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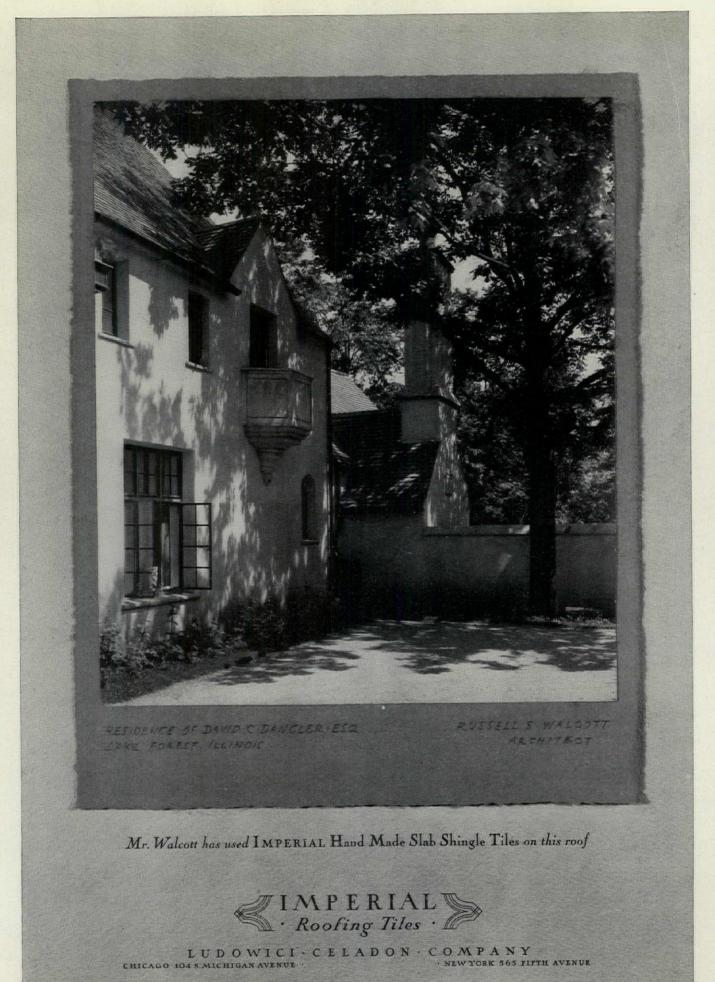
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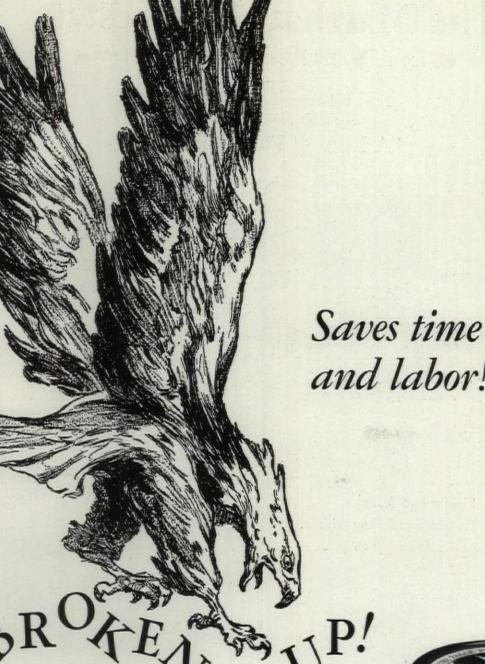
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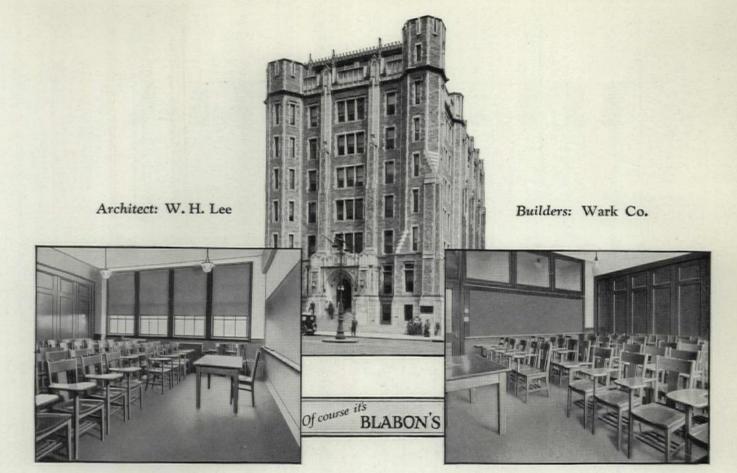
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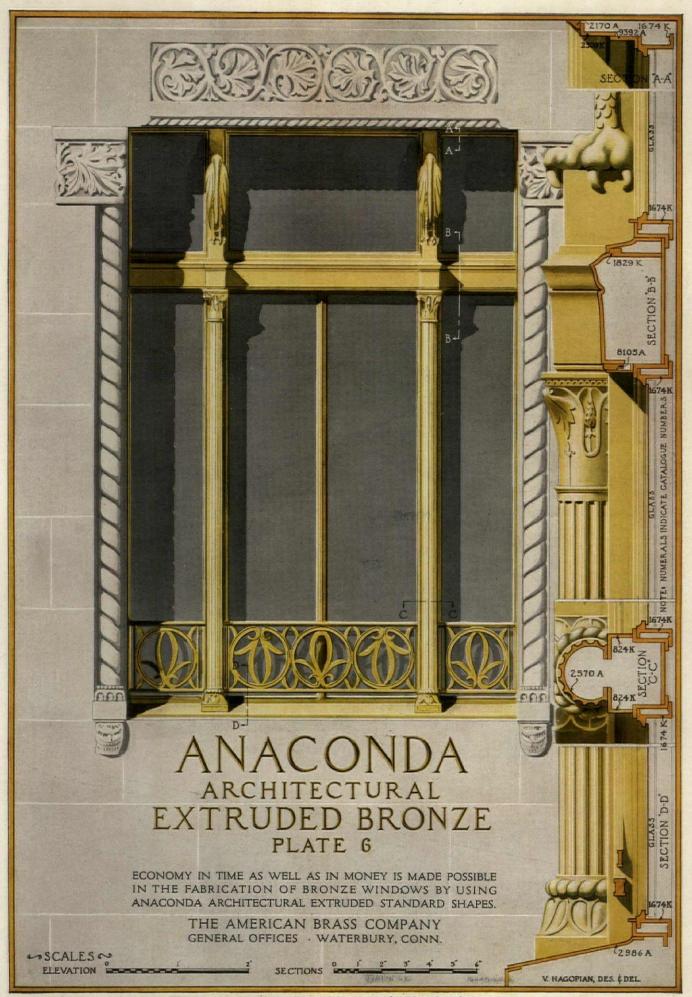


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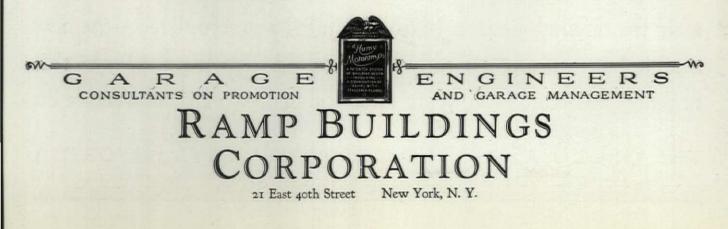
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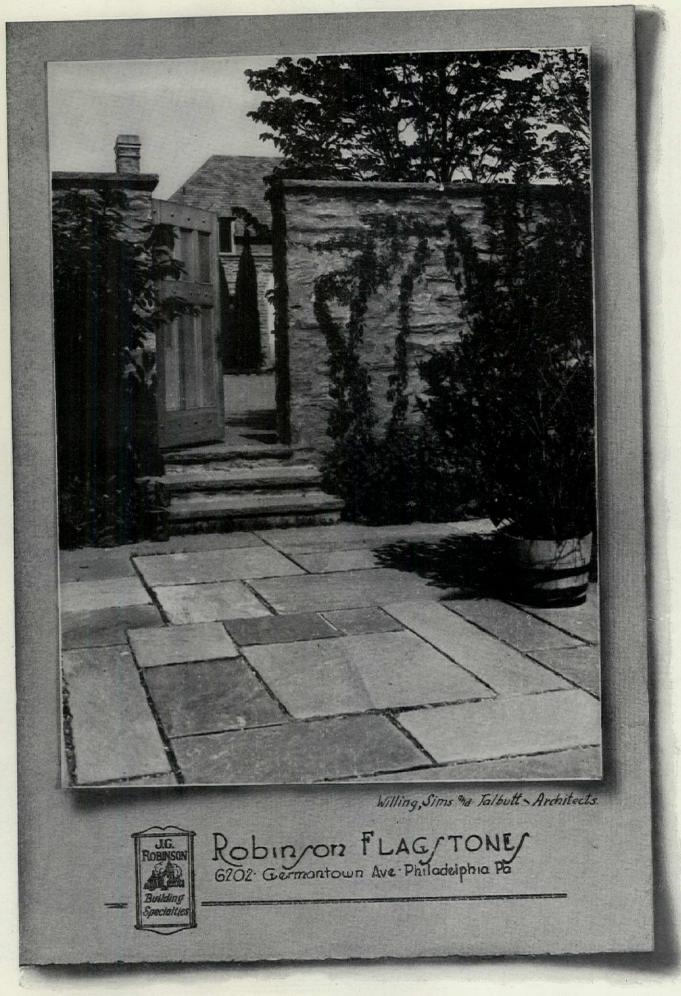
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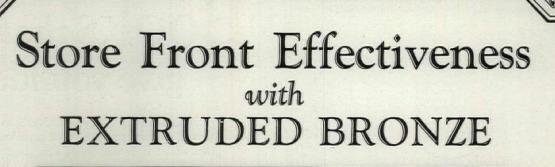
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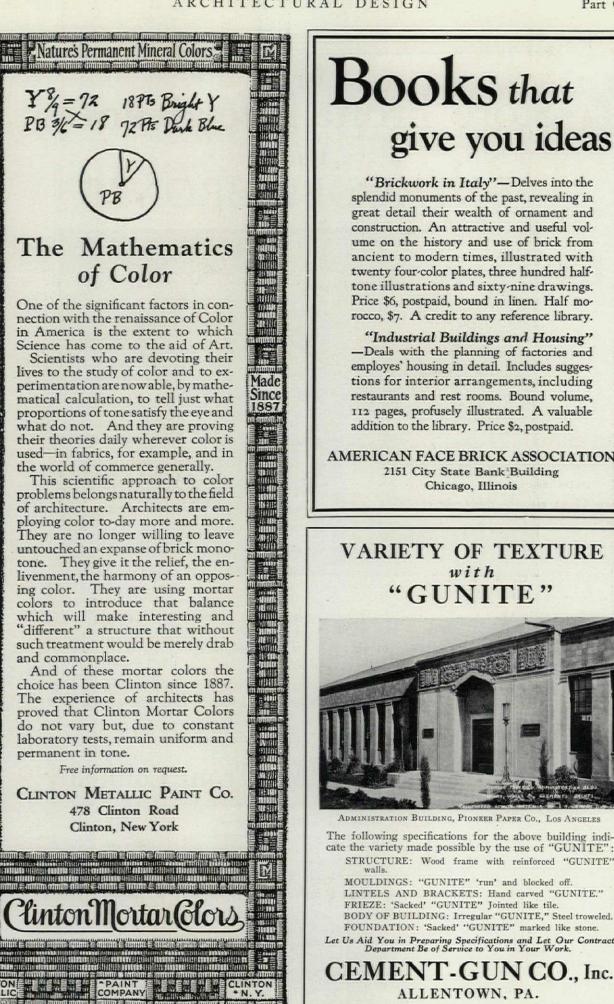
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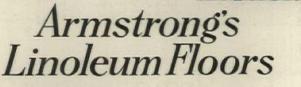
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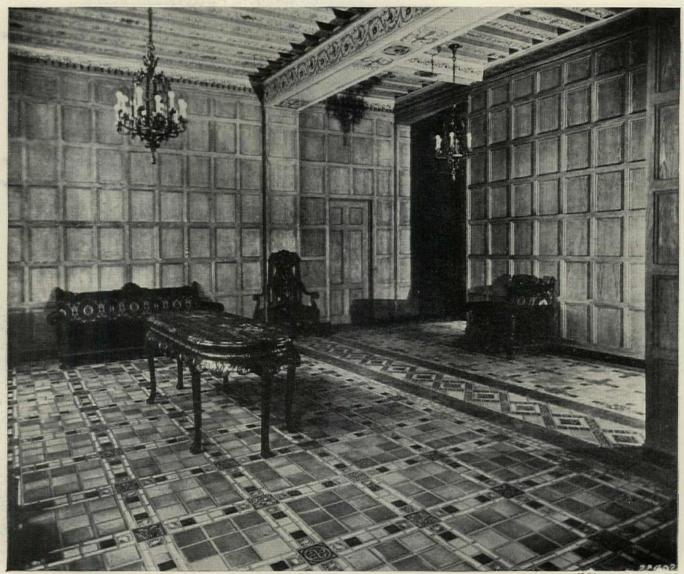
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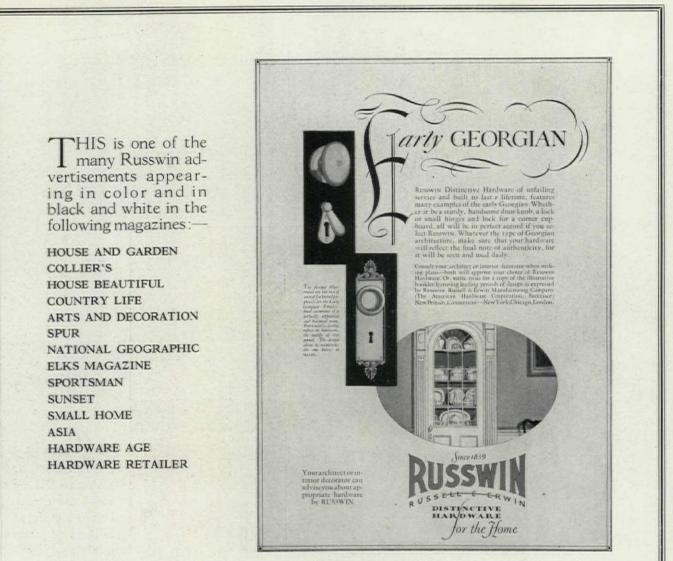


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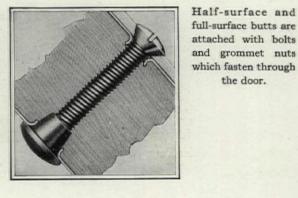
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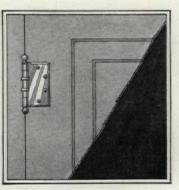
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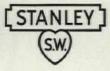
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Louisiana, was after all but the center of this colorful life, for on vast plantations on the "Upper Coast" or the "Lower," on the shores of Lake Ponchartrain or along the languid and sluggish Teche the descendants of the early French and Spanish aristocracy cultivated their broad and fertile acres with the aid of willing blacks and perpetuated in not a few instances the traditions of a much older civilization, some-



"Oak Lawn" on Bayou Teche

times giving their plantations names,-such a name as "Fontainebleau," for example,-which of themselves suggested a certain glamour and exerted a definite appeal. But at the same time there is probably no section of the entire country which has suffered more cruelly from the vicissitudes of time. Storm and tornado have more than once devastated the region, as have disastrous floods without number, and within the past few months the world has watched, with dismay, the work of the most recent flood and the sacrifice of a large part of Louisiana in an attempt to secure the safety of "the city,"-none too secure even behind its supposedly impregnable "levees." The attempt to save New Orleans must have involved the destruction of many an old plantation house, the loss of which leaves American architecture definitely the poorer. Fearful indeed was the devastation wrought by the angry Mississippi as it spread over the richest parishes in Louisiana, working ruin as it swept the land, undoing in days work of centuries.

One opens this interesting work, sympathetically written and illustrated with some 50 or more of Mr. Spratling's spirited sketches, wondering just how much of all this architectural and historical riches still exists. Architecturally the fashions of southern Louisiana have always been derived from French and Spanish sources, the resulting fusion being powerfully influenced by the "Greek Revival," for the high tide of the prosperity of the South came just before the period of the Civil War, the time being also that of the culmination of American interest in this particular type. This architectural style was quickly seen to be well adapted for use in Louisiana, for broad and columned verandas or "galleries," whether one story high or two, made bearable the heat of the warmest days, and the floor plan which generally went with this particular type was such as appealed to local

teachings of the "Revival," and the results are still to be seen after 60 or more years of ruthless treatment. In this interesting volume these old plantation homes

habit and custom. Louisiana, in fact, perhaps with more

fervor than any other part of the South, embraced the

these old plantation homes are presented in their most charming light. One views them as from a public highway, the window of a railroad car, or from the deck of one of the few "steamboats" which still travel the Mississippi, — houses generally low and spreading, of frame or else of brick stuccoed over, generally painted white or whitewashed, and usually having green blinds

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or shutters at their windows and often at their doors. Such a house will generally be surrounded by many small accessory buildings, and all this will probably be embowered in a grove of magnolias or live oaks, the oaks likely to be heavily draped with the moss which gives to the gayest setting a somewhat funereal appearance.

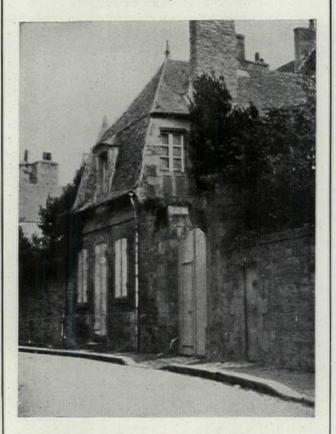
All of this would apply to "Oak Lawn," the old plantatation house illustrated on this page. "The romance and gallantries and the large manner of living which is the South of yesterday seem a pleasant, unsubstantial thing. However, places in the manner of Oak Lawn perform a miracle of incarnation, and give form and body and the breath of life to graceful, legendary people. So all the tales often vouched for, but never seeming to have the stuff of truth, acquire a solidity; the banquet with five-dollar bills used as cigar lighters, the wedding gifts of six men slaves and six women slaves, each with a turban full of gold on the head,—to this and all their glittering ilk one is instantly attuned by a view of Oak Lawn as it stands aloof, remote and in picturesque decay.

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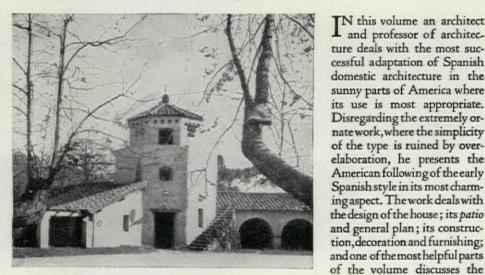
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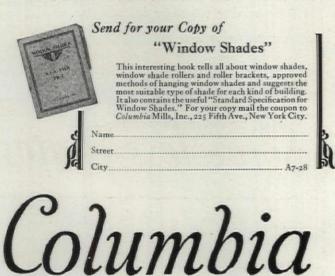
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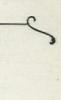


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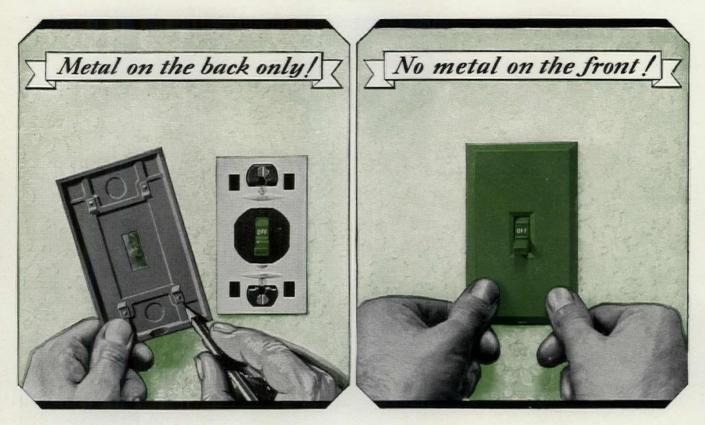
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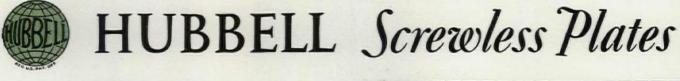
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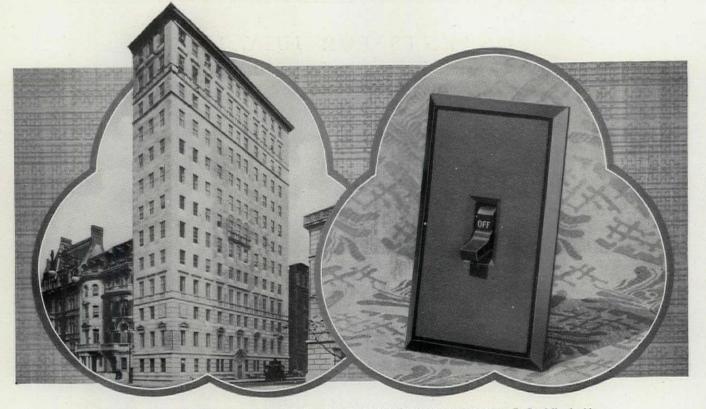
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Since the deaths of Mr. McKim and Mr. White, Mr. Mead had continued to practice under the old firm name in association with partners who grew up with the firm and were admitted to partnership while Mr. McKim and Mr. White were still living. The firm has designed many of the most notable structures in the country, among them being the Agricultural and New York State Buildings at the World's Columbian Exposition at Chicago in 1893; the Boston Public Library; Rhode Island State Capitol; the old Madison Square Garden; and the Columbia Library and other buildings of that university; also the library and other structures at the College of the City of New York; the University of Virginia, the University, Century, Metropolitan, Harvard, and Racquet and Tennis Club of New York; the War College at Washington and the reconstruction of the White House; the General Post Office in New York; the Municipal Building; the Pennsylvania Station; Bellevue Hospital; Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences; additions to the Metropolitan Museum of Art; Madison Square Presbyterian Church; Bank of Montreal; Knickerbocker Trust Company; and the National City Bank.

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WHEN American visitors to Sulgrave Manor this year inspect the ancestral home of George Washington, they will find that an entire wing, known to have been pulled down in the eighteenth century, has been reconstructed. Thus Sulgrave Manor has progressed one step further in the restoration of its former condition, and the ancient house, which carries the history of the Washington family back to the days of King Henry VIII, is beginning to look as it did when the Washingtons moved to Virginia, according to *The New York Times*.

"With the partial restoration at the hands of the Sulgrave Institution several years ago, the fine old sixteenth century mansion seemed architecturally incomplete. Last year it was decided that the missing wing should be rebuilt in scrupulous harmony with the rest of the building. The architect chosen was Sir Reginald Blomfield, whose reconstruction of Regent Street in London has helped to stamp him as a leader of his profession. In preparing the plans for Sulgrave Manor, Sir Reginald tried to visualize the building as the Washington family left it. The result is that externally the new wing is so in keeping with the opposite wing of the house that it has the appearance of sturdy old age.

"The stone for the wing was cut in the neighborhood of Sulgrave, weather-worn rock being selected wherever possible. The roof is of stone slates, which have the picturesque, dulled color of age. Creeping plants and vines grow up over the new wing, concealing any difference between the parts.

"But it is the surrounding country-side even more than the house itself which breathes the placid, gentle beauty of old England. Behind the south garden stretches an orchard with apple trees all in the glorious bloom of an English Spring. If one looks across the yew hedge-row and smooth green lawn with its border of flowers which will soon be blooming, one can see the gracious old mansion standing in the plain dignity in which it stood centuries ago. A modern blue-slated barn which sprawled across the picture until a few weeks ago has been torn down, so there is now nothing to spoil the illusion or to mar the simple, old world setting.

"The expense of the restoration has been collected from individual members of the Colonial Dames of America, supplemented by admission fees to the manor house. Last year more than 10,000 persons, mostly Americans, visited the historic house. It is hoped that from the same sources money will come to complete the restoration of the seventeenth century rooms, until recently used by the caretaker."

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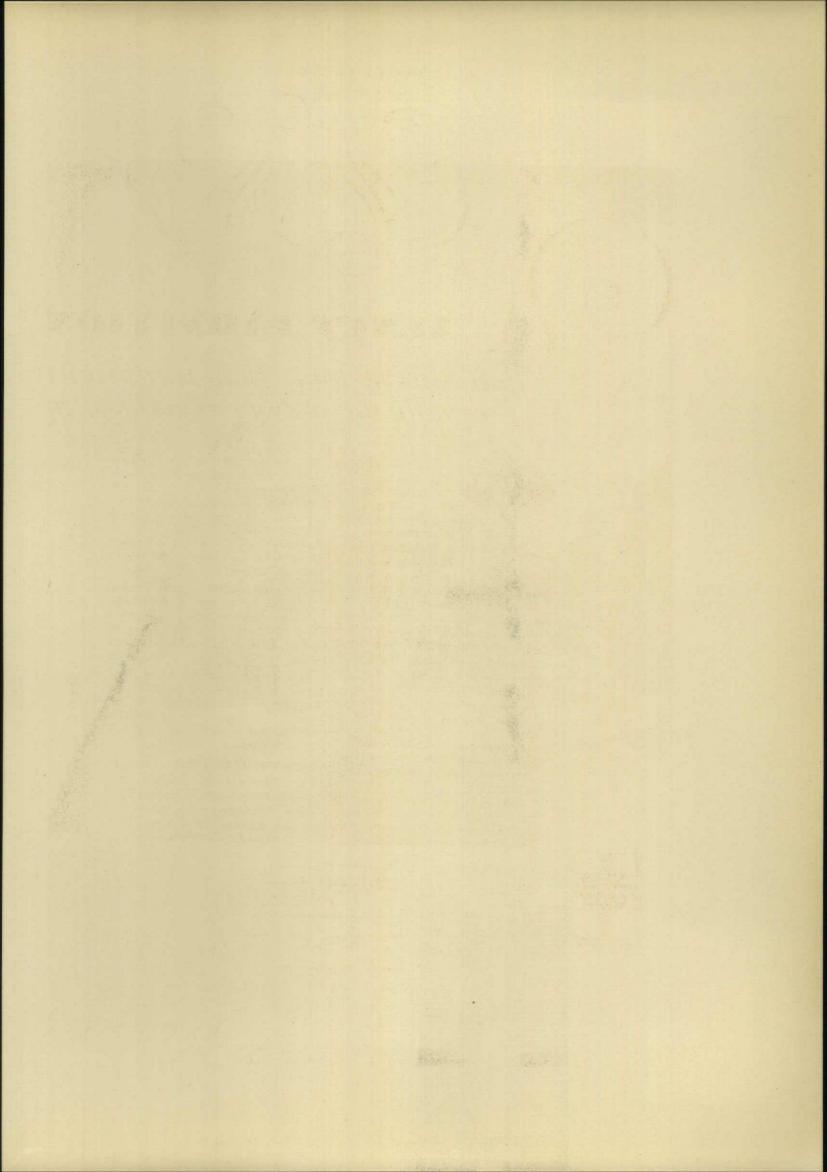
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THE Philadelphia Museum of Art, in Fairmount Park, must be considered from three points of view if we wish to understand it in its true significance. These three points of view, though distinct in themselves, are all closely related each to the others. In the first place, the building invites examination as a work of architecture. Next, it claims our regard as an important and indeed a pivotal factor in a remarkable program of regenerative city planning. Finally, representing as it does the last word in museum arrangement, it requires more than merely passing notice on the score of convenience.

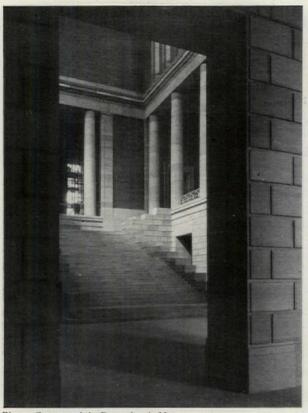
As an architectural achievement, it should be plainly said at the outset that the three associated architects,-Charles L. Borie, Jr., Clarence C. Zantzinger, and Horace Trumbauer-make no claim whatever to originality in either the conception or the realization of what has been performed. And, if we seek for evidence of that quality, we shall not find it. After all, it is quite possible to question whether any great degree of originality is especially to be desired in a building of this sort. The absolute fundamentality of Greek classicism for a museum has something to be said in its favor. In some way we have come to associate with it a certain universal propriety, just as French is recognized as the common language of diplomacy. The Greek mode is safe, dignified and restful, whatever else it may or may not be. In employing it one is saved the risk of experimental uncertainty. It is altogether a known quantity. Thanks to its general acceptance as the embodiment of quiet simplicity and perennial decorum, a Greek building affords a setting for the diversity of exhibits brought together within its walls,-a setting if not warmly sympathetic, at least charitable and unobtrusive. Again, for a building whose structure and purpose constitute a source of æsthetic and financial concern to an enormous community with inevitably divergent tastes, it may be questioned whether a type of design less generally accepted as a standard of fitness would have been altogether justifiable. Furthermore, in a case where three associated architects were involved, a classic Greek expression was the only form upon which they could unanimously agree as the proper style.

