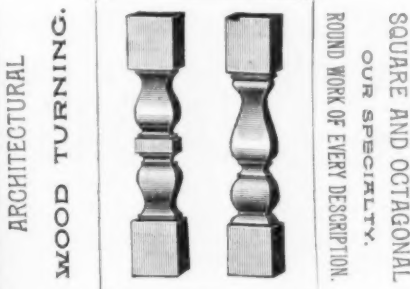
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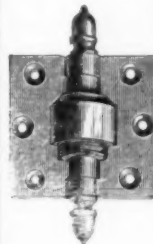
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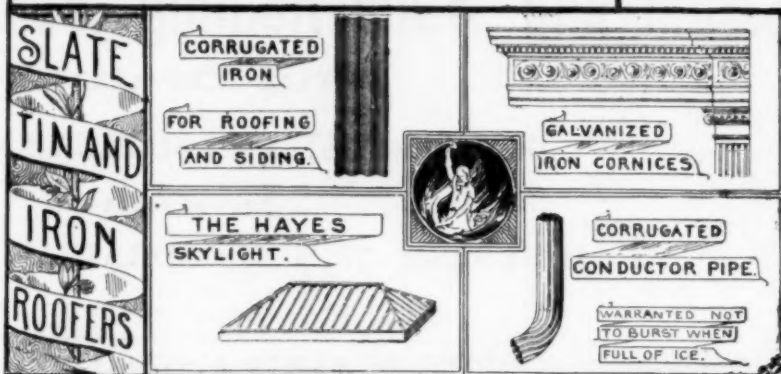
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CHURCHES.

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St. Louis, Mo.—One-st'y brick church; cost, \$15,000; owner, Salem Ref. Church; contractors, E. Wind & Co.
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New York, N. Y.—South Fifth Ave., No. 57, seven-st'y brick factory, tin roof; cost, \$25,000; owner, Sarah K. Pupin, 68 West Seventy-second St.; architect, Alex I. Finkle, s w cor. Broadway and Spring St.

HOTELS.

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Natural Bridge, Va.—The building of a hotel, to cost \$250,000, is contemplated by the Natural Bridge Park Association.

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Allegheny City, Pa.—Western Ave., stone dwell., 33' x 72'; owner, R. H. Boggs; builder, H. O. Schenck; architects, Longfellow, Alden & Harlow, Boston.
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Allegheny Ave., sandstone dwell., 56' x 88'; cost, abt. \$30,000; owner, H. W. Oliver; builder, Mr. Bruggerman; architects, Shepley, Rutan & Coolidge, Boston.
Baltimore, Md.—Richard Drechsel, three-st'y brick building, s s Smith St., bet. Argyle Ave. and Shield's Alley.
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Crawford St., near Harold St., Ward 21, frame dwell., 28.10' x 50'; owner, R. D. Hall; builder, John H. Proctor.
Carolina Ave., near South St., Ward 23, frame dwell., 24' x 42'; owner, Bernard Mullen; builder, J. F. Sullivan.
Beacon St., near Mountford St., Ward 22, 3 three-st'y brick and stone dwell., 22.37' x 47'; owners, George Wheatland, Jr., and W. D. Vinal; builder, W. D. Vinal.
Round Hill St., Nos. 33-56, Ward 22, 14 frame dwell., about 24' x 30'; owner, Workingmen's Building Association; builder, George W. Pope.
Cheney St., near Hartwell St., three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof, 22.6' x 64.6'; owner, S. L. Ward; builder, W. T. Eaton.
Chestnut Hill Ave., near June Winship St., Ward 25, frame dwell., 36.2' x 43.8'; owner and builder, E. F. Baxter.
Beacon St., near Commercial St., Ward 24, three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof, 28' x 35'; owner, M. J. Denby; builder, M. J. Levins.
Norfolk St., near Walk Hill St., Ward 24, frame dwell., 24.6' x 46'; owner, James F. Whittredge; builder, C. A. Russell.
Glenn Road, near Blue Hill Ave., Ward 24, three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof, 25' x 53'; owner, Mrs. Fannie M. Clark; builder, Charles A. Clark; architect, J. A. Brazilian.
Hewlett St., near Centre St., Ward 23, frame dwell., 23' x 34'; owner, Peter Thompson; builders, Swanson & Murray.
Jewett St., near Mt. Hope St., Ward 23, frame dwell., 18' x 29'; owner, Mrs. Cornelia Hould; builder, Wm. Cody.
Longwood Ave., No. 48, Ward 22, three-st'y frame dwell. and store, flat roof, 24' x 48'; owners, John H. and Elizabeth Greim; builder, Jacob Luipold.
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South St., cor. Brookfield St., frame dwell., 16' x 31'; owner and builder, Donald McDonald.
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St. Nicholas Ave., e s, 25' n Stockholm St., three-st'y frame dwell., tin roof; cost, \$4,000; owner, Caspar Kaufman, Ellery St., cor. Beaver St.; architect, Henry Vollweiler, 486 Hart St.
Twentieth St., s s, 250' w Third Ave., three-st'y frame dwell., tin roof; cost, \$3,000; owner, Henry Groeler, 99 Twentieth St.; architect, W. H. Wirth, 358 Seventeenth St.
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William Stolico, cottage, 361 Dudley St.; cost, \$2,100.
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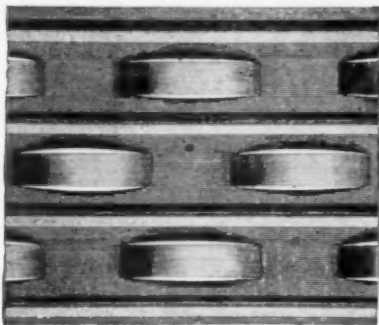
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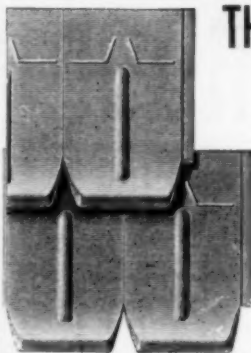
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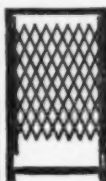
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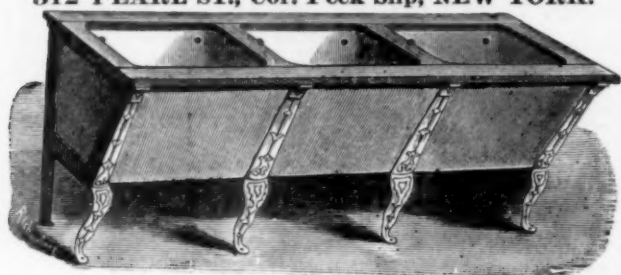
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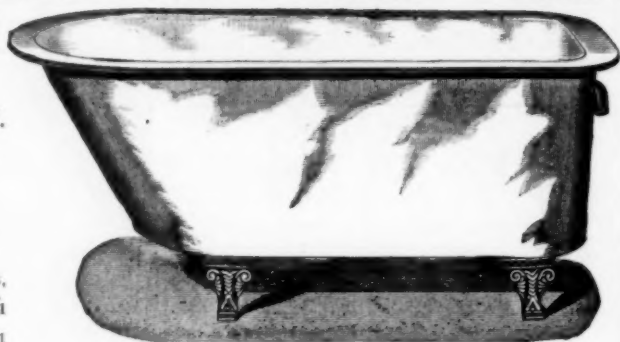
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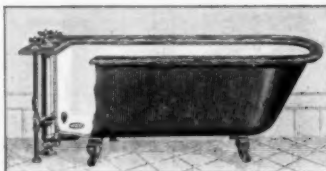
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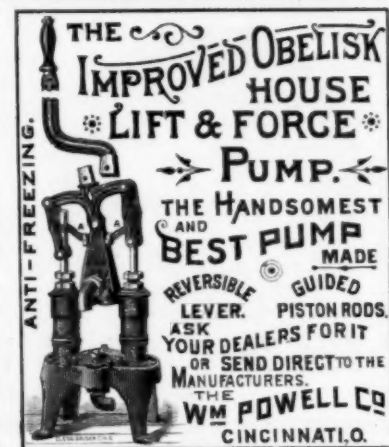
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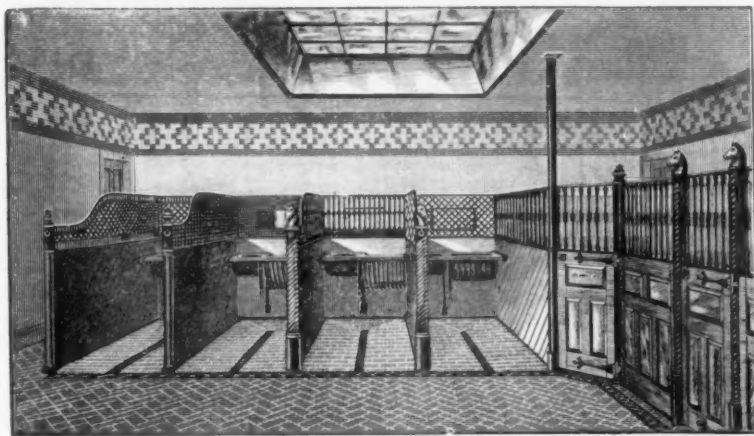
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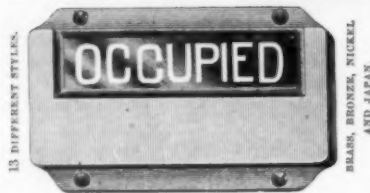
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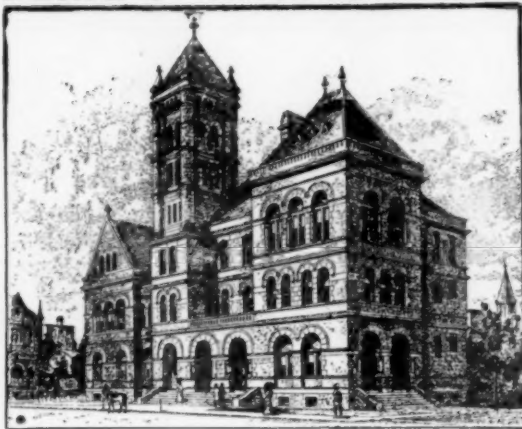
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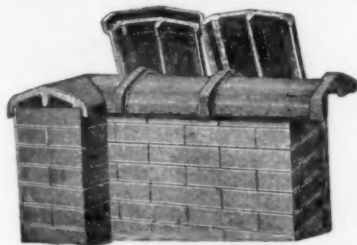
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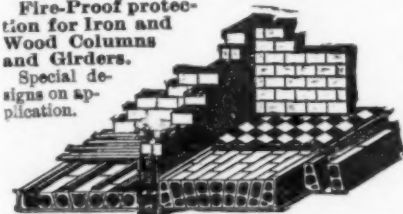
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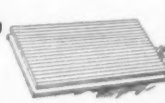
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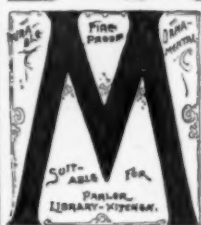
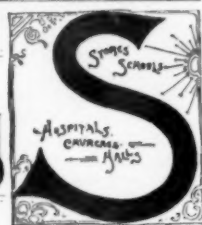
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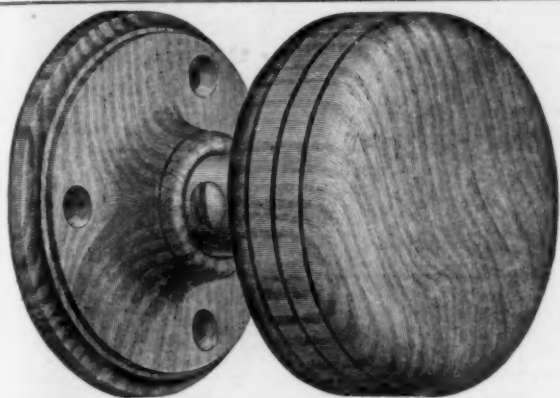
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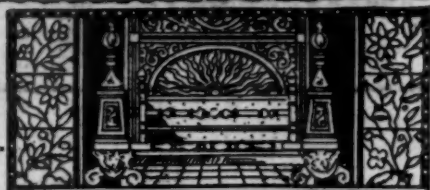
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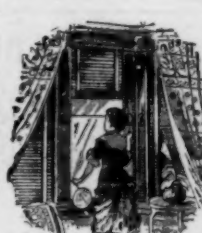
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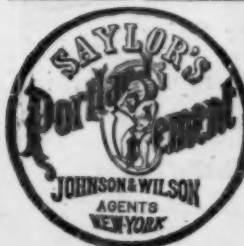
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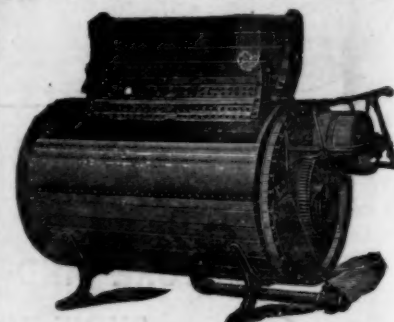
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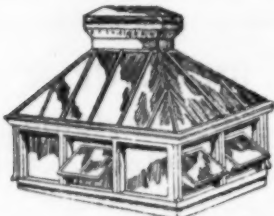
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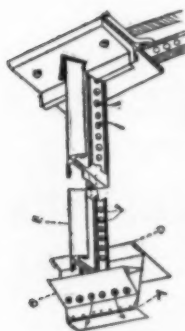
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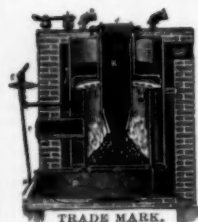
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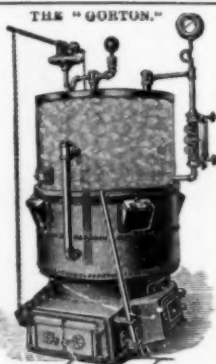
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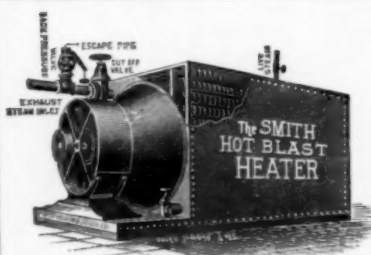
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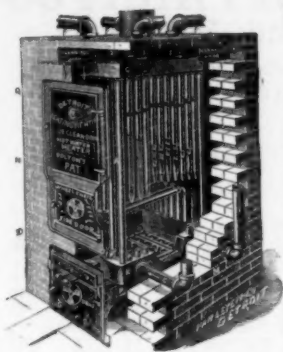
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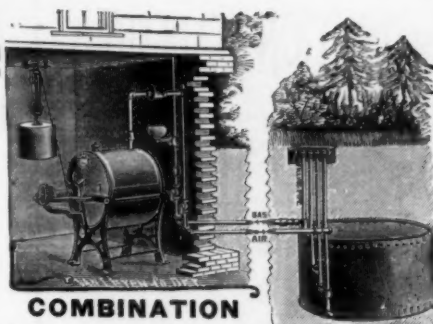


