

HOME IMPROVEMENTS

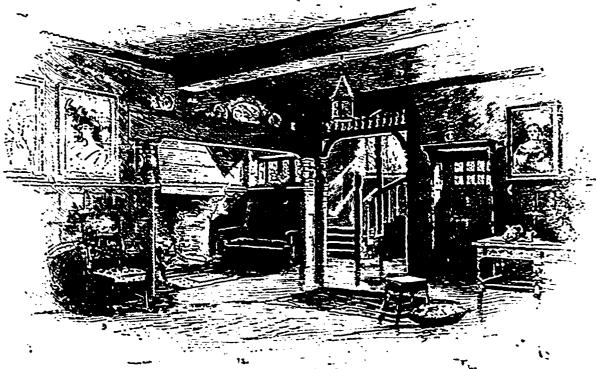
IN FURNISHED ROOMS

Independence has its attractions in apite of its drawlex-ix, and the "old campaigner" soon learns to curve certain odds and ends with her that mitigate to some extent the inattractive surroundings and lack of home conforts inseparable from life in locings. A trunk should be devoted to these unconsidered thinks, so that they c. He packed last of sit when leaving old quartery, and when settling down into new ones, everything can "c found ready to land without the measuring vid a wearnsome search through last of loome wound, everything can "c found ready to land without the measuring vid a wearnsome search through last of loome wound, everything can "c found ready to land without the measuring vid a wearnsome search through last a down into new ones, everything can "c found ready to land without the measuring vid a wearnsome search through last a down trunk. This special but should certainly contain a comple of soft clown-couldy-one in prefity, but plain salk or cretosne cases, and one or two serge cloths in some subdurd toos—dull brown, dark lodian red, for imitance—

casily that they need considerably care in packing I generally pack mine with my lonners.

Capital folding newspaper-racks can be bought unpainted for 1s 6d each, and they look wonderfully well enamelled white, and adorned with a scarf of pagee, knoon, willow-green, or shrimp-pink, twisted in and out of the strips of wood composing the sides.

A fashionable color for picture frames is adult olive green, a color produced by enameling hardwood and rubbing it down to a smooth surface with pumice atone. Frances of this kind are effective on sepia-colored pictures. There is usually a recoro band in gold inside the frame, next to the picture. There are some water colors which may be attractively meanted in this way, but it requires the judgment of an artist to use the mounting properly. A dull green frame cannot be as generally used as the white and gold frame has born.



A QUAINT SITTING ROOM

a jurd and a half square, and edged with half frace, will be found useful fraces; a length of dail gold-ordered for concerling hislows "gypy" tables with maked forefees, or, were still, aggresurely shiry once that must not be sensicled. For very small tables, and the charge endroubles of control of the charge endroubles are made of cream chrescotth, edged solved in the charge endroubles of abert binds or curtains. The latter for the lamp-chimney, etc., two or some of the charge endroubles of abert binds or curtains. The latter for the lamp-chimney, etc., two or also be readed to the charge endroubles of the endant between the relianty how window, with a latte ingensity supports or useful parts. It is not be a reading howers; but bring amply full, they can be arranged to at almost any process and under them an extraction and under them an extraction of the charge, about twive inches hower the room leok veilty letter. A stop of at nerge, about twive inches hower the room leok veilty letter. A stop of at nerge, about twive inches hower the room leok veilty letter, and the transport of a transport and the process of the room leok veilty letter, and the control of the cheep, led extract, there is no continued to draps an non-only rely or stand disasted to they brank howes the deal of the same of the cheep, led extract, Tearths once are to a non-only rely or stand disasted to the place of the cheep, led extract, and the plan answers quite as well for the concentration of sheldy or particular and the cheek and a little toward the plan and the cheek and a little toward the plan and the cheek and a little toward the order of the cheep, led extract, and the cheek and a little toward the order of the cheep, led extract, and the cheek and a little toward the plan and the cheek and a little toward the plan and cheek and the cheek and a little toward the order of the cheep, led extract and the cheek and a little toward the plan and the cheek and the cheek and a little toward the plan and cheek and cheeked the cheek and a lit

the check in a leather case, if one diers not fair persons an orthodex traveling time-piece.

A gread-sized work-log; and one of the leather writing-park, fairly fitted, are always weful, but especially so in-ledging, univertifier is probably neether work-table nor director; so and if a point in the palent, a piece of drapery—nomething that will not crosh easily in best, such an atriped taperity or Phunte checksthead to person or the back. Thus can be coming fixed up by less means of drawing-pain, without marks or injury to the woodwerk. Cardboard cases for form or flower, person with soft soft said and convender, are vasily made, and are light, but they crush so we

"Barring off" old passe is one of the testions and expensive stems in the painting lon-orm. An improvement in this precess, never recentle, is probably new to most of our readers. A closes lown Phindel-pion powers was seen to take a large wooden sign, prohaps tom-fret wede and better fort long, lay it flat on the ground and appeals at liberally such keenerge oil about three of four feet. The keenerge, lighted, about a bound there of time over the part of the age

The kername, lighted, abot a least theet of time over the just of the aga on which it had been spread. Wasting a nevend or two, total the just had softened, the juster by a few que k severa of a blank had attached to a hime, removed the just from that justim of the load on who h the oil was burning. The rest of the least was cleared in the some way, a