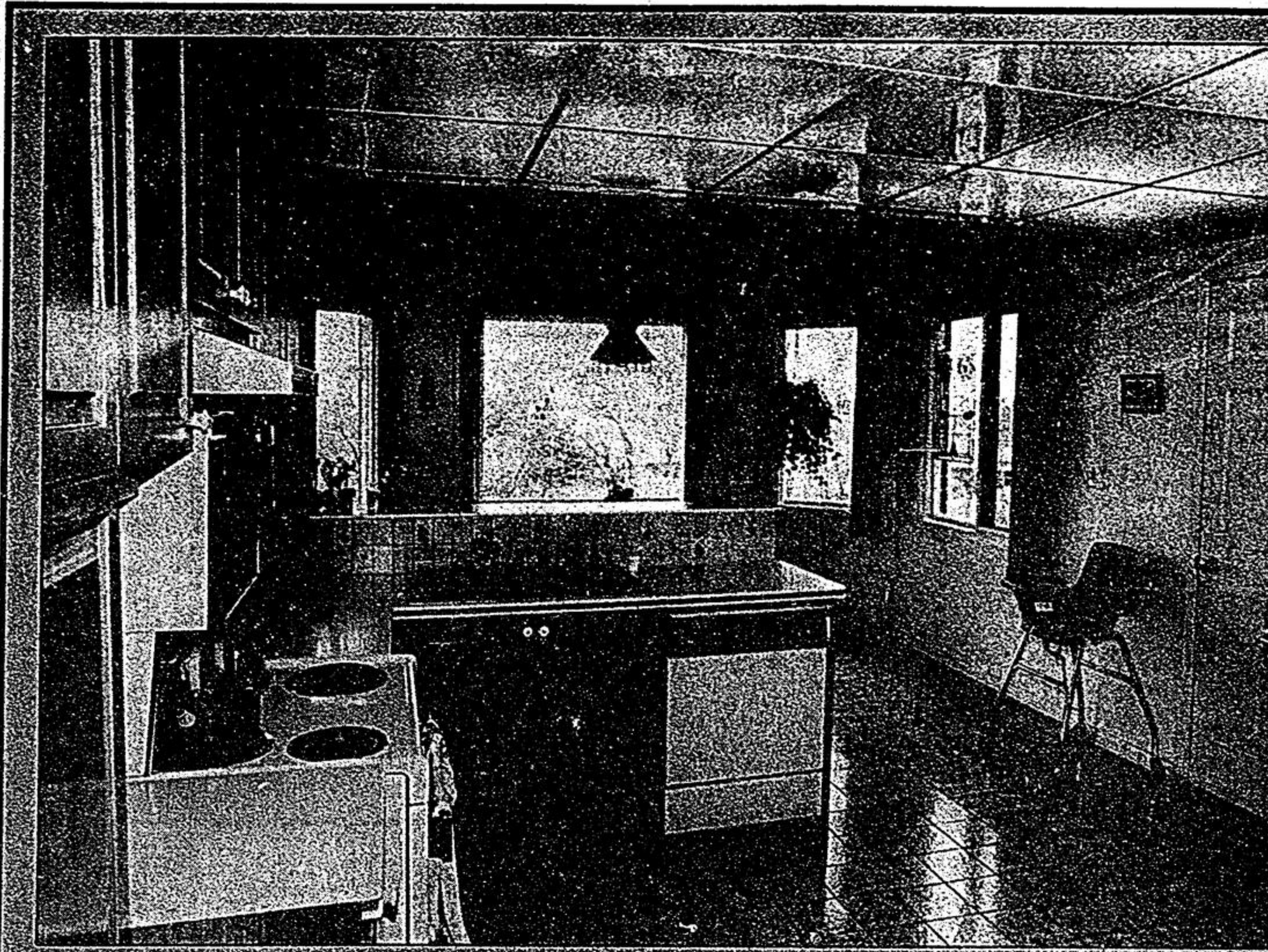


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