The ideal that actuated the architects in this instance finds its explanation in a passage from J. D. Beazley's translation of Ernst Pfuhl's "Masterpieces of Greek Drawing and Painting". From the west coast of Asia Minor, the land of Homer, to the Golden Gate of San Francisco, and away to Sydney and Wellington; from the immigration of the Greeks into their historical homes to the present day, four thousand years of history and a single culture unite the peoples of the West. The roots of their thought and their motion are in Hellas, where European humanity manifested itself for the first time, and with incomparable clarity, purity, and beauty, in home and state, in art and poetry, in thought and science. Wherever Europeans have settled and great communities have expressed themselves in monumental buildings, there we find Greek columns and pediments, Greek orders and mouldings. These are something more than a historical symbol; for even where the architect has been but partially conscious of the forms which he has employed, something of the magic of Hellas lingers in these late descendants of Greek architecture. In architecture and the figurative arts, as in philosophy and poetry, the Greeks turned all they touched into forms of crystalline clearness, whose beauty was the natural expression of their intrinsic necessity. Their works of architecture and of political and philosophical thought, no less than their poetical and artistic creations, are permeated with organic life. . . . Greek humanity and Greek mastery of form laid the foundation of a luster which no subsequent period, however great its achievements, has equaled; for the luster is the light of pure youth."

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Profound respect for our legacy of Greek culture, and recognition of Greek forms as a part of our common heritage, need no apology for their expression in tangible form. Though the building of the Philadelphia Museum of Art be denied the appeal of originality, it is an outstanding example of archæological achievement. The propriety of an archæological presentation once determined, the architects spared no effort to make their work as archæologically perfect as possible, regardless of the labor and research entailed. In the matter of refinements and

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Photos. Courtesy of the Pennsylvania Museum Entrance Door into Main Stair Hall

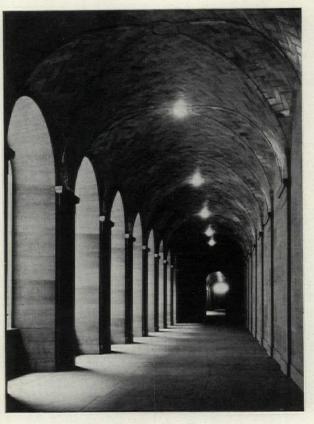
subtleties practiced by the Greek builders for the purpose of correcting optical illusions and mitigating the starkness of absolutely straight lines and right angles, the greatest care was exercised to conform to the best traditions of antiquity. This adherence to Greek precedent is one of the most unusual features of the building. It was a labor of love with Professor Goodyear to check the drawings for the Museum, with the aim of making it agree in its refinements with the refinements of the Parthenon as recorded by him. Subtleties and variations from absolutely linear rectitude, which it was often impossible to indicate even on large scale drawings, were taken care of in the course of actual superintendence. The walls of the pedimented ends for the central pavilion and wings are slightly convex, and the column centers of their porticoes, along with the entablatures, follow the same nearly imperceptible curve; the intermediate walls of the wings are concaved and given a slight batter; the roof peaks are convex, as are likewise the steps of both approach and main entrance; the long horizontal lines of the stylobate and cornice are slightly convexed upward, while there is a comparable convexity in the horizontal across the base of the pediment; and endless similar corrections were made so that the finished structure might realize that ideal of "elasticity and vigor of aspect,-an elusive and surprising beauty impossible to describe and not to be explained by



The Philadelphia Museum of Art Charles L. Borie, Jr., Clarence C. Zantzinger and Horace Trumbauer, Associated, Architects

the mere composition and general proportions, yet manifest to every cultivated eye." It is only fair to add that the solicitude shown during the course of erection has been justified in the outcome.

The one feature of the Museum most likely to excite widespread interest and comment is the use of color on the outside. The Minnesota Mankato and Kasota stone, of which the Museum is built, has itself a warm, glowing, tawny hue of a very distinct character, approximating a ground color often used by the Greeks to cover the whole exterior of a marble or stuccoed building. The glazed roof tiles give a varied mass of blue ranging from turquoise to indigo. Many would let it go at that. The mere mention of exterior architectural polychromy is usually enough to send off the disapproving into a volley of prejudiced deprecation. Tradition, almost unbroken since the Renaissance, so they say, has been against it. If the truth be known, there has really been more post-Renaissance external polychromy than they care to recall. The alleged weight of tradition creates a handicap to start with. Claiming the authority of time-honored usage, the anti-colorists are wont to rail at the use of polychrome adornment as a spectacular effort to galvanize dry classicism into the semblance of a living interest fundamentally alien to it. It is a ruse to divert the public eye from poverty-stricken platitudes by dangling before it a bright-hued toy. Dubious neutrals, taking refuge



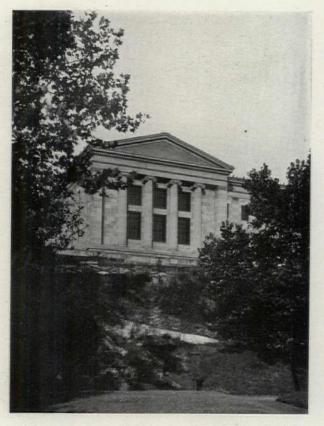
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Vaulted Corridor in the Basement



South Front of The Philadelphia Museum of Art from the Parkway Charles L. Borie, Jr., Clarence C. Zantzinger and Horace Trumbauer, Associated, Architects

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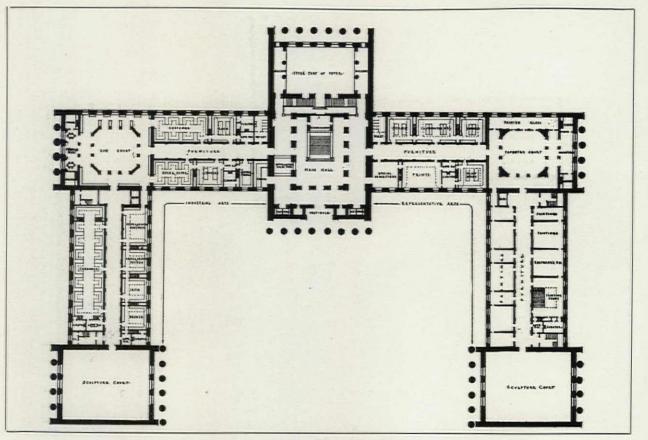


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Pedimented Motif of Front of the Southwest Pavilion from the Parkway

in a non-committal stand, query the manner of polychrome performance and intimate that most of the modern attempts are ill-conceived. As a matter of fact, use of external polychromy of a very vivid sort was a recognized and effective factor in the aspect of Greek buildings. The relations of color to composition and the proportions of both structural members and incident details constituted a carefully reasoned code. When the architects of the Museum committed themselves to a program of archæology, they very properly included accuracy of color treatment as well as accuracy of form.

Too much credit cannot be given for the thorough research brought to bear in the accomplishment of this task and for the scrupulous fidelity to classic precedent shown throughout. The constant collaboration of Leon V. Solon, who has made the field of exterior polychromy peculiarly his own, has been invaluable; likewise must acknowledgment be made for the whole-hearted coöperation of the sculptors, John Gregory and C. P. Jennewein, who are responsible for the groups in the polychromed portions of the exterior,-the groups in the pediments, the cresting of the roof, the capitals of the columns and pilasters, and sundry other details,-all executed in lustrous glazed terra cotta. Incidentally, it should be mentioned that the physical requirements of the occasion have called forth an entirely new development in manufacturing technique. Brilliant colors were employed, "adaptable to conditions of visibility



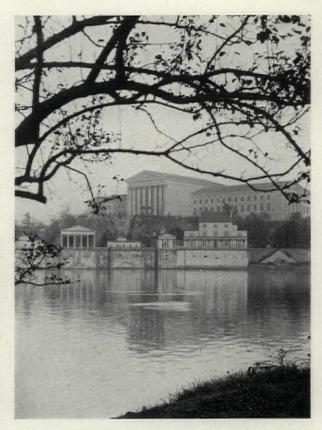
Plan of the First or Study Collection Floor, The Philadelphia Museum of Art Charles L. Borie, Jr., Clarence C. Zantzinger and Horace Trumbauer, Associated, Architects

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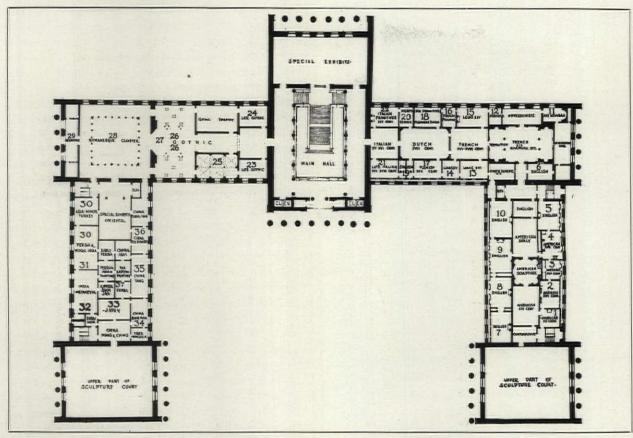
at long range,"-scarlet, vermilion, gold, black, buff, blue and green. Many problems in the distribution of color had to be solved. As Mr. Solon writes, "when each group had finally reached a state of development which appeared to leave detail in doubt, it was cast in plaster and shellacked ready for coloring." When the groups were colored they "became as sensitive as a musical instrument, and color was in actuality a dynamic force which could link together or completely separate features in composition." The effects of color were no less pronounced when applied to mouldings, dentils, triglyphs, foliage and other details. The chromatic balance with regard to articulation and accent had to be delicately adjusted. Hearty commendation is due the architects and those who labored with them in realizing an exterior polychrome scheme for a building of classic character more comprehensive than anything that has been attempted since the golden age in Greece. This venture in polychromy marks a signal achievement in the realm of American architecture and is bound to exert a far-reaching influence. It will unquestionably disturb the equanimity of that type of classicists who have cultivated a sense of form only and an obsession for icy, drab austerity.

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It is too soon, perhaps, for the general public to arrive at a stable estimate of the value of the Museum. Architectural ideals are in a state of flux and conflict; æsthetic perception is likely to be abnormally sensitive and irritable. Critics, with whose



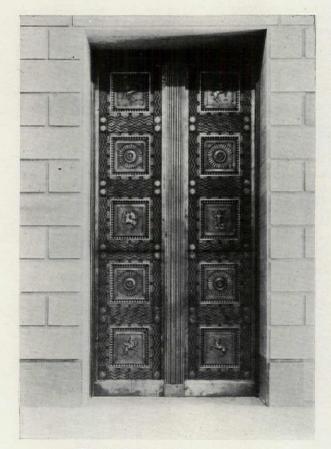
The Museum and Buildings of the Old Water Works from Across the River



Plan of the Second or Principal Exhibition Floor, The Philadelphia Museum of Art Charles L. Borie, Jr., Clarence C. Zantzinger and Horace Trumbauer, Associated, Architects

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One of the Georgian Rooms in The Philadelphia Museum of Art



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Detail of Bronze Elevator Doors

particular preference some comparatively minor matter does not exactly coincide, are often unduly harsh and disposed to magnify disapproval of a single feature into blanket condemnation. Those opposed to exterior polychromy, by prejudice or conviction, are sometimes so intemperate in their expression of dislike that one is disposed to quote to them in rejoinder Hoffenstein's lines: "There's something wrong with all of us; let's ask the Hippopotamus." At last, when Philadelphia's full scheme of civic reconstruction shall have been realized, the scheme of which the Museum is the pivotal feature, the structure crowning with its ordered serenity the eminence at the end of the Parkway will come into its own. When that day comes, those who have borne the burden of decision in all matters affecting the Museum and the entire program connected with it will have the justification to which they are entitled.

Aside from immediately architectural considerations, the Museum holds the key position in a program of city rearrangement without parallel elsewhere. Years ago, one chilly April morning, Mayor Reyburn took a party of politicians and officials to the top of the old Fairmount reservoir hill and bade them look from there to the City Hall tower. They looked, and saw a mile or more of closely built city blocks traversed by a network of streets running at right angles. The Mayor then broached the project of a museum and art gallery to crown the reservoir hill, and a broad parkway lined with civic buildings

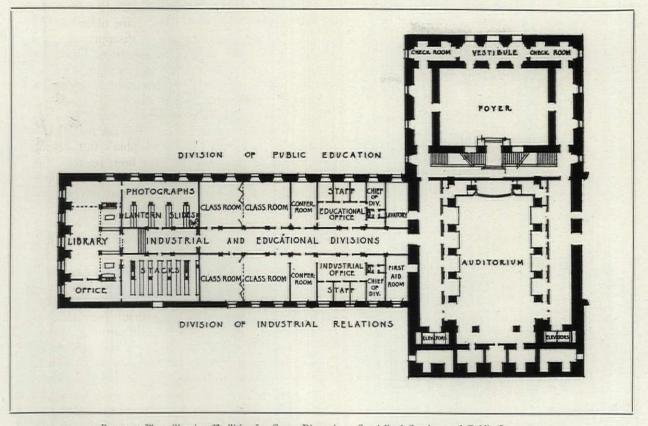
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GEORGIAN ROOM FROM TREATY HOUSE, UPMINSTER, NEAR LONDON



Basement Plan, Showing Facilities for Group Discussions, Specialized Services and Public Lectures THE PHILADELPHIA MUSEUM OF ART

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running straight as a die from the foot of the hill to the City Hall. This was the initial public step towards realizing the city's hitherto neglected opportunities. The Mayor's proposal dismayed his companions, who could see nothing ahead but utter impossibility: it "wrung shouts of anger and derision from people who presented themselves as spokesmen for the 'unfortunate taxpayers.'" Nevertheless, year by year the dream envisioned by Mayor Reyburn has gradually been coming true. The completion of the Museum, the Parkway, and an appreciable showing of its flanking buildings will inevitably hasten the ultimate rounding out of the entire scheme with its extended boulevards on both banks of the Schuylkill. The torrents of complaint, hostile criticism and narrow-minded spite poured for years upon those who have stood at the forefront of this tremendous project have not changed the steadfast purpose of the program adopted. The President of the Park Commission, roundly abused and charged with "czarism," has been happily oblivious to the

with "czarism," has been happily oblivious to the maledictions constantly showered upon him and has vindicated the "autocracy," of which he has been accused, by its intelligence and the accomplishment of tasks, confronted with which a more theoretically appropriate democratic course would have proved utterly futile. Thanks to the combination of circumstances, the Museum, now a *fait accompli*, appears as a visible and convincing warrant of what has been done, stands forth as a fitting and dignified terminus of the Parkway vista, and renders imperative the southern extension of the east and west boulevards along the Schuylkill. Its bearing as a central feature in a great civic composition must not be overlooked in the estimate of its significance.

In the arrangement of the Museum's plan, the primary objects were the greatest possible measure of educational utility, and the opportunity for future growth in accordance with a unified, coherent scheme. Since "a living museum has two distinct functions to perform,-to maintain an exhibition gallery and to conduct a school with research laboratories,"the building "is divided into two main floors,-an exhibition floor and a study collection floor." Below the main exhibition floor is the study collection floor where, by a cross classification with the exhibits on the principal floor above and by unusual facilities for study, the educational usefulness of the Museum is increased; below the study floor, again, there is a floor for the educational departments and for the research laboratories. The arrangement of the main exhibition floor provides for central galleries flanked on each side by a series of period rooms, true in every detail to the times and places from which they have come. In these rooms are exhibited the finest of the contemporary paintings, furniture, and all the appropriate decorative accessories. Among such rooms already installed are a room from the Treaty House, Upminster, near London; eighteenth century rooms from Sutton-Scarsdale and Wrightington Hall, in Derbyshire; the great parlor of the Powel House, Philadelphia; a room from the early nineteenth century Derby House, in Salem; and two early Pennsylvania-German rooms from the Millbach house.



One of the Exhibition Galleries, The Philadelphia Museum of Art

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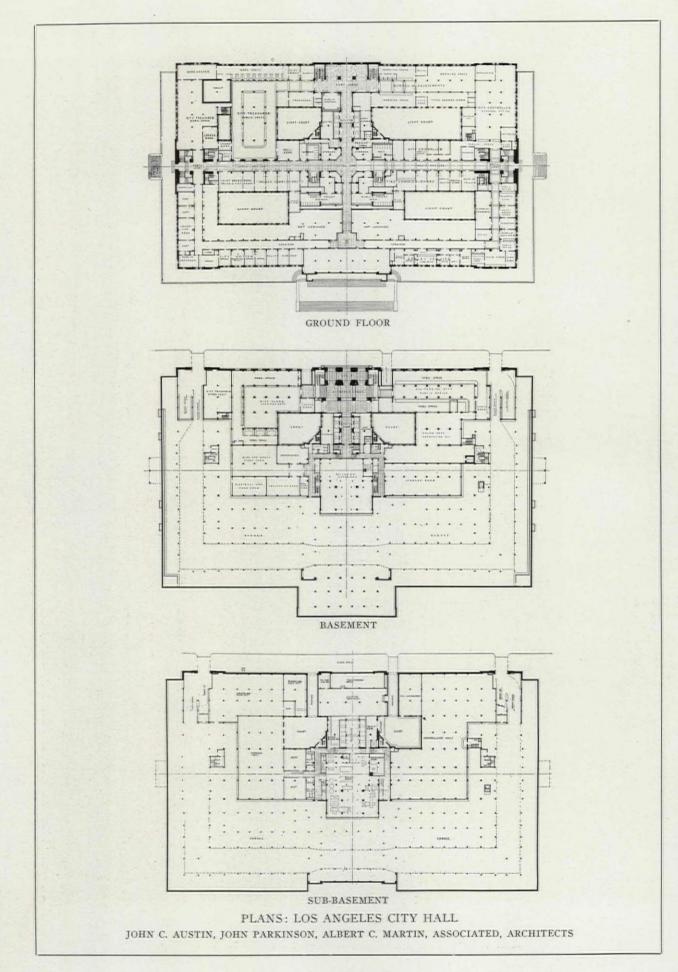
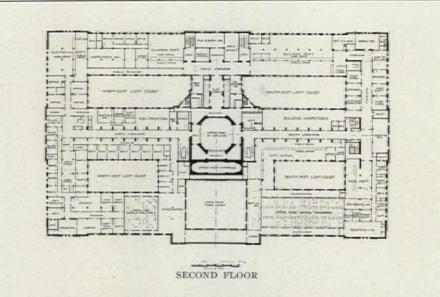


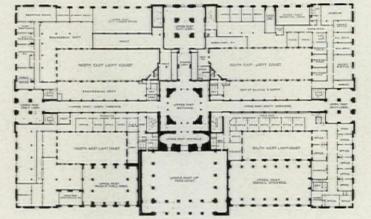
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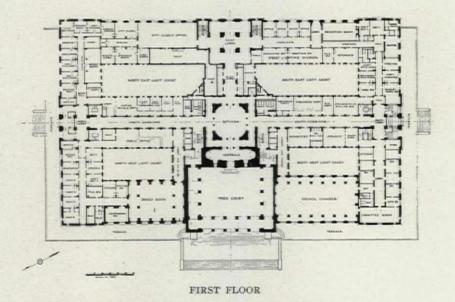
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MAIN ENTRANCE TO FORECOURT, LOS ANGELES CITY HALL JOHN C. AUSTIN, JOHN PARKINSON, ALBERT C. MARTIN, ASSOCIATED, ARCHITECTS





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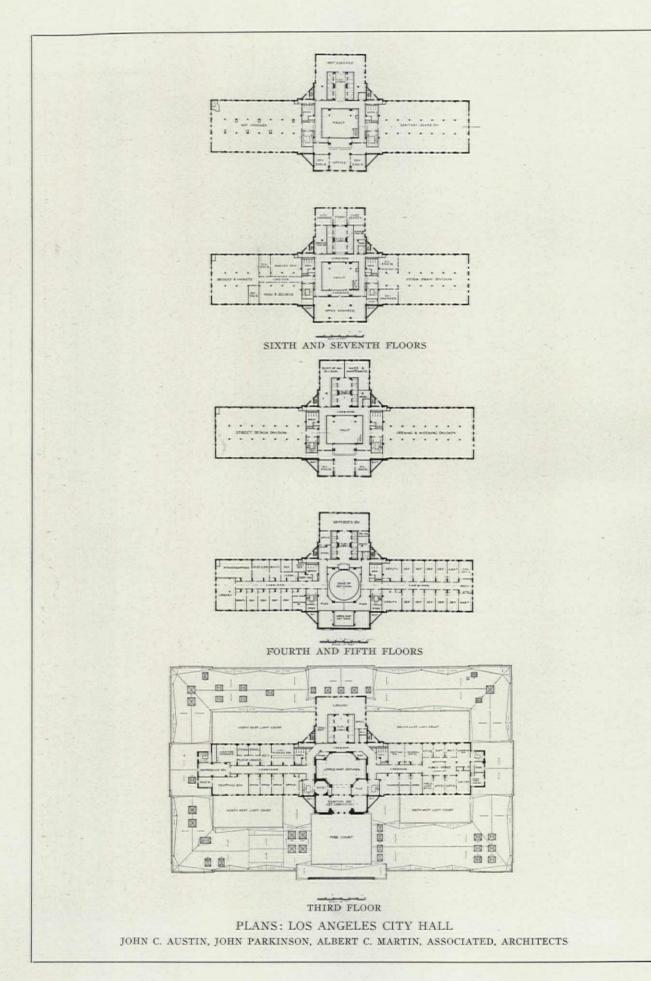
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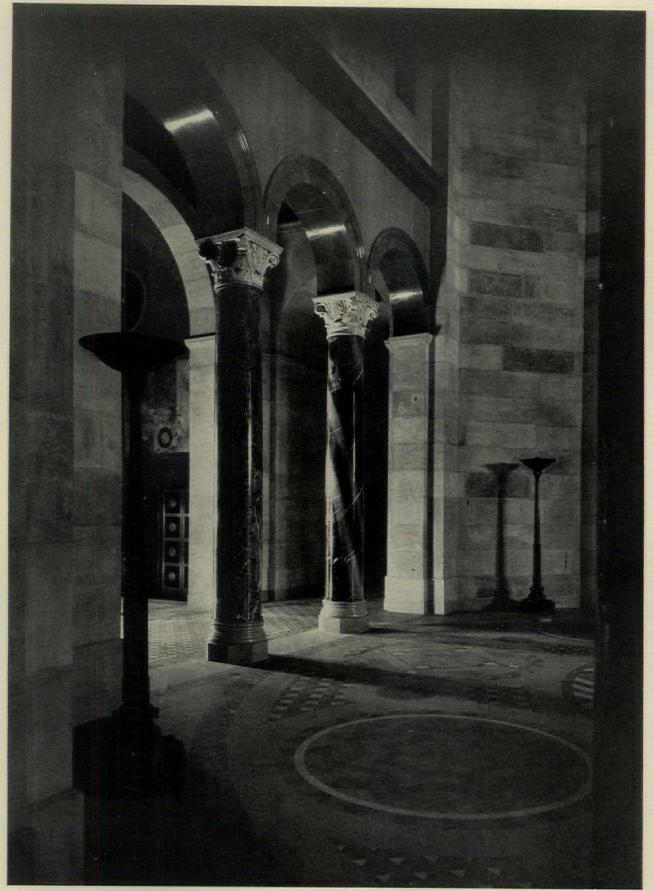
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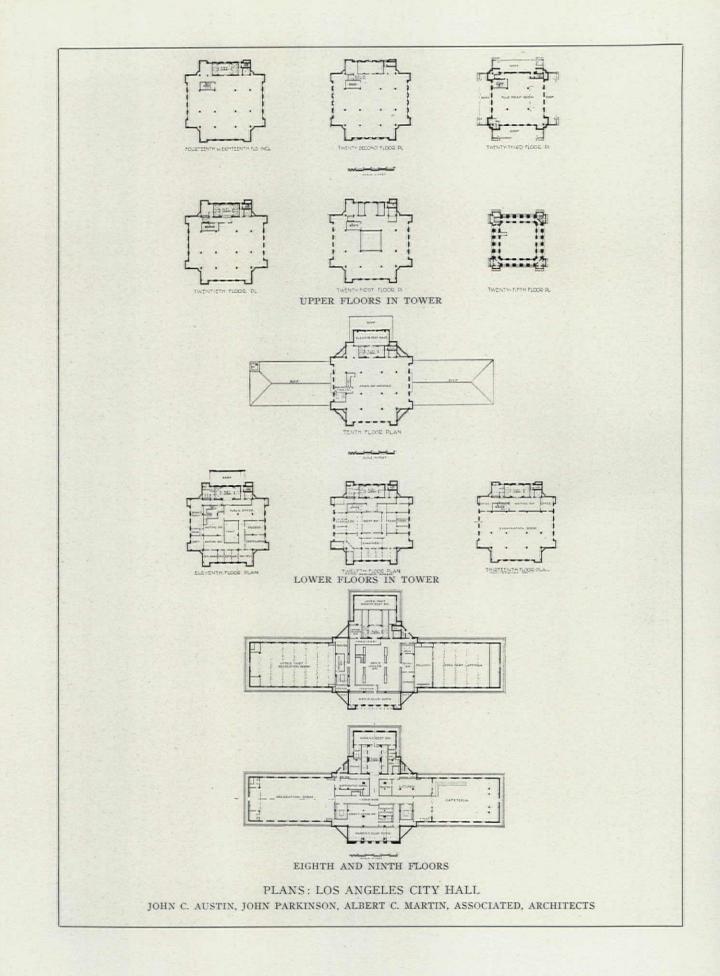
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ENTRANCE FROM ELEVATOR LOBBY INTO ROTUNDA, LOS ANGELES CITY HALL JOHN C. AUSTIN, JOHN PARKINSON, ALBERT C. MARTIN, ASSOCIATED, ARCHITECTS



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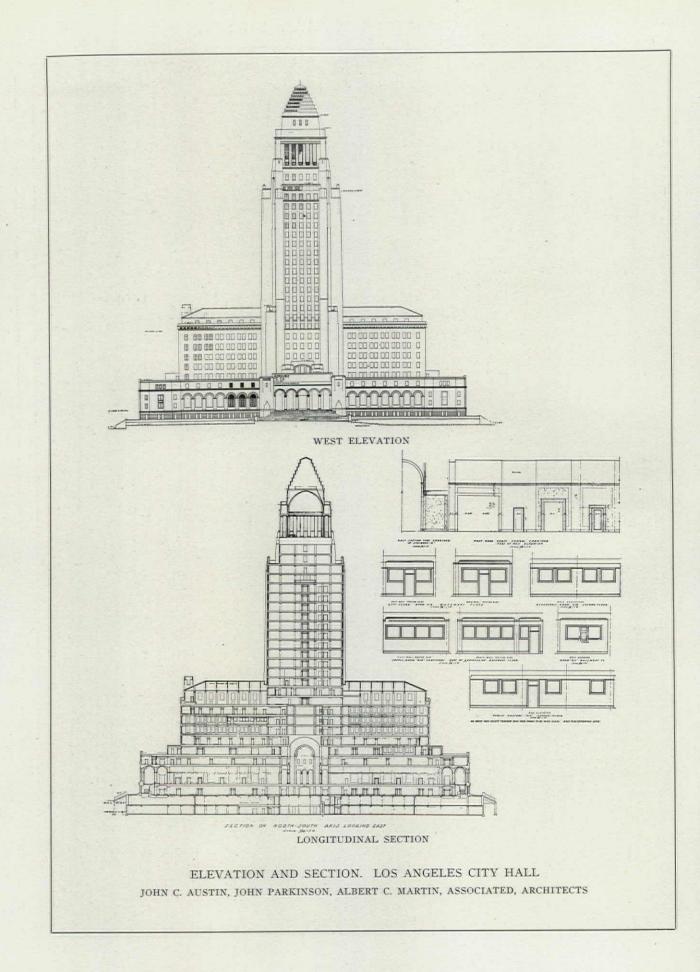
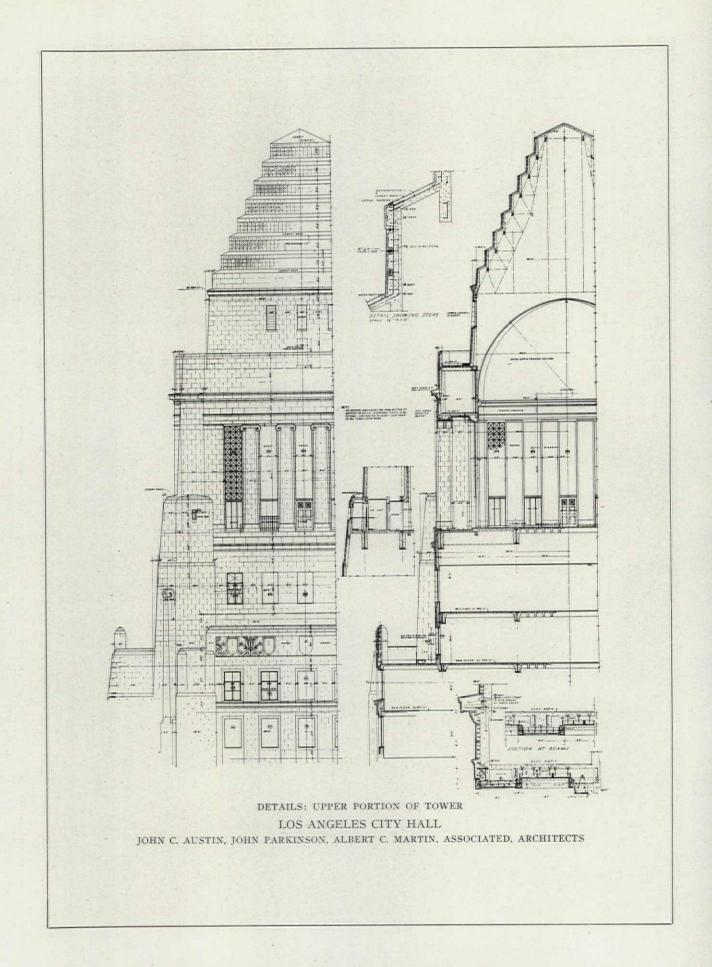


