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## COMPETITION FOR A BRICK HOUSE

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total cubage, provided they project beyond the bearing walls, and at one hundred per cent. if provided for within the bearing walls. All cubage and other dimensions will be checked before the drawings are submitted to the jury. Those designs which exceed the limit of cost or which do not meet the other requirements of the programme will not be considered. The jury will give consideration first, to the fitness of the design, to the material employed æsthetically considered; secondly, to the excellence of plan.

**Drawing Required.**—On a sheet of white paper measuring exactly 26 by 20 inches with plain black border lines drawn one inch from edges, giving a space within the border lines of 24 by 18 inches, give a pen and ink perspective of the house, without wash or color, drawn at a scale of 4 feet to the inch; plans of first and second floors at a scale of 8 feet to the inch; a detail showing bond or other points of interest

on exterior walls; enough detail sketches, including treatment of main entrance, to fill out sheet. In connection with the plan of the first floor show as much of the arrangement of the lot in the immediate vicinity of the house as space will permit. The plans are to be blocked in solid. Height of floors to be given on section. A graphic scale must accompany the plans. Very thin paper, mounted paper, or cardboard is prohibited.

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