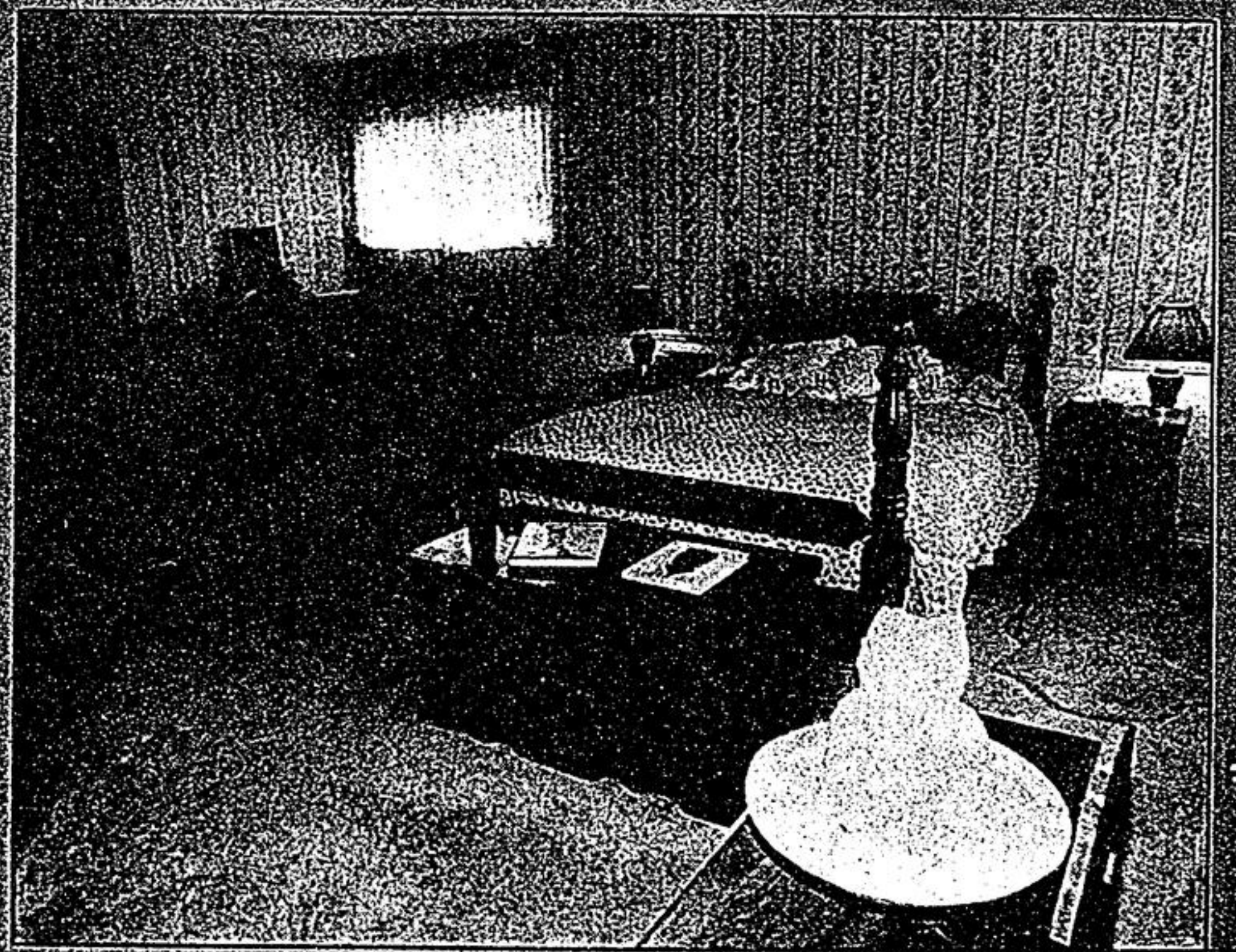
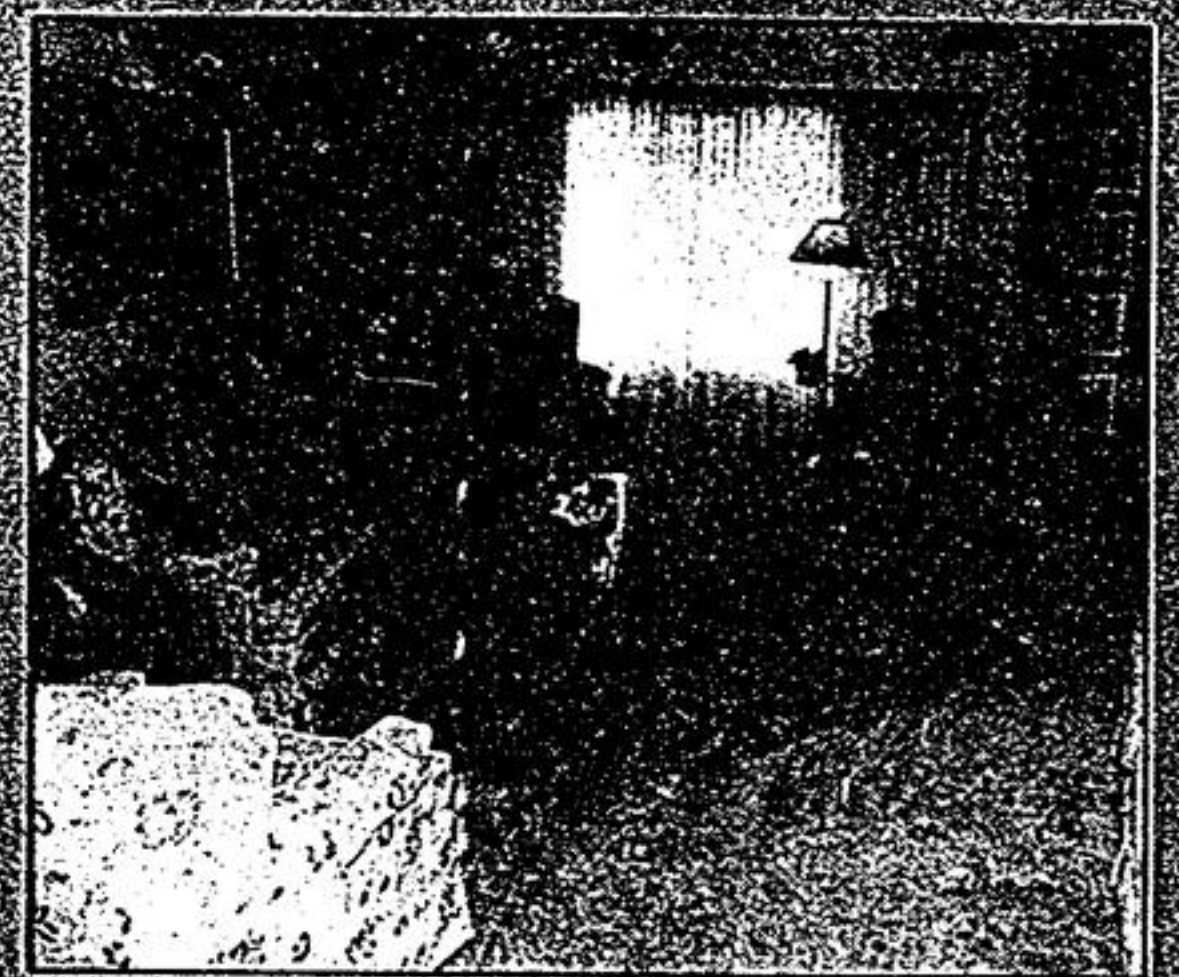
