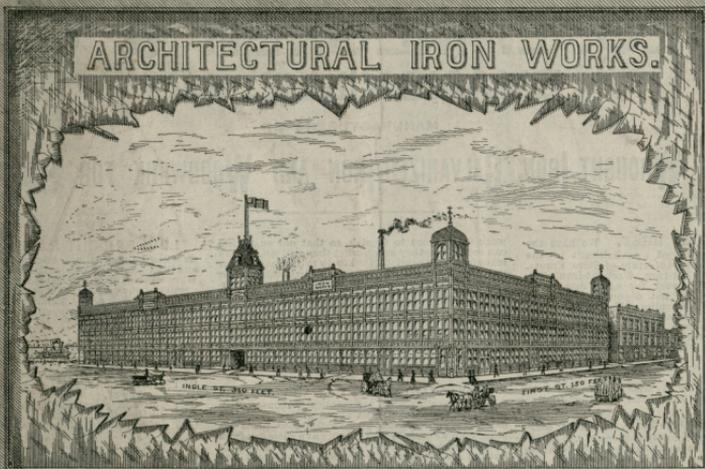


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**PRICES THE LOWEST.** A careful comparison of prices will show that there is not a firm in the country which can compete with us when quality and quantity of work is considered. It is simply impossible for them to do it, because we have the finest special machinery in each department, and can turn out the highest grade of work in immense quantities and at the lowest cost.

**WE SEND DETAILS.** With all estimates, when practicable, we send detail drawings of the

In order to put our prices down to the lowest possible point, we have reduced our margin of profit to a small per cent, and cannot afford to take risks on parties who have no commercial rating. We will therefore expect from every customer who is not well rated, either of credit from his banker or a merchant in high standing, or he may send a draft for one-half the amount of purchase, the balance to be paid after goods are shipped, by draft attached to bill of lading. The latter method will insure prompt shipment of all orders without further investigation.

work we propose to furnish, so that our customers can see, before they order, what they will get. Many manufacturers cannot afford to do this, because their work does not show to advantage in detail. Their elevation drawings do not show the flatness of surface and the buckled galvanized-iron which always occurs in all the large plain surfaces. Our clear detail pictures show the boldness and beauty of our work, and it can be seen at a glance that there can be no buckling in the galvanized-iron. If customers would always get full details before ordering, they would not so often place their orders for work which must prove unsatisfactory when put on the building.

**ANYBODY CAN PUT IT UP.** Our work is so carefully and systematically constructed, measured and marked that an ordinary mechanic can put it up. No one need hesitate to place his order with us on account of living at a distance from Evansville, and for fear they will have trouble in putting up the work. Our plain instructions and details render it impossible to put it up wrong. Notice our claim that the cost of putting up our work will not exceed one-half the cost of putting up the work of other manufacturers. *Don't forget this when you compare prices!* We have sold fronts North, South, East and West, and our customers are always gratified at the ease with which they are able to put up our work.

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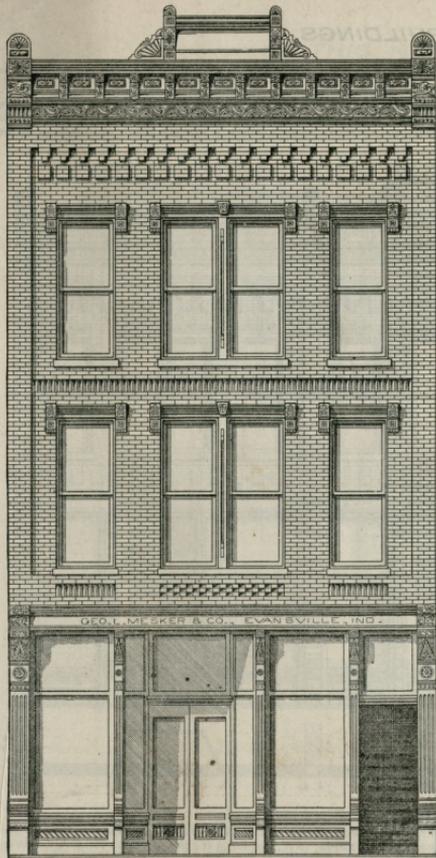
GET superior work, made and finished up by special machinery,  
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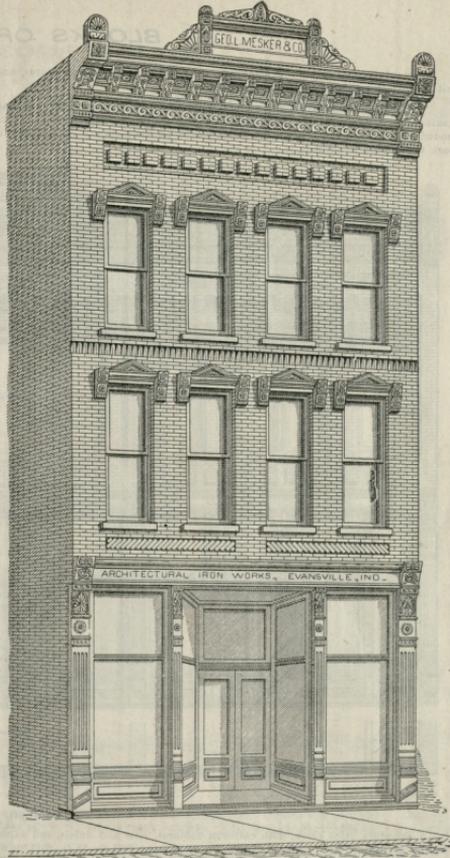
Write us for prices and give accurate measurements of proposed building, and state which of our designs you prefer, and we will give you close figures. If the first story of one design and the second story of another is desired, they can be so arranged, and we will quote prices on the work desired.

