

# Christmas Only Serves to Emphasize Home Comforts

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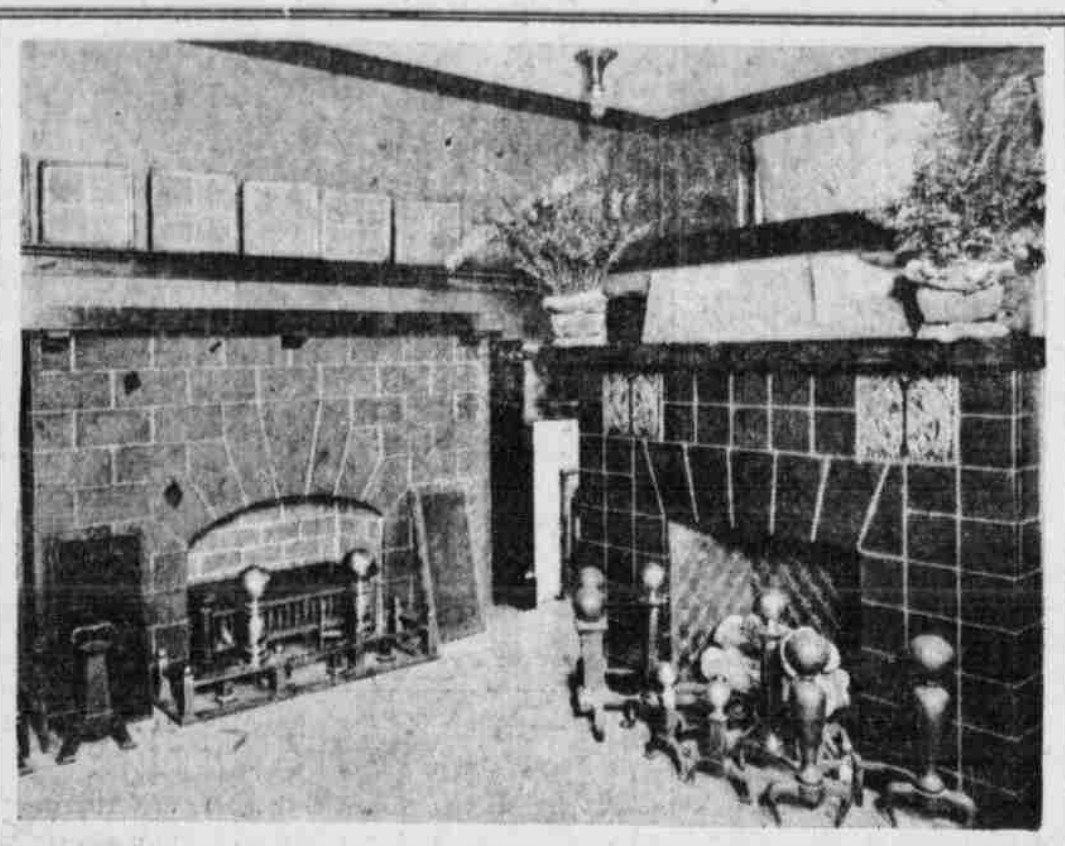
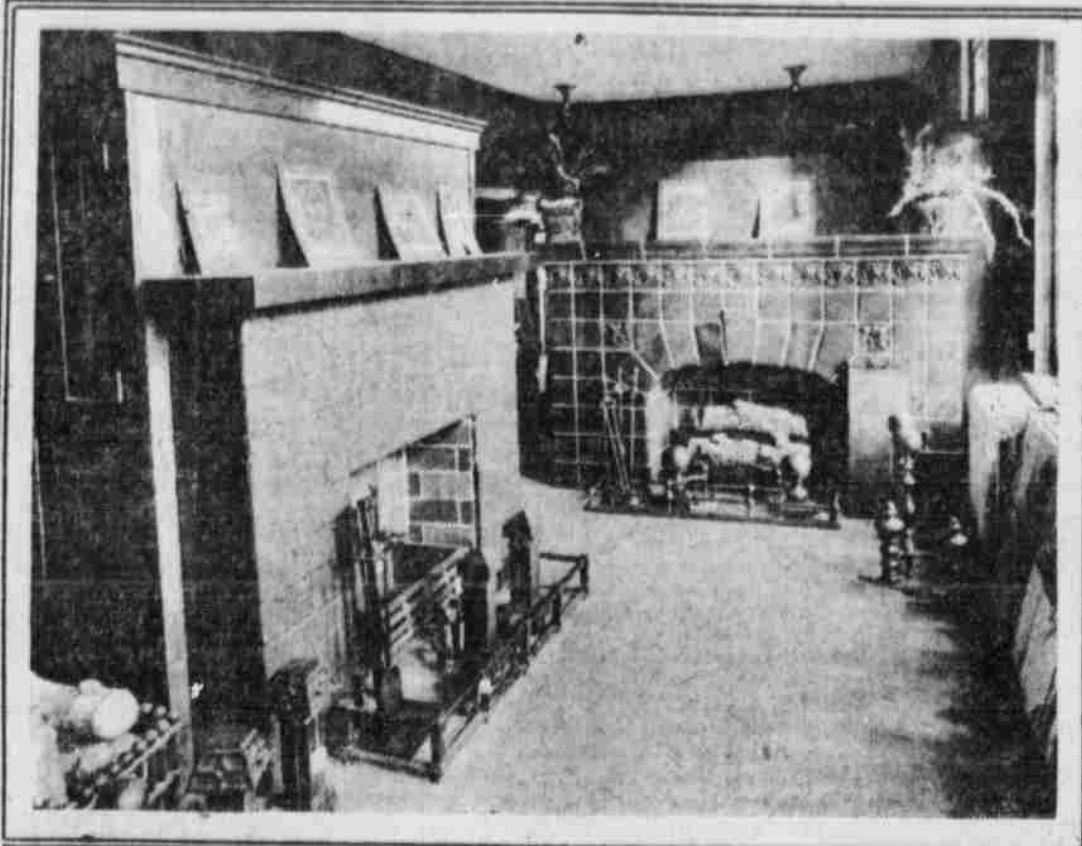
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