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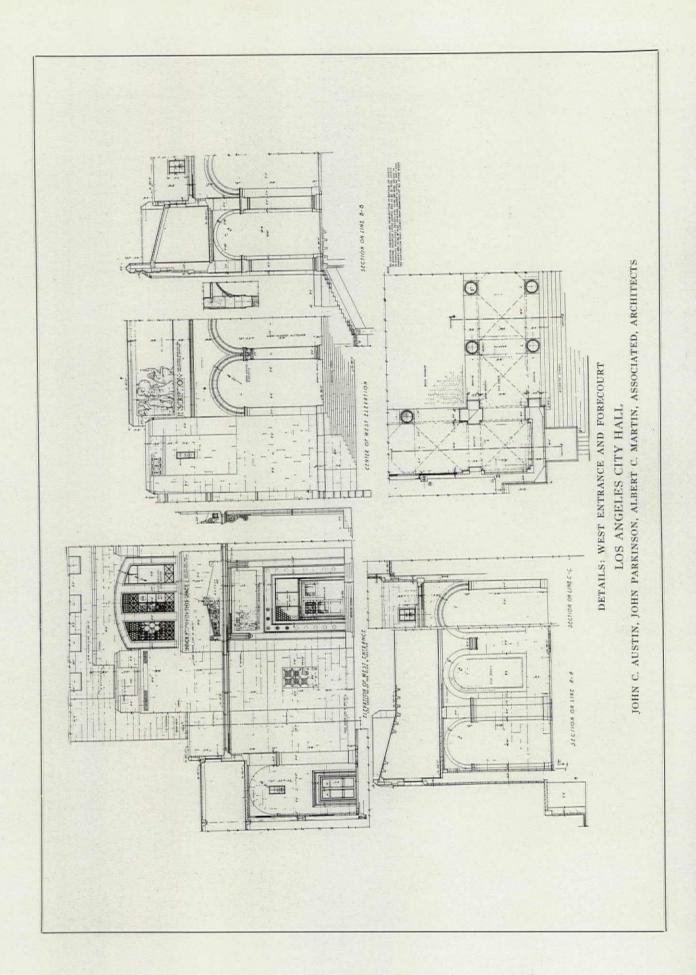
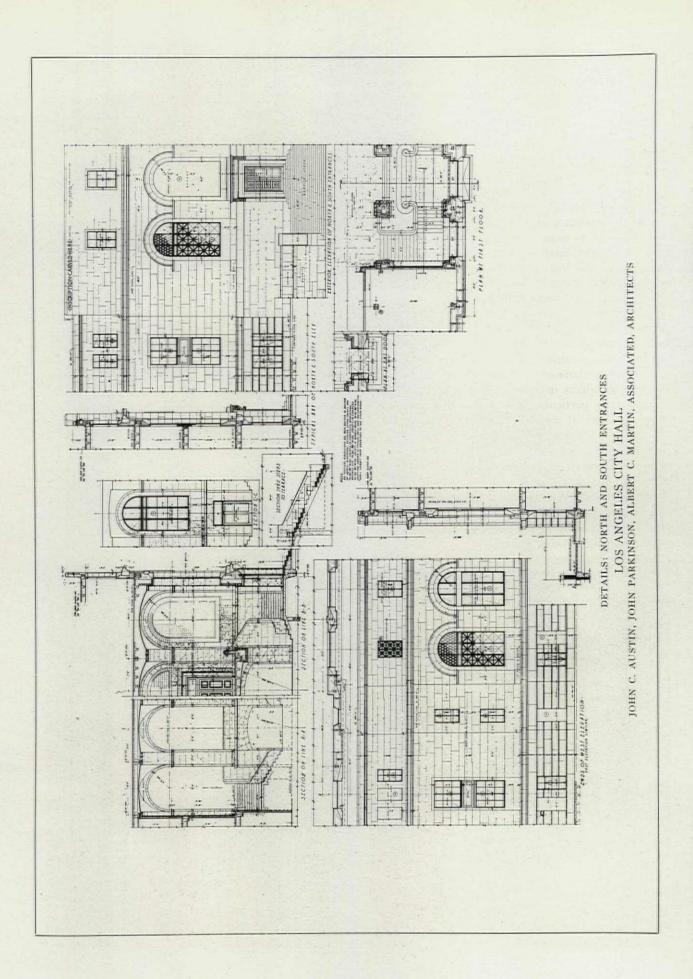


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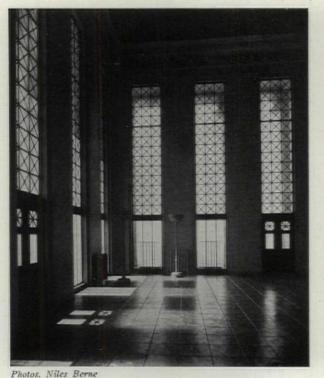
BY JOHN C. AUSTIN

OCATED in a section of the city in which, up be termed the sub-structure, extending from the ✓ to a generation ago, its commercial and social activities were largely centered, the new City Hall is a conspicuous landmark in the area about to be transformed into a civic center, comprising practically all important city, county, state and federal buildings. It is more noticeable owing to the fact that the height limit of all privately constructed buildings is 150 feet, and special legislation had to be enacted to enable the city to exceed this height. The legislation referred to developed a point interesting to all architects,-that a municipality is not governed by its own ordinances; therefore, public buildings can be built to any height, while privately owned buildings cannot exceed the height established.

In their preliminary consideration of the problem, the architects determined not to confine themselves to any particular style of architecture in the general design of the building, and the completed structure shows that this determination was carried into effect. Grecian detail was adopted for the main entrance, while Romanesque was used in the arcades of the forecourt, rotunda, council chamber and the Board of Public Works room. The tower and the flanking wings may be regarded as "modern American", influenced by the present-day setback style so widely adopted in other parts of the country.

The building consists of three apparently separate and distinct units, the first of which may properly street grade to and including the second story; the second is the central tower, and the third the wings flanking it on the north and south. Native California light gray granite has been used for the facing of all exterior walls of the sub-structure from the sidewalk grades to the tops of the parapet walls surrounding its flat roof. It extends through the forecourt and on that portion of the tower fronting the court to the top of the large central window in the third story. All columns in the court are monolithic with richly carved capitals. All other exterior walls, to the very apex of the pyramid roof of the tower, are faced with dull or matt glazed terra cotta, harmonizing with the granite so perfectly that the difference between them is scarcely discernible. The walls of the four interior light courts are faced with a delicate buff brick laid in white mortar. The roof of the sub-structure is of composition, while the flanking wings of the tower are roofed with clay tile of varicolor,-fire-flashed reds, browns, and old golds.

The front arcade is flanked by plain, massive pylons, which will serve as a substantial background for the statuary proposed to be placed on the large granite buttresses at some time in the future. The large panel over the arcade is intended to be sculptured by an internationally known sculptor to represent local historical events or celebrated personages, whenever the necessary funds become available. Spe-



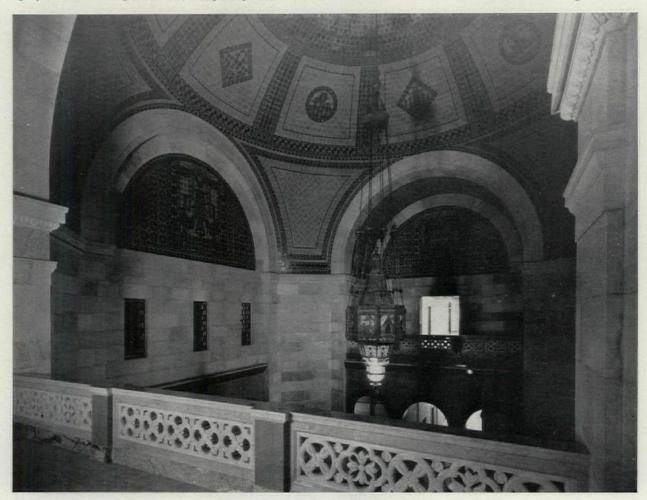
Observation Room, Twenty-fifth Floor



Arcade Around the Rotunda

cial attention is directed to the main entrance, which is monumental in character and Grecian in detail, with broad moulded and carved architrave and moulded cornice supported on carved consoles. The pediment is rich in carved ornament, and directly below it the frieze is intended to be sculptured in low relief in harmony with the large panel over the front of the "forecourt" arcade just mentioned. The doors are cast bronze of verde antique finish. Each door has three panels of equal size containing basreliefs by Henry Lion, a local sculptor, depicting notable events in connection with the early history and settlement of southern California, and, more particularly, of Los Angeles. These doors open into a spacious vestibule with a high vaulted ceiling and walls faced with a cream colored French limestone to the spring line of the vault. Niches provided in the walls are large enough to receive statuary of heroic size. The floor is of marble in pleasing colors and geometrical designs, while the paneled and coffered ceiling is suitably decorated. The vestibule communicates, through arched openings, with the rotunda, the chief interior feature of the building, which extends up through three stories and is surmounted by a domed ceiling.

In plan the rotunda is square, except for the splayed internal angles, and is completely surrounded by generous passages connecting with the main longitudinal corridors, the elevator lobby, and secondary passages to the angle stairways and adjacent light courts. The floor is laid with colored marbles forming geometrical patterns of great variety. The central circle contains a "caravel" of cast bronze inserted in the marble, which is made to represent the sky and the ocean. The modeling is beautifully and artistically executed. All openings are triple-arched, and the supports are monolithic marble columns of different kinds, generally of dark colors, with carved capitals of light colored marble. The archivolts, also of dark marble, support the second floor galleries, which are protected with balustrades of perforated marble tracery elaborately carved. The large arched openings on four sides with the pendentives growing out of, or emerging from the splayed angles, develop naturally into the dome itself, the surface of which is decorated with highly colored glazed tile, forming geometrical patterns, on a background of acoustical tile of harmonizing tan color. The main corridors have barrel-vaulted ceilings 24 feet high to the crown, and the walls are wainscoted to the spring line of the vault with St. Genevieve marble framed in Napoleon Gray between Botticino pilasters directly below plain projecting ribs of the ceiling. The floor is of pink Tennessee marble and the base of Belgian black.



Dome of Rotunda from the Second Floor, Los Angeles City Hall John C. Austin, John Parkinson, Albert C. Martin, Associated, Architects

From the main corridor on the south a wide passage connects directly with the council chamber fronting on Spring Street and abutting the southwest court and is well lighted by the 13 large windows and the small clerestory windows above. The council chamber has wide aisles formed by the arcades paralleling the sides. The arcades are supported by highly polished imported marble columns, of which there are six on either side, and each one is of a different variety, yet they harmonize perfectly. They are monoliths resting on solid single-piece moulded green marble bases and surmounted by carved capitals of Champville marble in typical Romanesque designs. Each of the four faces of every cap contains an emblem characteristic of one of the states of the Union. For instance, California is represented by the grizzly bear, Texas by the star, and Massachusetts by the codfish. The ventilation is thermostatically controlled, so that fresh air is kept constantly in circulation without the necessity of opening the windows. The latter are of the inward-opening casement type, constructed of rolled steel sections, and are protected with permanent heavy steel and iron grilles of conventional design painted a deep green to relieve the whiteness of the granite exterior. All glass is obscured and of amber color. Artificial lighting is effected by two lines of seven lanterns

suspended from the ceiling at points several feet distant from and opposite the centers of the arcade openings. They are enclosed with amber colored glass, producing a soft, subdued glow. The furniture, which was designed by the architects. is conservatively modern and substantially constructed.

Next in importance, from the standpoint of architectural treatment, is the mayor's suite at the southeast corner of the first floor. This consists of a large reception room off a public lobby or ante-room, approached directly from a wide corridor extending southward from the east lobby. From this ante-room another corridor extends southward to an outer hall, which connects directly with the private office. Adjoining this is the retiring room, then a toilet room, equipped with shower, and beyond are the offices of the mayor's secretary and assistant secretary. The selection of the location of the mayor's office was influenced by the attractive outlook over the park or garden, on the south, the exposure to many hours of sunshine and to cooling summer breezes rendering its occupancy pleasant and comfortable at all seasons of the year.

The landings, treads and risers of the main stairways are of pink Tennessee marble with solid balustrades of a deep pink Kasota stone, while the adjacent walls are wainscoted with French and Pink



Marble Mosaic Floor of the Rotunda, Los Angeles City Hall John C. Austin, John Parkinson, Albert C. Martin, Associated, Architects

Tennessee marble to the level of the first floor and finished with a moulded cap. Adjacent piers and pilasters are of Botticino marble. The main corridor extends through the building, on the longitudinal axis, from street to street, with secondary corridors along the north, south and west sides, parallel with those walls and a connecting corridor, on the transverse axis extending, at right angles, from the westerly corridor to the east lobby, to provide direct access to the elevators and stairways. The latter run from the basement to the third floor. These corridors have a segmental vaulted ceiling, the floors are tiled with marble, and walls are wainscoted with the same material to a height of 3 feet. The only other room treated more or less pretentiously from an architectural standpoint, is that occupying the entire area on the 25th floor where, by means of well protected balconies, reached through double doorways on each of the four sides, one can enjoy an unobstructed panoramic view of the city and surroundings, reaching from the Sierra Madre range of mountains to Santa Catalina Island and the sea, and to Mt. San Jacinto on the east.

Here are a few interesting facts connected with the building of the Los Angeles City Hall:

Bond issue of \$7,500,000 was authorized June 5, 1923.

Architects commissioned August 17, 1925. Preliminary sketches approved September 16, 1925. Ground broken March 4, 1926. Foundations started May 7, 1926.

Tower foundation poured June 14 and June 15, 1926.

Erection of steel framework commenced July 24, 1926.

General Contractors' operations started July 2, 1926:

Cornerstone laid June 22, 1927.

Building first occupied (by Superior Court of Los Angeles County) January 2, 1928.

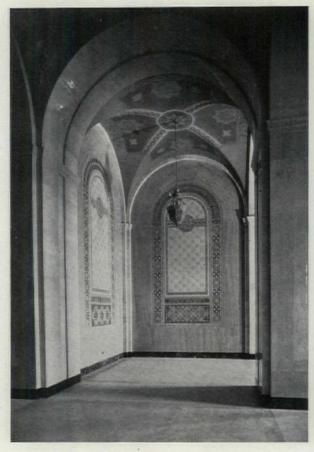
Building dedicated by Los Angeles April 26, 1928. Floor space, 20 acres; volume 12,000,000 cubic feet; dead weight, 95,000 tons.

Structural steel, 8,167 tons; 900,000 rivets; 400 columns; total length of drilled holes, 12 miles.

Eleven elevators; 5-ton ice machine; 129 miles of wire; largest lighting and power switchboard on the Pacific coast; telephone switchboard with ultimate capacity of 2,000 telephones.

Total investment, \$9,000,000, of which the building cost \$5,000,000; the site \$3,500,000; the decorations, equipment and furnishings \$500,000.

Editor's Note. From these statistics it can easily be appreciated what remarkable efficiency in management and superintendence was furnished by the architects of this great building. The handling of this undertaking quite as much as the design of the structure and the working out of all the intricate and interesting details in construction and design reflects great credit upon the architects, who planned it.



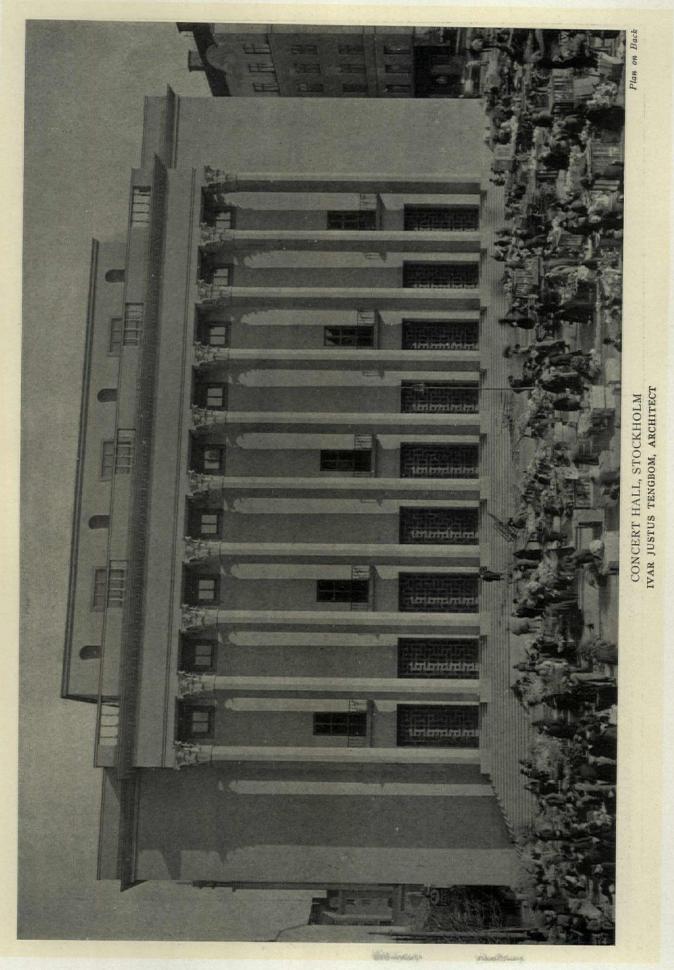
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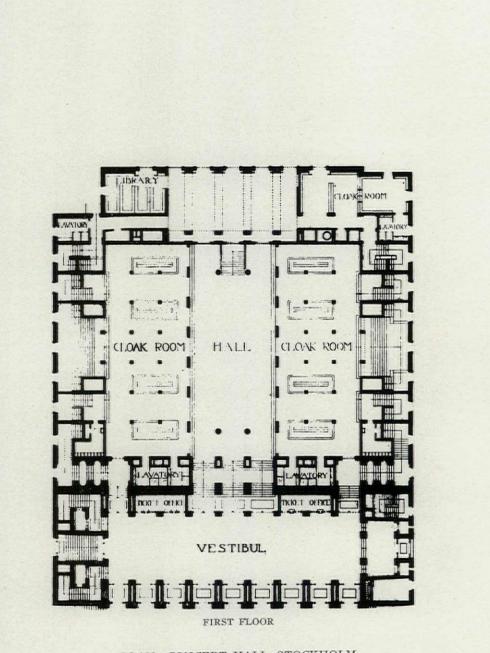


North Lobby, First Floor

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PLAN: CONCERT HALL, STOCKHOLM IVAR JUSTUS TENGBOM, ARCHITECT

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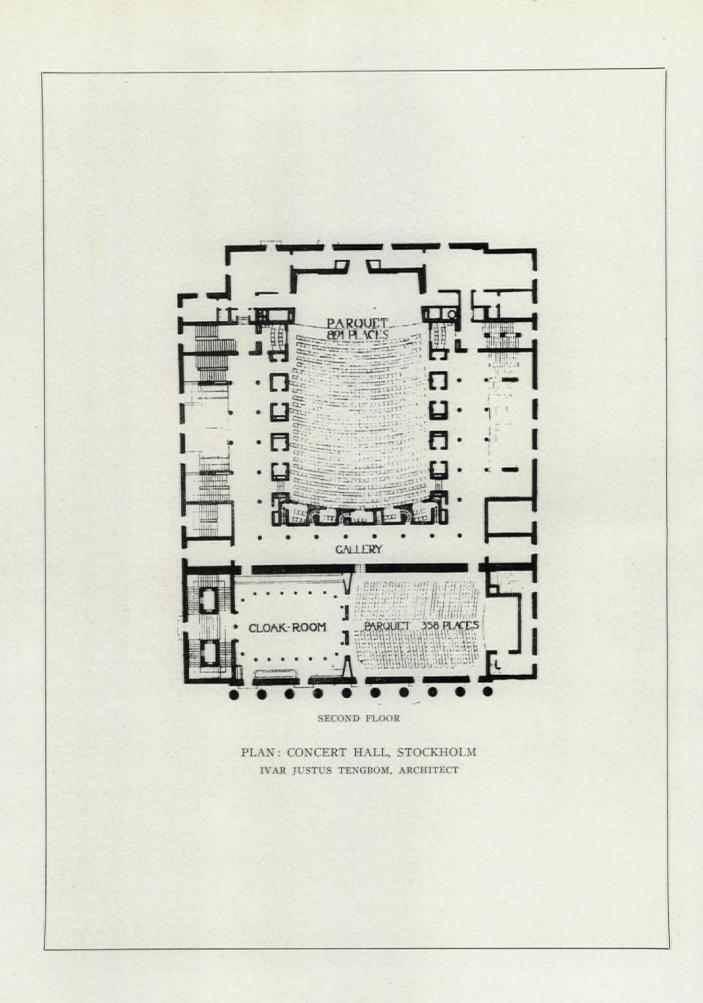
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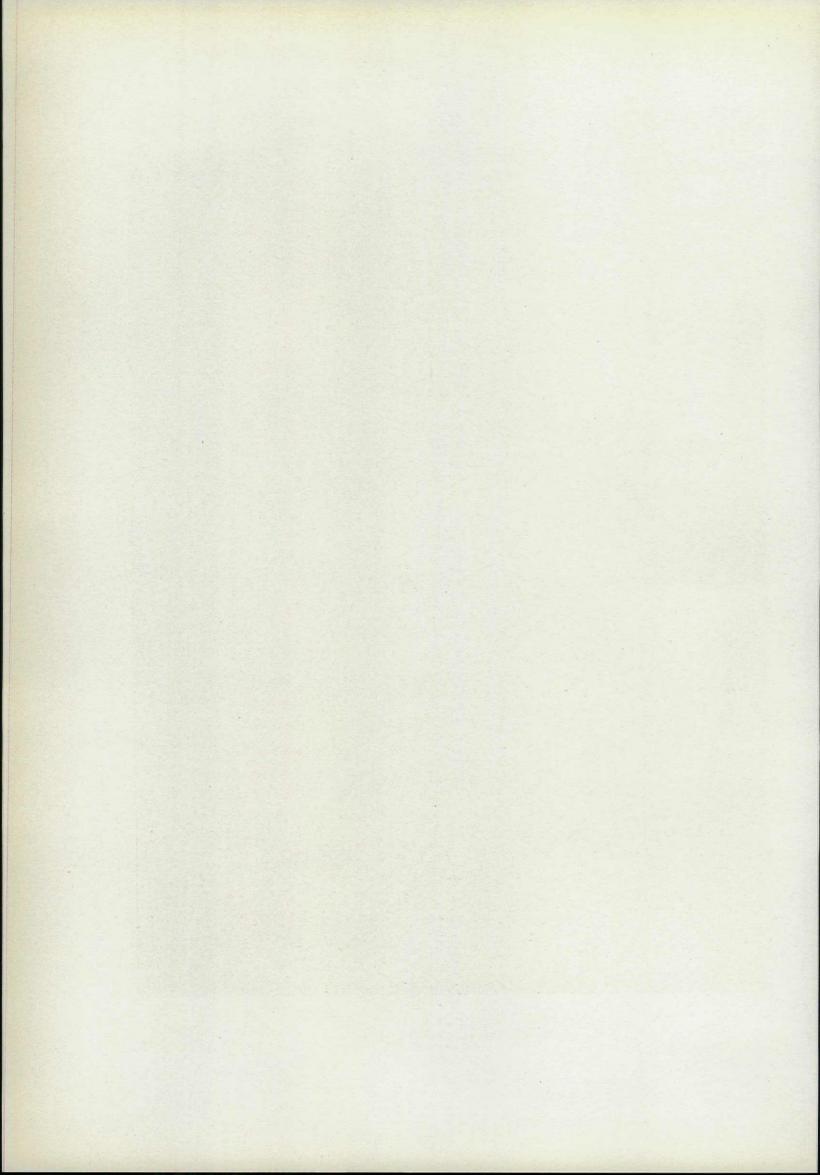
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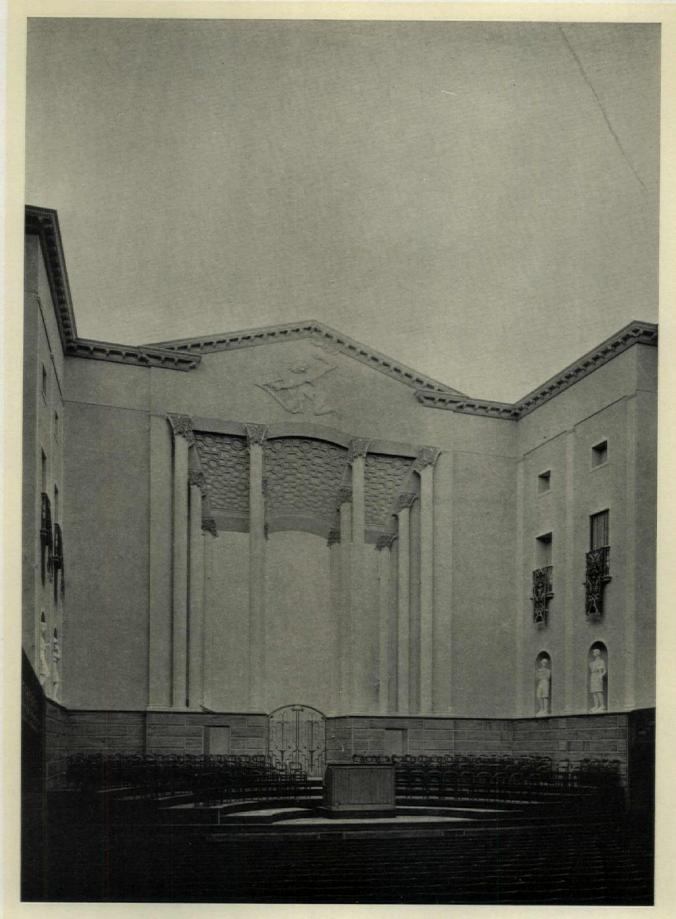


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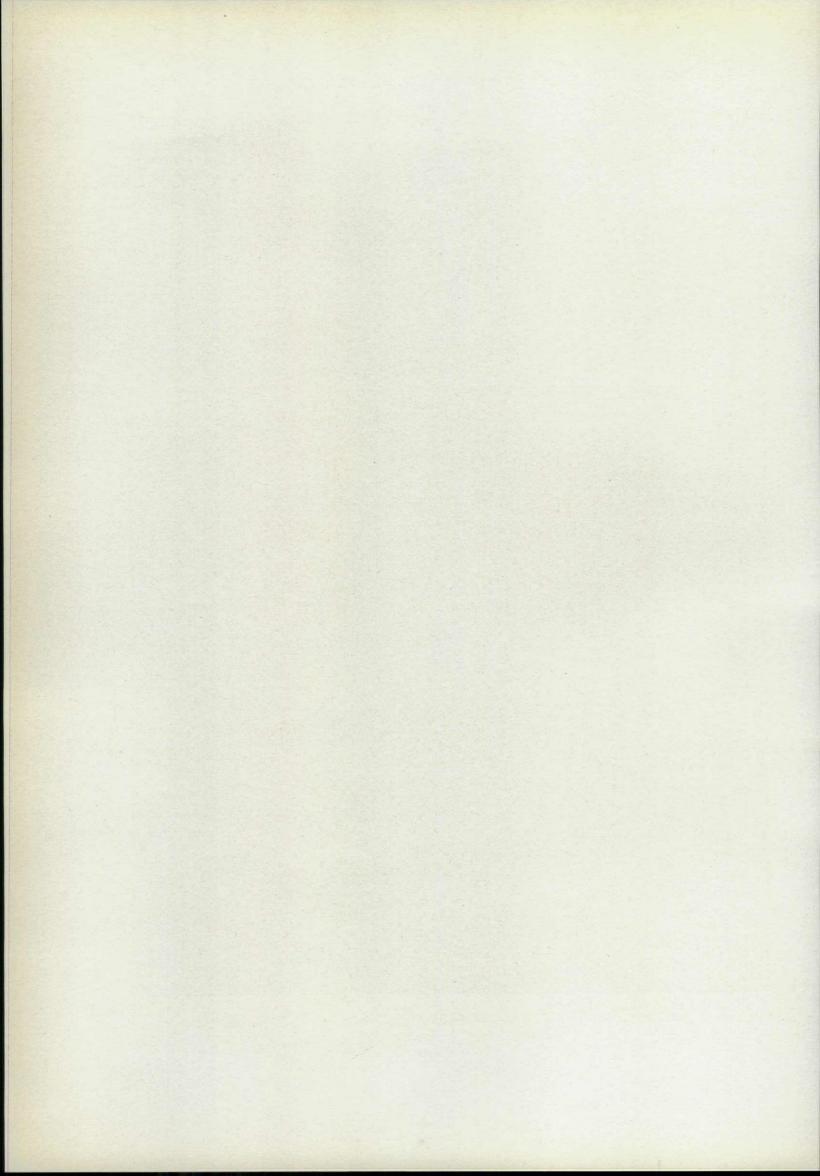