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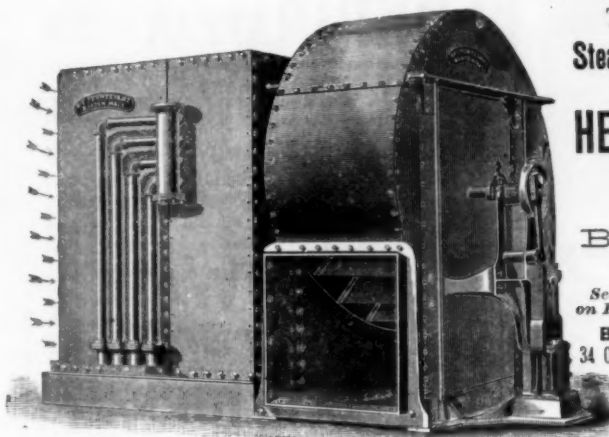
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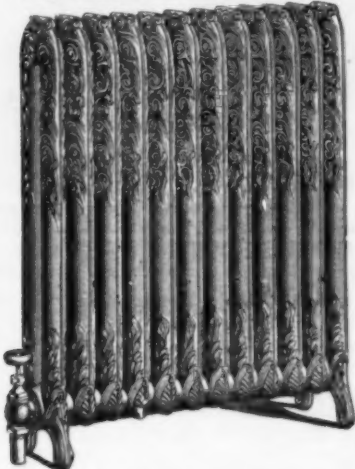
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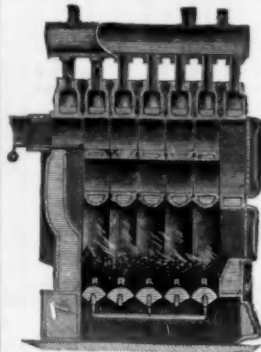