BE CAREFUL WITH MEASUREMENTS, AND ADDRESS ALL LETTERS PLAINLY TO

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**Design No. 1300.**

A three-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 30 ft. front, \$225.00; 24 ft., \$242.50; 28 ft., \$300.00. Woodwork and glass, extra.

**Design No. 1301.**

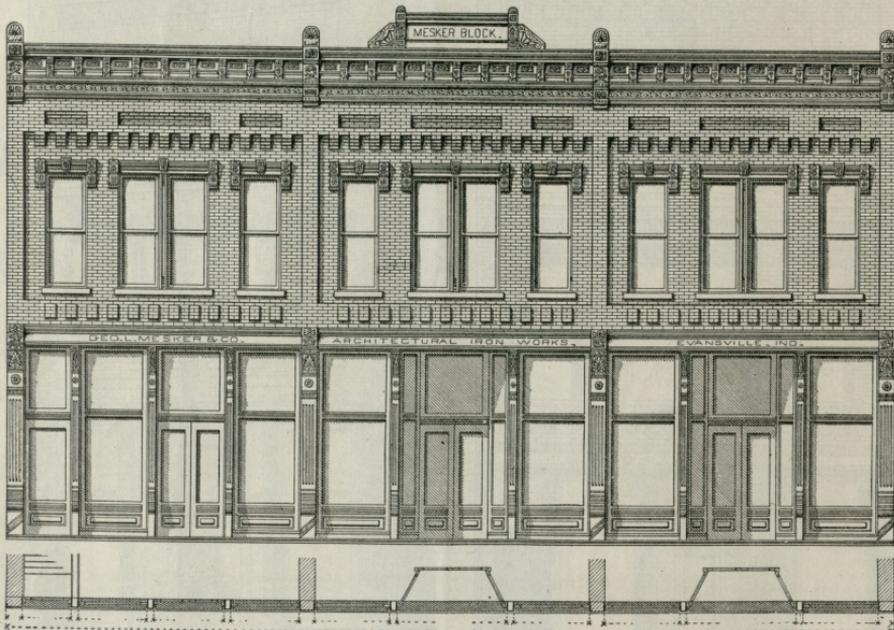
A three-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 19 ft. front, \$211.70; 23 ft., \$230.00; 27 ft., \$245.50. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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## BLOCKS OF BUILDINGS.

Any of our designs can be arranged for blocks of three or more stores, and any number of stories in height, and the columns in first story can be spaced to suit the requirements of any business.

The best ornamentation for a brick building is a handsome and well-made galvanized-iron cornice, with suitable galvanized-iron window caps. We are making the handsomest and best line of cornice work in the market. We have relegated to the shelves of the past all old-time superficial ideas, and are producing work superior to any heretofore placed on the market. We send detail drawings and specifications with estimates, showing plainly the character of the work we propose to furnish.