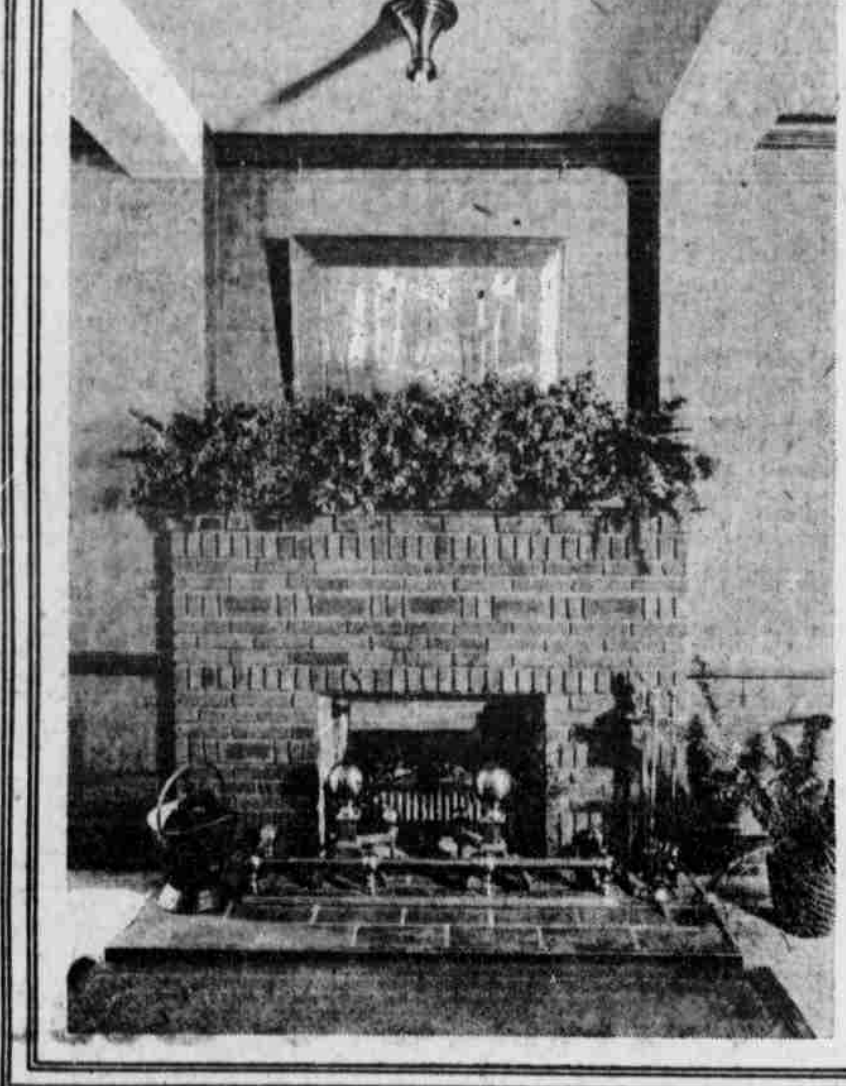
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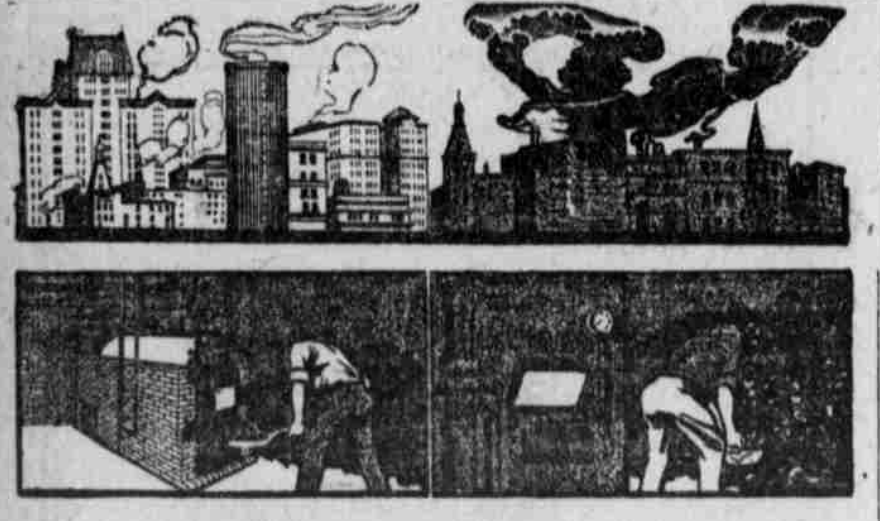
during the Holiday season. If you "Light up your fireplace" you make the house your home.

