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## An Apology.

A man who has a reputation for being very careless as to his toilet was elected town clerk in one of the small towns in this State some time ago, and the local paper thought it would be a good joke to announce that "Mr. Makeup will wash himself before he assumes the office of town clerk."

On reading the notice Mr. Makeup was furious, and demanded a retraction, which the paper accordingly made the following day, in this fashion: "Mr. Makeup requests us to deny that he will wash himself before he assumes the office of town clerk."

And still Mr. Makeup was not pleased. How hard it is to satisfy some people!—Our Boys and Girls.

There is so much distress in the world that we can't cry over all of it.

## DOMESTIC MARTYRS.

Lots of women suffer constantly, and seldom utter complaint.

Good men rarely know the pain endured by the women of their own household, or the efforts they make to appear cheerful and happy when they ought to be in bed, their suffering is really so great.

Our habits of life and dress tell sadly upon women's delicate organizations.

They ought to be told just where the danger lies, for their whole future may depend upon that knowledge, and how to overcome it.

There is no need of our describing the experiences of such women here, they are too well known by those who have suffered, but we will impress upon every one that these are the never-failing symptoms of serious womb trouble, and unless relieved at once, a life will be forfeited.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound never fails to relieve the distressing troubles above referred to; it has held the faith of the women of America for twenty years.

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## INTERIOR FINISH.

Architectural Beauty in the Inside of Inexpensive Houses.

The wood finish and joiner work of a house puzzles many a man who contemplates building. The estimates for the various styles of finish differ quite materially, and yet the matter is one that cannot be settled off-hand by the question of price, as the owner wants to be sure that he will get satisfactory results, for this is the one part of the house that is abiding. He may change his outer walls, he may build additions, he may alter his system of heating and plumbing, but it is quite impossible to tear out the woodwork and replace it with another kind; so it behooves the man who is about to erect a house to give this subject the most careful attention and "be sure he is right before he goes ahead."

For cottages and small inexpensive houses, perhaps the best results are obtained by the use of cherry and pine, both in their natural colors. Both woods harmonize well, and there are no violent contrasts where the two are compelled to meet. The use of hard woods, like oak, chestnut, or ash, for a few rooms, finishing the rest of the house in any soft wood, makes a contrast that will always be displeasing to the critical eye. Whitewood and basswood are sometimes used, but these have no grain at all to speak of; when stained, they are always vile; in natural finish they are not displeasing, but they are not to be commended on account of their lack of durability. A



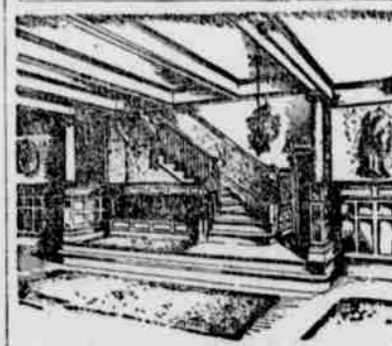
PERSPECTIVE VIEW.

single dig from a carelessly need rocking chair will gouge out a piece as effectively as a chisel.

The one prime caution in the use of any wood is to avoid as much as possible machine work. The stair rail should be large and worked with simple curves. The balusters should be firm, of good size and plain. Most cheap houses sin mainly in their mantels, generally being monstrosities built up of cheap machine moulding and tawdry turned spindles and rosettes. The line of a mantel should be severely plain, and if the size of the room will warrant it, it should be massive. The artistic eye of the architect can here be shown in the careful selection of design in mantels and tasteful draughting of detail in stairways and interior woodwork. Such details should never be left to the carpenter, contractor or builder, but be shown and selected before by the architect.

We show here a house that can be built for about \$12,000, together with the interior view of hall and staircase from the first floor.

General Dimensions: Extreme width, 62 ft. 6 ins.; depth, including veranda, 78 ft. 8 ins. Heights of



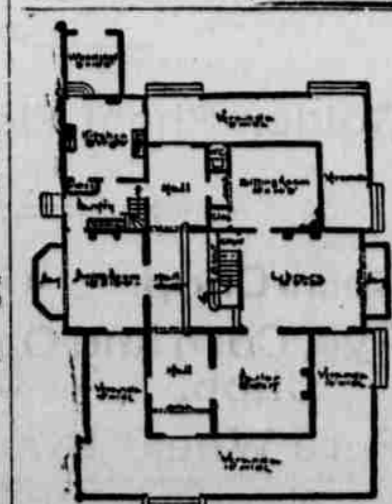
HALL AND STAIRCASE.

stories: First story, 10 ft. 6 ins.; second story, 9 ft. 6 ins.; attic, 8 ft.