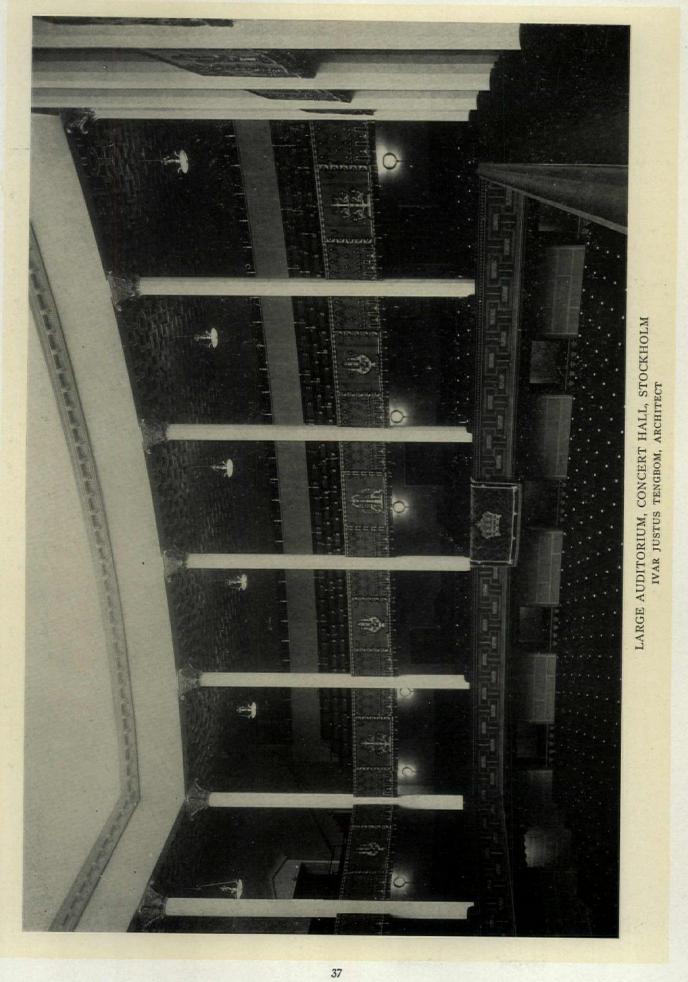
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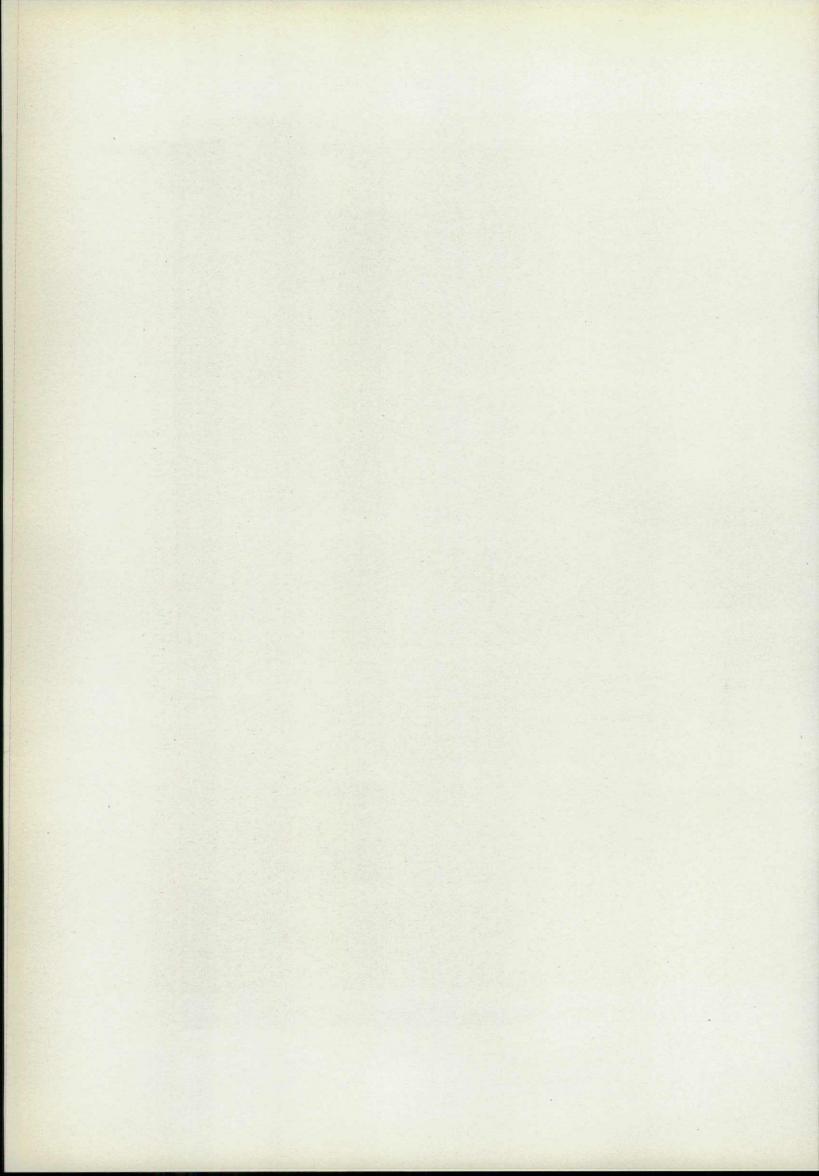




ORCHESTRA PLATFORM, LARGE AUDITORIUM, CONCERT HALL, STOCKHOLM IVAR JUSTUS TENGBOM, ARCHITECT









SMALL AUDITORIUM, CONCERT HALL, STOCKHOLM IVAR JUSTUS TENGBOM, ARCHITECT

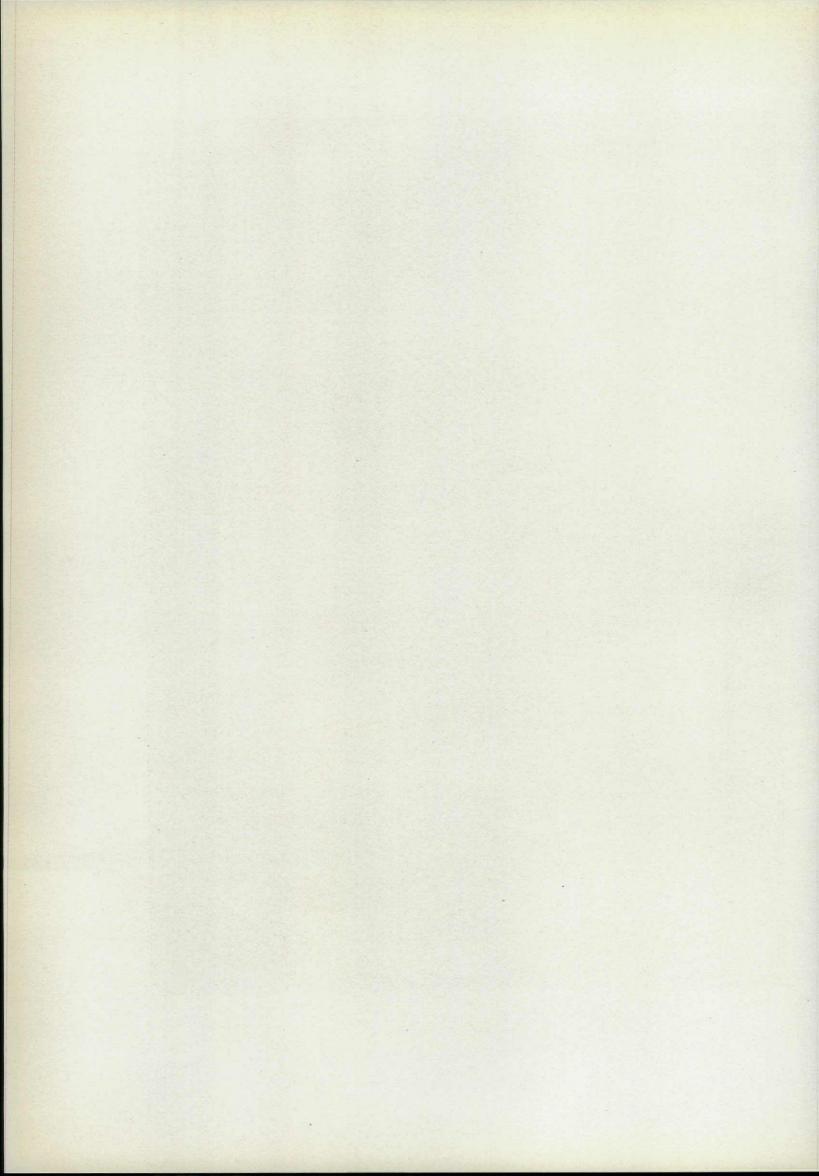
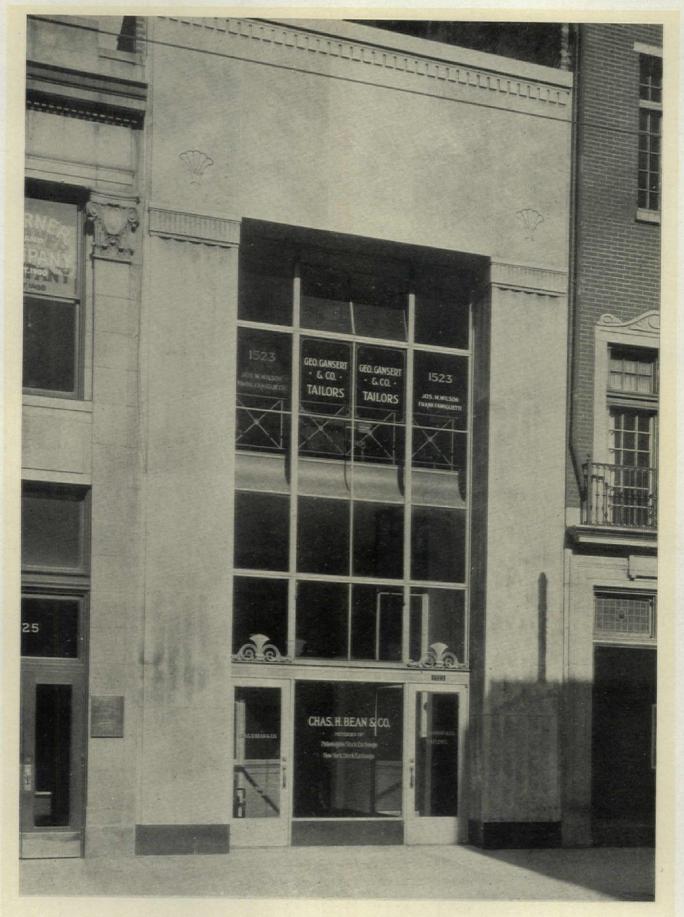


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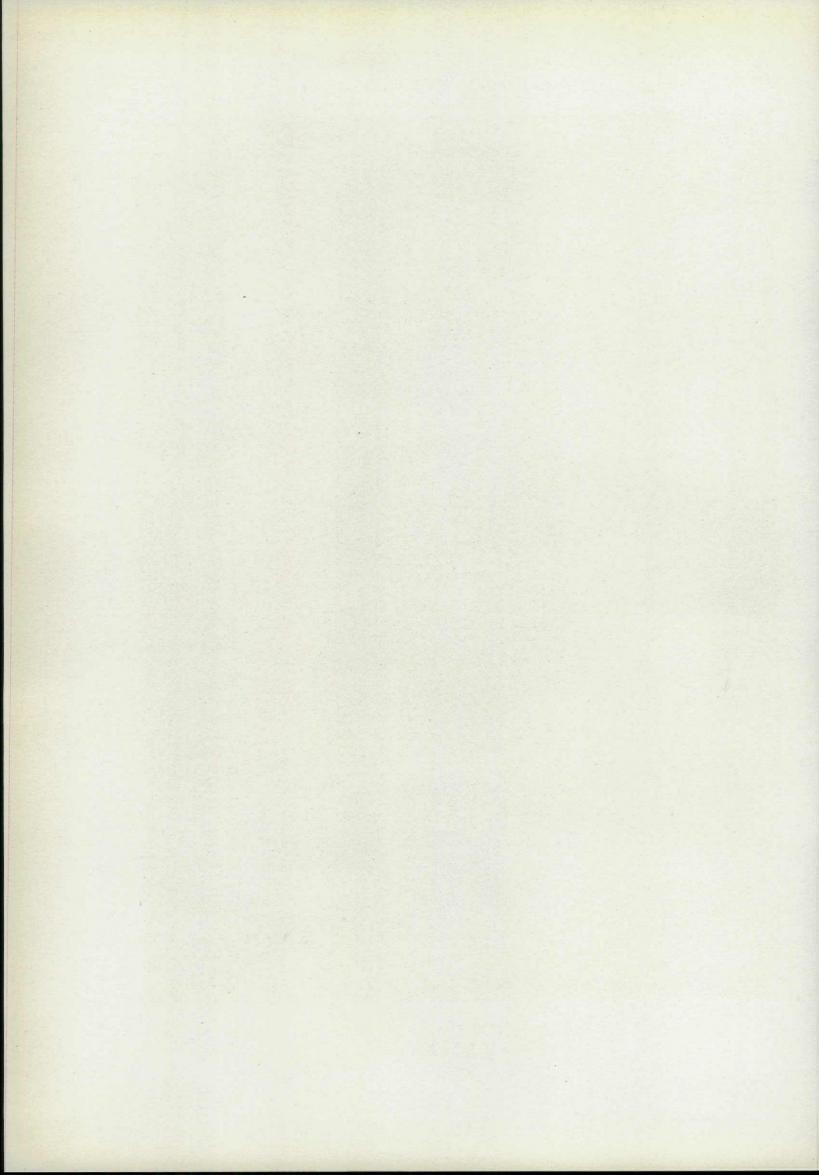


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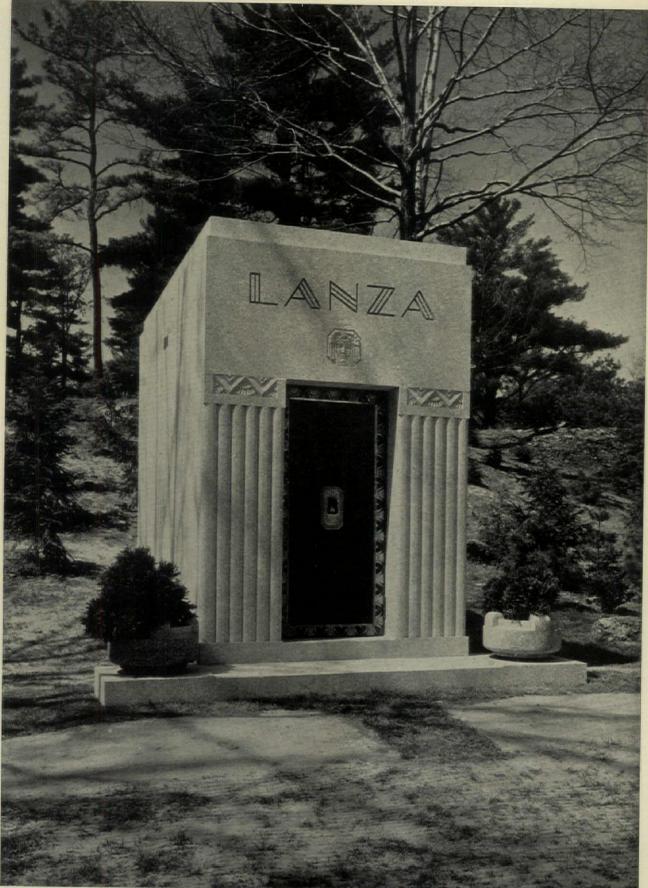
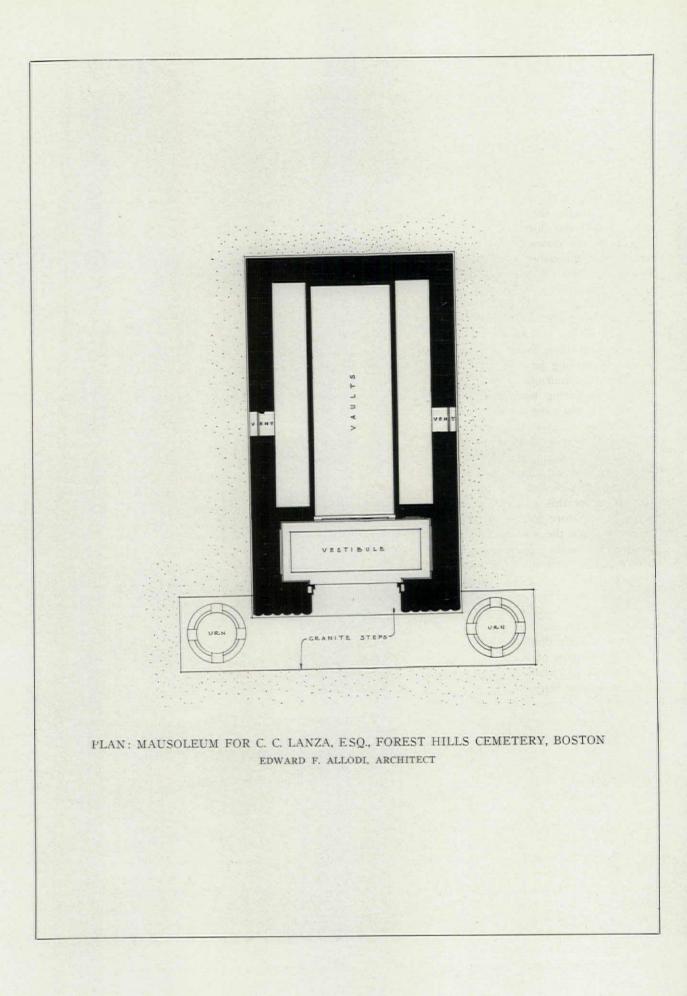


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MAUSOLEUM FOR C. C. LANZA, ESQ., FOREST HILLS CEMETERY, BOSTON EDWARD F. ALLODI, ARCHITECT



AN ARCHITECT IN MOROCCO, PART II

EUGENE F. KENNEDY, JR. ROTCH TRAVELING SCHOLAR

H OW unfortunate we are in not being able to to enter the courtyard of the Grand Mosque of *El Kairouine*! The hasty glimpses we steal, through any number of its 14 doorways, give us but a vague idea of the magnificence of those spouting fountains, under the lacy pavilions at the narrow ends. Alas! the hordes of contaminated beggars, who haunt the doorways, form an impassable barrier, so continuously do they guard the temple of worship in their efforts to keep unbelievers at bay!

From the restless surging of the noisy streets, an occasional palace garden offers the peaceful contentment of a jasmine-scented oasis. Multitudes of flowers greet our eyes, while orange and lemon trees tempt us with their luscious fruit. Sparkling fountains send cooling jets of water high into the fetid air, and tiny murmuring rivulets run in ceramic channels bordering each path. This surely is the Garden of Paradise,—even the white *burnoosed* gardeners bear a striking resemblance to angels, who have, in some way, mislaid their wings.

Resolutely turning our backs to this scene of sensuous serenity, we climb the steep hill which leads to the cemetery of Bab Fetouh. If it be on a Friday that we make this excursion, an interesting experience lies in store for us, as this is the one day of the week when the women visit the graves of their departed husbands. At first we see nothing but indistinguishable mounds of white, until finally some of these take the form of scattered grave stones, while others-more numerous-are the squatting figures of voluminously clothed women who are-to all appearances-rapt in devout prayer, but incidentally-I don't doubt-enjoying this opportunity to gossip. Groups of children, guided by their austere teachers, pay visits to the marabouts of the holy men, giving the impression of a flock of chickens following the mother hens, as they waddle from tomb to tomb. Fez completely captivates us. We can never know it, never become tired of it, or bored with it. Weeks roll by, leaving us as ignorant of all its strange beauties and mysteries hidden away in the labyrinth of streets, as we were upon first entering it. Its indescribable filth and contamination, its sickening odors and nauseating sights detract no whit from its picturesqueness. On the contrary, they serve to magnify the beauty and intensify the fascination of this "Pearl of Morocco," as it is called.

Meknes, a few hours west of Fez, is no less beautiful, nor less interesting than Fez. Here again we see the same throngs, and like odors and sounds assail our nostrils and ears. Minarets, similar in design to those we have seen, rear themselves above the housetops. We are continually discovering the same fountains that we remarked at Fez. Despite

these resemblances, Meknes has an air different from that of the capital city. It has been called the Versailles of Fez and, like the true Versailles, it is vast and unrestrained. The crampedness of Fez has been left behind, and here we find that the streets are wider, more comfortable, and that large open squares are not uncommon. The principal square is an enormous affair, over 200 yards long, and more than half as wide, surrounded on all sides by high blind walls, and pierced only by a few huge portals. On the east end are two, and one of these, that of Mansour el Aleuj, is undoubtedly the most beautiful and perhaps the most monumental and imposing piece of architecture in all Morocco. The high archway, through which there surges a constant stream of people, is guarded by two square bastions supported on arcades. It is resplendent with tiles of blue and green arranged in panels between the brickwork designs, or into colorful friezes and bands. Opposite it on the west side of the square is a long fountain built against the wall. Like the other smaller fountains, it is composed of innumerable pieces of small tiles of various colors, arranged in the most intricate of designs. This is shielded from the weather and the scorching rays of the sun by a wooden canopy delicately chiseled and showing scarcely any trace of the brilliant colors with which -at one time-it was covered. To this most gorgeous of fountains come the most disreputable of men and beasts to partake of the cool waters which it offers, affording a refuge from the stifling heat.

Perhaps we shall be fortunate enough to see the square on a market day when it is overflowing with boisterous merchants and wrangling buyers. The snake charmers squat against the long walls, surrounded by a semicircle of intent bronze and black faces, and blow shrill tunes through reed pipes to the evident delight of a wicked-looking but harmless serpent. Still another silent, interested group squats around an old white-bearded native who reads to them from the Koran, or recounts some of the oftrepeated tales of Scheherazade. These silent groups are strikingly like uncanny calm spots in the midst of a restless, roaring sea. Many are the beauties of Meknes, many unique to her only; many we have remarked at other places, but I hesitate to go any further in describing them for fear of repeating what I have already said,-and because as we have by no means seen all of Morocco, we must push onward, for there are still other treasures beyond.

Rabat is the seat of the Cherifien Empire. It is here that the sultan holds his court, and here also that the governor-general, who is the veritable ruler of Morocco, has his residence. The extensive European renovations have almost entirely ruined the



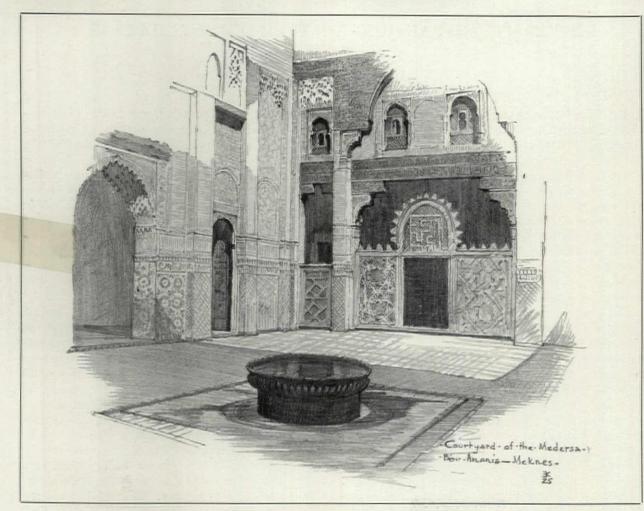
Fountain at Nejjorine, Fez-el-Bali From a Pencil Sketch by Eugene F. Kennedy, Jr.

oriental flavor of the place, even within the native quarters, where we find but little to interest us save perhaps the ancient Kasba, a fort which presents to the sea a stern, forbidding front, but which in reality protects nothing more than a delightful Moorish garden and museum. Not distant, however, from the edge of the European town, rise the lonely, austere walls of the ancient city of Chellah. The walls are nearly intact and of a gorgeous reddish hue that is dazzling to the eve when seen in the strong sunlight. It is pierced by a wondrous solitary portal of a similar stone, flanked by two hexagonal turrets and carved and decorated, after the fashion of the Moors. Here, however, the carving is much coarser than that of the inland cities, due perhaps to the use of stone rather than of brick and tile, and perhaps because the natives of the famed Barbary coast were a hardier race than their less piratical brethren of the interior. The desolate air of the place fills us with awe. No trickling stream of colorfully clothed natives comes through the archway. There is not a sign of any life except for one lonely shepherd who leans upon his long staff, seemingly oblivious to the wanderings of his scattered herd. We enter, half expecting to see the usual busy street scene, but there

is none of that, not even the inevitable beggars who, squatting in the cool shade of the archway, beg pennies in exchange for the bounteous blessings of the most potent Allah. Nothing! Nothing but a riotous mass of trees, unkempt shrubbery and rolling grassy hills, until we suddenly discover the shaft of a graceful minaret away to the right, hardly visible through the maze of foliage. Only when we come directly upon it do we find any signs of human habitation, and then only a few hovels clustered about the minaret, the tiny mosque, and a deep, wide well. The city, if ever there was one enclosed within these ruddy walls, has completely disappeared as if swallowed up by the earth. There are not even the usual piles of rubbish, generally associated with ruins of any sort, to permit any fanciful-or somewhat idle-speculation as to what might have been.

Directly across the mouth of the river from Rabat lies its twin sister, Sale, twin sisters only because they are side by side, for in appearance they are widely different. Sale was never blessed (or cursed) by an inroad of infidel Christians, and has consequently preserved its oriental character. I am not going to make any attempt to describe Sale, though it is not uninteresting and boasts an occasional beau-

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Courtyard of the Medersa, Bon Anania, Meknes From a Pencil Sketch by Eugene F. Kennedy, Jr.

ty spot in the shape of a *medersa*, mosque or portal. If for nothing else, it has lost much of its beauty by the zeal of its inhabitants in keeping it a spotless white. So many coats of whitewash have been applied to its walls, that now, I don't doubt, the town is larger by some feet, though its streets are narrower by a few inches. In itself this is no sin, and the white city is certainly most quaint, but in many cases the whitewash has filled in the crevices of the carvings, and made of the crisp mouldings blunt, undulating bands, with little architectural character.

No Moroccan trip begins to be complete until Marrakesh has been visited and studied. Here is a city that rivals in size and splendor the magnificent Fez and Meknes of the north. Primarily it has a different atmosphere from either of its northern sisters, and presents an ensemble that more closely agrees with our imaginative pictures of what a Moroccan city should resemble. Numerous palm trees (missing in the north) give it that air of tropical voluptuousness one finds in a verdant oasis in the middle of the Sahara. The masses of people are as varied and as interesting as elsewhere,—perhaps more so,—for here we find the men of the desert. Trains of camels enter and leave its many portals,

carrying with them romance and adventure to remote parts of this desolate world. Its palaces are unsurpassed in beauty and magnificence, while its gardens seem to be more exotic than elsewhere. *Medersas* of sparkling splendor are scattered here and there. Beautiful doorways and tall minarets continue to attract our attention in our journeys through its streets. In fact, nothing is missing that we found at Fez or Meknes. There is, as a matter of fact, more apparent,—not requiring discovery.

Taken altogether I know of no spot in the old world where the interest is so intense as in Morocco. As soon as we have first entered its borders, we are transported into a new sphere; we are carried back to bygone years not as at Carcasonne by our imagination in viewing its hoary walls of the middle ages, but by the very life and customs of its inhabitants, as well as its monuments; one feels as out of place amid these *reliques* of a distant century as undoubtedly Gulliver felt in the land of the Lilliputians, and strangely enough we are wont to associate Washington Irving's "Tales of the Alhambra" more with Fez or Meknes than with the empty halls of the "Ambassadors" or the Court of the Lions in Granada. It is one of the homes of romance left to the world.

July, 1928

UNIVERSITY EXPANSION AS TYPIFIED AT HARVARD

BY

CHARLES G. LORING

M ANY educators question the wisdom of rapidly expanding our school and college plants, claiming that the buildings overshadow the importance of the teaching staffs, that the cost of bricks and stones means curtailing salaries, and that the vital, human essence is diffused,—not strengthened. The acceleration in the output of "bigger and better" public schools, private academies, state colleges and endowed universities is universal from coast to coast, and the evolution of pedagogic theories and of architectural styles is correspondingly speeded up. There is no private scrool or college but has alumni boosting for new buildings or exhausted by a successful drive!

