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## ROOMY AND ATTRACTIVE.

A Commodious Cottage That Can Be Built for Less Than \$2,000.

The design given herewith is one that is almost universally popular, which is information of special interest to those who build to sell. Those also who build low-cost cottages for homes should bear in mind that Dame Fortune regards them with unusual favor. Future prosperity may impose duties and awaken ambitions that will make it desirable to sell the small cottages and build more pretentious dwellings.

Following will be found a somewhat detailed description:  
General Dimensions—Width, 28 feet 6 inches; depth, including veranda, 50 feet 10 inches. Heights of stories—first story, 9 feet; second story, 8 feet.

Exterior Materials—Foundation, brick piers; first story, clapboards; second story and roof, shingles.

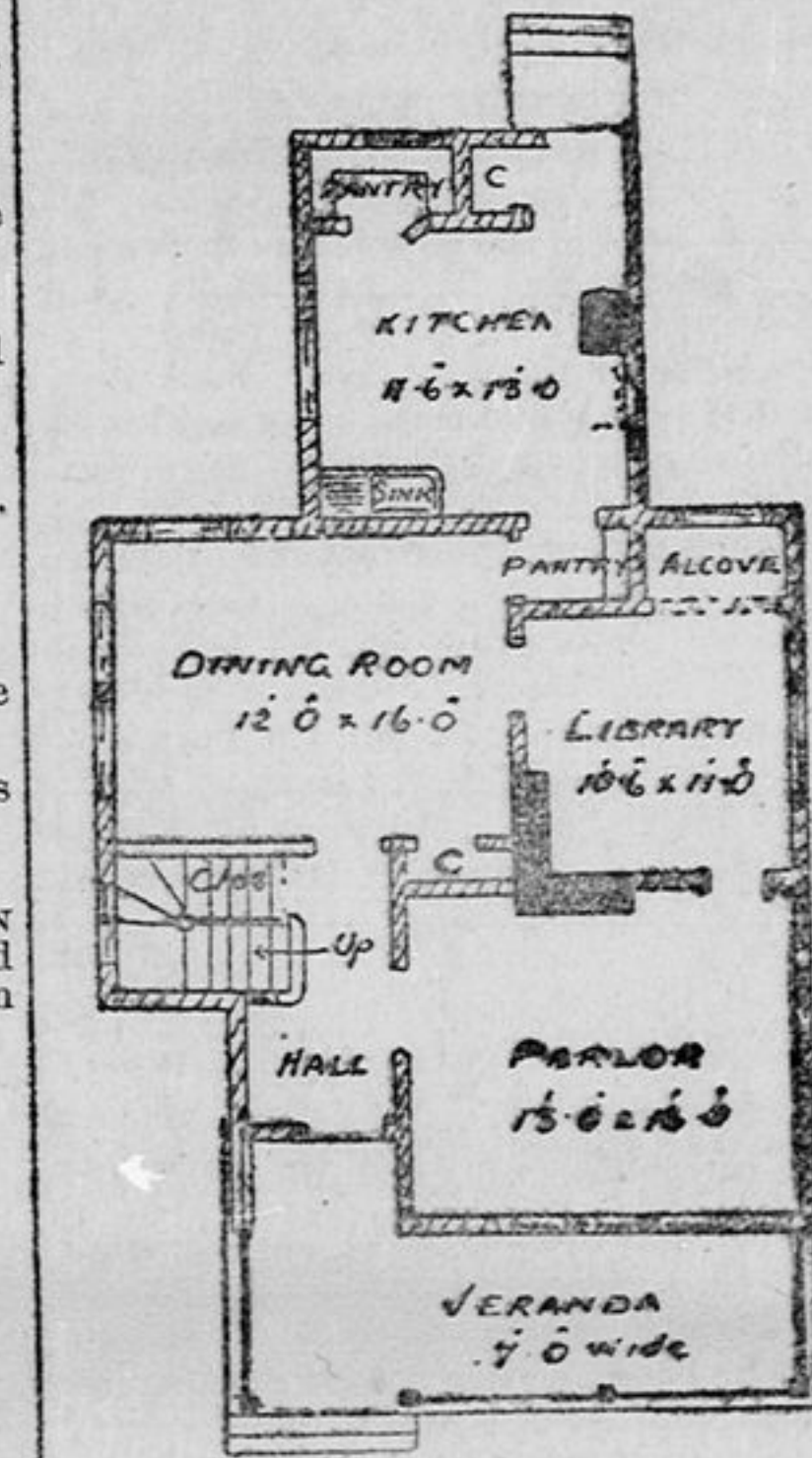
Interior Finish—Hard white plaster ceiling.



PERSPECTIVE.

ings; walls plastered for papering; soft wood floors, trim and stairs, finished in hard oil. Ceilings—Clapboards, lattice-work in front gable, eaves and piazza floor, light brown. Siding below window sills in first story, ash trim and doors, dark brown. Brick work dark red. Wall shingles dipped in buff stain and brush coated. Roof shingles left natural.