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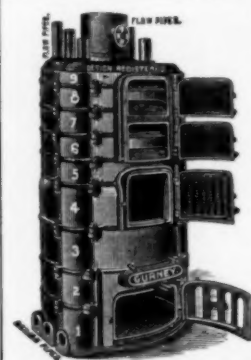
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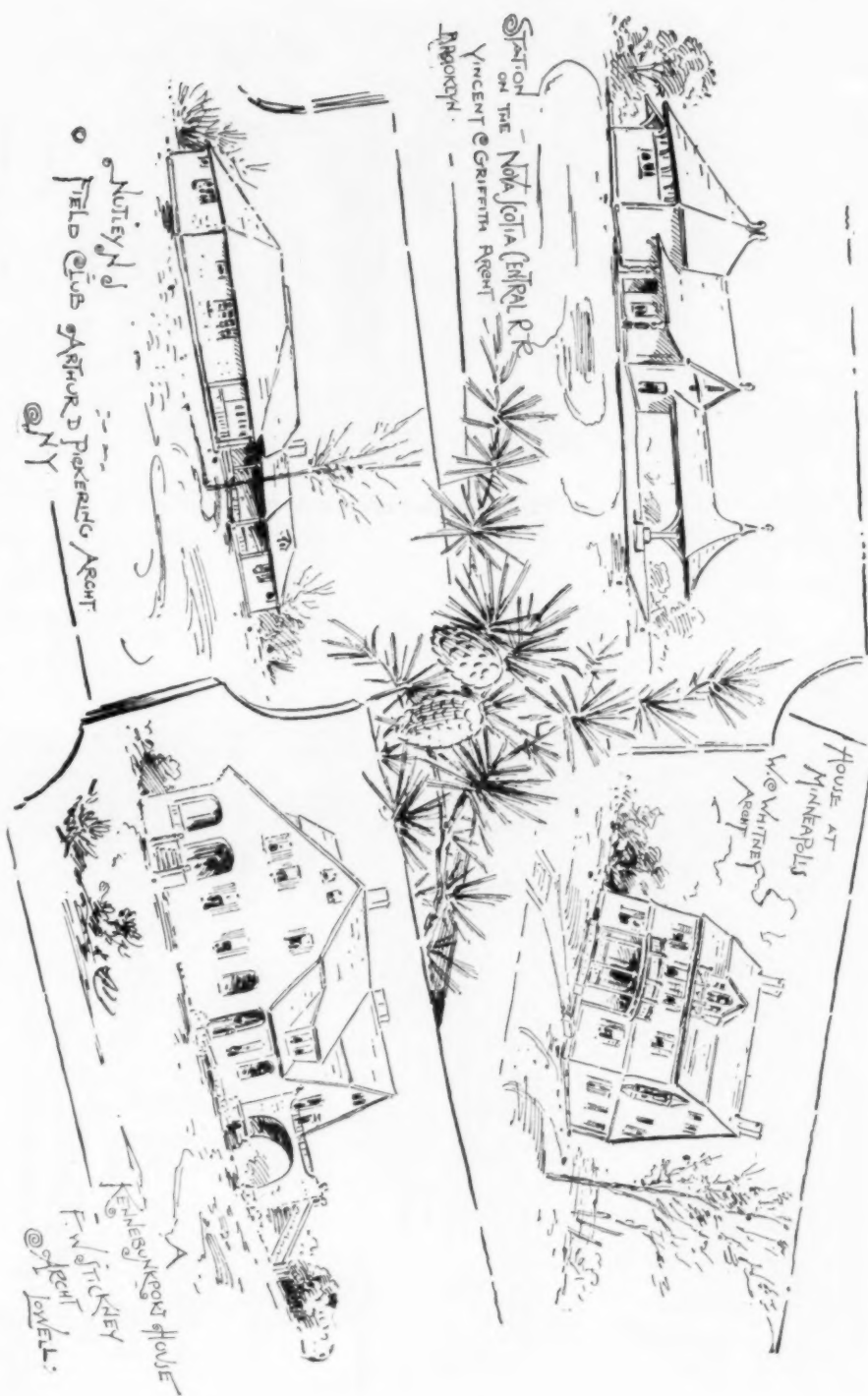
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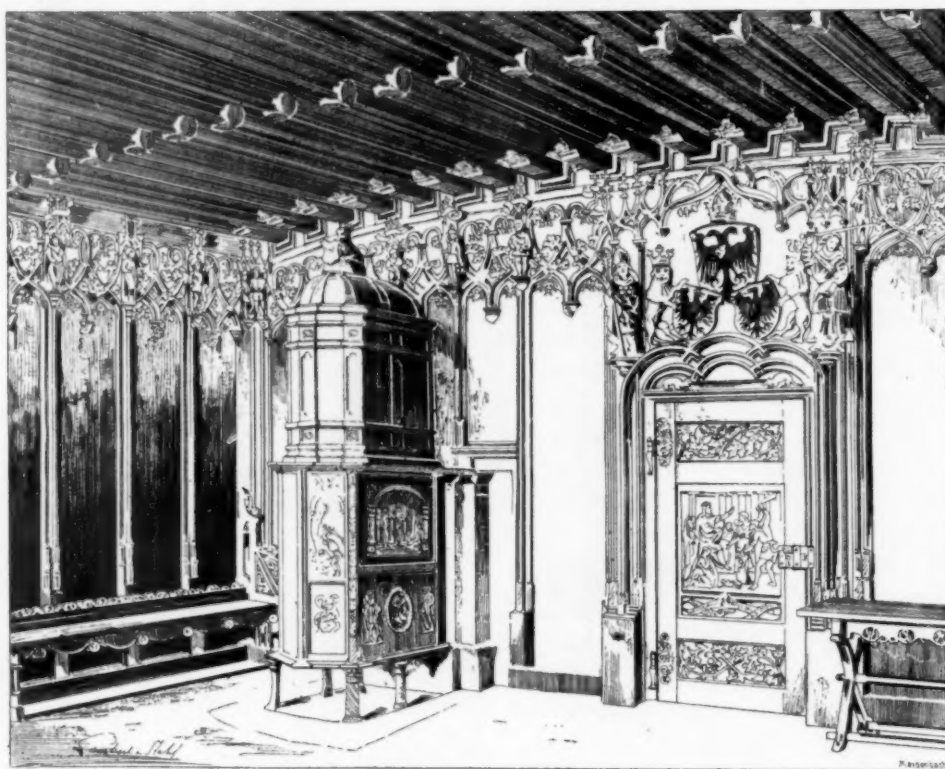
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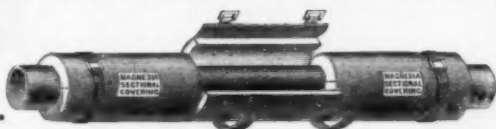
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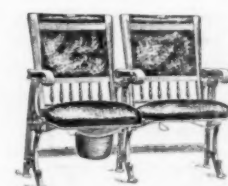
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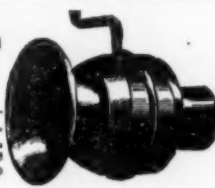


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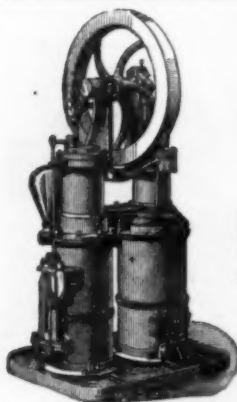
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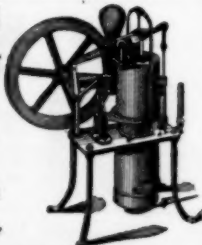
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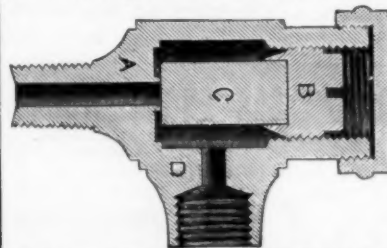
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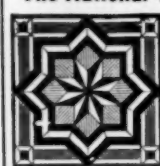
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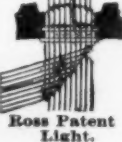
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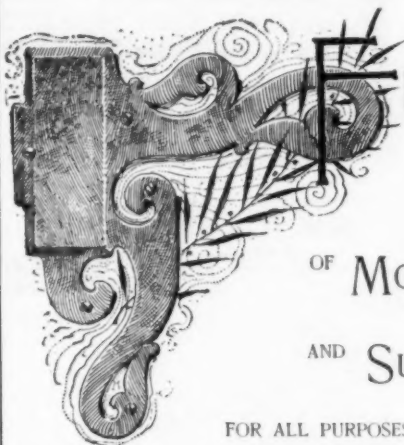
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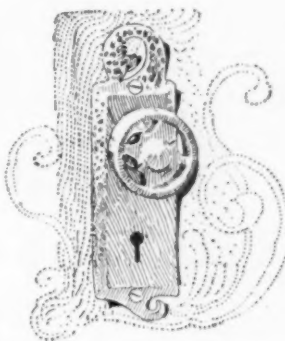
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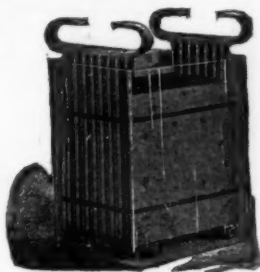
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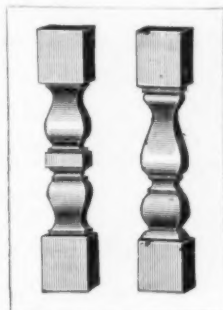
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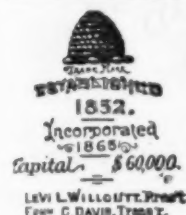
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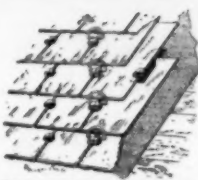
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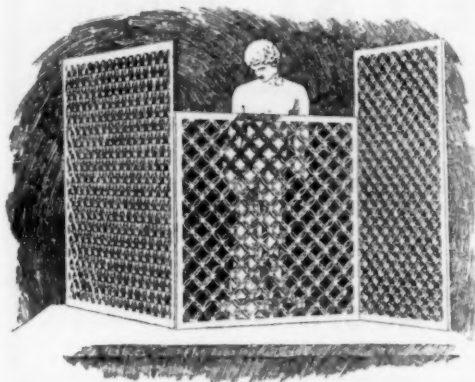
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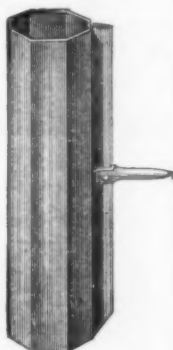
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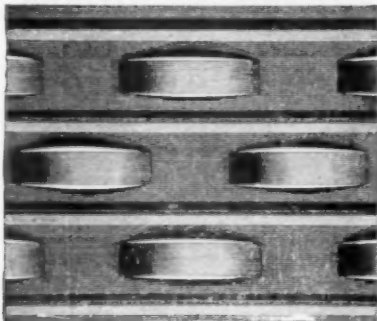