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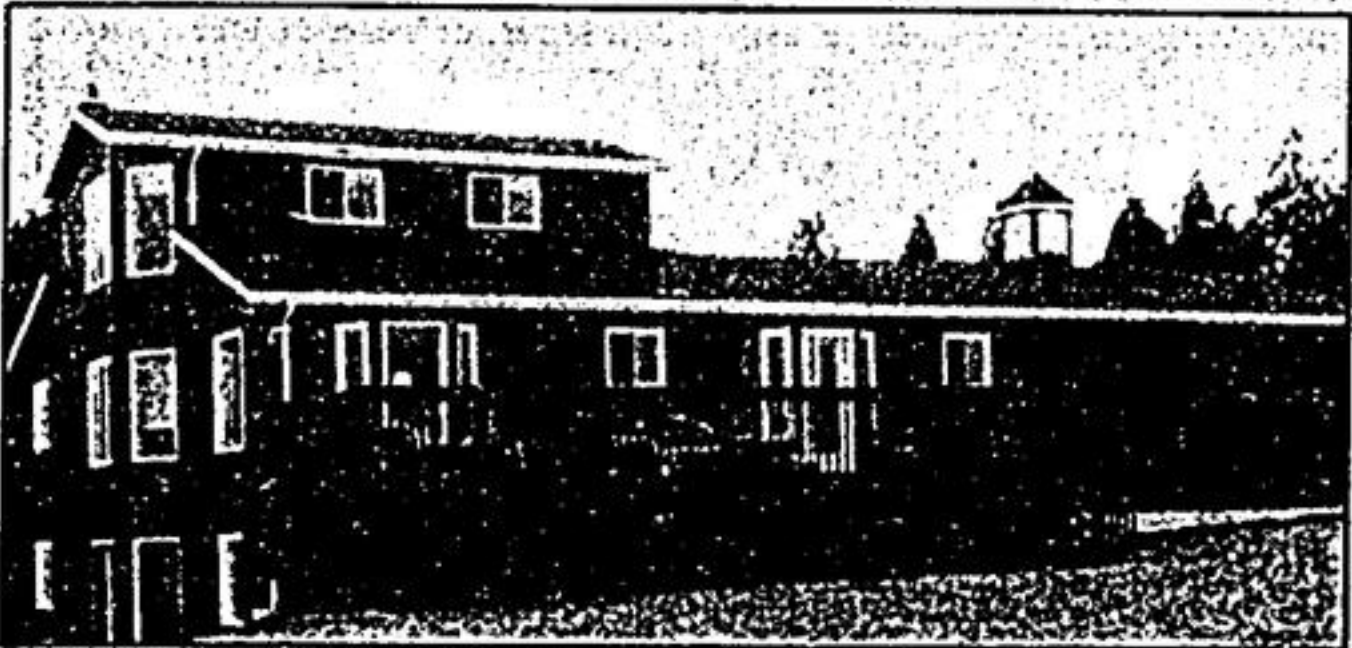