Accommodations—The principal rooms and

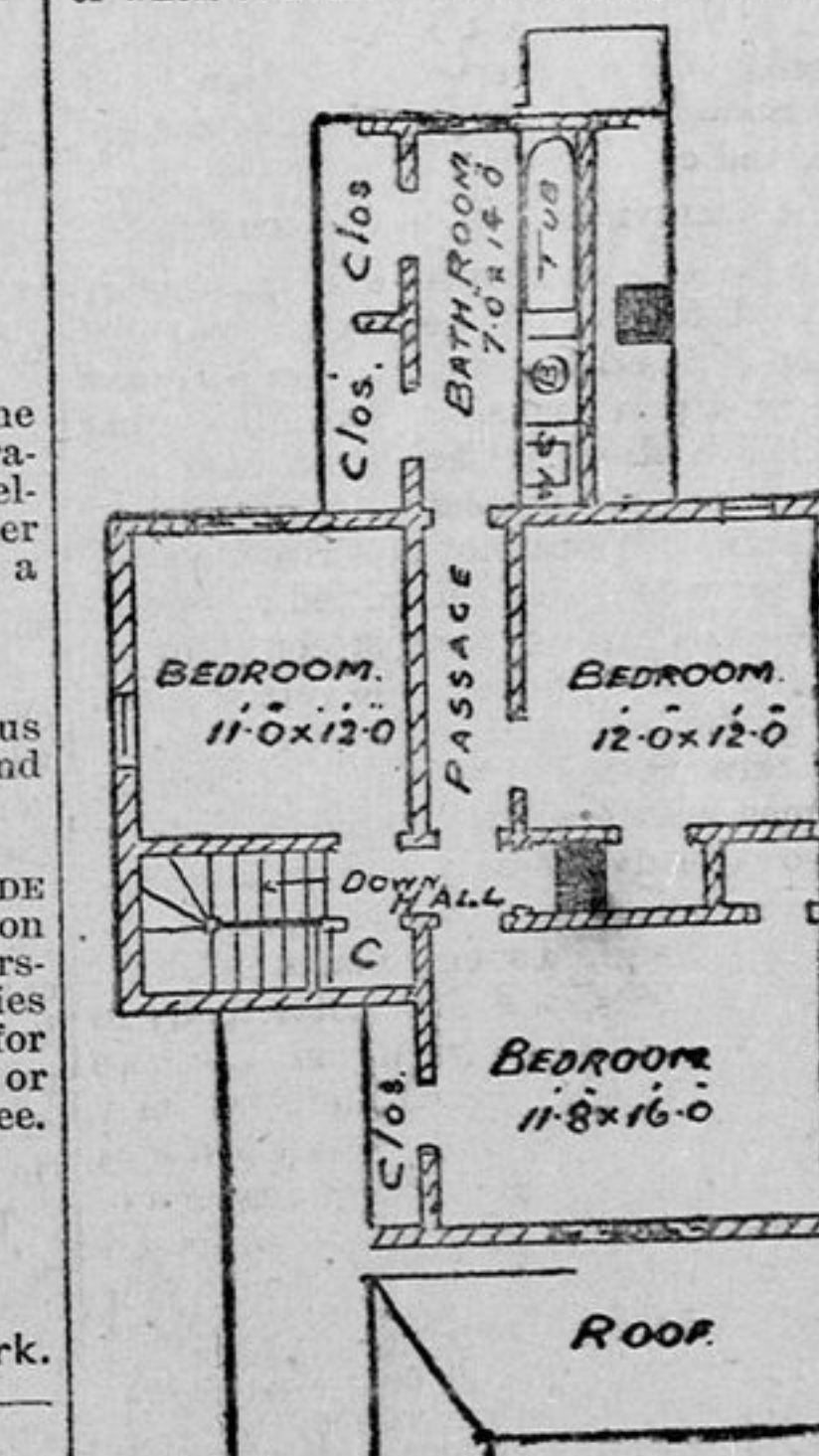


FIRST FLOOR PLAN.

their sizes, closets, etc., are shown by the plans. No cellar.

Cost—\$1,888, including mantels in parlor and library. The estimate is based on New York prices for materials and labor. In many sections of the country the cost should be less.

Feasible Modifications—Heights of stories, sizes of rooms, colors and materials can now be changed. Cellar may be placed under part or whole of house. Veranda may be reduced



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

In size. A part or all of the plumbing may be omitted. If heating apparatus be used one chimney will suffice.

It may interest many to be advised that frame structures, well anchored, afford the best protection where cyclones and earthquakes prevail. A frame house is not so rigid as a structure of stone or brick; it will bend a good deal before it will break.

Misplaced Confidence.

The assassination of the late emperor of Russia, is to be commemorated at St. Petersburg by the erection of a magnificent church on the spot where the tragedy took place. A large sum had been subscribed toward the work, which is being carried on under the auspices of a committee, of which the Grand Duke Vladimir is president. The confidential functionary who had charge of the funds, in whom this aristocratic committee of course had "unbounded confidence," has disappeared, and \$50,000 has gone with him, the melancholy result being that the emperor has insisted upon his brother, the Grand Duke Vladimir, replacing the deficiency out of his private fortune—an order which has caused the relations between them to become decidedly strained.