THE ARCHITECTURAL FORUM in the October and December issues published monographs on the new Graduate School of Business Administration and on the new Fogg Museum at Harvard, two costly symbols of the expansive tendencies of the times. In terms of square feet of area and in the number of buildings, the plant in Cambridge has more than doubled in the last 25 years. The ground built over since the end of the nineteenth century is 133 per cent of that covered during the nineteenth century, and these figures do not include structures, like the Medical School, built at a distance from the center.

Unlike Yale and Princeton, where the transformation has also been rapid, Harvard has not "gone Gothic"; there are no dream towers against the sky, like those of Harkness or the Graduate School. Perhaps the near-Gothic "remains" left standing from the Civil War period, that false dawn heralded by Ruskin, are reason enough to cling to the earlier, indigenous traditions! The Colonial, the "Cambridge Georgian," the red brick and white trim, are the accepted mode along the Charles River, and year by year they offer new combinations of a familiar alphabet. The corporation has of recent years commissioned but one firm of architects for all its designing, except where a munificent donor has imposed his own wishes. The excellence of the new Fogg Museum and of the recent groups of freshmen and yard dormitories has shown the wisdom of the choice, while the domineering lack of scale of the Widener Library emphasizes the exception.

The small scale of Colonial, its domestic quality, is admirably suited for dormitories; witness Massachusetts Hall, two centuries old, or McKinlock, opened last autumn. The style is sufficiently elastic to be varied and yet kept harmonious, as in the freshmen dormitories. The easy freedom of this group, strung along the north bank of the Charles, is in strong contrast to the tight and monotonous repetition in the students' quarters of the business school facing the parkway on the southerly shore. In mass and texture, in charm and dignity, in every-

thing except group planning, the college units outrank those of the Baker Foundation. It might be claimed that allowances should be made for the lack of trees shown in the entrancing perspectives by Steffins, for the proposed arcades linking the buildings, or for the cupolas on Hamilton and Mellon Halls, called for by the architects but excluded by the budget; yet the fact remains that the business school is today being judged by its present appearance and not by what it may be in the future. Viewed from the Cambridge shore, there is just a suggestion of "quantity production" in the two, 300foot long facades which face the river, and on closer inspection the stiff, vertical lines of the quoins, where concrete is painted a flat white, suggest the factory rather than academic shades. Elements contrasting in mass and color, the smaller stucco halls, flanked by arched gateways, and the proportions and variety in the administration building, especially its rear elevation, are the most successful features.

The business school library is the focal point of the composition and has a straightforward dignity and functional expression, but in the windows the shallow reveals and slender muntins, combined with the necessary but over-large expanses of glass, impair the monumental quality. This building and the Museum are contemporary, very similar in the sizes and shapes of the plots covered, and each has 16 openings on the main floor facade. It is therefore natural to contrast these divergent interpretations of the same historical period. In the Museum, where there is overhead lighting, on the second story there are only eight relatively small windows, and the openings on the main floor have not only less area than those in the library but have smaller lights of glass heavily framed in white. In the Museum all the subordinate details, whether the iron handrails, the central fanlight, or the carved ornament are more robust and vigorous. The library of the business school is frankly the central workroom of its group. The college Museum is withdrawn a bit from the university; its facade bespeaks the safeguarding of beautiful objects; the very brick and stone and wood are combined in a quality of restrained opulence. The rear of the library has conspicuously temporary segments of wall for future expansion; it is ready for a bigger business school, but the back of the Museum is much more surprising. The front facade is two stories in height, with a basement masked by a grassy terrace, while the rear wing is five flights high,-a finished and studied university building, with almost the air of a refined apartment house.

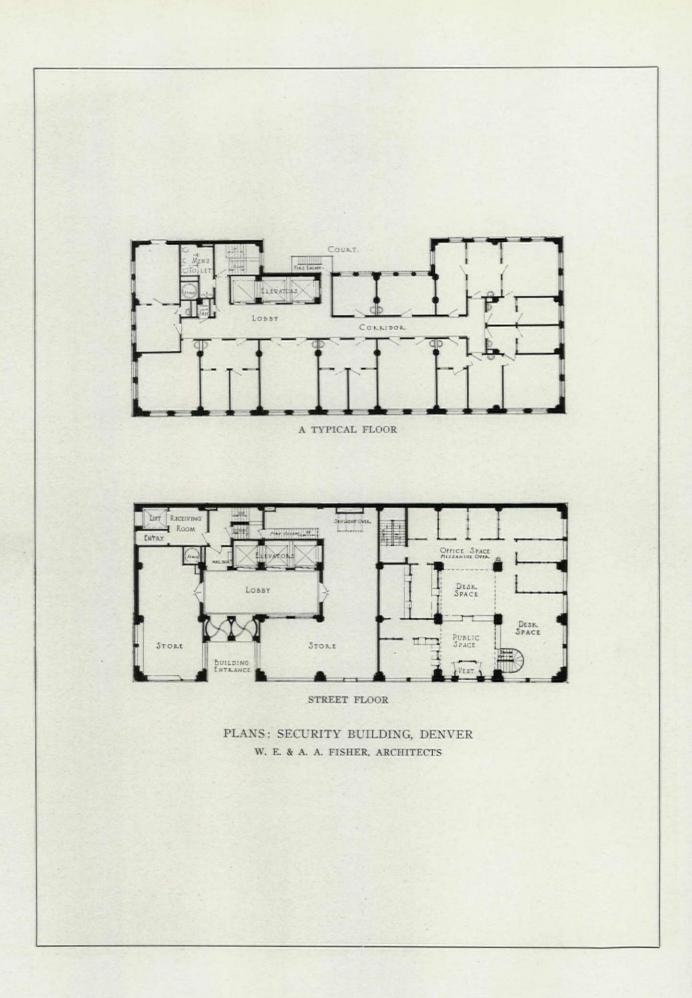
Truly, John Harvard and the puritanical forefathers of the college would be astounded at its growth and could never have conceived its extent.

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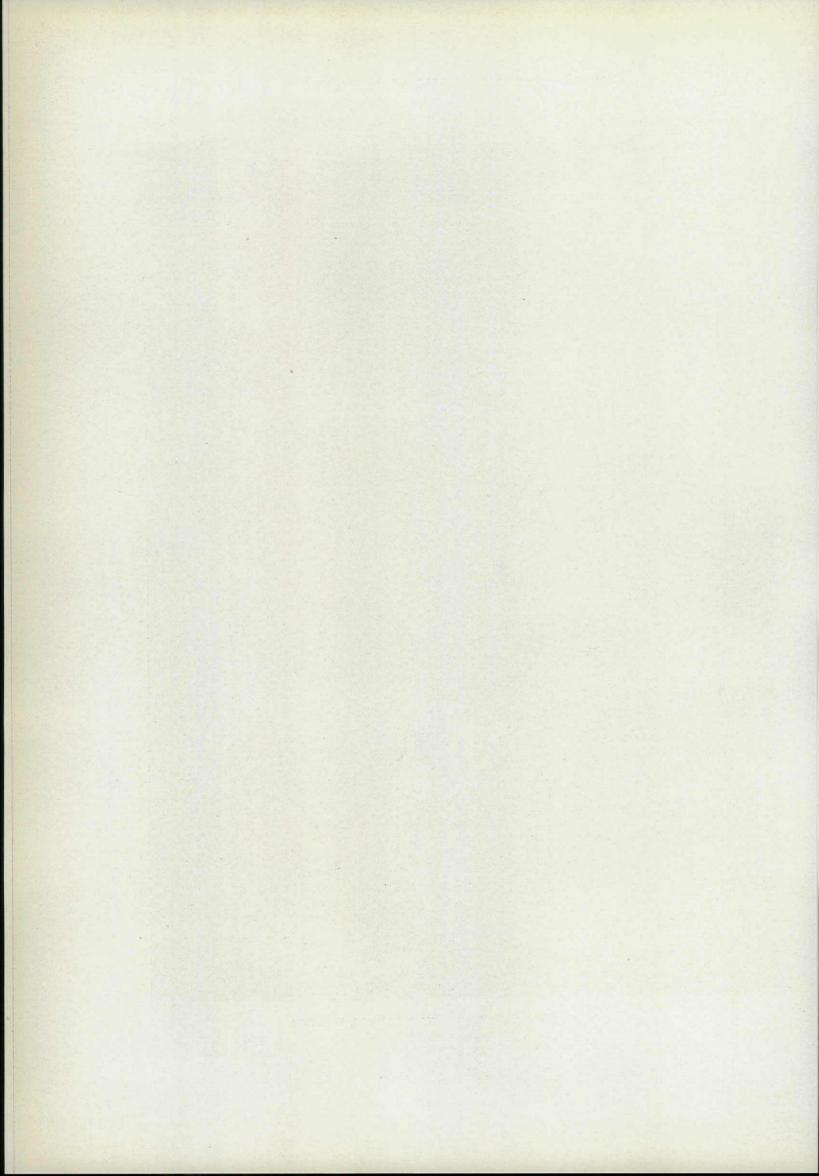
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SECURITY BUILDING, DENVER W. E. & A. A. FISHER, ARCHITECTS





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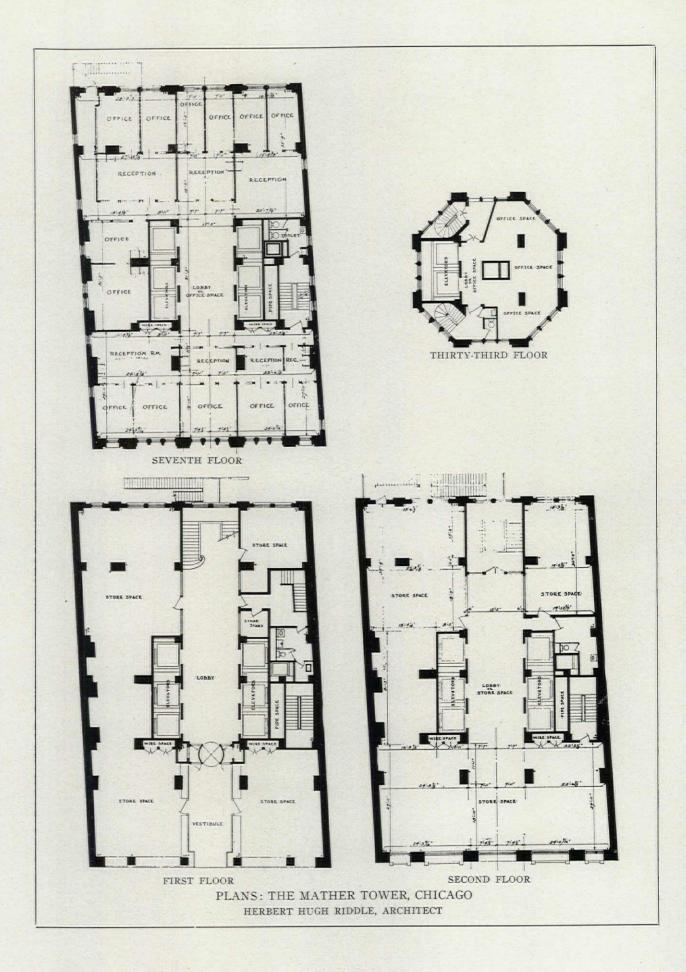


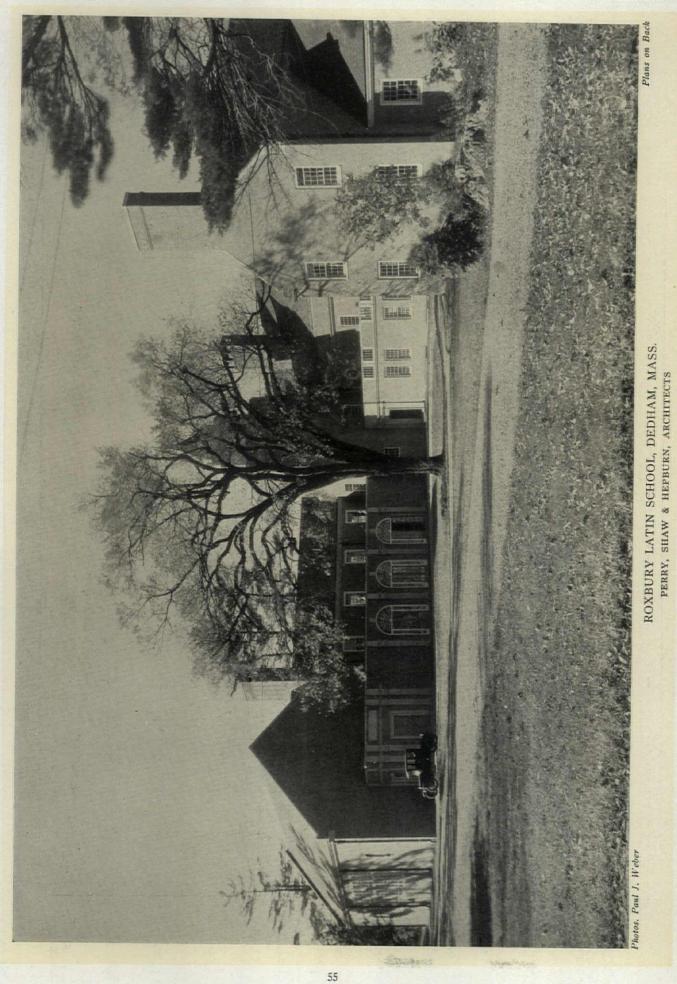


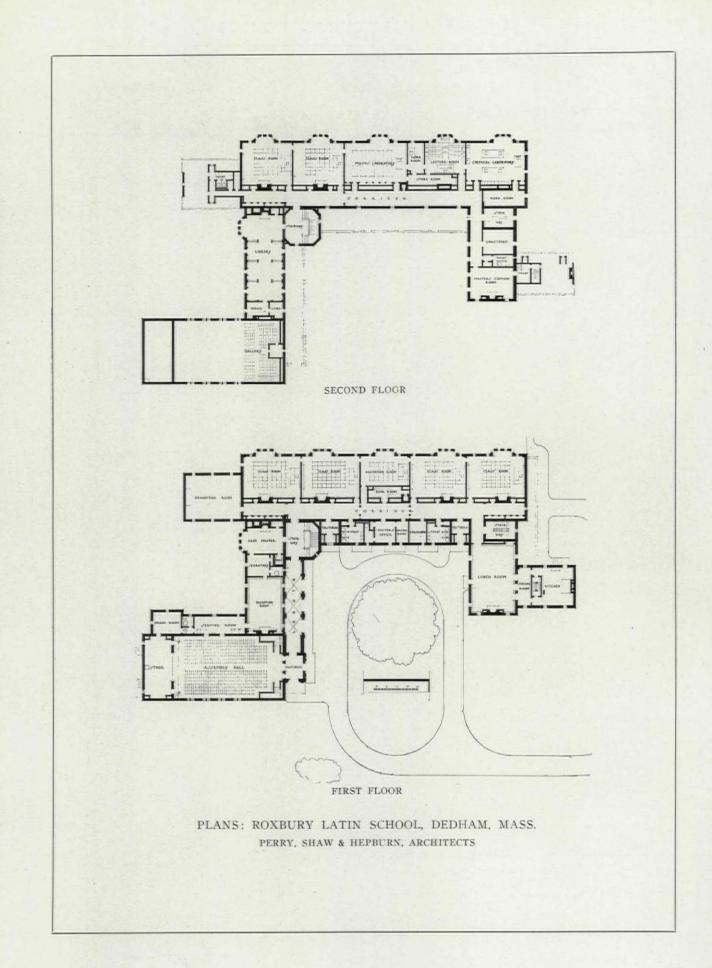
THE MATHER TOWER, CHICAGO HERBERT HUGH RIDDLE, ARCHITECT

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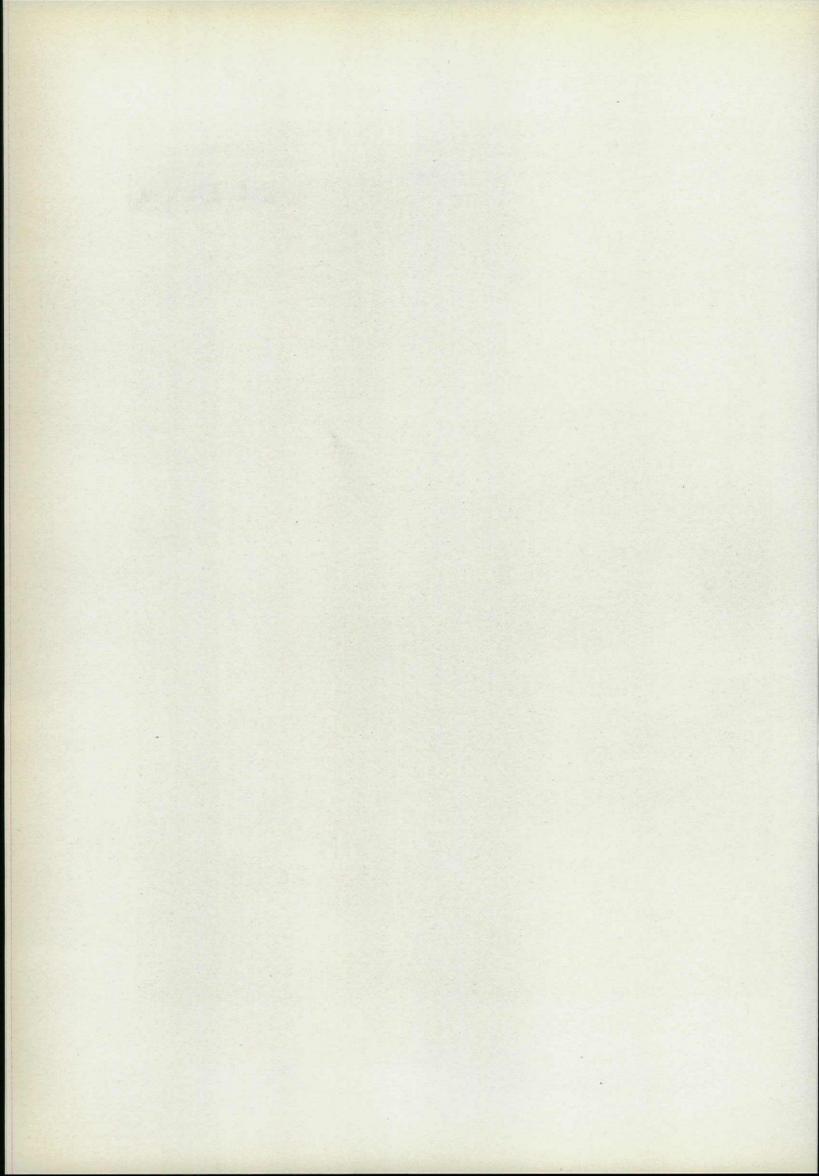




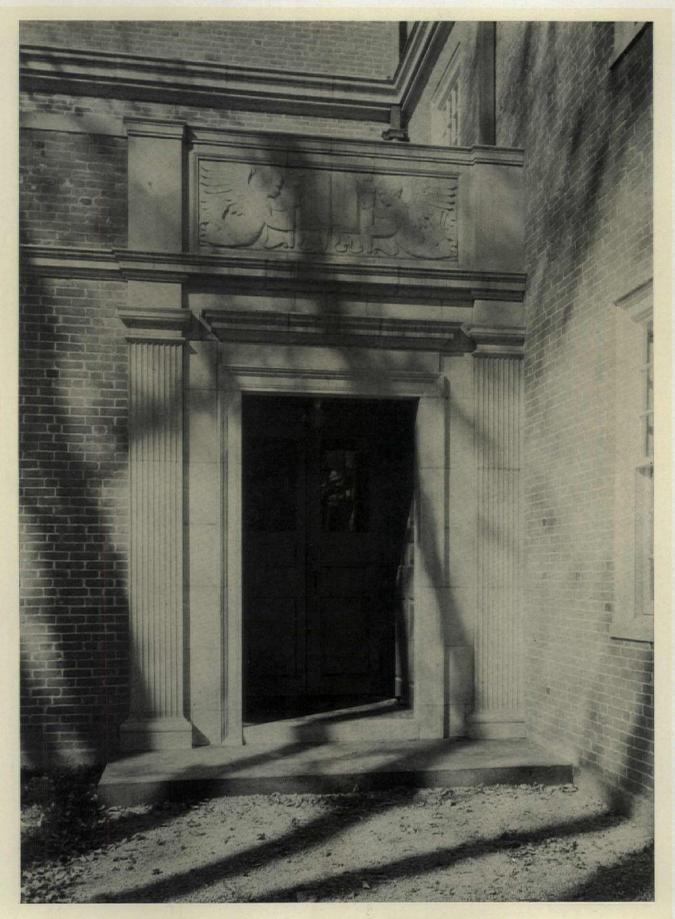


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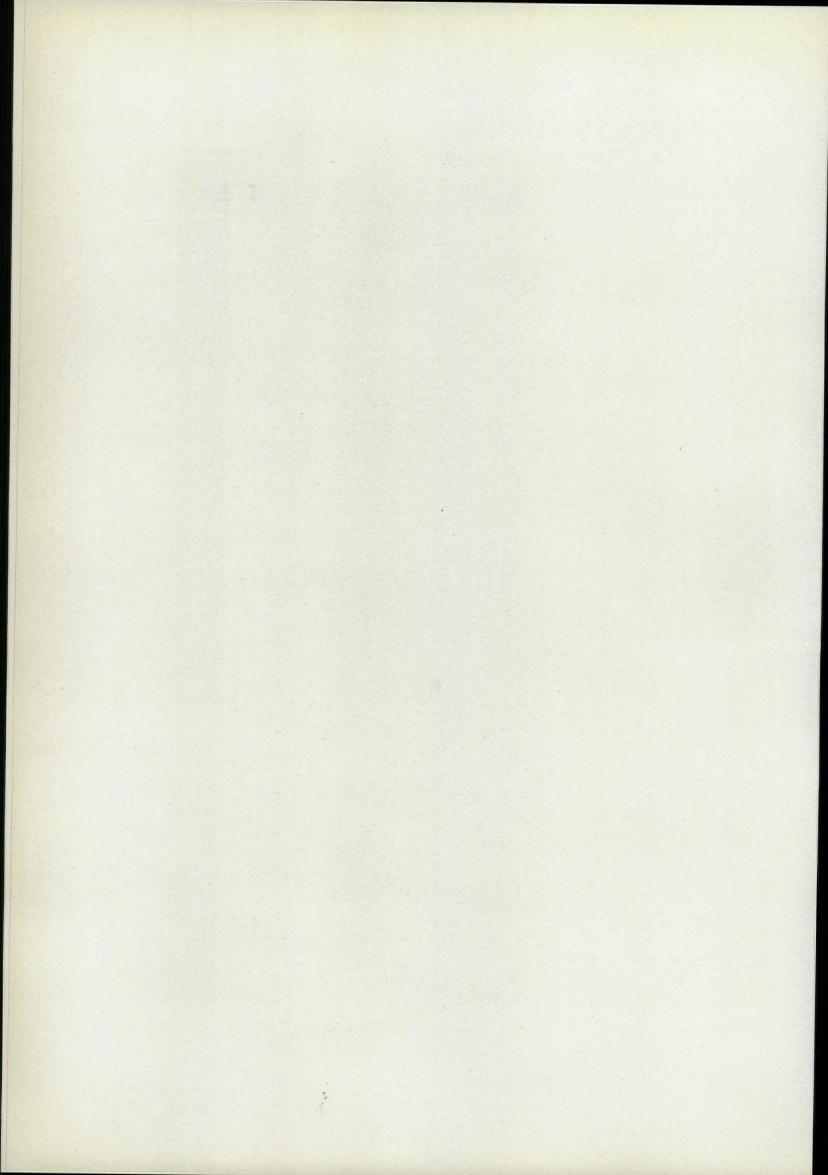
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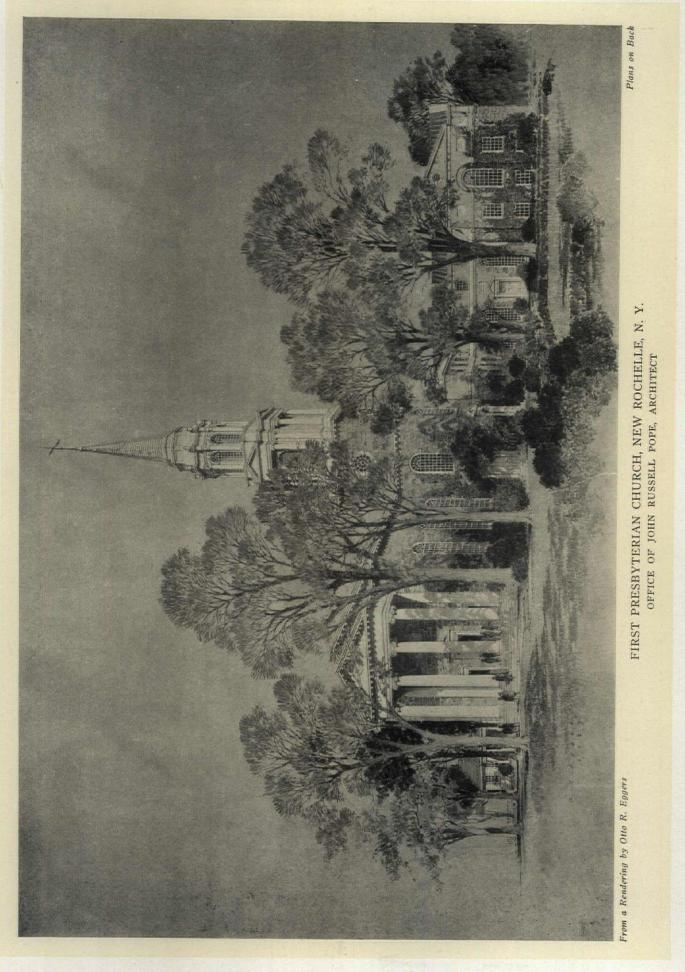


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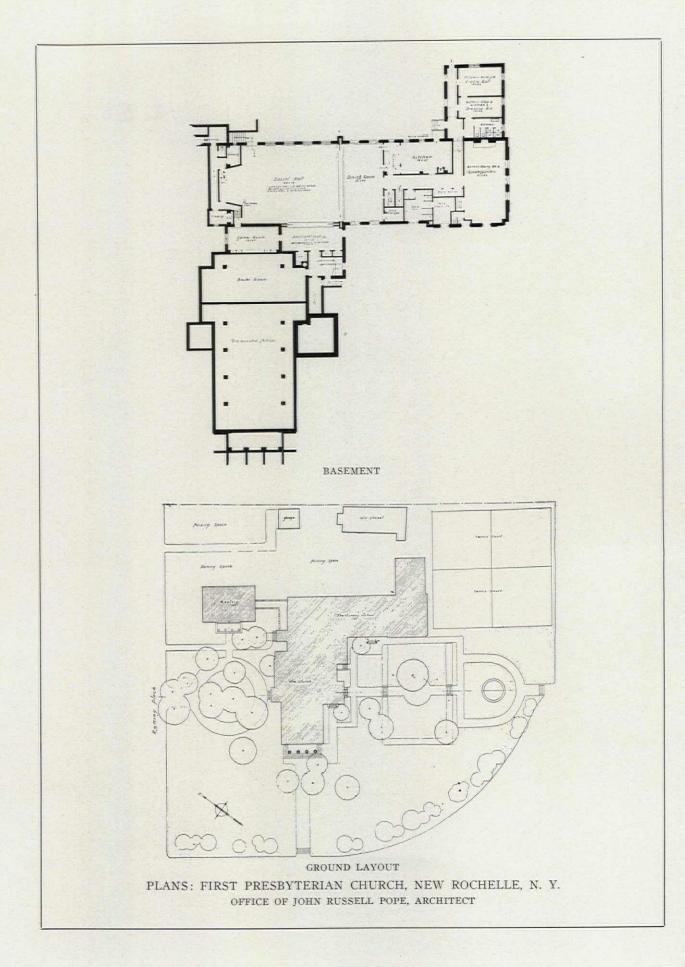


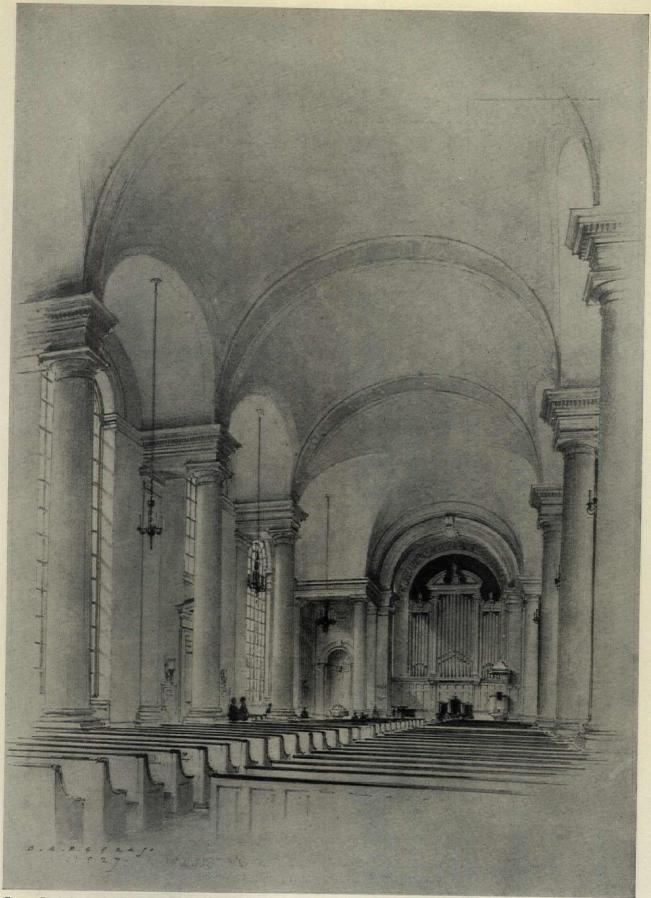
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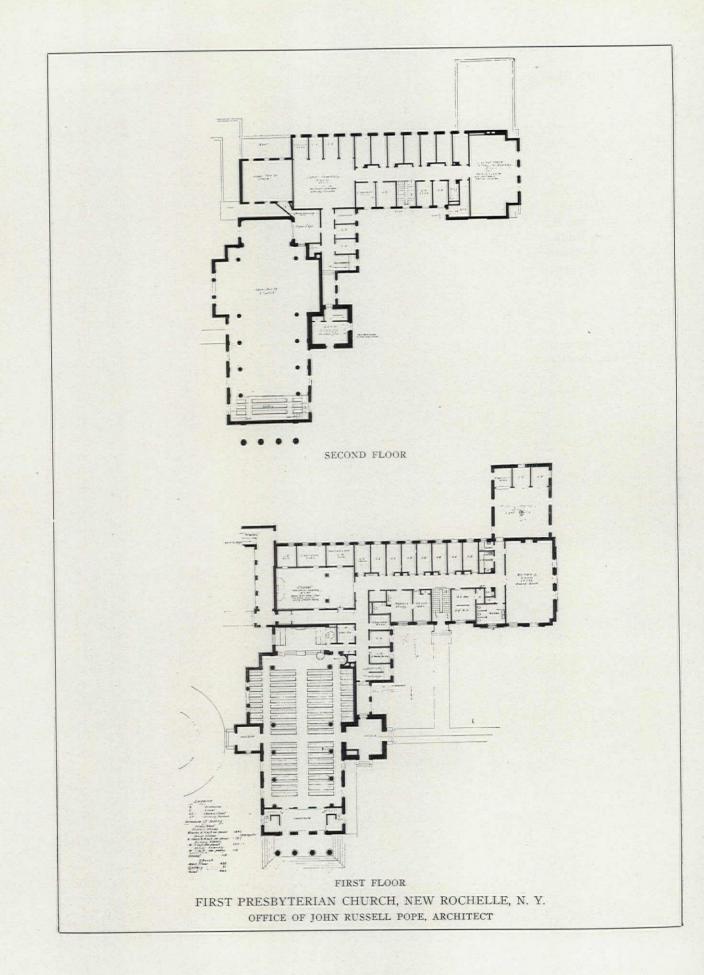




From a Rendering by Otto R. Eggers

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, NEW ROCHELLE, N. Y. OFFICE OF JOHN RUSSELL POPE, ARCHITECT

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OUTPOSTS OF ARCHITECTURE

MONUMENTS MARKING HISTORIC SPOTS ON THE GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY

ELECTUS D. LITCHFIELD, ARCHITECT

BY MATLACK PRICE

POINTS of historic interest have been marked, generally, in a very sporadic manner,—here and there and now and then. To carry out a consecutive program of marking a series of historic spots has been the unique and highly commendable plan of the Great Northern Railway. This railroad's president, Ralph Budd, sponsored the organization, in 1925, of the Upper Missouri River Historical Expedition, a tour of historians, writers and officials to historic spots where commemorative monuments were to be dedicated. And these monuments have not only been the means of paying a tribute to the hardihood of these early pathfinders who opened up the Pacific northwest, but also that of directing public interest

to the historic background of the territory traversed by the railroad, extending through several states.

