

A WELL-MADE HOUSE

That Can be Handsomely Constructed at a Cost of \$8,500.

NO CREEP EFFECTS AIMED AT, But Good Forms and Graceful Angles Ideally Concentrated.

HINTS FOR BUILDERS AND DECORATORS

(WRITTEN FOR THE DISPATCH.)

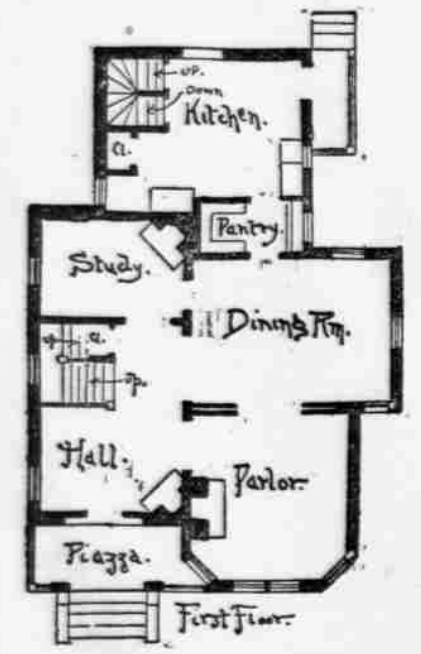
ELDOM is it that a house, graphic hints of which are given in this number, can be constructed and furnished for the total sum of \$8,500. But such is the case, and the ways and wherefores are somewhat concisely followed.



In a brief article of this nature it is impossible to present an inventory of the fixtures of the house; all must be told in a tentative way and much which the good wife may desire to know about the locality of closets, pantries, the quality of tableware, the convenience of the rooms and accessories, must be left out and can only be made evident by studying the plans and examining the materials.



Essentials, the client has but to read to know everything. The exterior, including the frame, cannot be surpassed for excellence in design or standard of materials, while the interior is devoid of chilling conventionalities, rigid furniture coverings and "installments" of upholstery are all wholesome, rich and unaffected.



They want a Land Court. CHICAGO, April 25.—A large delegation of prominent citizens of New Mexico, headed by Governor Prince, passed through Chicago yesterday en route to Washington. Their mission is to urge upon Congress the necessity of passing an act to establish a Land Court for the settlement of all titles depending on grants made by the Mexican Government previous to the treaty of 1848.

THE BRIGAND'S LAND.

Glimpses of the Strange Sicilian Country Gained During A JOURNEY AROUND MOUNT ETNA.

Picturesque and Poetic Scenes on Every Hand, Along With SAD EVIDENCES OF HUMAN MISERY

(CORRESPONDENCE OF THE DISPATCH.)

NAPLES, ITALY, April 8.—An ascent of Etna will suggest great opportunities for Sicilian observation in traversing the circle of cities and villages at the tremendous base of the mountain. A road such as it is, nearly 150 miles long, forms the pinkish and dirty thread upon which all these lava-throated towns seem to be strung.

OLD ETNA'S GRAND DEED. We were traveling toward the source of the Alcantara river, and the road lays along the brow of the mountain range above. The flowing stream and its grand valley were continually before our eyes. Beyond, and constantly in view, rose another range of mountains, and Etna's neck from 18 to 20 miles distant, loomed grandly above.

A SCENE FOR A PAINTER. In the whole island; oftentimes succoring the deserted and starving; are not altogether in disavow with the poorer clergy from their frequent timely ministrations; and at death duty driven away from the altar, they certainly insist the entire way between Catania and Palermo; and my good fortune at possessing an inkspot of the number of companies of soldiers who were desolated, but always fertilized, by its influence!

DESTRUCTION AVERTED. But just before this could happen Etna had got through boiling. The lava stood in a great pool, and the cooling of it between the city and this precipice are now the finest vineyards and olive groves in Sicily. Opposite the city to the west, magnificent mountain peaks are rising above the valley, and within the purple of their upper valleys can be seen the Convent of Maniace, the Cathedral of Siracusa and the Convent of Santa Lucia. A busy and busy city, Roger the Norman, while toward the huge cone of Etna can be seen rising above each other, complimented Nelson with no empty title. It king revenues are still \$150,000 yearly. Leaving the city in the direction of Adero, the road is cut through tremendous beds of lava, and the climbing one of the walls to trace the deep black surface of the furrow along the valley to the west, and opposite, to the very cone of Etna, which the eye could follow in its narrow, sinuous line. The entire way to Adero, circling the western mountain base, is skirted by the

A NEW FORCE FOUND.

Dr. Joseph Leidy on the Value of Keely's Recent Experiment.

NEW THING IN PHYSICAL SCIENCE.

Where the Inventor First Got the Idea That Resulted in DEVELOPING THE STRANGE POWER

(PHILADELPHIA, April 25.—The following is a copy of a letter addressed to Prof. Rowland, of the Royal Institution of Great Britain, by H. O. Rowland.)

"DEAR PROF. DEWAR.—As I have already informed you, I carried out your wishes in reference to Prof. Rowland, of the Johns Hopkins University, as far as the extending to him of an invitation to witness some of Mr. Keely's experiments in sympathy with the scientific and practical work of the Royal Institution of Great Britain. I was not able to witness any demonstration whatever, on account of an accident which had happened to the disintegrator; and he could not fail to have formed an unfavorable opinion of Mr. Keely from all that transpired on that occasion.