Cornellier Pleads Guilty.

OTTAWA, April 29.—Louis A. Cornellier pleaded guilty at the assizes to-day to the charge of forgery. He was permitted to go on suspended sentence.

## Composite Affliction.



Speak, O lovely Ann Eliza, with a terrible coryza,  
And a wheezy respiration full of sighs and husky moans,  
With a constant lachrymation, and a nasal intonation,  
From catarrhal inflammation o'er the tur-nated bones!

Why, thou young and happy maiden, in thy conversation laden  
With a copious addition of abortive b's and d's!  
And from whence did you derive a red and swollen conjunctiva,  
And a frequent inclination to incontinently sneeze!

Is this malady outrageous which you suffer with contagious?  
Epidemic, or endemic? Tell me whence the thing arose,  
Where its place of incubation, what its future destination!

Spake the lovely Ann Eliza, smiling sweetly, "No one nose."  
—Rokeboth Sunday Herald.

## HUNTING IN AFRICA.

The Dark Continent Being Rapidly Depopulated of Its Big Game.

Royal Phelps Carroll, son of the former governor of Maryland, left this city in October last, says the New York Sun, for a hunt in the game country around Mount Kilima-Njaro, in Africa. This was not his first visit to the hunting-grounds of the dark continent, and it may not be his last, for the news comes from Zanzibar that he has returned there after three months of glorious sport on the great Masai plateau, and that 200 head of large game, including many lions and elephants, fell before his rifle. The same dispatch informs us that the recent fashionable epidemic has invaded inner Africa, and many men in Mr. Carroll's Caravan suffered severely from influenza.

The region Mr. Carroll visited, though near the equator, is very high and comparatively salubrious, and it is now the paradise of sportsmen who go to Africa on hunting tours. The stories that Thompson and other travelers have told of the game of many varieties that wander over these vast plains have thrilled the Nimrods of the north, and not a few English and Russian hunters have abandoned India and South Africa and sought the new region, where they have found such sport as they have seldom seen elsewhere. An English party of four gentlemen, headed by Sir John Willoughby, recently returned from the Kilima-Njaro country with numerous trophies of the chase and reported killing thirty varieties of the larger game, including elephants, lions, rhinoceroses, giraffes, a dozen species of the antelope family, ostriches, and crocodiles.

The onslaught that has recently been made upon these new game preserves raises the serious question how long the animals will hold out. There is ample proof that African game, like many of our American varieties, is by no means inexhaustible. The South African rhinoceros, like our bison, is becoming rapidly extinct. Formerly three species roamed in great numbers through the southern part of the continent. The largest of them, the white rhinoceros, is now rarely seen, and few of the other varieties can now be shot farther south than the northern part of the Transvaal. Wissmann tells how the elephant used to come down to the very shores of the ocean in Angola, but hardly a specimen of this animal can now be found throughout that vast region. Hunters travel sometimes for days from the Zambesi southward without getting a single shot at any of the larger game. The days of wholesale sports are over in many African regions that were once famous.

A good many friends of Africa like Mr. Stanley, who, by the way, does not believe in killing game for fun, think it is about time to call a halt. Mr. Stanley severely criticises the British East African company for the unbounded privileges it has given to hunters in the Kilima-Njaro country. In an interview at Cairo the other day he said the company was permitting sportsmen to exterminate the game that would be sorely needed some day as food for railroad laborers. He condemned as senseless and murderous the practice of hunting the big game of Africa merely that sportsmen "may decorate their stuccoed walls with furs, hides, and horns."

Sportsmen will not sympathize with this view, but the fact that large parts of Africa are being depopulated of their big game shows that it is not difficult to overdo the mania for hunting in wild countries. Not many native chiefs are so far-sighted as the savage king of Matabeleland, who has prohibited elephant-hunting in his country during a part of every year. There is little doubt that unless the wholesale slaughter of game in Africa is restrained the country will be swept clean of many varieties that white men would hereafter find very useful.

## Losses Caused by Flames.

TROY, N. Y., April 29.—Early this morning a store and a bakery with two tenement houses were burned in Cohoes. Loss \$10,000.

Pierre, S. D., April 29.—Destructive prairie fires have been raging on the Sioux reservation. A man named Shoun lost 50 cattle and narrowly escaped with his life. The fires were set by Indians, who have been arrested.

Robert Bonner says about buying horses at the great sales: At these public auctions I think the hesitation and waiting for bargains is a mistake. If a man sees an animal he wants let him bid what he thinks is the value, and he is more apt to have it knocked down to him. Sometimes I have used a little discretion in this respect for my own protection, as some one seeing I wanted a particular horse might try to run up the price.

A mare of good, strong constitution will not be injured by raising a colt each year.

Farmers who let their stock crop the grass through the mild, open winter will find their pastures giving out on them entirely about midsummer.