Home of the week

This four bedroom house is set on a ravine lot in Unionville at 35 Blackwell Court. It's listed with Johnston and Daniels Ltd. Realtor for \$483,800. Features include double closets in every bedroom, three and a half bathrooms, two fireplaces in the family room and basement, and French doors in the living and dining rooms. The kitchen has a bay window overlooking the ravine and a walkout to a backyard deck. The master bedroom includes an adjoining lounge area, a five piece ensuite bath and his and hers walk-in closets. For more information about this home contact Paul Laurin at 477-0075 or 292-5036.



Watt home: A four-year-old replica of original Claremont houses.



Newman home: A fish pond is located on this estate property.



Masonic Hall: Built circa 1865, the building was restored and reopened in 1985.

Claremont offers tour of homes

The Village of Claremont is 150 years old.

As part of the community's sesquicentennial celebrations, a tour of home ranging from the Victorian to the modern will be held Sunday, June 5 from 1 to 5 p.m.

Seven houses will be visited. Included in the tour is the Masonic Hall which dates to 1865 when it was used as Claremont's town hall. It was purchased by the Masons in 1901.

Tour tickets are available from Andrea Graham, Claremont, (649-2604), or from the Town of Pickering Office, Brock and Kingston Roads, (683-2760 Ext. 246).

The cost is \$10, with a group rate (10 or more) of \$8.

Part of the proceeds will go towards constructing a repro-

duction of the Claremont bandshell gazebo at the Pickering Museum Village.

Included in the tour are the following — the Horne home, (Cleeve and Jean), Conc. 8; the Watt home, (Ken and Teresa), Wellington Street; the McBryde home, (Doug and Eilidh), Wixon Street; the Bigalke home, (Peter and Wendy), Old Brock Road; the Taylor home, (Brian and Lara), Sideline 4 and the Newman home, (Bill and Molly), Salem Road and Sideline 6.

Afternoon tea will be served at the Claremont Masonic Hall, Old Brock Road.

Participants in the tour may choose their own route. Maps will be provided.

The tour is for adults only, with no pets allowed. Smoking is prohibited.



McBryde home: A classic Victorian home built circa 1890. It was owned for many years by Harry Porter, the local barber, and his wife Annie, a school teacher and librarian.



Taylor home: Lake Ontario can be seen from this home. It has been updated and restored during its 140 year span.



Bigalke home: A stately Victorian home built in 1893. The present owners would like to complete the restoration of this home soon.