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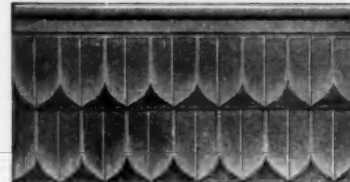
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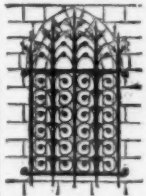
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nishing and setting in place complete the iron beams,
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Brooklyn, N. Y.—Atlantic Ave., s e cor. Cleveland
St., one-st'y frame coal storage warehouse, gravel
roof; cost, \$6,600; owners, Union Gaslight Co.,
Atlantic Ave. and Ashford St.; architects, The Con-
tinental Iron Works, Colyar St.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Boston, Mass.—Norfolk Ave., near Magazine St.,
Ward 20, two-st'y brick mechanical building, flat
roof, 82' x 108'; owners, Pearson Cordage Company;
builders, McMurray & Gately.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Bushwick Ave., w s, 100' n Fan-
chon Pl., one-st'y brick real estate exchange and
office-building, cement on brick arches, tar and
gravel roof; cost, \$250,000, owners, Brooklyn Real
Estate Exchange; architect, George H. Edbrooke,
Temple Court, New York.

Cardiff, Tenn.—The Cardiff Commercial Club con-
templated building a two-st'y brick building, to cost
\$10,000.

Chicago, Ill.—J. Gelart, two-st'y studio, 333 Oak
St.; cost, \$6,000.

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Rev. C. Bean, basement, 88-90 Cornell St.; cost,
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J. A. Badlong, greenhouse, Western Ave., near
Foster St.; cost, \$3,000.

The Moody & Waters Co., two-st'y bakery and
stables, 283-291 West Congress St.; cost, \$15,000.

Great Falls, Montana.—Central Ave., cor. Fifth
St., brick and stone mercantile building, 50' x 150',
flat roof; containing five stores on ground-floor and
23 offices in stories above; three stories on front
and two on rear; stone posts and doorway in front;
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Cory, Boston; architects, Bryant & Eaton, Boston.

Jackson, Miss.—A building for the Colored State
Insane Asylum, to cost \$55,000, will be built; con-
tractor, C. M. Ruburst, Meridian, Miss.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Great Northern Railway Co.,
brick round-house, cor. Winter and Tyler Sts.;
cost, \$25,000.

Minneapolis & St. Louis Ry. Co., brick machine-
shop, St. Louis Ry., near Cedar Lake; cost, \$25,000.

New York, N. Y.—One Hundred and Seventeenth
St., n s, 125' e Second Ave., two-st'y brick storage
building, tin roof; cost, \$3,500; owners, N. Y. Con-
densed Milk Co., 71 Hudson St.; architect, M. V. B.
Ferdon, 272 West Thirty-fourth St.

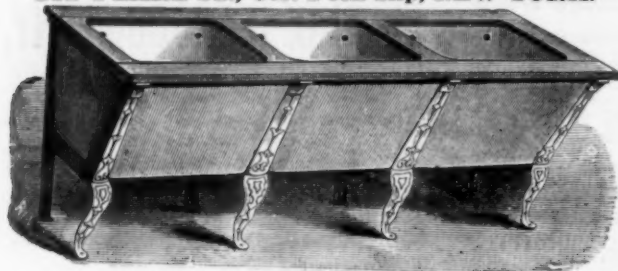
Bulkhead, foot of Rutgers St., East River, one-st'y
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New England Terminal Co., 22 William St.; archi-
tect, R. P. Staats, 35 Broadway.

Bleeker St., n w cor. South Fifth Ave., six-st'y
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East Eighteenth St., No. 336, two-st'y brick
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Princeton, N. J.—College dormitory (David Brown
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The plans and specifications for the work can be seen at the office of Stone, Carpenter & Willson, architects, 65 Westminster Street, Providence, R. I.

The Committee will receive bids for the mason-work, carpenter-work, steam-heating, plumbing and gas-piping in one bid or in separate bids, and reserve the right to reject any or all bids, as they may deem for the best interests of the State.

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PROPOSALS.

ventilating apparatus, etc., for the United States Court-house and Post-office building at Pittsburgh, Pa., in accordance with the drawings and specifications, copies of which may be had on application at this office or the office of the Superintendent at Pittsburgh, Pa. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$1,000. The Department will reject all bids received after the time herein stated for the opening of the same; also, all bids which do not comply strictly with all the requirements of this invitation. Proposals must be enclosed in envelopes sealed and marked "Proposal for a Low-pressure, Steam-heating and Ventilating Apparatus, etc., for the United States Court-house and Post-office building at Pittsburgh, Pa.," and addressed to JAS. H. WINDRIM, Supervising Architect.

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September 6, 1890. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., until 2 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of September, 1890, for all the labor and material and fixing in place complete the low-temperature, hot-water heating and ventilating apparatus for the extension to the United States Post-office, Court-house, etc., building at Charleston, W. Va., including the reconstruction of the piping, taking down and moving and re-setting boiler of old apparatus, in accordance with the drawings and specifications, copies of which may be had on application at this office or the office of the Custodian. Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for \$100. The Department will reject all bids received after the time herein stated for the opening of the same; also, bids which do not comply strictly with all the requirements of this invitation. Proposals must be enclosed in an envelope sealed and marked "Proposal for the Low-temperature, Hot-water Heating and Ventilating Apparatus, etc., for the Extension to the United States Post-office, Court-house, etc., building at Charleston, W. Va.," and addressed to JAS. H. WINDRIM, Supervising Architect.