Much comment, certainly, was brought forth from northwestern newspapers. The *Spokesman-Review*, of Spokane, recognizing the practical aspect of the Great Northern's memorial building, said: "Getting away from the altruistic idea of bestowing honor where honor is due, there is a distinct advertising value in monuments and markers that actually recalls the scenes and facts of historical events. These make a peculiar appeal to the tourist. He is attracted by publicity concerning them, and the interest of his visit is enhanced by their perusal upon his arrival. It is good business to create and maintain shrines of



Monument to the Lewis and Clark Expedition at Meriwether, Mont. Electus D. Litchfield, Architect

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patriotism and historic significance," in which paragraph this newspaper made a very definite point, and showed itself to be more practical and less sentimental than most newspapers are when any kind of a memorial is being discussed. The *Minneapolis Journal* said: "Patriotism has no firmer foundation than a proper appreciation of the achievements of our predecessors." And the *Anaconda Standard* gives another angle of the thought conveyed by the paper in Spokane: "Sentiment has indeed come to be an integral part of the modern business structure. Sentimental considerations observed by many business institutions bring to them a measure of respect and sympathy,—a comradeship from the public, that mere success and fair dealing cannot engender. Recent action of the Great Northern Railway Company in leading the way to a more general dissemination of knowledge of the early history of Montana



The Travel and Trade Route Monument at Bonner's Ferry, Idaho Electus D. Litchfield, Architect

and the northwest is a sentimental business activity which is bound largely and vitally to benefit this commonwealth while redounding to the credit and increasing the respect for the railway company."

Considering the simplicity of pioneer ideals, of the lives of the men whose deeds are commemorated by the Great Northern's monuments, the architect, Electus D. Litchfield displayed admirable taste in the simplicity which is the keynote of his various de-

signs. Nothing could be more appropriate than the sandstone shaft at Meriwether, Mont., marking the most northerly point reached by the Lewis and Clark Expedition in Lewis' detour to explore the Marias River. Although that famous expedition is much a matter of history, a paragraph or two here will be valuable. It was in April, 1805, that the expedition set out from St. Louis into really wild country, westward. Today, leaving Williston a traveler on the

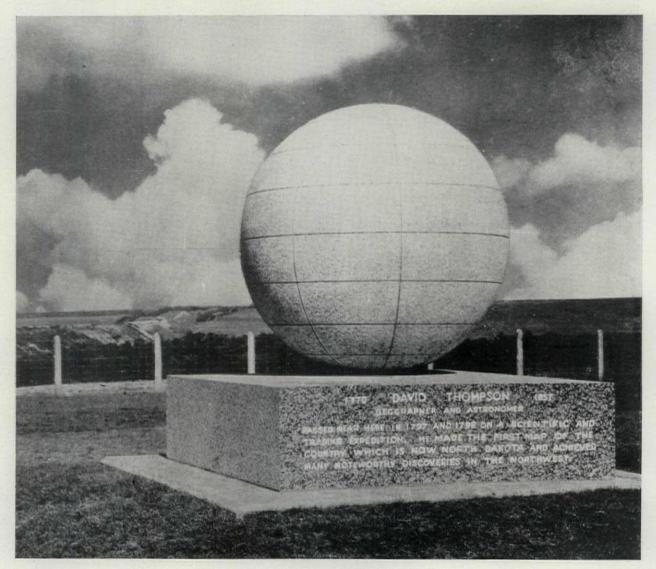


Monument to the Pioneers, Lewis, Clark and Thompson, at Wishram, Wash. Electus D. Litchfield, Architect

Great Northern Railway follows very nearly the same route blazed by Lewis and Clark,-600 miles to Butte, one of the southern terminals of the railway .- but he covers the distance in 20 hours where the pathfinders spent four months of toil and privation to make it. But they were also making history. "This was the first official exploring expedition sent out by the American government. Its significance in our national history cannot be over-emphasized; where Lewis and Clark led, the population of an empire has followed." Returning from the Pacific coast, the party split into two separate exploring ventures. Lewis undertook to follow up the Marias River, which he believed to be an important tributary to the Missouri. When he reached a point where the Marias bent toward the southwest, he made camp. It was the most northerly point reached by the expedition, and about two miles west of the present station of Meriwether on the Great Northern Railway, which has marked it with a pink sandstone obelisk. The monument is characterized by simple, rugged dignity. On the base is inscribed : "Lewis and Clark Expedition, and on the shaft is carved: July 26, 1806 Farthest Point West on Capt. Lewis' Trip Up The Marias River

There is a fine dignity in this simple monument. In so vast an expanse of country the more ornamental aspects of architecture become trivial, and the architect does well to exercise the utmost restraint in design. This Mr. Litchfield certainly has done, and once more affirmed the axiom that good architecture must, necessarily, mean good taste and simplicity.

Somewhat in the same manner is the unusual monument at Wishram, in the state of Washington, near Glacier National Park, and on the Columbia River. On a plain base is mounted a dual column of natural formation, taken from a nearby cliff where these shafts break from the rock as though hewn by hand. Mr. Litchfield has relieved the severity of the natural rock with "lashings" as of rope, in bronze, and a bronze tablet with a list of 42 names is dedicated "To the Memory of those Dauntless Pathfinders and Pioneers Who Followed the Great Thoroughfare of



Monument to David Thompson at Verendrye, N. D. Electus D. Litchfield, Architect

the Columbia at This Place." The first two names are those of Lewis and Clark, and the third that of David Thompson, that hardy cartographer and trader to whom a special monument stands at Verendrye, N. D.,—one of the most interesting of the series.

Much more conventional is the monument at Bonner's Ferry, Idaho, on the Kootenay. This spot, too, was visited by David Thompson, whose name heads a list of nine, below the inscription, which reads:

1808 1926

To Commemorate The First Route of Travel And Trade Across What Is Now The State of Idaho

The bas-reliefs, modeled by Gætano Cecere, are elaborately symbolical,—a modern version of "attributes typifying the Indian and the pioneer,—most interesting in design and satisfying in scale and relationship. The whole idea of the monument is so simple that it easily carries this detail without being in any danger of seeming sophisticated or over-designed. Standing closer to the haunts of men than some of the other memorials, the spirit of the "great open spaces" is not felt as an essential in its character, as in the case of certain other monuments.

In a very different setting, however, is the monument to John F. Stevens at Marias Pass, which is the lowest northern pass over the Rockies. Here, at Summit, on the southern boundary of Glacier National Park, there stands a bronze figure of heroic size, commemorating a feat of personal hardihood not excelled by any of the great exploits of earlier pioneers which are recorded in these memorials.

On the base a simple inscription reads:

John Frank Stevens

December 11, 1889

Between those lines there is a story to read. In 1853 Marias Pass was sought by Isaac L. Stevens (not related to the subsequent discoverer), but he failed to locate it because a subordinate, to whom the venture had been assigned, returned unsuccessful, daunted by the superstitious refusal of the Blackfeet Indians to furnish a guide. This tribe had long believed Marias Pass to be infested with evil spirits, a belief still active when John F. Stevens came on the scene in 1889, destined to frustrate much effort.



Monument to John F. Stevens at Summit, Marias Pass, Wash. Electus D. Litchfield, Architect

The Great Northern, then known as the St. Paul, Minnesota & Manitoba, had got as far as Helena, Mont. and sought a pass of grade as favorable as possible to cross the Rockies and push on westward. John F. Stevens became principal assistant engineer in 1889, and soon chief engineer and general manager. And it was in midwinter, 1889, that he set out in search of Marias Pass, starting from Fort Assiniboine, seven miles southwest of the present city of Havre, on the Great Northern Railway. Unable to get a Blackfoot Indian guide who would brave the spirits. Stevens found a Flathead Indian who was willing, but within striking distance of the goal this man, too, refused to go on,-and Stevens went on alone. Some idea of the nature of the country may be had from the fact that Marias Pass had remained undiscovered by white men for more than a quarter of a century,-and now Stevens was able to lead his railroad across the mountains by a route which, from the engineer's viewpoint, is the lowest and best of all the passes in the northern states. The courage, the sheer hardihood of the man's achievement is expressed in the great bronze figure, facing resolutely forward on the trail,-a monument of inspiration, through the largeness and simplicity of its treatment.

At Verendrye, N. D. there is another monument. It consists of a large stone sphere, mounted on a plain plinth. The sphere is marked off with latitude

and longitude, and its original design called for an applique of continents in bronze. On the base is set this inscription, which records these achievements: 1857 1770

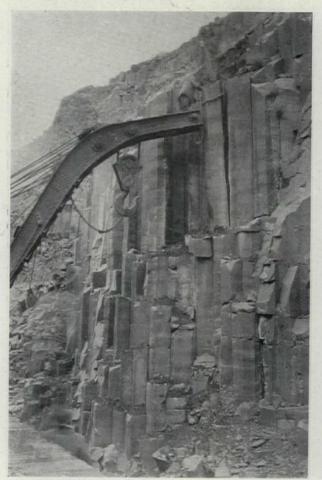
David Thompson Geographer and Astronomer

Passed here in 1797 and 1798 on a Scientific and Trading Expedition. He made the First Map

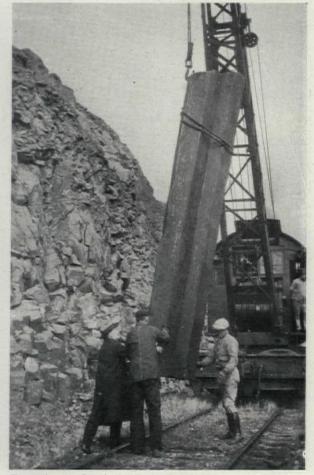
of the Country which is now North Dakota, and Achieved many Noteworthy Discoveries

in the Northwest.

It is a monument to a young lad from England, who went out at the age of 14 as an apprentice to the Hudson Bay Company. To a degree difficult for us to realize today, this lad roughed it in the fur trade, learning all he could about it while he was studying surveying. The greater part of his knowledge of surveying and the use of astronomical instruments he gained from an unambitious cartographer sent out by the Company. Unappreciated by the Hudson Bay Company, which, in this instance, seems not to have known when it had a valuable and highly talented man, Thompson quit and joined the great northwest in 1797. It was in that year the 49th parallel had been definitely agreed on as the boundary between Canada and the United States, and David Thompson at once went out to locate it. His exploits now stand commemorated in enduring stone, -another chapter in the history of the northwest.



Detaching the Twin Basalt Columns from a Cliff Near Wishram, Wash.



Preparing to Load the Twin Basalt Columns Onto the Flat Car

THE HOME OF THE GREEK REVIVALIST ITHIEL TOWN AT NEW HAVEN, CONNECTICUT

BY THOMAS E. O'DONNELL

"HE home that an architect designs and builds for himself generally commands more than usual attention. Because of the qualities and training an architect possesses,-or is supposed to possess,we expect to see displayed in the design of his own home the real personal ideals of the man couched in the terms which he considers the proper expression of a man of taste. The architect who has made real progress has, as a rule, arrived at the place where he has a definite architectural philosophy, and he puts something of his own personality into his work. This personal vein may be apparent through the fact that he works in some purely personal style, or in some historic style through the variations and adaptations in which he finds it easiest to express himself. To the architect this becomes a real and serious matter, but to those about him this personal style is likely to appear as his hobby. It depends upon point of view.

It is now generally supposed that during the Greek Revival period in America,-that period between 1800 and 1850 when the popular architectural style was a revival of Greek forms carried out to the letter according to exact proportions and measurements,all Greek Revival architects and builders were cold copyists and that they had but one ultimate ideal,the Greek temple,-which it was their aim to adapt to all purposes. From this it has often been inferred that the supreme delight of a Greek Revivalist would be to live in a replica of a Greek temple of superb proportions and beauty, regardless of its utility as a private house. But we are not sure that such was the case. Little or nothing is known of the houses in which the Greek Revivalists, Latrobe, Strickland, Mills, Davis, Thompson, or Rogers, lived. However,



House in the Greek Revival Style Built at New Haven about 1835 From an Old Wood Cut Published in 1839 71

we are fortunate in having an old print, published in 1839, of the house which Ithiel Town built for his own home, in New Haven, a cut of which accompanies this article. This seems to clearly indicate that this Revivalist, at least, was not content to live in an adapted temple type but that instead built his house in the refined spirit of Greek work and not in a copied Greek form, and also that he was able to write into a stiff, formal style something of the domestic quality that is expected in a place of residence.

Ithiel Town began his architectural career, it seems, in the Connecticut Valley; at least it is recorded that he moved, in 1810, from Hartford to New Haven and was the first architect to reside there. What his architectural training and experience had been previous to this, we have no record. Whatever his training or ability, it was evidently sufficient to justify the people of his community in employing him as an architect for a number of prominent houses and churches there. Later he was the architect for the old state house, built about 1829, in Hartford, which is of a Greek temple type. In this same year we find his name appearing as one of the members of the firm, "Davis, Town & Thompson," with offices in the then new Merchants' Exchange building in New York. Whatever his connection with this very early and very prominent firm of

architects, it seems that he still carried on work under his own name, for he alone is credited as being the architect for the old Indiana state house, at Indianapolis, which was under construction in 1834. During this same period, 1833 and 1834, he was also the architect of the North Carolina state house.

It seems evident that Town's practice carried him into widely separated fields, but his exact relationship to the New York firm and his place of residence are not so clear. Although he maintained some connection in New York with either Davis or Thompson, or both, from 1829 to 1844, it seems that he must have retained New Haven as his home, for as late as 1844 the New York Business Directory shows him to be associated with A. J. Davis with offices at "93 Merchants' Exchange," while we now know that he had built his Greek Revival home in New Haven in 1839, and that it is also recorded that he died in New Haven in 1844. From the few facts obtainable, it is evident that Ithiel Town's practice greatly resembled the modern architect's in the far separated location of work. Town must have been an architect of unusual ability to have been known from New Haven to Indianapolis. The primitive and slow methods of communication undoubtedly made the practice of architecture in those early times even more difficult and more trying than it is today.



Thaddeus Burr House, Fairfield, Conn., 1790. An Early Example of the Greek Revival

SMALL BUILDINGS

RECENT SMALL SHOPS

BY

KENNETH KINGSLEY STOWELL

small shops and stores is attractiveness. By this it is judged by the public, and attractiveness is interpreted in terms of dollars and cents by merchants. The latter, above all, are most directly concerned with the attribute of attractiveness which the architects can give to the premises; they must be able to attract people to their stores. Although the retailer may not be conscious of it, he probably carries in his mind an obsolete definition of the verb "attract," which Webster gives first, as "to draw or drawn in, as by suction." That does express his wish. He surely would use the word in the sense "to draw by influence of a moral or emotional kind; to engage or fix, as the mind, attention and so forth; to invite, to lure, as to attract admirers." Without such attractiveness his business cannot hope to prosper. There is ample evidence to support this, and

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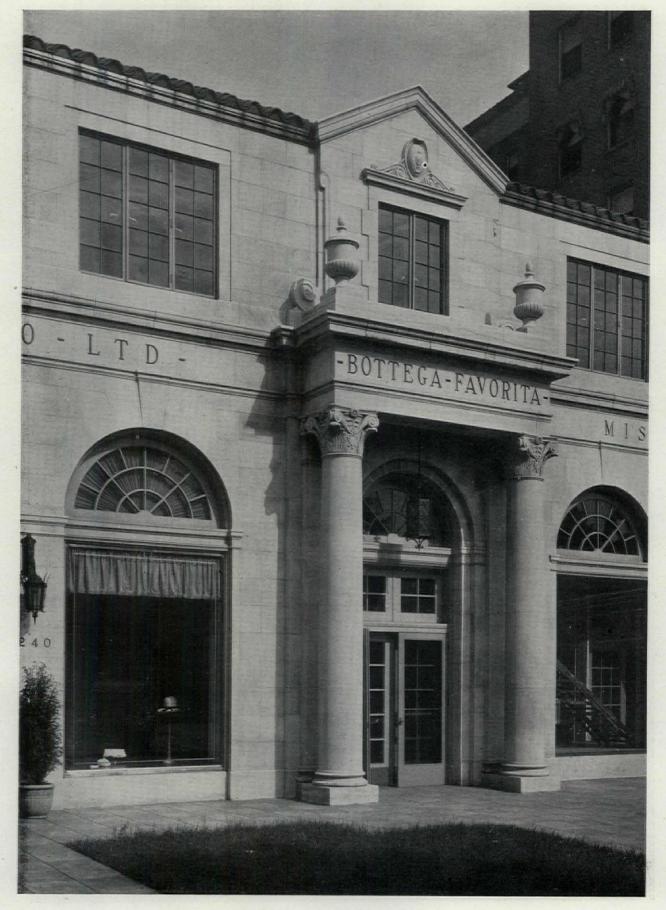
Attractiveness in retail stores is not confined to any time or place or to any period or style. There has been a recent renaissance of good design in buildings of this character throughout the United States. One of the chief features, perhaps, in this development has been the successful effort to design buildings which are appropriate to the purposes of the stores and which, in some way, reflect the character of the merchandise for sale therein. All styles and all periods of architecture have contributed their share to the inspiration of the architects of the present. We find the greatest latitude in the use of precedent, as architects are not fettered with tradition but use it freely and with imagination to pro-



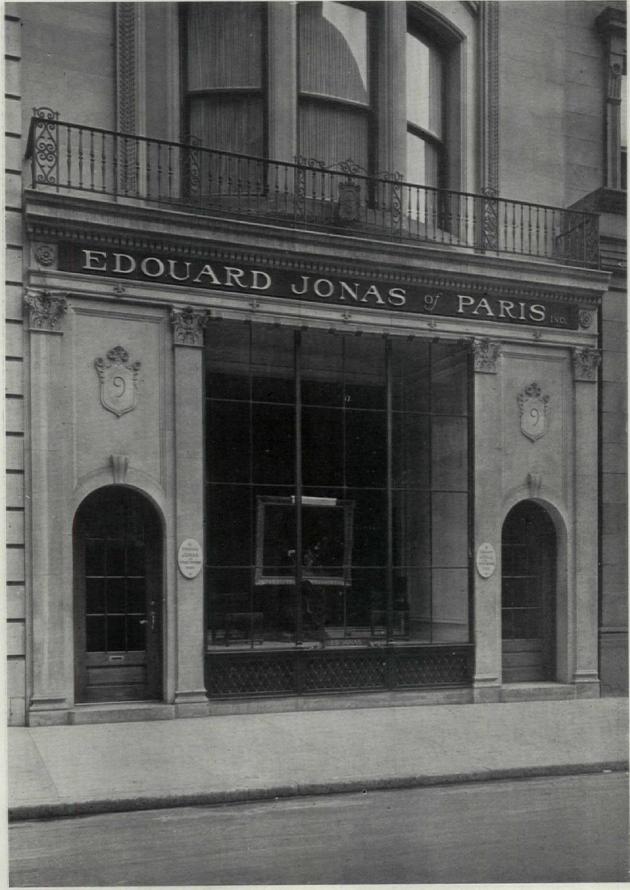
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DETAIL, TUTWILER STORES, BIRMINGHAM, ALA. WARREN, KNIGHT & DAVIS ARCHITECTS



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SHOP FRONT AT 23 WEST 51ST STREET, NEW YORK FRANK A. GOODWILLIE, ARCHITECT

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INTERIOR OF THE JOHN WARD SHOE SHOP, FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK RICHARD H. SMYTHE, ARCHITECT



PERFUME SHOP IN THE MODERN FRENCH STYLE, FIFTH AVENUE, NEW YORK JOHN FREDERICK CONAN, ARCHITECT

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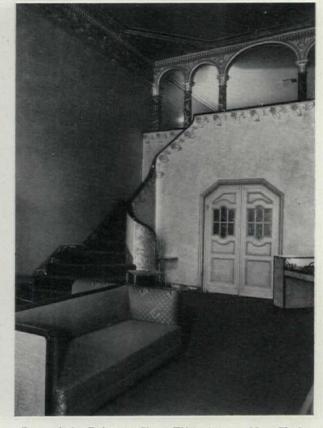
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Front of the Interior of the Delettrez Shop

duce the desired result,—attractiveness. In order to attract, it is felt that a shop must be different from its neighbors; it must be easily distinguishable from the others around it. This accounts for the great diversity in style and material to be found in the shop fronts on every street. Fifth Avenue is lined with shops, each differing from the others, each striving to appeal to those who pass and to attract them not only to their windows but inside. Every town or city has its Fifth Avenue, be it called Michigan Boulevard or Main Street, where small shops vie with one another to lure the prospective purchaser.

The attractiveness of the exterior is carried consistently throughout the interior in the modern shop. The "false front" is no longer enough to attract and hold the buying public. The appointments of the interior must continue to enhance the attractive impression given by the shop's exterior. That architects have been able to accomplish results which not only satisfy their own æsthetic taste but which contribute a determining factor in successful merchandising, is evinced by the ever-growing number of architecturally designed shops and stores. The appeal to the æsthetic is being recognized more and more wherever merchandise is bought and sold. More articles are being sold on their design appeal than ever before, and it is important that they be given their proper setting. The show window should be designed primarily to be the proper setting for



Rear of the Delettrez Shop, Fifth Avenue, New York

the articles for sale within. The best of window dressers cannot succeed in displaying his wares without the proper architectural enframement, which the architect alone can give. Another element in the attractiveness of the small store is the appropriateness of the design to the character of the business, and we find this element is seldom, if ever, lost sight of by the architect. There are several good examples of this among the illustrations chosen. Certain classes of shops demand a more or less formal style of architecture; others demand a more intimate setting and surroundings. We have chosen examples of both kinds from many places. They show shops designed for the sale of many different articles, from cosmetics to clothing, from rugs to music.

The first example is of a building which by its refinement of detail and carefully selected materials bespeaks the character of the shops which it houses. It is essentially a building for shops that might be termed by the trade "high class specialty shops." If such a shop had merely one great glass front, it would have far less character and be far less effective in attracting patrons. The chaste and dignified arches make enframements for the display of show windows that add immeasurably to the interest of the articles exhibited. The architecture is formal and dignified without being cold. This is largely due to excellence in proportions and to careful consideration given to the profiles and the mouldings. The slight



STREET FRONT OF MRS. FRANKLIN'S SHOP



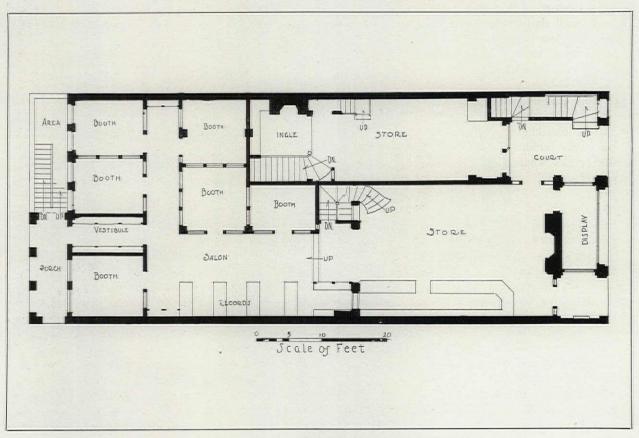


SHOP FOR MRS. FRANKLIN, INC., PHILADELPHIA TILDEN, REGISTER & PEPPER, ARCHITECTS

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MERCANTILE AND APARTMENT BUILDING, WINNETKA, ILL. HAMILTON, FELLOWS & WILKINSON, ARCHITECTS

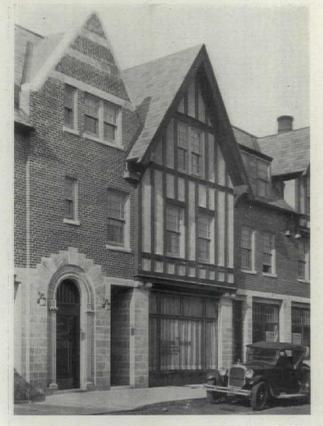


PLAN OF A SHOP IN THE CENTER OF THE BLOCK

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Center Detail of the Mercantile and Apartment Building at Winnetka, Ill.

projection of the keystone, which gives just enough relieving shadow, is especially noteworthy.

Many small shops have invaded residence streets and have called for alterations in older buildings. An interesting example of a successful alteration is shown in the illustration of the shop of Edouard Jonas, of Paris. The material chosen for the shop front is the same as that of the rest of the building, and the shop window has been placed in the center of the facade, recalling the large windows in the older portion of the building above. The railing above the cornice breaks what might be too sharp a line of demarkation, and forms a pleasing transition from the new to the old. The use of two symmetrical doorways might be criticized as confusing to a possible purchaser, since one door probably leads to the store and the other to the floors above.