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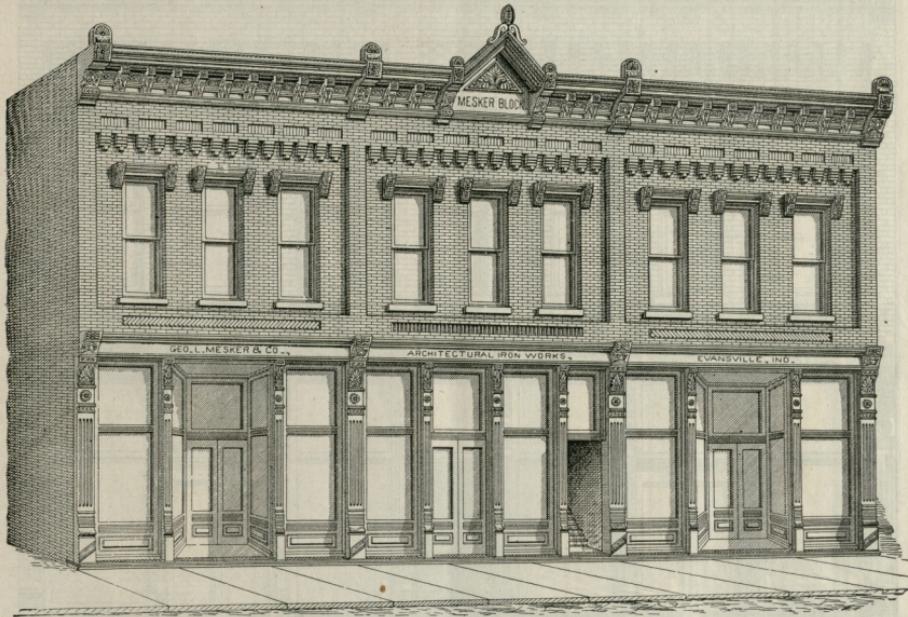
A two-story brick block, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work, as shown, for 50 ft. front, \$195.05; 55 ft., \$217.30; 60 ft., \$239.40; 65 ft., \$261.35; 70 ft., \$283.15; 75 ft., \$305.00; 80 ft., \$326.90. Woodwork and glass, extra.

We will quote material of this design for single fronts or any change in arrangement, and will also quote prices on woodwork and glass, on application.

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**THIS HANDSOME DESIGN**

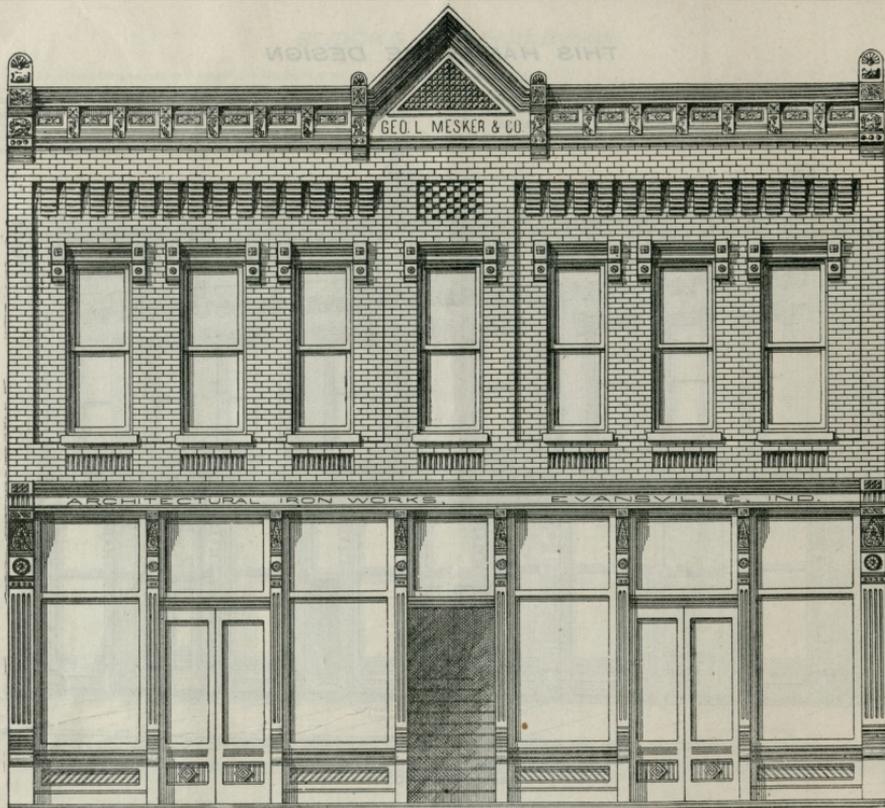
Shows a block of three stores, two of them with recessed doors, and the other with straight doors and a stairway. These arrangements of first story can be changed when desired, placing the stairway in the right-hand or left-hand section, or leaving it out entirely. We will also quote prices on material according to this design for single store fronts, or for any number of stories in height.

**Design No. 1303.**

A two-story brick block, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 50 ft. front, \$407.50; 55 ft., \$487.55; 60 ft., \$568.15; 65 ft., \$628.45; 70 ft., \$548.75; 75 ft., \$569.10; 80 ft., \$589.40. Woodwork and glass, extra.

This material can also be used for a three-story or four-story building, by adding a sufficient number of window caps. We will quote material for single sections or any change in arrangement, and also woodwork and glass, on application.

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Design No. 1304.

A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. This work can be furnished for any width of building, or any number of stories in height. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 33 ft. front, \$350.05; 42 ft., \$396.90; 46 ft., \$383.10; 50 ft., \$399.40. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application. Doors can be made straight, as shown, or recessed.