There's no more pleasing gift than one of these:

**Andirons, Fire Sets, Screens, Spark Guards, Fenders and Wood Baskets**

In Brass and Wrought Iron, at moderate prices.

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This Page Makes the Small Business Large and the Large Business Larger

The evolution of the fireplace has been the evolution of the home. In primeval times the fireplace was the first improvement on a bonfire. It was at first the only means of heating the home and it consisted merely of an opening in what was equivalent to a box of masonry set on end, reaching from floor to roof. The fireplace was soon improved by narrowing the throat, by improving structurally the quality of masonry and by bettering architecturally the design employed.

Massive construction was the only type known, and for good reason, since the fireplace was at the same time the source of heat and the kitchen of the home. The hearth provided a work place and the arch of the fireplace itself provided the cooking arrangements. Meats were hung over the fire on open, revolving spits. Kettles were suspended on simple cranes or buried in coals.

and attractiveness of any substantial home. The modern home owner cannot afford to dispense with the comfort, convenience and ornamental service which come from an attractive fireplace consistently equipped.

In the modern fireplace the architectural beauty of old masonry is retained. Combined with structural accuracy is beauty of texture and design. Massiveness is not now the only criterion. The fireplace for your home must harmonize with the woodwork, with the size of the rooms and with the furniture and decorations. Moreover, up-to-date construction guarantees proper draft control and fireplaces are no longer smoky.

**Fireplace Fittings for Christmas**

A crackling open fire on a well appointed hearth. Could anything reflect to better advantage the genial spirit of Christmas?

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No matter what you wish to know about a home, you can learn important facts that will be of assistance to you through advising with Mr. Clausen. In writing Mr. Clausen, in care of The Bee, be sure to explain, in detail, just what you wish to know. If you intend to build a home, state the amount you wish to spend, the kind of a home you want, the number of rooms, the material to be used, etc., etc. Be sure to make all things clear. Though you may not intend to build until next spring, it would be well to write Mr. Clausen now, and get your plans completed early.

The Bee, Builders' Dept., -- Omaha, Neb.

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