THE FIRST EXPERIMENT. His latest engine was built to exhibit the practical nature of his discovery to capitalists, the managers of the Keely Motor Co., and the public, and it was not until the death many years since) hoping thereby to raise the price of its stock and to be able to furnish Mr. Keely, to the end of the funds that the motor could not be put into operation here under contract. The committee will meet again to-morrow.

A GREAT MEETING EXPECTED. The District Grand Officers, E. M. B. With, to be Here to-Morrow. The officers of the District Grand Lodge No. 3, Independent Order of B'nai B'rith, will arrive in Pittsburgh to-morrow morning from Philadelphia, to meet their friends and the members of the local lodges at an important meeting to be held at the Grand Street Temple to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. This district has a membership of over 2,500, and is represented here by four lodges.

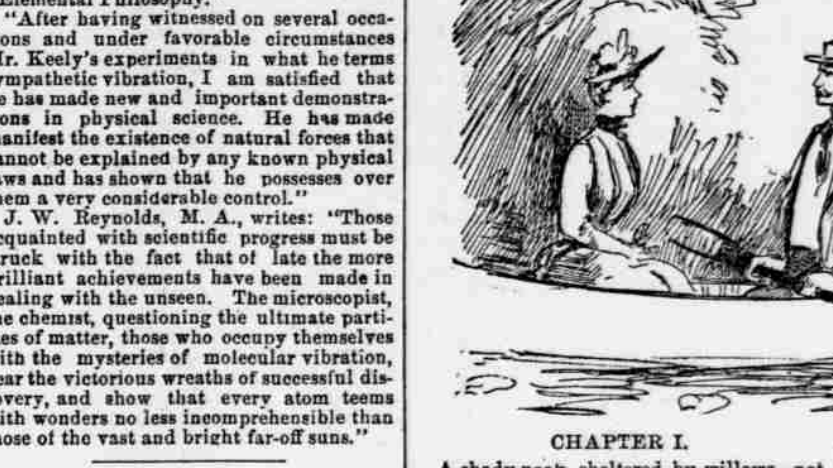
PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE. Allegheny Looking Out for Laws for Second-Class Cities. The Committee on Rules and Regulations of the Allegheny Board of School Controllers met last night. It was decided to recommend to the board that a standing committee on legislation be appointed, and the purpose of this is to have a committee in readiness to watch any legislation likely to be enacted for Allegheny when it goes into the second class.

WANTED TO SURRENDER. Emil Bey's Coptic Clerk Betrays His Employer's Scheme. CAIRO, April 25.—A Coptic clerk, who was an employee of Emil Bey's while he was at Wadiala, has made a sworn deposition before Hassan Bey to the effect that the revolt of Emil's forces was solely due to the discovery of Emil's plan to surrender his province to the Mahdi. Emil, according to the clerk's statement, sent three messengers to the Mahdi offering to surrender, but they were seized and stopped by Emil's officers. The revolt followed this discovery. Hassan Bey considers the statement credible.

AN IMPERIAL MEETING. The Empress of India Meets Her Grandson, the German Emperor. DARMSTADT, April 25.—Emperor William arrived here to-day. The Grand Duke of Hesse and the civil and military authorities received the Emperor at the railway station, and the whole party drove to the new palace, where the Emperor was greeted by Queen Victoria and the Princesses. Afterward the Emperor proceeded to the Ducal Castle, and later returned to the palace and dined with the Queen and the Princesses.

CHAPTER I.

CHAPTER II. "HONEY AND LOVE."



"Dolly, you know I love you, haven't I told you so thousands of times?" "Yes; but why?" "What a confession for a man, who didn't know what love was, to hear Fanny Dolly's sweetest telling her a thousand times that he loved her, and the only answer she could make him was 'Yes; but why sweet?' Poor Dolly couldn't understand why she loved her. Sweet young things, to be so happy; they were in love, and there was an end to everything. What was the outside world to them? A dreamland, and they were the only two mortal beings who were actually in love, for they didn't notice the solitary figure that panted near by their door. There are in the United States 1,250,000, 1,000,000 Hebrews who are much better off than you and I."

CHAPTER II. "HONEY AND LOVE." "Madge, that came over to-morrow. I wonder if you'll care to come and see my defense. I hope I shan't make a stupid of myself. You've been so patient in helping me to put a 'bold front' on and I want you to be ready for your trouble—and if possible to be proud of me for once."

"Of course it's possible, Alice and I have quite made up our minds to do it. You're sure to make a great success, and you'll only deliver it as you've read it to me. I'm not going to that dance to-night, Jack. I want to have bright eyes and bright cheeks in court to-morrow. I want you to be proud of your pretty wife. This same Madge is the one who used to love to be a woman's wife. The love that no other woman has shared or had to do with, Jack is different to other loves, and why had he ever married without loving—for he had done so—perhaps he thought he never could love and one girl was just like him as another. No, one should be different, and that one, was his wife."

"Yes, Jack." "Why Madge, I thought you'd have pinned down to me, Alice. Do I look as though I'd been here treated? It so, my looks belie me, for I have no cause for complaint. Jack is perfection in my eyes, and Alice, he cares for me now, and he didn't once you knew it as well as I did that night, but you wouldn't tell me the truth. I've profited by your advice and mean to win him more every day, until at last he mine and me can question his love for me. The world shall see with its

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