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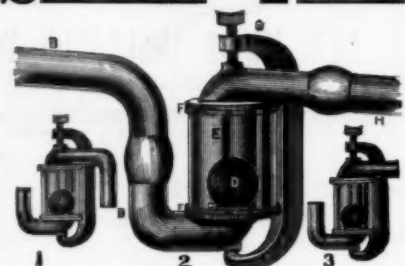
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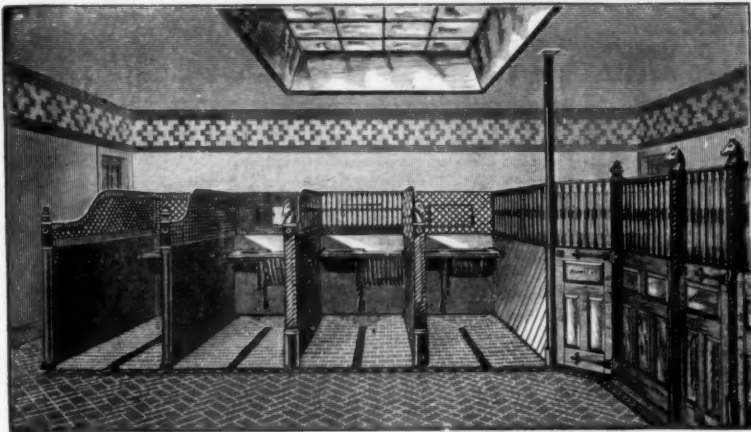
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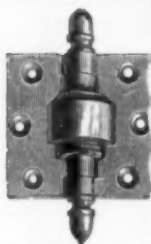
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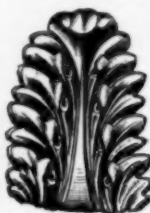
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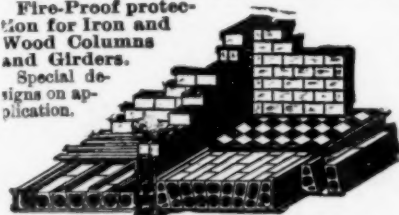
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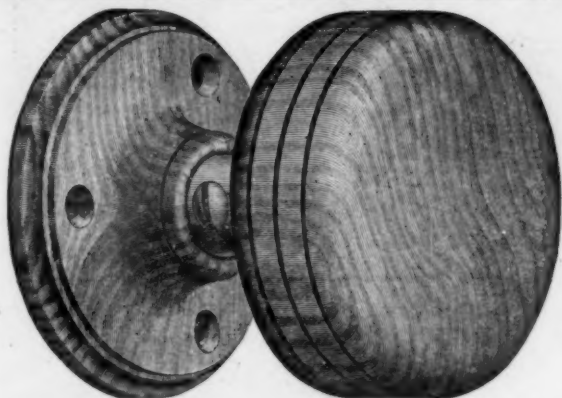
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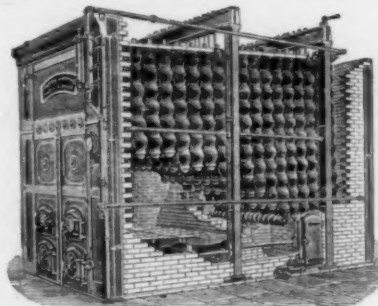
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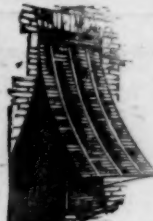
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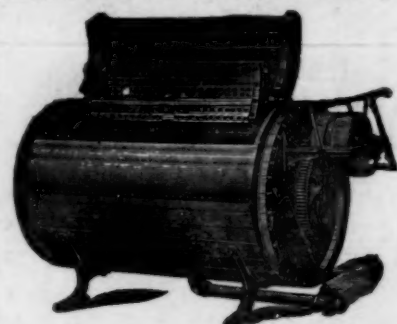
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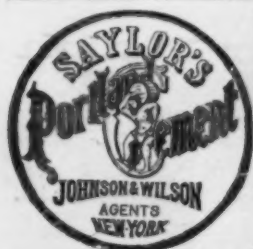
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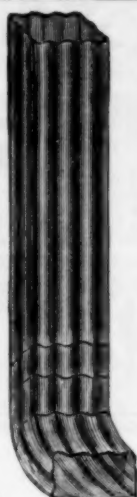
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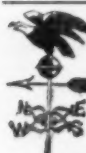
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Chicago pressed (Anderson).....		50 00 @ 55 00		Best Paving.....
Chicago Moulded.....				second " @ 16 00
Baltimore.....	7 00 @ 41 00	Anderson.....		Taird " @ 14 00
Philadelphia.....	@ 22 00	14 00 @ 32 00		@ 13 00
Trenton.....	@ 22 00			
Milwaukee.....				
Moulded:				
Glens Falls Red Pressed.....	@ 37 00			
" " Buff.....	@ 30 00			
" " Moulded Red & Buff.....	45 00 @ 70 00			
Enamelled: Imp.....	85 00 @ 100 00			
Enamelled (edge).....	90 00 @ 115 00			
Enamelled (edge and end).....				
CEMENT, LIME, etc.—(P. M.)				
Rosendale Cement.....	90 @ 1 00			
Louisville.....	Not sold.			
Utica, Akron, Buffalo, Millw'ke.....	2 50 @ 3 00	1 20 @ 1 40	Not Sold.	1 30 @ 50
Portland, English (Gibbs).....	2 50 @ 3 00	Brooks, S. & Co.....	1 05 @ 1 30	S. & S. E. 275 @ 300
" " (K. B. & S.).....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 00 @ 3 00	1 00 @ 1 25	2 85 @ 3 25
" " Black Cross.....	2 25 @ 2 50	2 00 @ 3 00	2 75 @ 3 25	2 85 @ 3 15
" " (Burham).....	2 50 @ 2 80	2 00 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 3 00
" " (White's).....	2 50 @ 3 00	2 00 @ 3 00	2 90 @ 3 15	2 85 @ 3 15
" " French (Lafarge).....	3 50 @ 3 75	2 00 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 25	2 75 @ 2 85
" " German (Alsen).....	2 90 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50	3 75 @ 4 25	
" " (Fewer).....	2 25 @ 2 40	3 15 @ 3 35	3 20 @ 3 40	Hemmoor.....
" " (Vorwöhler).....	2 50 @ 2 90	Cleopatra.....	2 75 @ 3 00	2 50 @ 2 75
" " (Lagerhofer).....	2 90 @ 3 25	2 55 @ 3 00	3 25 @ 3 50	2 50 @ 2 75
" " (Dyckerhoff).....	2 50 @ 3 00	3 00 @ 3 50	Not Sold.	3 00 @ 3 25
" " (Hanover).....	2 35 @ 2 85		Not Sold.	2 75 @ 2 85
" " Stettin (Anchor).....	2 15 @ 2 45		Not Sold.	
Roman.....	2 75 @ 3 00	2 15 @ 2 50	2 75 @ 3 00	2 50 @ 2 75
Keene's course.....	5 75 @ 6 50	3 00 @ 3 50	2 75 @ 3 25	3 00 @ 3 50
" superfine.....	9 25 @ 10 25	@ 11 50	6 00 @ 7 00	6 50 @ 7 00
Lime:			9 @ 10 50	8 00 @ 9 00
Lime of Tell.....	3 50 @ 4 00			
Hydraulic Lime.....	@ 1 45			
Chicago Lime in bulk.....		1 35	Not sold.	White Lime.....
Wisconsin.....	@ 1 00	St. John 1 00	55 @ 60	25 @ 30 @ bush
Rockland and Rockport (Com.).....	@ 1 20	@ 1 05	Not sold.	White Mass.....
Rockland and Rockport, finish.....	@ 1 20	@ 1 10	Not sold.	1 25 @ 1 50
Kelley Island Lime, finish.....	@ 1 20	@ 1 20	Not sold.	1 00 @ 1 00
State, com. cargo rates (nom.).....	@ 1 10	Not sold.	1 00 bulk, 75c.	
State, finishing.....	1 30 @ 1 35	Not sold.	Not sold.	Not sold.
Plaster of Paris (salcined).....	1 30 @ 1 35	1 85 @ 2 00	Not sold.	Not sold.
" (casting).....	12 @ 15	25 @ 30	1 85 @ 1 90	1 50 @ 2 25
Hair (Castile) @ bush.....	22 @ 25	30 @ 35	30 @ 35	1 75 @ 2 50
" (Goat).....	1 00 @ 1 25	1 75 @ 1 90	30 @ 35	30 @ 35
Sand, @ load.....			@ 60	30 @ 35
STONE.—(P. cubic foot, rough.)				@ 1 50
Granite: (Maine).....	45 @ 1 35			
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Belleville	80 00 1 25	1 25 1 35	1 25	1 10 1
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Caen	1 00	2 00		1 25 1
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Marble (# cu. ft.)				
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Sutherland Falls		2 00	3 50 6 00	1 70 3 00
Glens Falls, black			Not sold.	4 00 4 50
Italian, blue-veined			Not sold.	2 50 2 75
" Sienna			Not sold.	5 00
Tennessee, red			4 40	4 00 6 00
Knoxville			4 40	3 00 4 00
Pennsylvania, blue			Not sold.	2 00 3 00
Vermont, white			3 50 6 00	2 25 3 00
Slate: Roofing (# square)				
green	5 00 6 00	4 75 5 25	5 50 6 10	2 20 3 00
" unfading	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 25 3 75
purple	5 00 6 00	5 50 6 50	6 50 7 10	3 50 4 50
red	4 25 4 75	10 00 11 00	13 00 14 00	7 50 10 25
black, Lehigh			6 25 8 55	3 25 4 00
" Chapman			7 30 8 00	4 00 4 65
Unfading Black, Monson, Me.	5 50 8 00	5 50 8 0	6 00 9 00	5 50 8 00
 Tiles, Am.			Not sold.	6 00 6 75
N. Peach Bottom, warranted unfading				
PAINTS. (# gal.)				
White lead, Am.	7 00 7 1	7 25 7 4	6 4 7	7 7
" Zinc	5 00 5 4	5 00 5 4	6 4 7	7 7
Red lead, Am.	6 4 7	7 25 7 4	6 4 7	7 7
" Venetian	6 4 7	7 25 7 4	6 4 7	7 7
" Vermilion	6 4 7	7 25 7 4	6 4 7	7 7
Red Indian, Eng.	12 00 20	12 00 20	12 00 20	12 00 20
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Green, Paris	25 00 40	25 00 40	25 00 40	25 00 40
Black, lamp	15 00 25	15 00 25	15 00 25	15 00 25
Blue, ultramarine	12 00 18	12 00 18	12 00 18	12 00 18
Oil, linseed, (raw)	58 00 62	58 00 62	58 00 62	58 00 62
" boiled	61 00 65	61 00 65	61 00 65	61 00 65
Turpentine	40 00 41	40 00 41	40 00 41	40 00 41
Varnish, coach		1 50 2 00	1 25 2 00	2 25 2 75
Shellac		2 50 3 00	2 25 3 00	2 25 2 75
Putty	2 00	2 00	2 00	2 00
Whiting	1 00 1 00	1 00 1 00	1 00 1 00	1 00 1 00
Paris white, (Eng.)	1 30 2 00	1 30 2 00	1 30 2 00	1 30 2 00
Litharge, Am.	14 00 20	14 00 20	14 00 20	14 00 20
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HARDWARE.				
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Ball Tip, Boston Finish (# pair)	55	50	50	48 50
Bronze metal	1 90	1 85	2 00 3 25	1 75
Brass (for cupboards)	10	10	12	1 00
Ebony				37 1 00
Apple wood				
Knobs: (# Set.)				
Mineral, best	8	8	8 10	8 08
Lava	50	75	65 80	Not sold.
Hematite	Not sold	17 33	31 40	25 50
Porcelain	30	10	25 30	100 2 50
Glass, solid	Not sold	50	Not sold.	1 75 2 00
Glass, silvered	Not sold	88 1 00	50 1 50	50 3 50
Bronze metal	75 2 00	50 3 00	1 00 3 00	75 1 25
Brass	1 00 2 50	50 3 00	1 00 3 00	134 1 16
Solder:				
Sheet Lead		8 7 1	7 6 1	6 6 6
Lead Pipe				
Iron:				
I-Beams, up to and including 30 ft.	3 3-10 3 1	3 1-10	3 28 3 70	3 3-10
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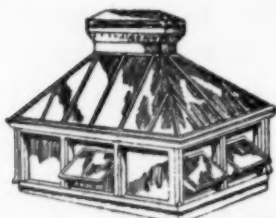
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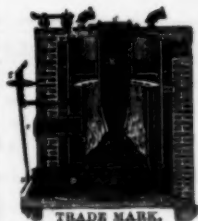
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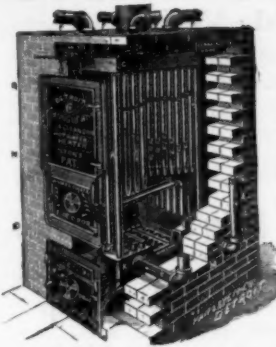
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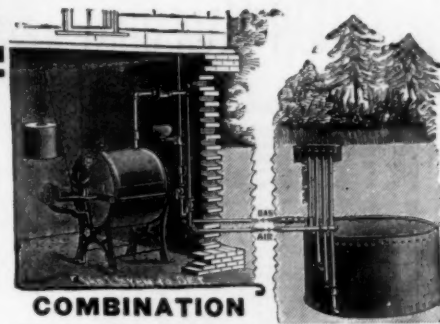
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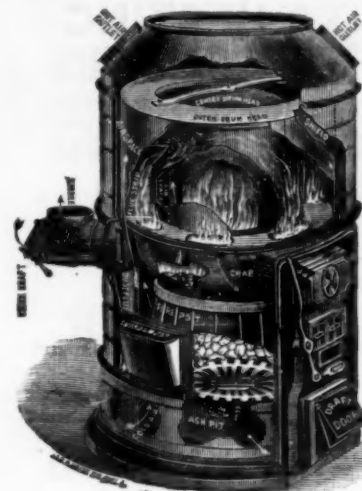


