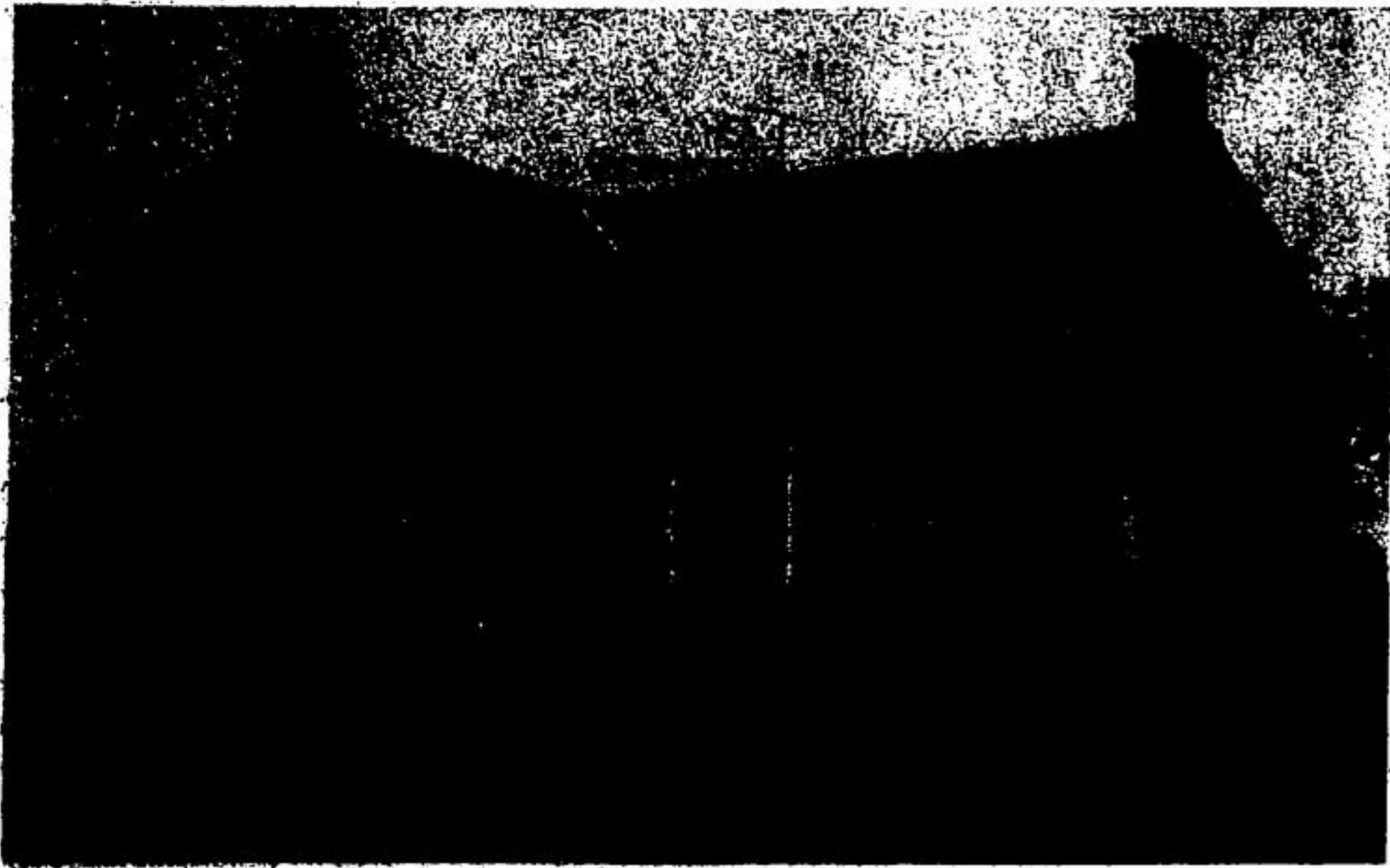


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EXTERIOR OF DENISON DENNY HOME AFTER RESTORATION



FORMAL LIVING ROOM FEATURES FIREPLACE



MR. AND MRS. DENNY WITH DOG JOKER



A VIEW OF THE DINING ROOM

Author autographs book on furniture

Last Friday afternoon and evening Don R. Stewart of Rockwood was at the Folio House, Quebec St., Guelph to autograph copies of his new book "Pre-Confederation Furniture of English Canada". Coffee was served. Quite a few from Acton and district were among the many who met the author and purchased the informative book at \$12.

Charming farm home renovated by author of book on furniture

Glowing with age and loving care, the old Esquesing farm home now owned by Mr. and Mrs. Denison Denny of Toronto was the location for a tour of delighted guests last week.

The occasion was a luncheon held by Longmans' publishing company to launch a new book, "A Guide to Pre-Confederation

Furniture of English Canada" by Don Stewart of Rockwood. After lunch at the Stewart home in Rockwood - a former hotel - the group of publishers, representatives, reporters and friends of the Stewarts went to the Denny home for a tour. They admired there several articles of fine old furniture which were used

as illustrations in the informative new book.