Exterior Materials: Foundation, piers; first story, clapboards; second story, gables and roofs, shingles. Outside blinds to all windows except those of parlor, library, dining and drawing rooms.

Interior Finish: Hard white plaster; plaster cornices and centers in parlor, library and dining room. Hard pine flooring in hall, dining room, kitchen, servants' hall; soft wood flooring elsewhere. Red baywood trim in first and second stories, except in kitchen and pantry, where soft wood is used. Ceiling of hall and dining room paneled to imitate open timber work. Panels under windows in parlor, main halls, library and dining room. Wainscoting in kitchen and bath room. Stairs, baywood. Interior woodwork finished in hard oil.

Accommodations: The principal rooms and their sizes, closets, etc.,

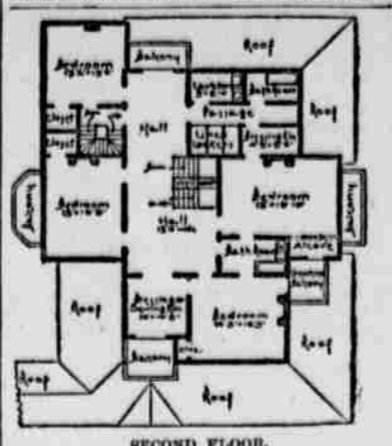


FIRST FLOOR.

are shown by the plans. No cellar. Billiard room, hall, two bedrooms and tank in attic. Hall, ten feet wide, runs through house from front to rear, with very handsome recessed staircase. Sliding doors connect hall,

parlor, library and dining room. Open fireplaces in parlor, dining room, sitting room, library and three bed rooms. Two bath rooms in second story, and two independent water closets.

Cost: \$8405, not including mantels, range and heater. The estimate is



SECOND FLOOR.

based on New York prices for materials and labor. In many sections of the country the cost should be less.

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## NEARLY SEVEN FEET LONG.

A San Francisco Woman Who Has the Longest Hair in the World.

Mrs. D. J. Davis, of San Francisco, Cal., has the longest hair in the world. It clusters in a great mass about her head, and though she is a tall woman, being five feet nine inches in height, her long tresses, when uncoiled, sweep upon the ground for nearly a foot. Her hair is just six feet and eight inches in length.

Mrs. Davis comes of a family remarkably alike for their height and the length of their hair. Though Mrs. Davis is five feet and nine inches in height, she is shorter by nearly an inch



LONGEST HAIR IN THE WORLD.

than either of her three sisters. But while they have the advantage in height they cannot equal her in the matter of hair, notwithstanding that all three have curls over a yard and a half long. Not the least remarkable part of this wonderful hair development is that while all three of Mrs. Davis's sisters had long hair from early childhood, the young lady herself could never induce her tresses to fall below her shoulders, so that it is only within the past years that they have developed such a tendency to eclipse Paderewski's shaggy mane.

"I never brush my hair," said Mrs. Davis, as she removed those long coral pins that held great coils in place about her head so that her hair might be measured, "for the reason that I do not believe it is good for the hair. In fact I have demonstrated my belief to my own satisfaction by experiment. When a girl I gave very little attention to my hair, and in consequence it did not grow at all. Sometimes I felt very much chagrined to see how much longer and prettier was the hair of all three of my sisters, but I was somewhat careless. When I became a woman I suddenly developed a desire to have long hair like theirs, and began to take the utmost care of what little I had. Every morning, and sometimes twice a day, I brushed it thoroughly, but it did not grow any better. Then I noticed that the brush, after the daily application to the hair, even when the latter had no tendency to fall out, would be filled with very fine hairs, and soon I realized that while the brushing had no effect upon the long hair it effectually killed the new growth, and I decided to stop.

"Since then I have used nothing but a very coarse comb. Every morning I go over the hair thoroughly and carefully, removing every snarl until it is as free and flowing as water. Then I braid it and coil it into varied coils about my head. I never used cosmetics on my hair."—New York Journal.