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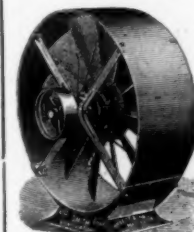
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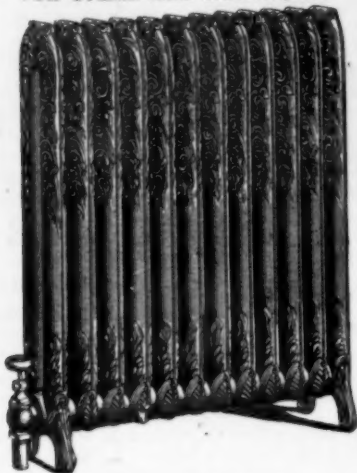
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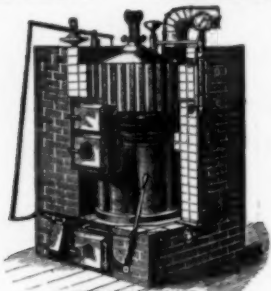
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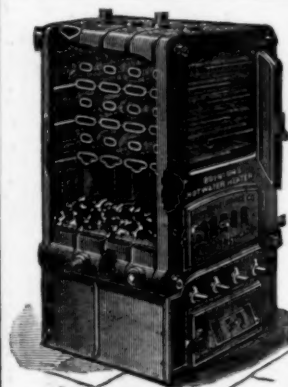
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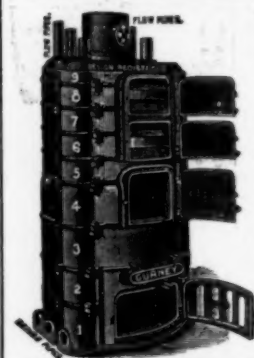
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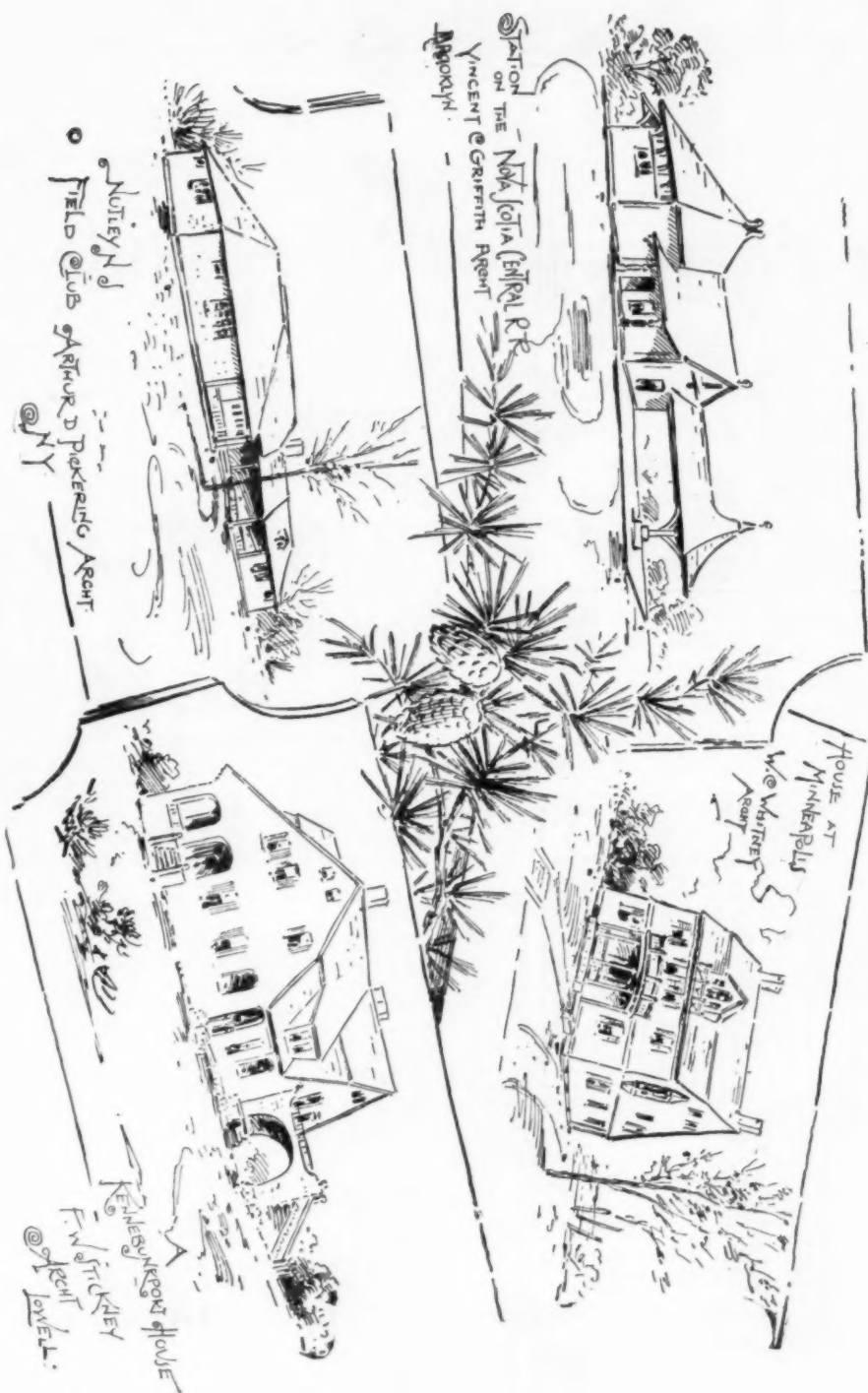
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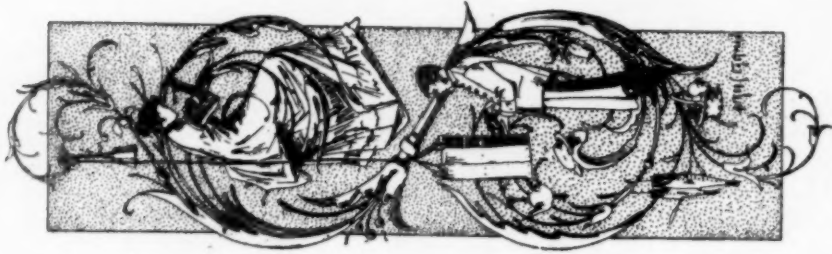
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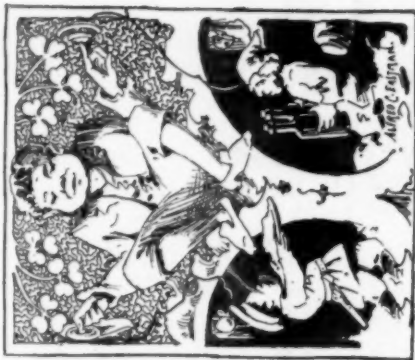
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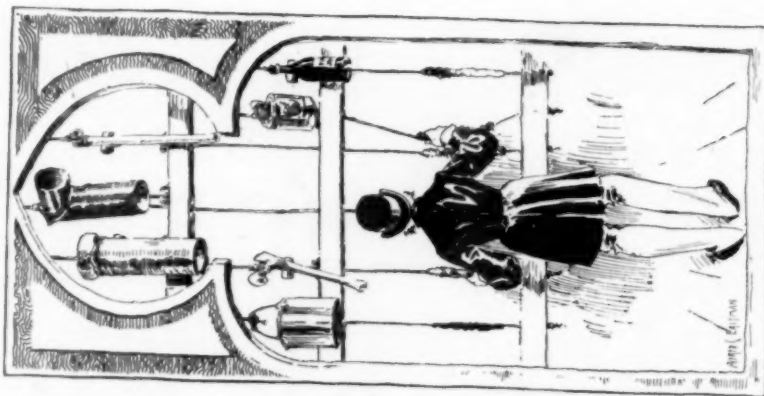
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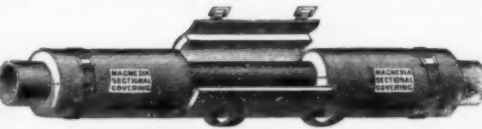
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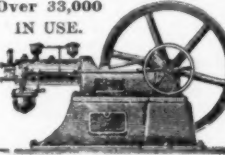
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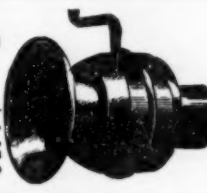
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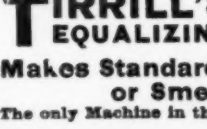