An excellent example of the appropriateness of architectural treatment and ornamentation to the character of the store is shown in the imaginative little building for Tupper & Reed, of California. The trumpeter on the chimney seems to announce that music is the commodity on sale. A harp adorns the chimney farther down, and one almost expects birds to be singing in the little dovecote at the point of the roof. The plaque from Della Robbia's "Singing Boys" heightens this musical character. It will be noted in one of the smaller details illustrated, that even the name of the little restaurant, "The Piper," has been chosen to harmonize with the setting. In

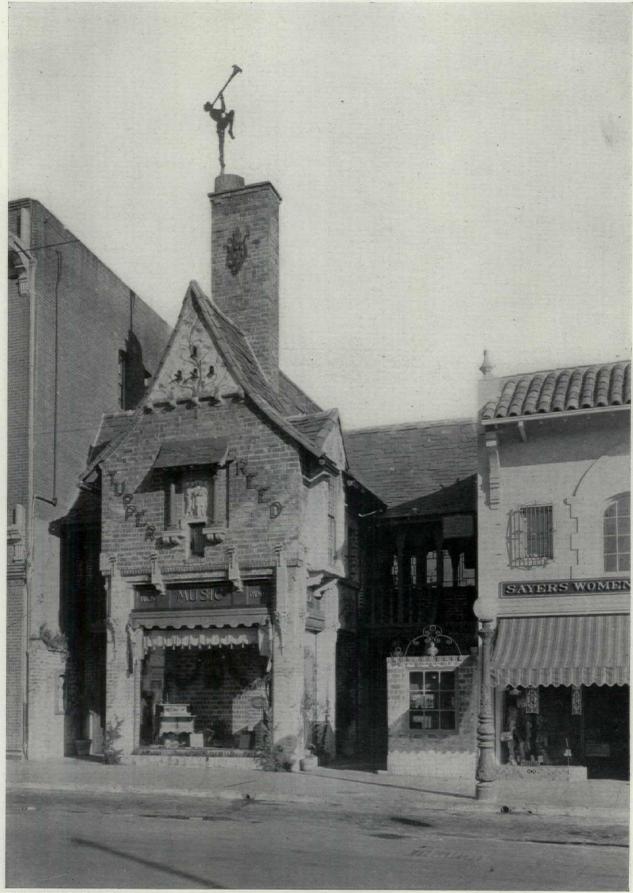


Corner Detail of the Mercantile and Apartment Building, at Winnetka, Ill.

striking contrast are the unattractive stores at either side. Although this may seem to be carrying appropriateness to the *n*th degree, one must acknowledge the gain in attractiveness.

There are other examples of the more intimate types of small shops,-one a restaurant, "The Cloisters"; another a smart clothing shop in Philadelphia. In both of these shops the design is based on English precedent, and the results are achieved by the simplest means. Both use comparatively small panes of glass in the windows, divided by muntins that give scale to what otherwise might be an "aching void." Too often large sheets of plain, clear glass give such an effect. One can easily visualize the entire lack of character and the irreparable loss in attractiveness that would result if the present windows were replaced with single large sheets of glass. All distinction and all "scale" would be lost. The same would be true in the case of the shop of Henry V. Weil. In the latter, of course, the muntins are a practical as well as an æsthetic consideration, because a single curved sheet of glass would probably have had to be made to order at considerable expense, and would be difficult to replace.

The difficulties just mentioned are not deterrents where the use of curved glass is absolutely necessary in obtaining the desired effect. Modernist designers will make their materials fit their needs. One of the most recent examples is the Ward shop on Fifth Avenue, New York. Here glass is used in a multi-

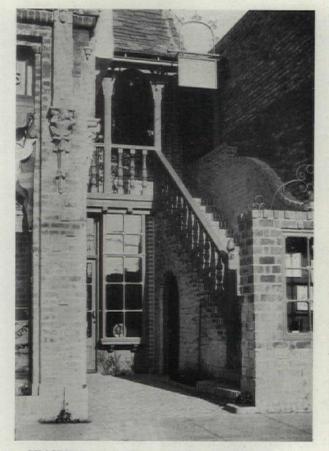


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TUPPER & REED MUSIC STORE, OAKLAND, CAL. W. R. YELLAND, ARCHITECT



INTERIOR OF THE TUPPER & REED MUSIC STORE



STAIRWAY TO THE UPPER RESTAURANT



ENTRANCE DOOR IN SIDE COURTYARD

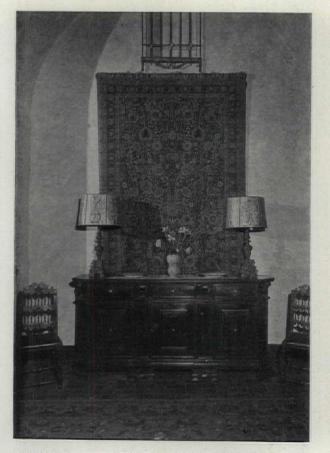


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INTERIOR OF WHITTALL'S RUG SHOP, NEW YORK OFFICE OF JOHN RUSSELL POPE, ARCHITECT



ALCOVE IN WHITTALL'S RUG SHOP



ANTIQUES USED TO SET OFF RARE OLD RUGS



RUGS DISPLAYED IN AN ARTISTIC SETTING

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tude of interesting forms. The central case is cylindrical, so that one may view the display from all sides. The semi-circular dome above is of gold and silver mosaic glass, and there is a brilliant background of silvered glass mosaic that makes a myriadfaced mirror of all the surfaces behind the central horizontal band of the design. Even the "drapes" suspended from this band are strips of glass of an interesting texture. The medallions are of cut sheet bronze and show a shoe-fitting scene. The interior is supplied with individual chairs designed along modern lines, and the sweep of the chair arms is in keeping with the roundness of the exterior design. On the walls of the customers' portion of the shop are some most interesting bizarre decorations in flat tones, very modern and exceedingly clever. Certainly such decorations are more attractive than the usual tiers of monotonous shoe boxes.

The shop of Delettrez is an admirable example of modern French design. It is characteristic of the distinctive shops found along the Rue de la Paix. Dark veined marble is one of the favored materials for such shops, embellished with bronze, silver and gilt bas-reliefs. The restrained richness and the refinement of these designs are intended to suggest superior wares and undoubtedly are assets of no mean value to the shopkeepers. The small scale of the show windows adds to the effectiveness of the display of the exotic little jars and bottles.

The interior of the shop which is known as "Whittall's Salon" is admirably designed to set forth the beauty of the rugs. The rugs demand accessories such as furniture and lamps to give an idea of their proper setting, approximating their proper use in the home. They have been admirably chosen. The textured walls make a fitting background for the soft richness of the rugs hung against them, and the tile floors are in pleasing contrast with the fabrics that cover them. Here again we find the architecture in scale with the product for sale. The larger rooms provide the proper settings for the rugs of ample sizes, and a most pleasing paneled alcove shows the use of the smaller rugs to advantage.

Very often an architect is called upon to design a building containing a row of stores that will be rented. Naturally in this case his problem is to design the shop fronts so that they will be attractive yet adaptable to the display of various kinds of merchandise. A successful solution of this problem is shown in the illustrations of the group at Winnetka.



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Georgian Precedent Used for Modern Shop Front

INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE

DETAILS FROM THE FRENCH CHATEAUX

MEASURED AND DRAWN BY ALBERT A. CHADWICK TEXT BY PARKER MORSE HOOPER

'HE unusual interest shown in the series of measured details from some of the lesser known French city houses by C. Hamilton Preston prompted THE ARCHITECTURAL FORUM to commission Albert A. Chadwick to procure and prepare for it a similar series of measured details from the French chateaux. Although the beautiful examples of Francis I and Henry IV architecture in Touraine have been constantly photographed and frequently described, there seems to be no English publication presenting illustrations and measured details of some of the more important examples of these interesting and fascinating examples of French architecture. It is hoped that architects in this country will find this series of chateau details not only of interest and inspiration but also of service for adaptation in their free expression of modern architecture, which use is splendidly illustrated in the ornamentation of the New York Life Insurance Building, by Cass Gilbert.

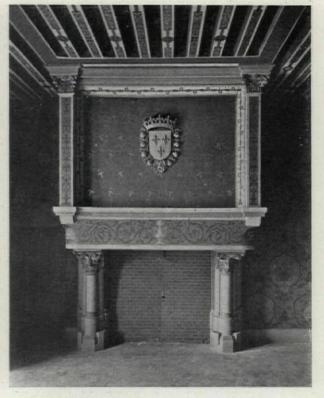
Because architectural design all over the world is undergoing a great change and because a new and freer expression, more individual and more original than has been known in several centuries, characterizes modern work in all the arts, there is no reason why precedent should be completely abandoned. By far the best and most conservative and satisfying examples of modern architectural design in Europe today are those in which architectural precedent is at least suggested, if not actually and accurately followed, in the architectural forms and details. Such buildings as the Town Hall and the Concert Auditorium at Stockholm are excellent examples of this new and freer use of the architectural styles of the past. In the Town Hall there is distinct evidence of the influence of Byzantine and Romanesque architecture. In the Concert Auditorium a new and original use of Greek architectural forms is evidenced. In the best of recent architectural design in this country a suggestion of one or another of the periods of the past is seen at least in the architectural ornamentation. Greek, Assyrian, Phœnician and Egyptian ornament and devices are used in new arrangements and fresh forms.

To the appreciative and conscientious student of architectural history the fact is undeniable that each new period of architectural development is a natural outgrowth from the period preceding. In character each period may be quite different from its predecessor, but certain characteristics follow through, though they may appear in a somewhat changed form.



Chimneypiece, Chateau de Blois, Francis I. Period

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Chimneypiece, Chateau de Blois, Francis I. Period

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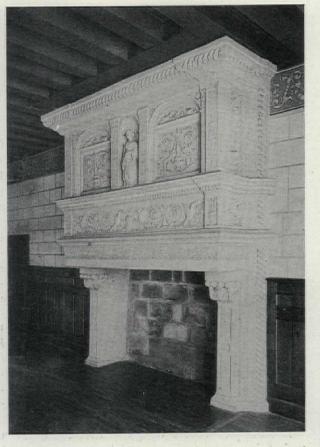
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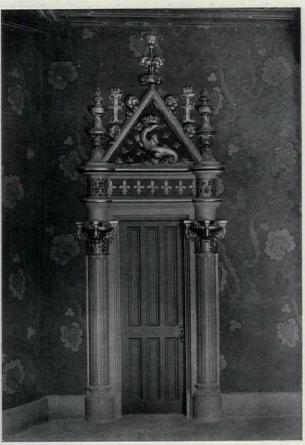
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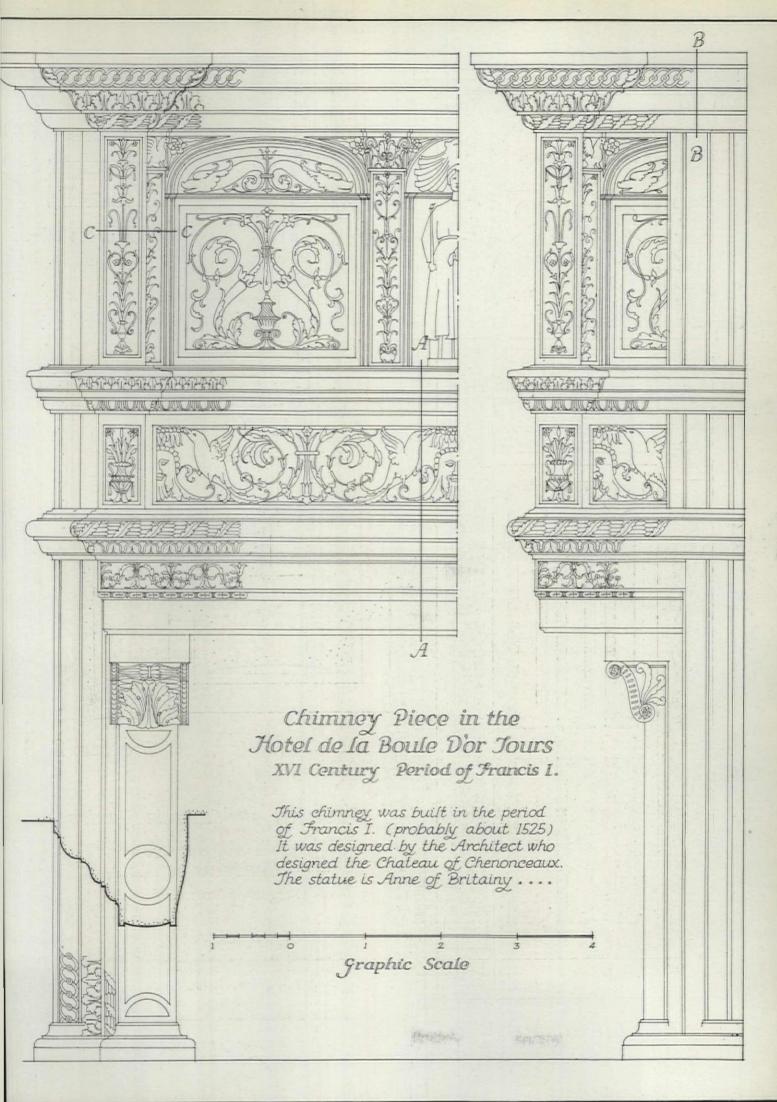
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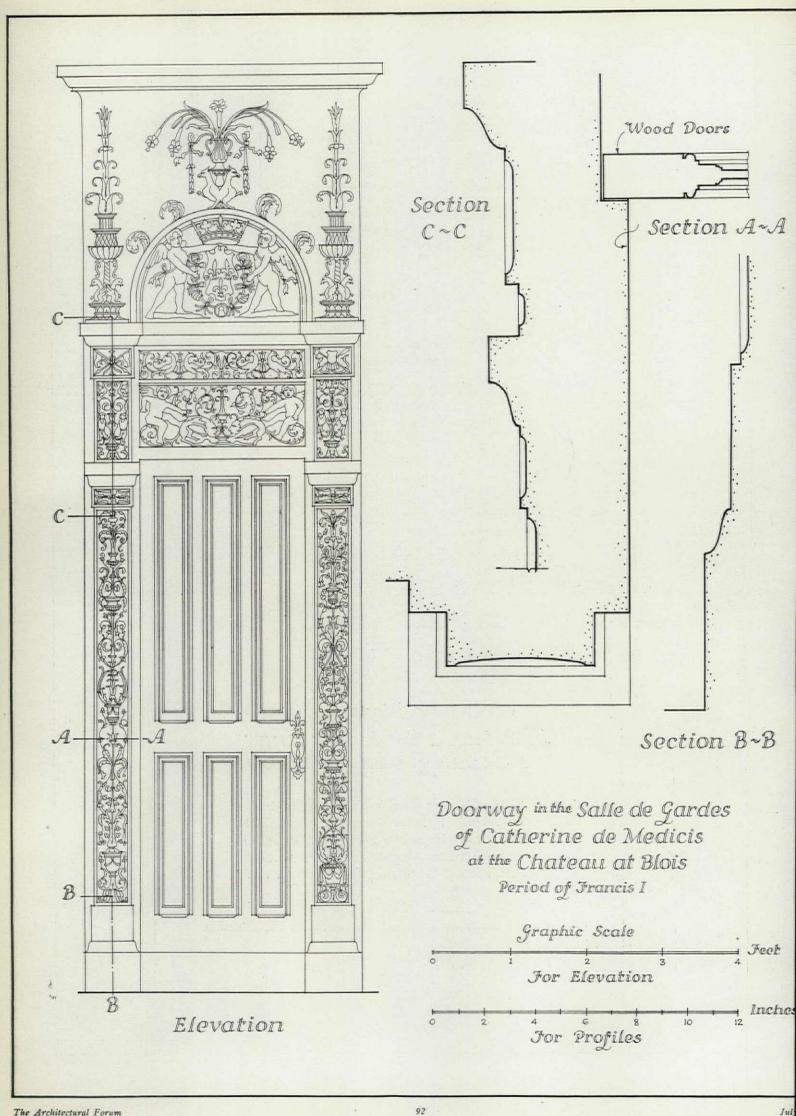


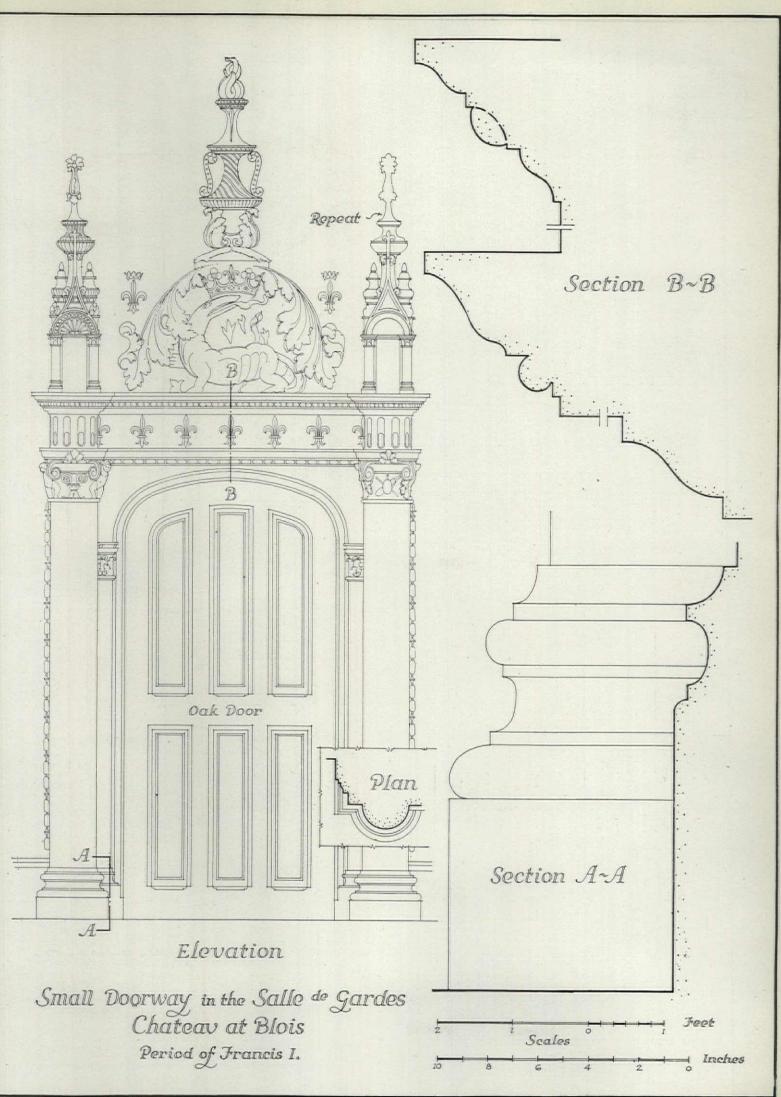
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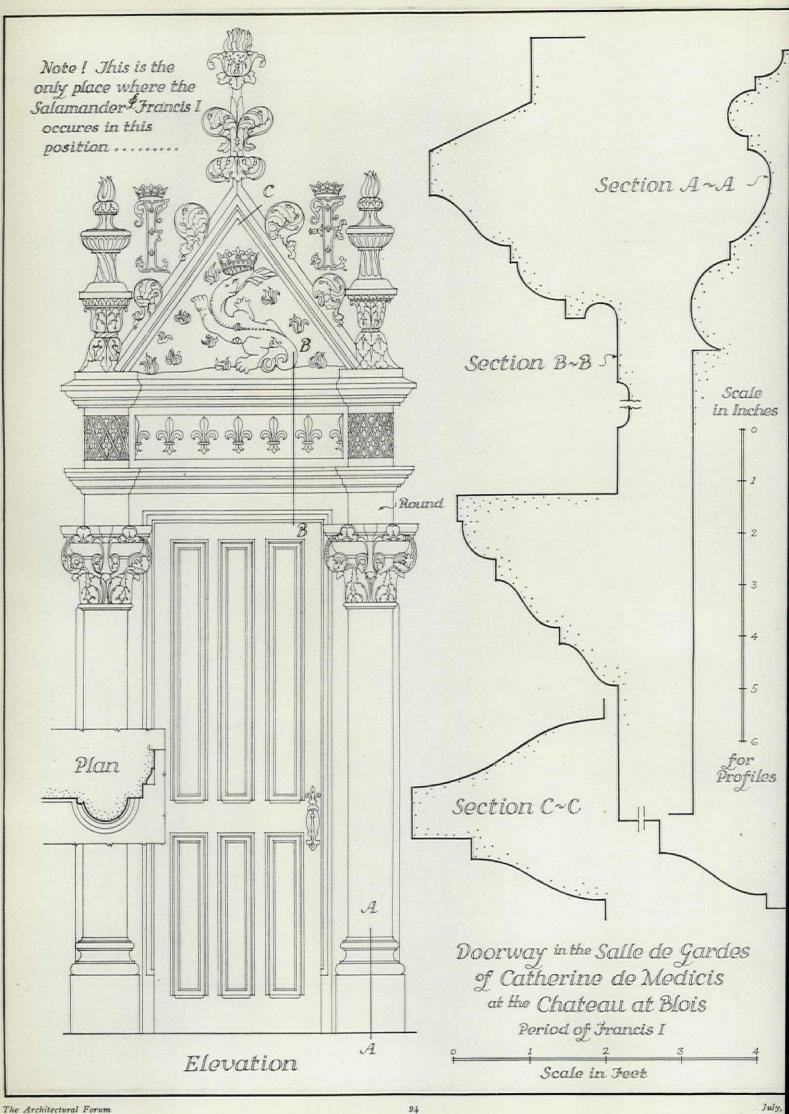


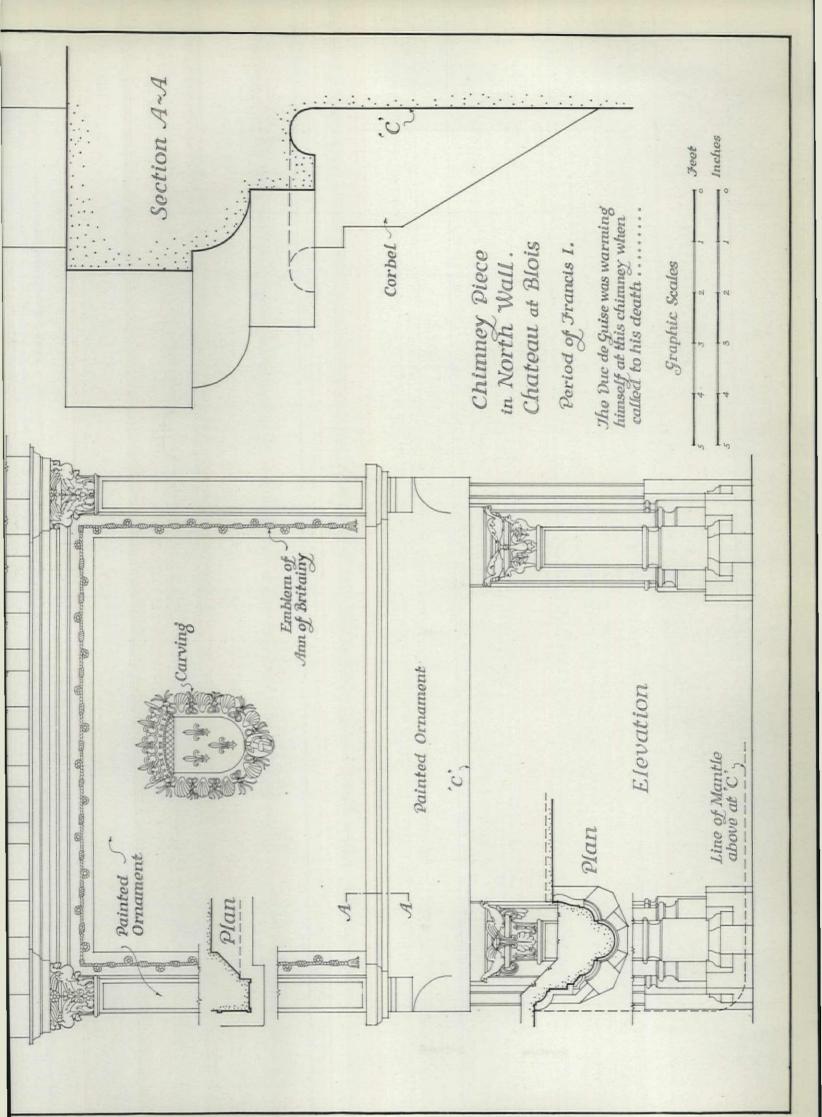
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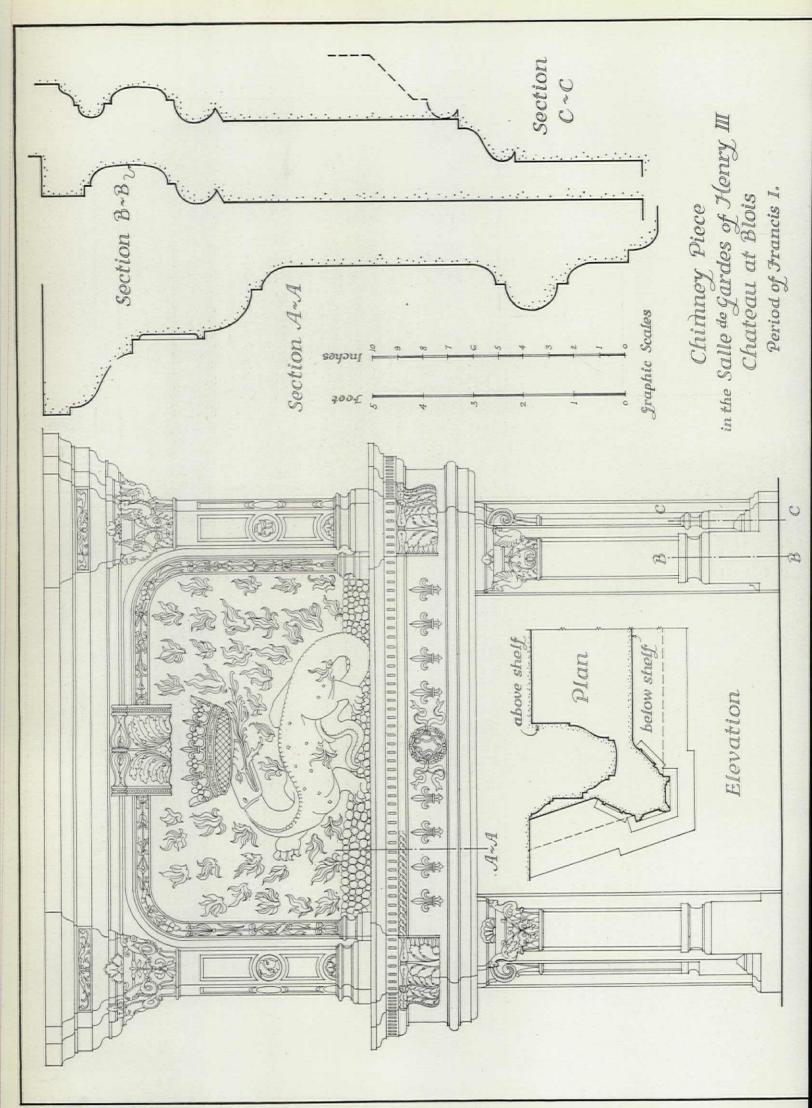