Don Stewart has lived in the district quite a few years, first in a stone farmhouse in Nassagaweya and lately in the village of Rockwood. He has become widely known as an antique dealer and more recently as a decorator and restorer.

The present owner of his former home, Miss Helen O'Reilly of Longmans, suggested he write the book on furniture to add to their centennial series.

Knowledgeable Mr. Stewart in-

cluded in his informative book pictures of furniture he himself has collected, some from the Denny home and homes of other friends.

The farm house purchased two years ago by the Dennys delighted the couple, since they were able to start their renovations "from scratch." Painted woodwork was refinished, beautiful pine floors now gleam like mirrors.

Electricity was installed, plumbing was undertaken. A huge cooking-size fireplace was discovered walled in. The kitchen

(with a big hook in the ceiling) was converted into a family room and a modern kitchen built.

Wallpapers of classic design in pale greens and golds and white don't distract the eye from the fine old articles of furniture and collection of pressed glass which fill the lovely home.

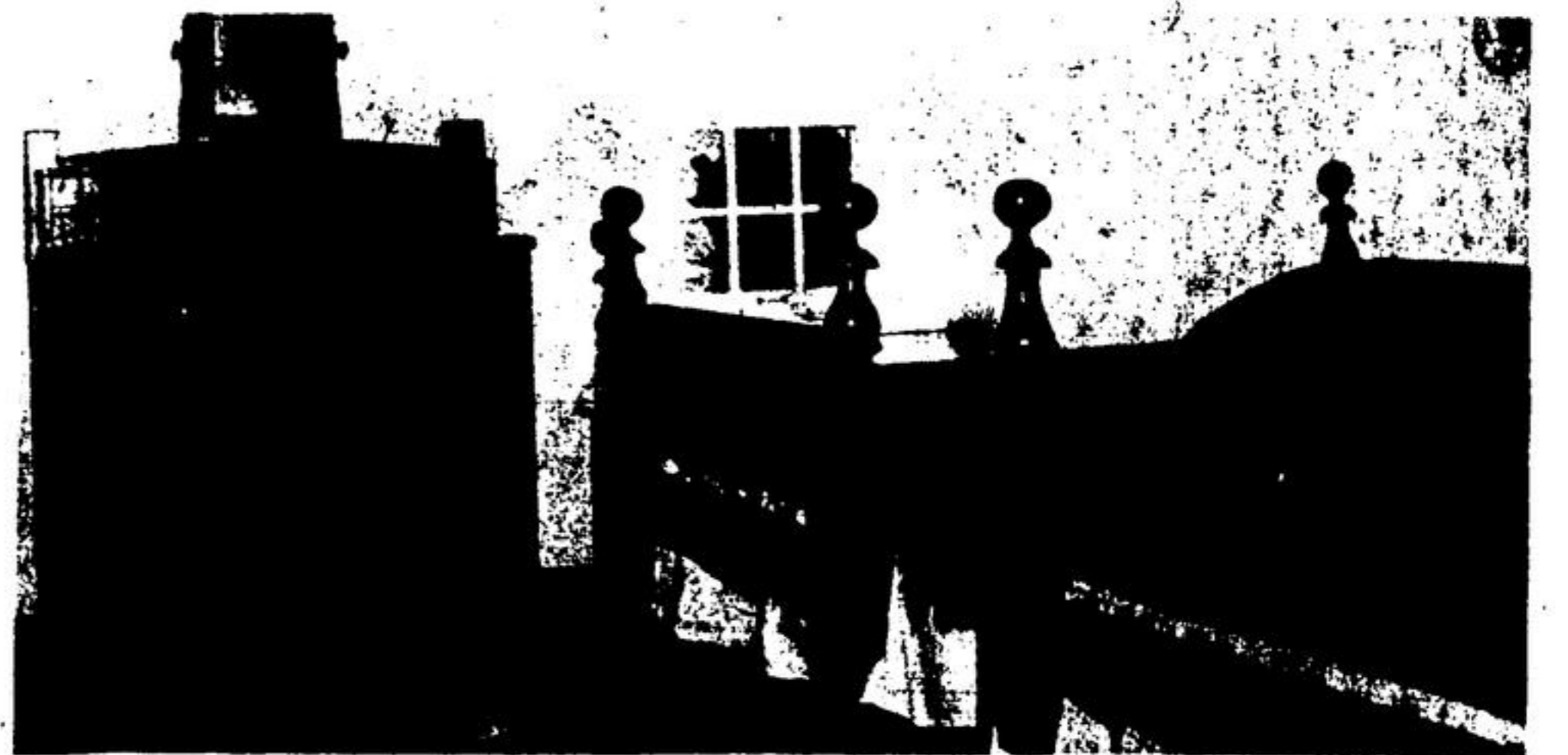
They have a scrapbook of pictures showing every stage of the vast improvement, all materializing under Mr. Stewart's able direction. They look forward now to happy years of retirement here.



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