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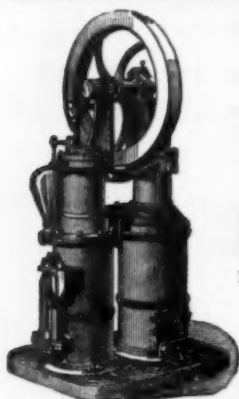
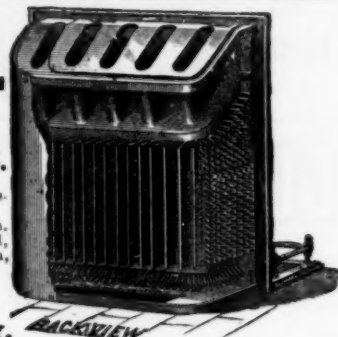
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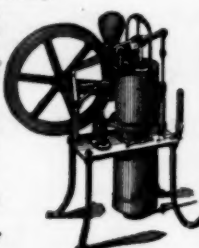
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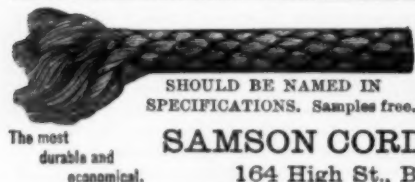
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Arundel St., near Selwyn St., Ward 23, frame dwell., 25' x 39'; owner, W. F. Marculus; builder, G. Hyde.

Marmion St., near Cornwall St., Ward 23, 6 one-sty frame dwells., 22' x 28'; owner, Peter Barr; builder, L. W. Bryant.

Crawford St., No. 100, Ward 21, frame dwell., 27.6' x 45.6'; owner, F. M. Babcock; builder, J. A. Corkum.

Selden St., near Capen St., Ward 24, frame dwell., 22' x 45'; owner, J. S. Brennan; builder, A. J. Brennan.

Chelsea St., near Saratoga St., Ward 1, two-sty frame dwell., hip roof, 26' x 38'; owners, Boston Land Co.; builder, P. M. Hayden.

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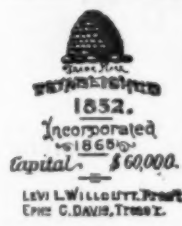
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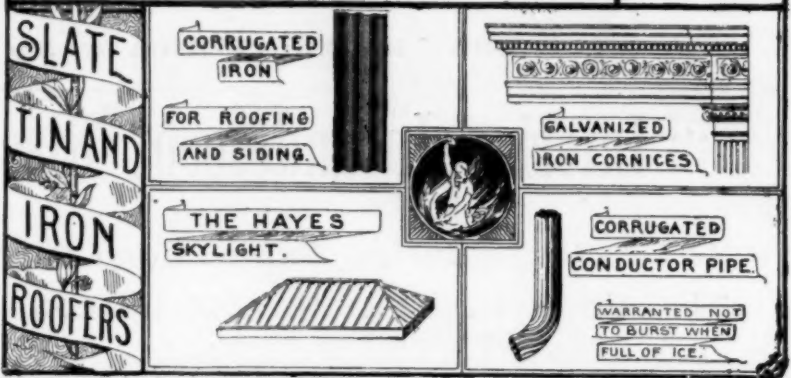
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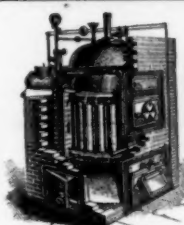
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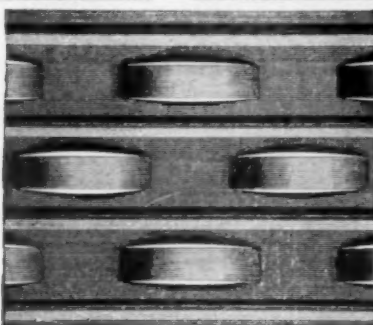
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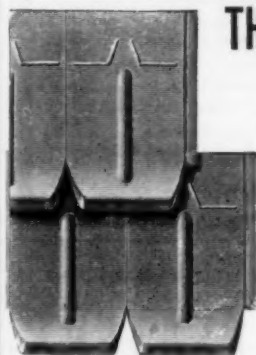
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L. C. Rupp, two-st'y dwell., 17,018 St. Laurence
Ave.; cost, \$2,500.
L. Hoyt, two-st'y dwell., 6358 Star St.; cost,
\$4,000.
Charles Koegenberg, two-st'y dwell., Peoria and
Garfield Sts.; cost, \$7,000.
Dorchester, Mass.—Glen Road, frame dwell., 33' x
45'; cost, abt. \$5,000; owner, H. L. Doten; builder,
D. G. Squires; architect, Willard M. Bacon, Boston.
Grand Rapids, Mich.—Frame dwell. for L. K.
Bishop, with all modern improvements; cost, abt.
\$4,500; architect, W. G. Robinson; builder, W. C.
Osburn.
Fall River, Mass.—Brick and frame dwell., 38' x 80';
cost, abt. \$20,000; owner, Stephen B. Ashley; con-
tract to be let; architect, J. Merrill Brown, Boston.
New York, N. Y.—Eighty-second St., s. s. 120 w Central
Park, West, 3 four-st'y brick dwells., tin roofs;
cost, \$48,000; owner, Mrs. Mary Gault, 210 West
Fifty-third St.; architect, James W. Cole, 403
West Fifty-first St.
One Hundred and Twenty-first St., s. s. 260' w
Lenox Ave., 7 four-st'y brick dwells., tin roofs;
cost, \$140,000; owner, Samuel S. Wright, 4 West
One Hundred and Twenty-first St.; architects, Cleve-
rton & Putzell, 529 Broadway.
Eighty-fifth St., n. s. 165' e Tenth Ave., 16 four-
st'y brick dwells., tin roofs; cost, \$256,000; owner,
D. Willis James, 11 Cliff St.; architect, John G.
Frague, 1422 Ninth Ave.
One Hundred and Forty-fourth St., n. s. bet.
Hamilton Pl. and Grand Boulevard, four brick and
stone dwells.; cost, \$34,000; owners, J. B. Cross
and G. B. Hewlett; architect, J. H. Hamilton.
St. Ann's Ave., n. w. cor. One Hundred and Forty-
first St., four-st'y brick and brownstone dwell.;
cost, \$28,000; owner, John McQuade; architect,
Julius Munkowitz.
One Hundred and Forty-third St., n. s. bet. St.
Nicholas and Amsterdam Aves., 2 three-st'y stone
dwells.; cost, \$25,000; owner, D. J. Dwyer; archi-
tect, Paul F. Higga.
Pawtucket, R. I.—Four-st'y brick and frame build-
ing; owner, John Wardie; architect, Albert H.
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Edwin Evans, three-st'y frame building; archi-
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Brickford; contract to be let; architects, Loring &
Phipps, Boston.
Somerville, Mass.—Evergreen Ave., frame dwell.,
24' x 55'; owner, James W. Brooks estate; builder,
Geo. T. Willoughby.
New St., leading from Marion to Wyatt Sts., 8
frame dwells., 28' x 72'; owner, H. C. Holt; builders,
Smith & Donahoe.
Broadway, cor. Hinkley St., frame dwell., 24' x
30' with L. 6' x 11'; owner, Robert Brown; builder,
Wm. E. Jones.
Durham St., three-st'y frame dwell., flat roof,
25' x 40'; owner, Michael Hawkins; builder, James
Mathews.
Raymond Ave., frame dwell., 16' x 31'; owner,
Harry Walker; builder, Charles C. Emerson.
Central St., cor. Hudson St., frame dwell., 24.6' x
30', with L's, 13' x 15' and 4' x 20'; owner and
builder, James E. Paul.
Welster Ave., frame dwell., 22' x 29'; owner, Ellen
Murphy; builder, Sylvester Woods.
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Lee St., frame dwell., 23' x 39', with L. 6' x 11';
owner, Annie L. Fletcher; builder, Wm. K. Fletcher.
Highland Ave., near School St., frame dwell.;
owner, O. C. Hubbard; contract to be let; architects,
Loring & Phipps, Boston.
Springfield, Mass.—H. B. Swan, two-st'y dwell.,
Bowdoin St.; mason, C. G. Noel.
Waltham, Mass.—Frame dwell., 39' x 42'; cost, abt.
\$8,000; owner, Edwin Bowker; builder, Geo. Daw-
son; architect, Willard M. Bacon, Boston.
Winthrop, Mass.—Crest Ave., frame dwell., 34' x
45', with L., 19' x 21'; cost, abt. \$8,000; owner, O. E.
Lewis; contract to be let; architect, Willard M.
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Pittsfield, Mass. - Pittsfield Electric Co., brick
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nishing all labor and materials required for the erec-
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New York, N. Y. - Mott St., Nos. 216-218, two-st'y
brick stable, gravel roof; cost, \$7,500; owner,
Thomas McCarty estate, 230 East Fifteenth St.; ar-
chitects, Kurtzer & Bohl, cor. Third Ave. and
Seventh St.

