

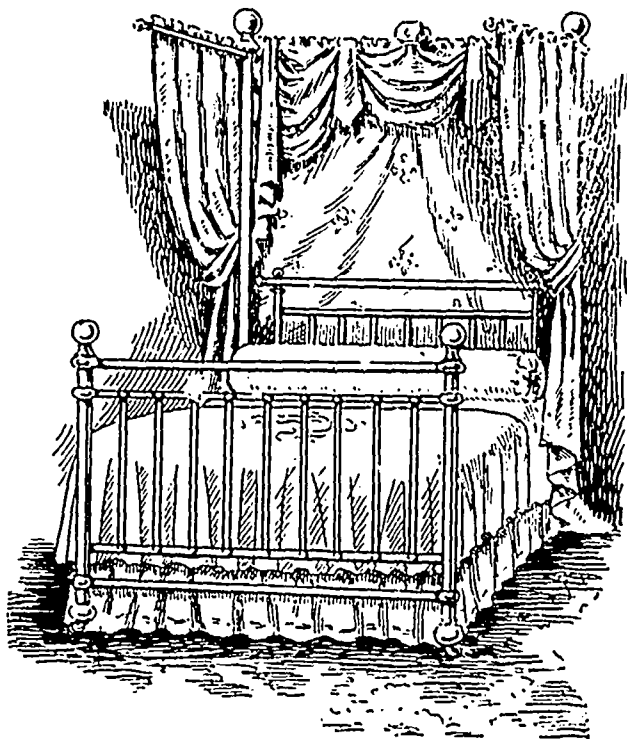
## HOUSE FURNISHING AND DECORATION.

In the sleeping apartment above all others does the feminine mind exact daintiness. Some suggestions for bedroom furnishings that are both sensible and refined are given on this page.

A drapery for the head of a bed is considered in the illustration at the upper right hand corner. A white enamelled bed with brass trimmings has draperies of olive-green silk arranged as shown, a white valance and spread and a Turkish roll completing a charming resting-place.

The brass bedstead shown in the picture on the upper left is dressed in a very simple and dainty style. A hem-stitched sheet is neatly turned down over the other coverings, and the pillow-case, hem-stitched to match, has its outer ends closed with buttons and button-holes.

On the lower half of the page is illustrated a sleeping apartment exquisitely planned, much of its beauty being due to "fitments"—decorations in wood fastened to the walls of the house and serving the double purpose of ornament and use. The washstand with upper shelves in the corner



on the left, the cabinet at the right and the canopy over the bed are fitments in cherry to match the other woodwork and the floor. A Turkish rug is spread upon the floor. The silken hanging and the upholstery of the couch are in soft, dull greens and blue that harmonize admirably with the rich tone of the woodwork.