## Insurance on New Warships.

It is not generally known—probably because people do not stop to think—that the Cramps are obliged to carry an enormous amount of insurance on the vessels which are built in their shipyards for the Government. No battleship has ever started on her trial trip without being heavily insured, and when several vessels are in course of construction at one time the sum amounts up into the millions. Edwin S. Cramp is authority for the statement that the company at one time carried \$12,000,000 insurance on Government work. In fact it is said that the Cramps were obliged to go to England in order to secure this amount of insurance, owing to the limitations of the American companies.—Philadelphia Record.

## A POSTMASTER'S WIFE.

A LEEDS WOMAN WHO ASTONISHED HER FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS.

Near to Death But Restored to Complete Health by Life Insurance Company as a Good Risk.

From the Journal, Leiston, Me.  
A bright little woman, rosy and fresh from her household duties, dropped into a chair before the writer and talked with enthusiasm shining in her snapping, black eyes.

The people in the pretty village of Leeds Centre, Me., have watched with some interest the restoration to complete health of Mrs. W. L. Francis, wife of the Postmaster. So general were the comments on this interesting case that the writer who visited Mrs. Francis and learned from her that the statements regarding her troubles and her subsequent restoration therefrom are entirely true. All of her neighbors know what has been the agency that has performed this cure, but that others may be benefited by her experience, Mrs. Francis has consented to allow her story to appear in print.

"If there is anything on earth that I dread more than a doctor," she said, "it is to see my name in the papers. But in this case I conquer my repugnance and give publicly the same credit to the savior of my life as I would to one who had dragged me from a death beneath the waves. In fact, I have extolled my preserver so enthusiastically and unreservedly, have sought out sufferers and recommended the remedy to so many friends and acquaintances that already my neighbors peculiarly call me 'Pink Pills Francis.' But really my recovery is something that I consider wonderful. I know that there are so many testimonials of medicine in the papers nowadays that people do not pay as much heed as formerly, but I do wish folks who are suffering would remember that I say come right from the heart of a woman who feels that she had a new lease of happy life given to her.

"Eleven years ago I was afflicted with nervous prostration. My existence until two years ago was one of dragging misery. Any- one who sits at my feet for a few months, and my blood seemed exhausted from my years and month after month I grew weaker. I was able to undertake only the lightest household work, and even then I could perform only by slow and careful movements.

"During those months and years I was under the care of this doctor and that, but their medicines helped me only spasmodically, and then I fell into relapses more prostrating than ever.  
"On the night I used to be awakened by the most excruciating pains in my heart and side, and was obliged to use pellets of powerful medicine that the doctor gave me for relief in such attacks. At last my condition became so grave that I went out only infrequently. We had a neighbor, you know, over my husband's store, and in descending the stairway I frequently was obliged to sort of fall and slide over the steps in order to descend, such was the strain on my system resulting from even this slight exertion. Occasionally I visited my neighbors, but I was obliged to sit and rest to recover breath while ascending any elevation. In short, it did not seem that I could live, such was my complete physical prostration.

"One day I saw an advertisement of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, and although my faith in remedies was weak by that time, I sent for a box and tried them. That was two years ago. Now I call myself a well woman. Isn't it wonderful?

"I haven't had one of those excruciating pains in the heart for a year and a half. Why, even the first box of pills helped me. I can walk miles now; can do my work easily; have gained in weight constantly, and you would scarcely believe it, but a little while ago I was examined for life insurance and was accepted unhesitatingly after a careful examination by the physician.

"Do you wonder that I'm shouting 'Pink Pills' all through our village? I haven't the remotest idea of the amount of money that it has completely built me up, but at the first sign of trouble I know to what refuge to flee.

"Last year my aunt, Mrs. M. A. Blossom, of Dixfield, P. O., was here visiting me. She was suffering from lack of vitality and heart trouble, but she was skeptical about my remedy that I was so enthusiastically advocating. At last, however, she tried it and carried some home with her when she went. A little while ago I received a letter from her and it said, 'I am cured. I think to God and Pink Pills.' She also wrote that her husband had been prostrated, but had been restored by the remedy.

"We feel up to this way that such a sovereign cure cannot be too widely known. That is the only reason why I allow my name to be used in this connection. I know also that by personally recommending them I have helped many of my friends back to health, for I never let an opportunity pass when a word of counsel may direct some one."

One of the persons to whom Mrs. Francis recommended Pink Pills is Station Agent C. H. Foster, of Leeds Centre, and the reporter found him patrolling the platform awaiting the arrival of the morning train. Mr. Foster, who is one of the most trustworthy, capable and energetic men in the employ of the Maine Central Railroad, appeared in unusually good health and spirits, and we made inquiry as to the cause.