West Eighteenth St., Nos. 132-145, one-st'y brick
stable, gravel roof; cost, \$5,000; owner and archi-
tect, Lorenzo Weiher, Jr., 143 East Seventy-sixth
St.

Eighty-eighth St., n s, 125' w Tenth Ave., five-st'y
brick stable, concrete roof; cost, \$75,000; owner,
James McNiece, 1482 Tenth Ave.; architect, George
H. Griebel, 247 West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth
St.

Eighty-fifth St., n s, 160' w Fourth Ave., three-st'y
brick stable, tin roof; cost, \$15,000; owners, Gugen-
heimer & Untermeyer, 16 East Eighty-first St. and
9 East Ninety-second St.; architects, Walgrove &
Israel, 99 Nassau St.

STORES.

Brooklyn, N. Y. - De Kalb Ave., s s, 50' w Walworth
St., 3 two-st'y brick stores for merchandise, gravel
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Fifth Ave., New York City; architect, John R.
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New York, N. Y. - Washington St., e s, bet. Cedar
and Liberty Sts., store, gravel roof; cost, \$100,000;
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Dabold Hagy, tenement, Brown Tract; cost, \$2-
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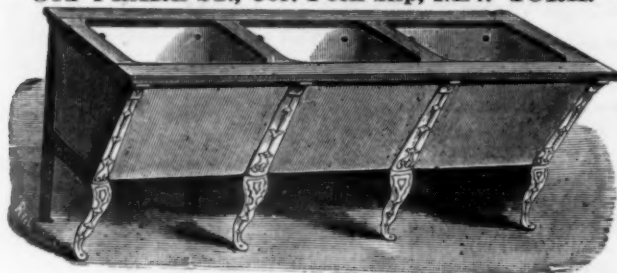
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Malden St., near Harrison Ave., Ward 17, one-st'y
brick storage, flat roof, 19' x 50'; owners, Bates &
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New York, N. Y. - Twenty-first St., s s, 250' 8" w
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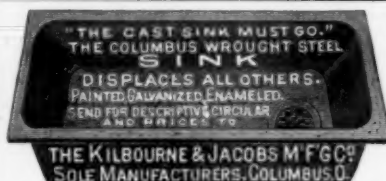
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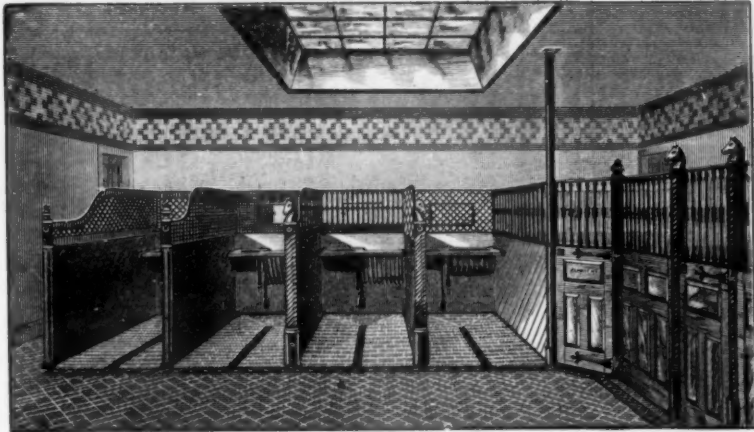
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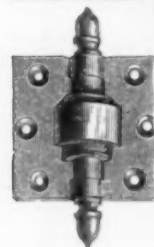
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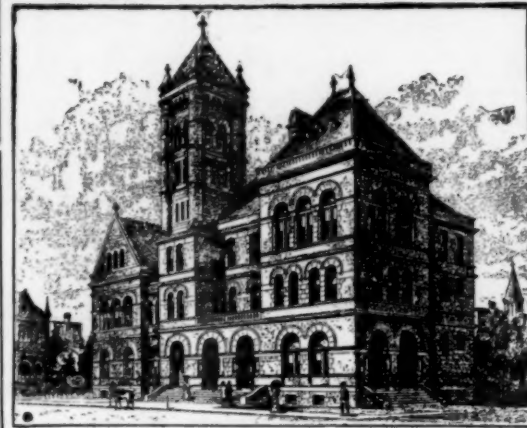
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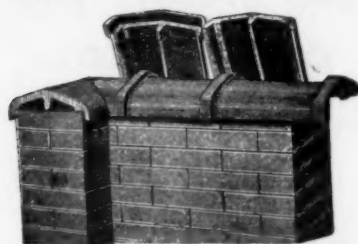
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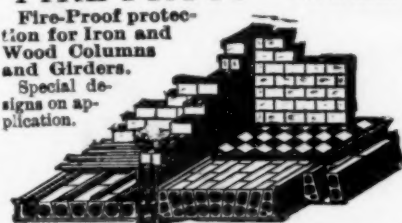
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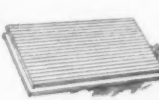
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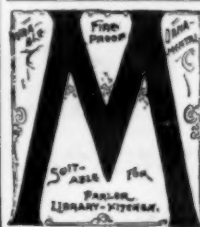
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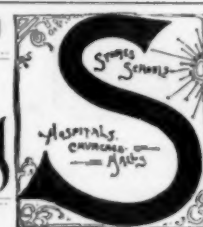
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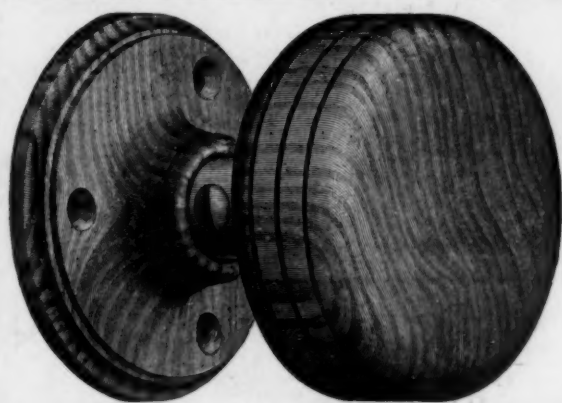
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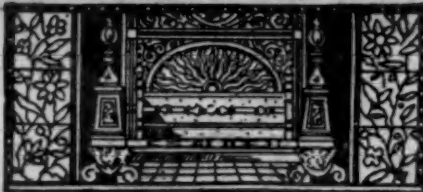
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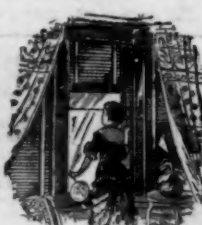
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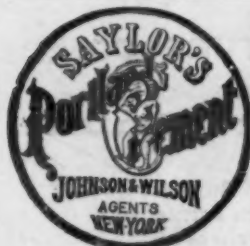
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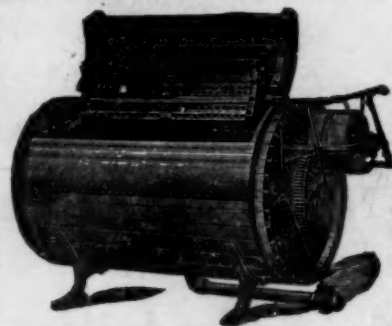
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