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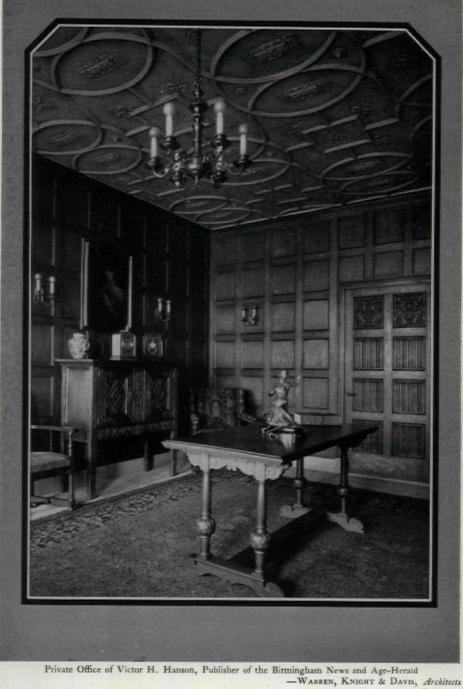
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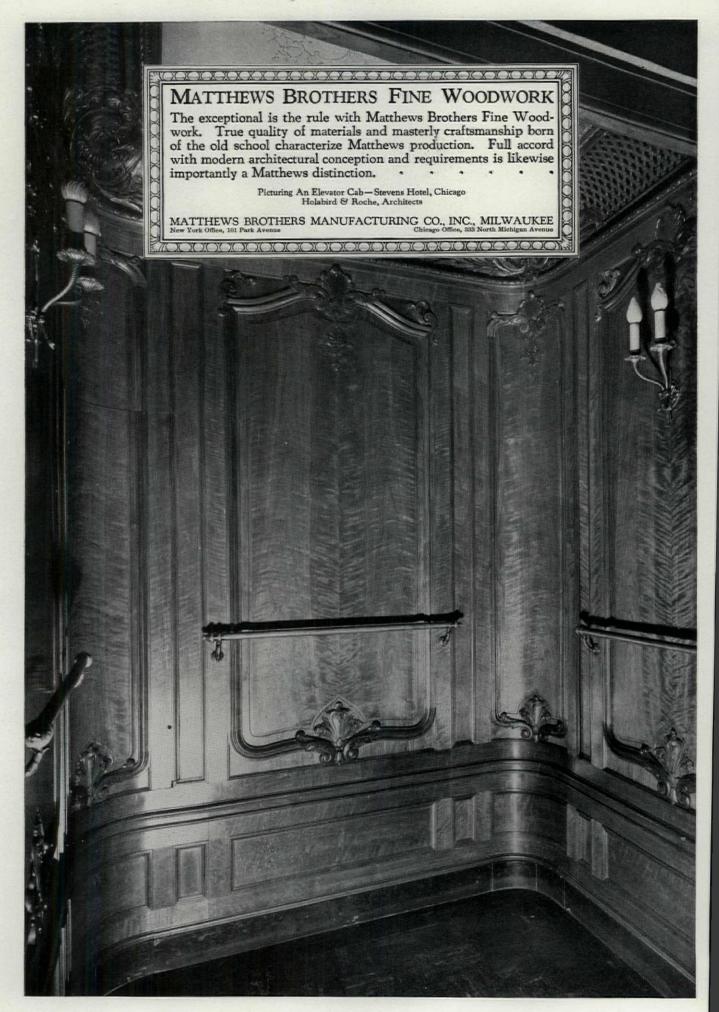
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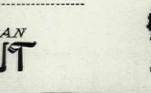
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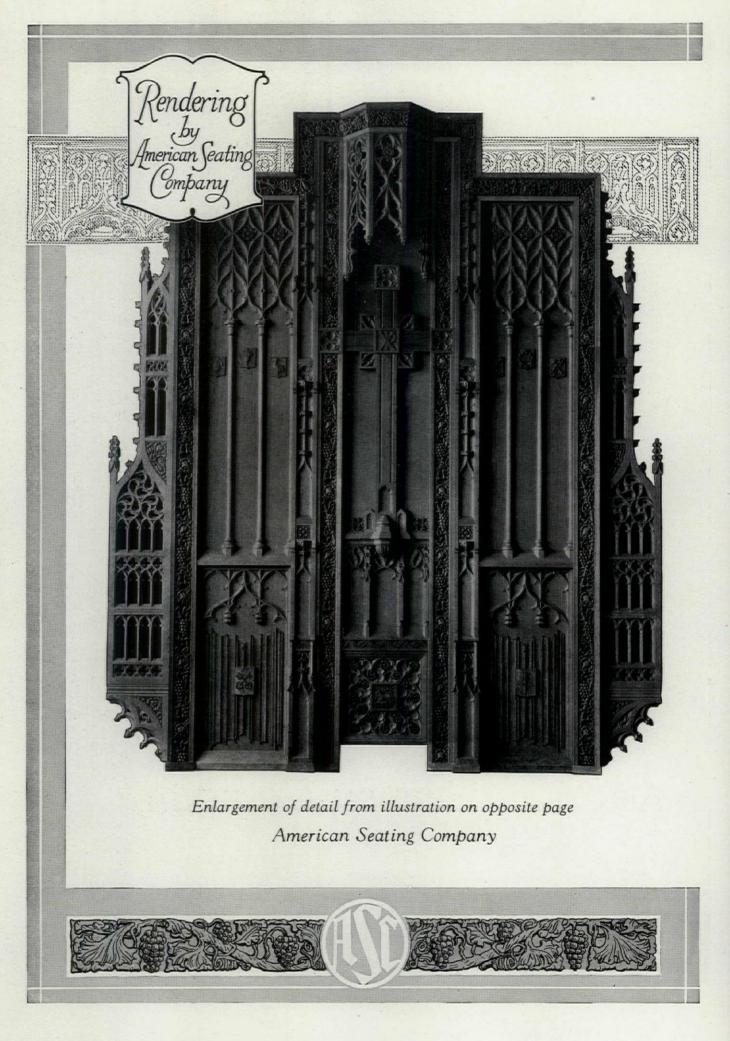


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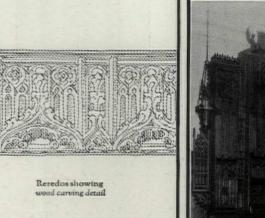
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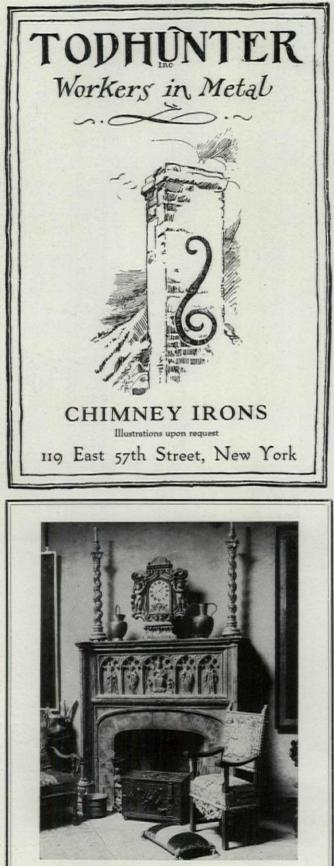
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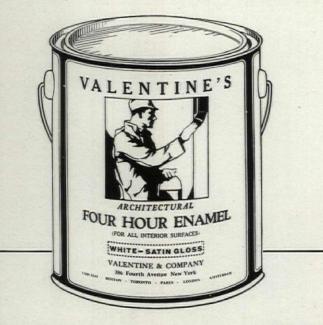




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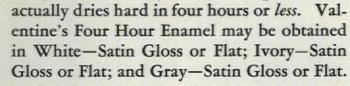
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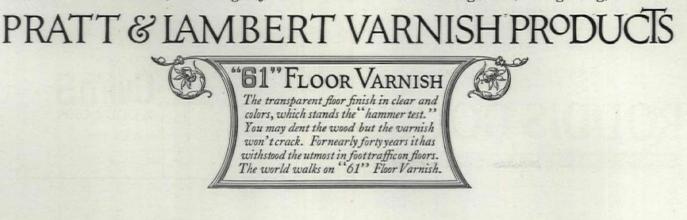
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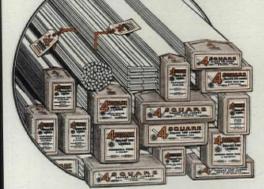
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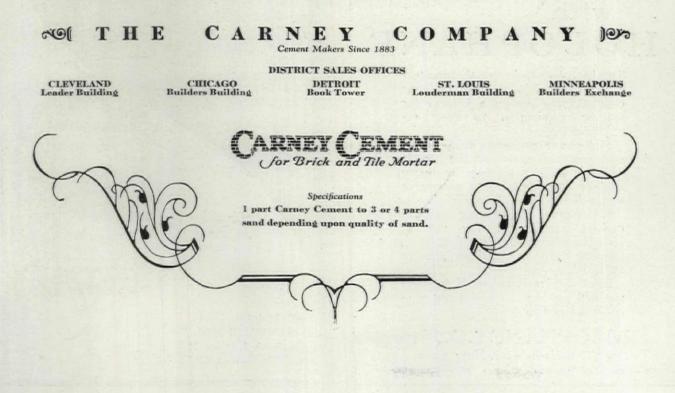
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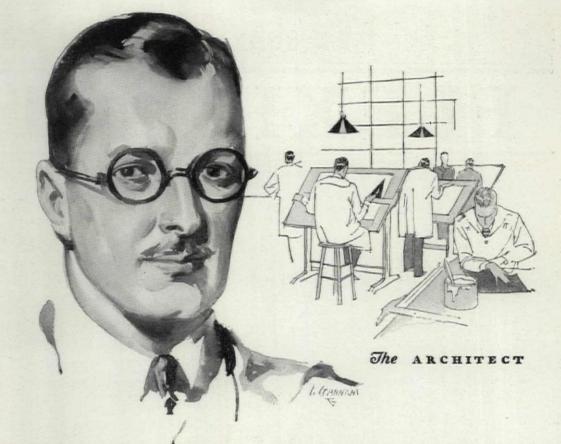


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 U. S. Gypsum Co., 205 W. Monroe St., Chicago, III. A Scientific Solution of an Old Architectural Problem. Folder 6 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Describes Sabinite Acoustical Plaster.

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Macomber Steel Co., Canton, Ohio. Bank Vault Reinforcing. Folder, 8 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Designing Data and Insurance Rating.

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Genfire Steel Company, Youngstown, Ohio. Architectural Details. Booklet, 28 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Details on steel windows. A. I. A. File No. 16E.

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- A. P. W. Paper Co., Albany, N. Y.
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 Cabinets and Fixtures. Booklet, 31 pp., 5¾ x 4¼ ins. Illustrated. Catalog and price list of fixtures and cabinets.

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 Economic Value of Admixtures. Booklet, 32 pp. 6½ x 9½ ins. Reprint of papers by J. C. Pearson and Frank A. Hitchcock before 1924 American Concrete Institute.
 Concrete Surface Corporation, 342 Madison Ave., New York. Bonding Surfaces on Concrete. Booklet, 12 pp., 8 x 11 ins. Illus-trated. Deals with an important detail of building.
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 for floors and walls.

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AGSTONES . G. Robinson, 6202 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia. Robinson Flagstones. Brochure, 12 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Illustrated. Data and specification.

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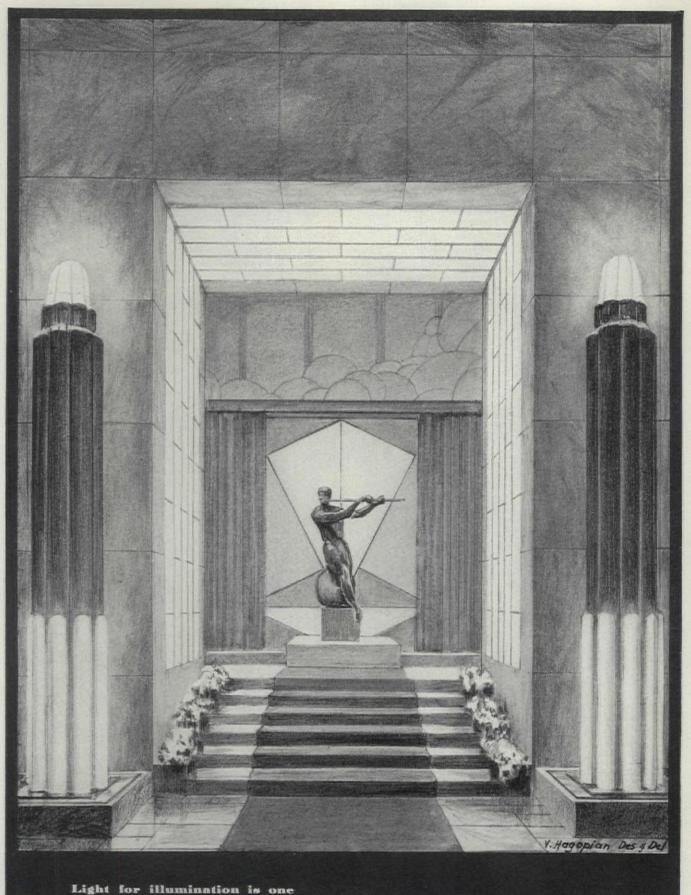
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- Armstrong Cork Co. (Linoleum Division), Lancaster, Pa. Armstrong's Linoleum Floors. Catalog. 8½ x 11 ins. 40 pp. Color plates. A technical treatise on linoleum, including table of gauges and weights and specifications for installing lino-leum floors.

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 W. & J. Sloane Mfg. Co., 577 Fifth Avenue, New York. Linoleum Patterns. Brochure, 10 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Illustrated. Deals with fine assortment of floor coverings.
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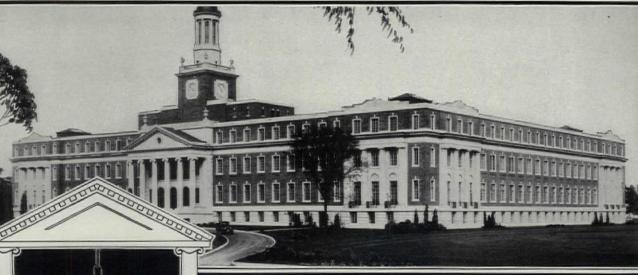
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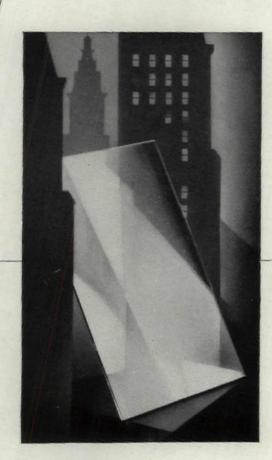
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 Cohoes Rolling Mill Company, Cohoes, N. Y. Cohoes Pipe Handbook. Booklet, 40 pp., 5 x 7½ ins. Data on wrought iron pipe.
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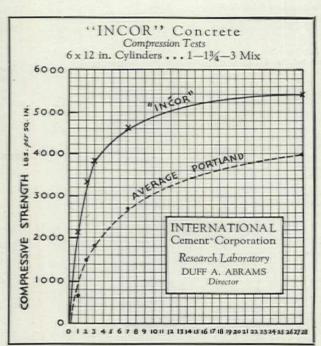
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Steel Frame House Co., Pittsburgh. Steel Framing for Dwellings. Booklet, 16 pp., 8½ x 11 ins. Data and details.

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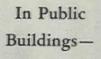
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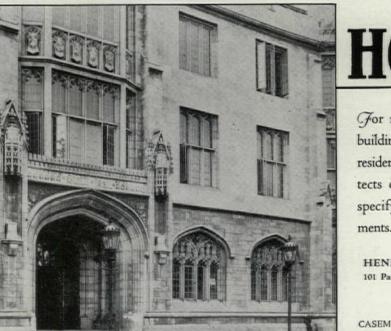
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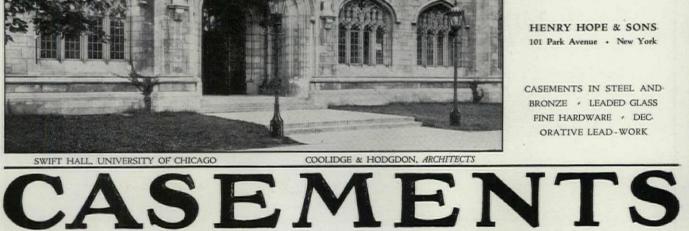
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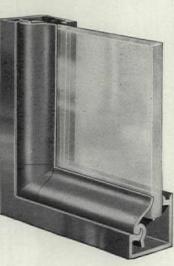
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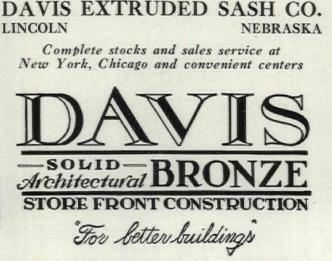
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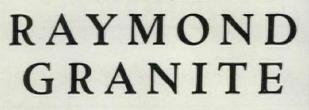
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REVIEWS OF MANUFACTURERS' PUBLICATIONS

PORTLAND CEMENT ASSOCIATION, Chicago. "Town and Country Houses of Concrete Masonry."

It is always interesting as well as encouraging to note progress in the successful use of building materials. Some years ago, when the use of concrete in domestic building first became general, the results were frequently disappoint There seemed to be a certain hardness or rigidity ing. about concrete-built houses which made them bleak, bare and brusque if not almost brutal. These qualities are still found sometimes, but a number of well known architects have learned to handle concrete to produce the most pleasing and graceful of residence structures, as the illustrations in this highly attractive brochure abundantly prove. As one examines the booklet it would seem that this material is par-ticularly successful in buildings of the so-called "Mediterranean" type,-Spanish or Italian,-perhaps because archi-tecture of these styles calls for broad expanses of walls walls with deep reveals to windows and doors. Some of the most beautiful of the illustrations show houses designed in these styles built in either Florida or southern California.

THE KAWNEER COMPANY, Niles, Mich. "Kawneer Store Front Construction in Bronze or Copper."

Many a shop has taken on new dignity and character by being given a new front or facade facing the world. Lately several volumes and magazine articles have been published dealing with fronts in America and the different countries of Europe, shop fronts old and new, the new suffering, it must be admitted, from comparison with many of the beautiful old facades which illustrations show existed in France during the Louis period or in England during the time of the later Stuarts and the Georges. It is not possible in America, of course, to draw comparisons between the very old and the new, but it is easy enough to compare what was being done a decade or two ago with what is done today, and the comparison is often encouraging. The improvement is due in many instances to the offering by manufacturers of well designed metal parts used in such work, parts which since they are made in quantities are not of prohibitive cost. This work illustrates and describes mouldings, soffits, spandrels, transoms, bulkheads, grilles, and a long list of other details useful to architects and designers.

THE PORTLAND CEMENT ASSOCIATION, Chicago. "The Key to Firesafe Homes." A booklet on the subject.

The progressiveness of America, of which we are so fond of talking, is real enough in many ways, though in other respects it seems to leave much to be desired. It is disheartening, for example, to be informed that each year fire claims a toll of more than 14,000 lives,-more than 30 daily,-that each year the property loss caused by fire amounts to some \$500,000,000, and that every five minutes a building somewhere in the United States bursts into flames, many being residences. Much has been done, of course, in the fireproofing of large structures of many types, and much could be done toward making residence structures fireproof or at least fire-resistant were we to give to our floors the same thought and effort which we devote to walls, building them of brick, tile, concrete or stone, or to roofs, which are often of slate, cement-asbestos shingles, clay or concrete tile. The weak point, the vulnerable spot, seems to be the *floor*, proved by the fact that many a ruined house is left with walls standing and somewith its roof intact, but with its interior entirely times gutted, due to the burning out of its floors. This booklet is devoted to the use in building floors of fireproof substances, giving detailed drawings showing the correct methods of using solid slab and ribbed floor construction, tile and joist construction and the like, and giving data which may well afford matter for thought. One interesting detail of the booklet is its quoting letters from a number of widely known architects on the subject of building fireproof floors. One well known architect in Chicago says: 'I was very much astonished when, about three years ago, I discovered that concrete floor slabs would increase the cost of a residence so little (about $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent) that it seemed absurd and shortsighted not to use them instead of wooden joists."

HICKS GALLERY, INC., 16 Fayette Street, Boston. "A Catalog of Metal Window Cornices." Decorative details.

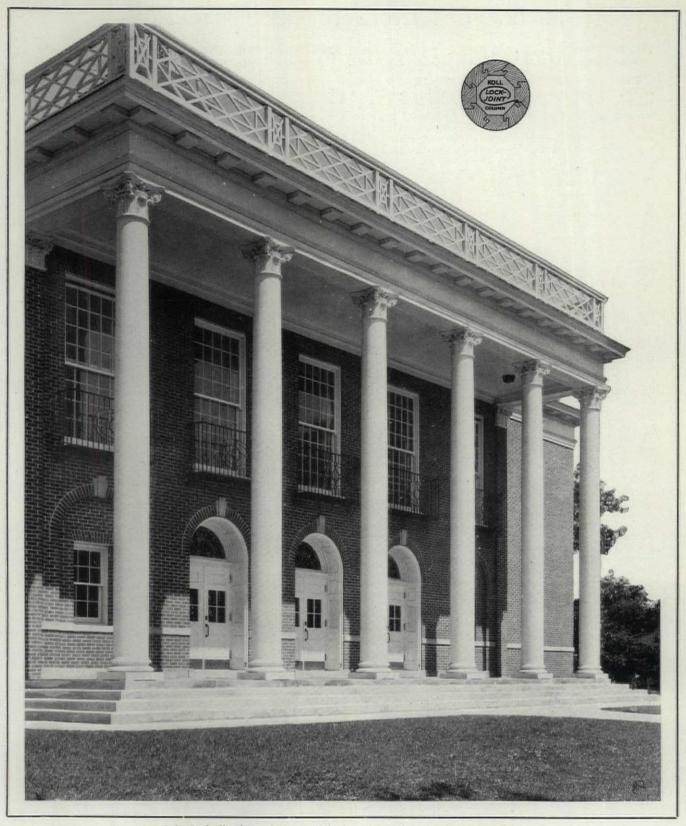
Architects who are interested in the decoration and furnishing of the buildings which they design and plan have had their attention drawn to the reproductions of many old fashioned accessories of furnishing which are now easily to be had. This booklet, for example, illustrates and de-scribes the cornices and "tie-backs" which add greatly to the decorative interest of window draperies, the cornices of course supplying a highly effective heading from which the draperies may be hung, while the tie-backs afford means of holding their folds in alignment. These cornices, which are of metal and worked in relief, are usually gilded or else polychromed and are of varying widths which come in sections of convenient length, several sections being joined and fixed to a wooden backing to form a cornice of any required length. The designs illustrated suggest the different French periods,-Regence, Directoire, or Empire,-and are of a character which would render them acceptable for any interior sufficiently sophisticated to be given this treatment.

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THE KITTINGER COMPANY, Buffalo. "A Distinguished Group for the Bedroom." A valuable booklet on furniture.

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OSLER & FARADAY, Ltd., Lanthorne House, 89-91 Newman Street, London. "The Antique of the Future."

As the antiques of the present are the work of the master craftsmen of the past, so the work of the artisan of today will undoubtedly be treasured as works of art in times to Prominent among these present day makers of beaucome. tiful things is the firm of Osler & Faraday, Ltd., London, designers and makers of electric lighting fittings. Estab-Established in 1807, they have been studying the metal and cut crystal work of Europe for the past 120 years, and their workmen and designers are in a position to offer creations based on the best tradition of artistic lighting. An idea of the quality of their work is given in the list of buildings for which they have furnished lighting fittings, which in-cludes such structures as the Houses of Parliament, Buckingham Palace, and the American Embassy. They are now offering their services to American architects and decora-tors and are sending "pulls" of their recent advertisements in The Spur, showing a few examples of their work in cut crystal and metal chandeliers, candelabra and girandoles. The examples shown are in excellent taste and are suitable for high class interiors in the various English period styles. While the remarkable finish and style of the English manner are strictly adhered to, they also embody sufficient originality to lend interest and appropriateness for modern use.

THE UNITED STATES GYPSUM CO. "The Gypsumist." A publication dealing with design and construction.

The architects' edition of The Gypsumist contains an interesting discussion, in serial form, of the various styles of architecture, as well as other interesting articles. As an example, one number deals with the French Renaissance period, including the Directoire, Consulate and Empire styles. The French revolution dealt a serious blow to French architecture, as during that period almost no buildings were built, the patrons of architecture and the architects themselves were dispersed, and many of the buildings were destroyed. However, the schools soon became active again, and archaeology became the leading theme of the new era, which soon gave place to more individualistic work, leading to many changes of style between 1789 and 1830, passing rapidly from the Directoire through the Consulate to the Empire style, with its excessively literal imitation of antiquity, its pretentiousness, and straightness of line. Another interesting feature of this issue is an article following the development of lathed and plastered walls of modern times from the crude building of prehistoric times. Starting with the primitive dwellings fashioned from interwoven sticks smeared over with mud or clay, the process is traced to the Roman and Egyptian custom of plastering over reeds and the old English form called "wattle and dab," then to the more recent wood lath and plaster, and finally to the modern Gypsum lath, which in addition to being fire-resistant forms a perfect bond with its plaster covering.

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ATLAS PORTLAND CEMENT COMPANY. "Atlas White Portland Cement for Terrazzo." Some of its advantages.

The possibility of securing beautiful floors to be had by the use of terrazzo is practically unlimited. Marble is to be had in such a vast number of different colors, combinations of colors and textures that it offers an opportunity of securing countless delicate and pleasing color schemes. The possibilities of this medium are still further widened by the use of white Portland cement as the binder in place of gray, or in connection with it. It is surprising to note what a great difference in the general effect of the floor is produced by varying the shade of the background in which the bits of colored marble are set. By the principle of "simultaneous contrasts," the color of the marble itself seems to be entirely changed when surrounded by a binder of a different shade of gray. Many color plates illustrating this fact are shown in an A. I. A. file booklet issued by the Atlas Portland Cement Company on "White Portland for Terrazzo." Each plate shows an example of terrazzo work in full colors, one portion of which is made with white cement, and the other part, separated from it by a brass strip, is made with ordinary gray cement, the aggregate in both being identical but appearing different in color by reason of the different shades of gray as a background. Interior illustrations showing terrazzo floors are presented.

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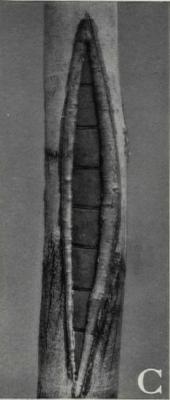
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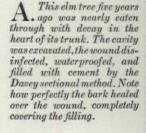


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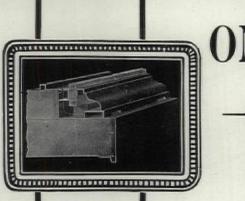
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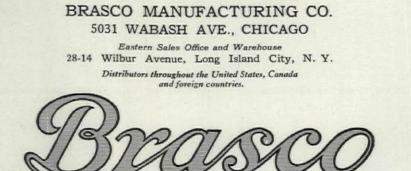
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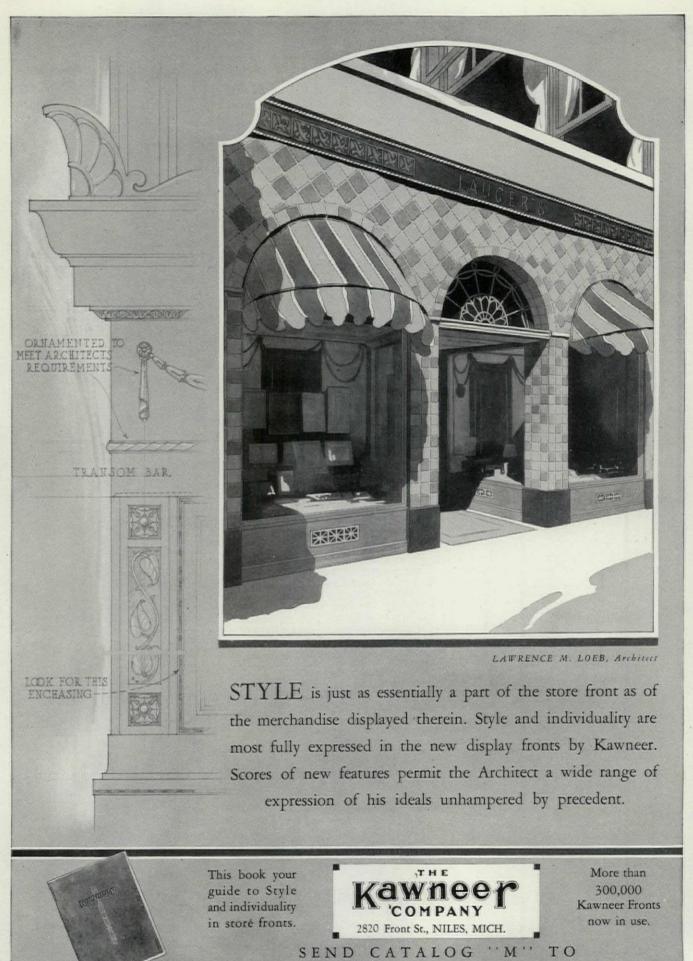
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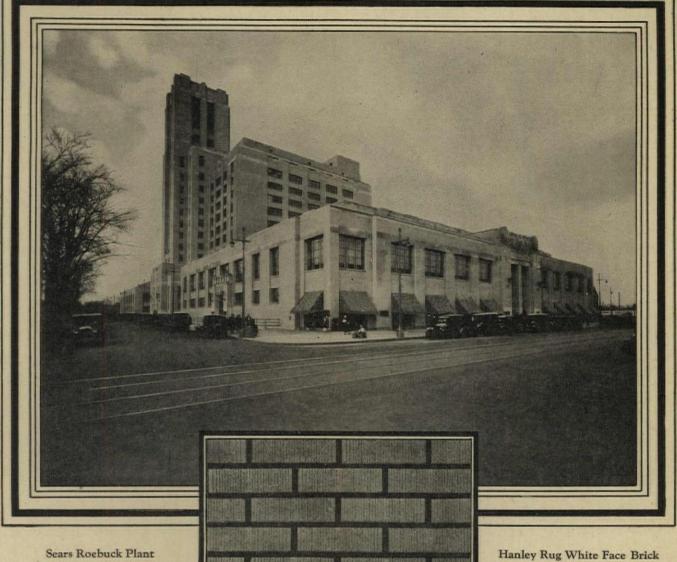
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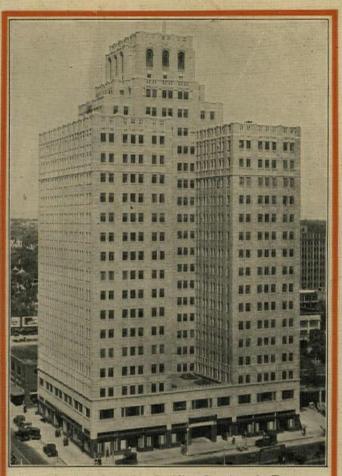
After using Opex throughout the Milam Building, San Antonio, Texas, Mr. George Willis, prominent architect of that city, endorses this lacquer strongly as an architectural finish:

"The use of Opex Lacquers on the wood finish throughout the Milam Building in San Antonio was satisfactory in every respect.

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To this, Mr. H. T. Cooper, decorating



All woodwork in the Milam Building, San Antonio, Texas, was filled with Sherwin-Williams Paste Filler and finished with Opex Wood Finishing Lacquer No. 84 and No. 95. Quantities of Opex were also used in the washrooms, hall corridors, and on cork floors.

contractor, adds the reasons for his choice of Opex:

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