"Do you know," replied he, "I think I've made a discovery, or, at least, Mrs. Francis has for me. I have been in poor health for a long time with a heart trouble variously complicated. We have been so fully interested in Mrs. Francis' wonderful recovery that I at once determined to give the medicine recommended a thorough test. So, about two months ago, I bought the first box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Only two months, please note, yet already I am so much improved, so much better able to fulfill my duties, so sanguine that I am on the road to recovery, that I feel like a new man."

"I can now walk without the fatigue I once experienced, my heart affection appears to be relieved, and I have joined the Pink Pills Band in our community."

Mr. Foster commented taking the pills at a time when he was completely prostrated, after he had suffered such a severe attack of heart trouble that it was necessary to carry him home from his office. Since then he has faithfully adhered to the remedy and is constantly improving, so much so as to excite his enthusiasm and his gratitude.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain, in a condensed form, all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are an unfailing specific for such diseases as locomotor ataxia, partial paralysis, St. Vitus' dance, sciatica, neuralgia, rheumatism, nervous headache, the after effect of a gripe, palpitation of the heart, pale and sallow complexion, all forms of weakness, either in male or female. Pink Pills are sold by all dealers, or will be sent postpaid on receipt of price, (50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50)—they are never sold in bulk or by the 100 by addressing Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

## Her Check.

Husband—Did you get that ten-dollar check your uncle sent you cashed yet?

Wife—No; I haven't been out.

Husband—Well, I am sending an order to a cigar dealer for two boxes of \$5 cigars. I don't want to send money in an envelope. You take this \$10 and give me your check.

Wife—Certainly.

Husband (a day later)—More money? Why, my dear, what did you do with the \$10 your uncle sent you?

Wife (in a huff)—You took it for cigars.—New York Weekly.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for Children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain; cures wind colic. 25c a bottle.

## Heart Disease Relieved in 30 Minutes.

Dr. Agnew's Cure for the Heart gives perfect relief in all cases of Organic or Sympathetic Heart Disease in 30 minutes, and speedily effects a cure. It is a powerful remedy for Palpitation, Shortness of Breath, Smothering Spells, Pain in Left Side and all symptoms of a Diseased Heart. One dose convinces. If your druggist hasn't it in stock, ask him to procure it for you. It will save your life.

After six years' suffering, I was cured by Fiso's Cure.—MARY THOMAS, 234 Ohio Ave., Allegheny, Pa., March 10, '94.



## Gladness Comes

With a better understanding of the transient nature of the many physical ills which vanish before proper efforts—gentle efforts—pleasant efforts—rightly directed. There is comfort in the knowledge that so many forms of sickness are not due to any actual disease, but simply to a congested condition of the system, which the pleasant family laxative, Syrup of Figs, promptly removes. That is why it is the only remedy with millions of families, and is everywhere esteemed so highly by all who value good health. Its beneficial effects are due to the fact, that it is the one remedy which promotes internal cleanliness, without debilitating the organs on which it acts. It is therefore all important, in order to get its beneficial effects, to note when you purchase, that you have the genuine article, which is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, and sold by all reputable druggists.

If in the enjoyment of good health, and the system is regular, then laxatives or other remedies are not needed. If afflicted with any actual disease, one may be commenced to the most skillful physician, but if in need of a laxative, then one should have the best, and with the well-informed everywhere, Syrup of Figs stands highest and is most largely used and gives most general satisfaction.



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"Some time ago," said Clifton Aroparger (of Paris, Ky.), County Attorney of Bourbon Co., Ky., "I saw the advertisements of Ripans Tabules in the Louisville Courier-Journal, and believing it was the remedy I needed, I determined to get some of the Tabules. There was no name attached to the advertisement, so I wrote to the publishers of the Courier-Journal and was referred to the Ripans Chemical Co., 10 Spruce St., New York, from whom I obtained a box for 50 cents. I had been greatly troubled with sick headache, but since I secured Ripans Tabules, whenever I begin to feel symptoms of sick headache or sour stomach, I take one or two Tabules and escape all the terrors of a splitting headache. One taken after eating has aided my digestion and made me feel like a different person. I find I now can get the Tabules from a local druggist. (Signed) CLIFTON AROPARGER, September 13th, 1895."

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