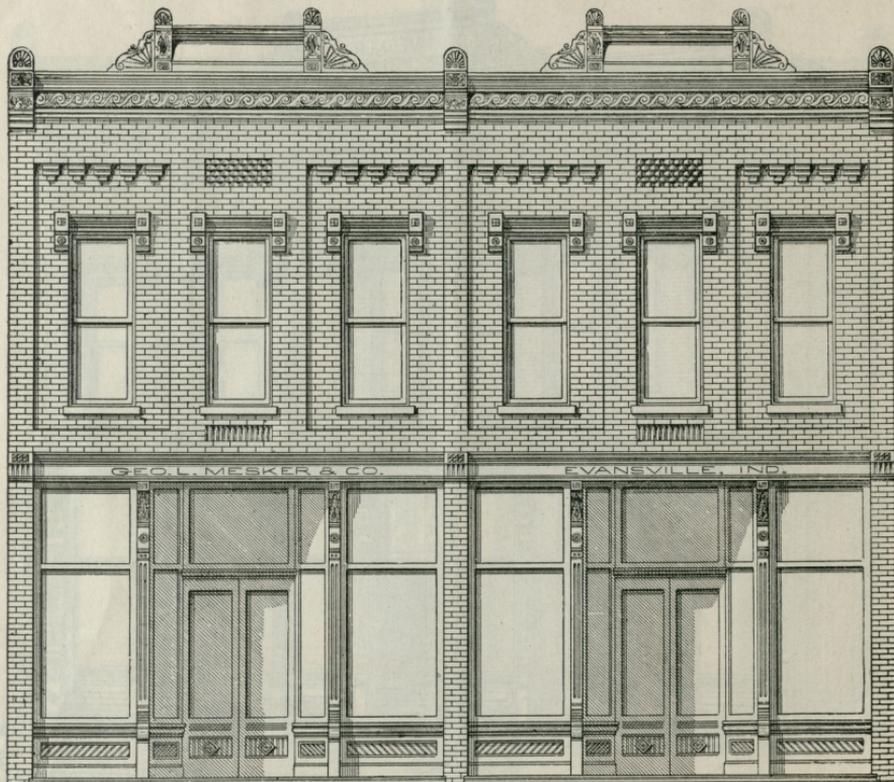
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Design No. 1305.

A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. This material can be furnished for any width of building or any number of stories in height. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 40 ft. front, \$380.65; 42 ft., \$329.40; 48 ft., \$406.90; 50 ft., \$434.40. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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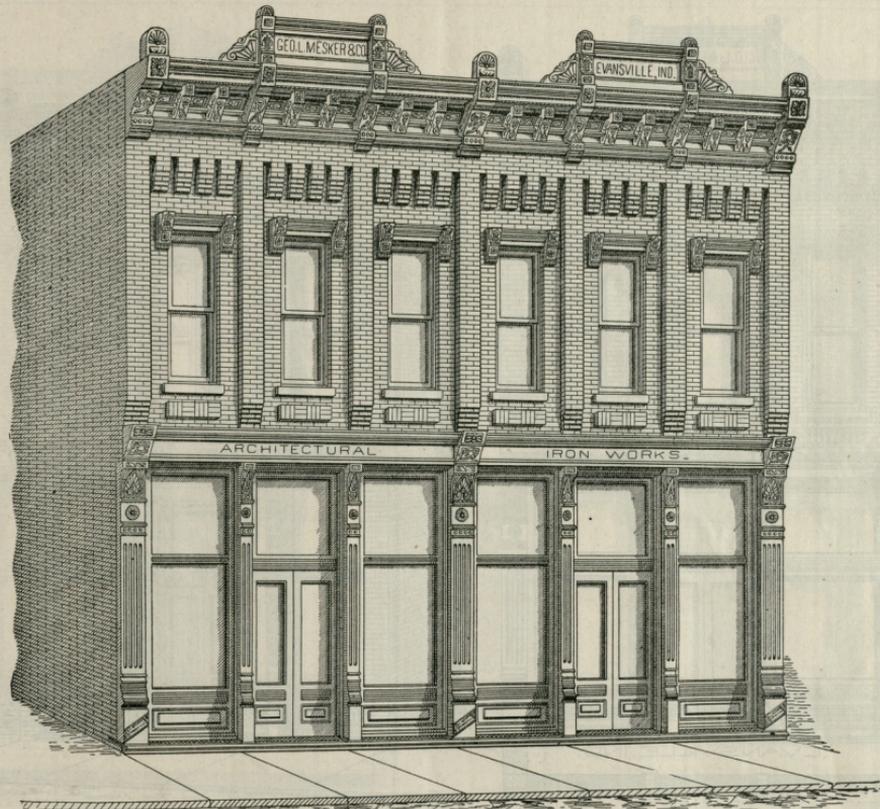
**Design No. 1306.**

(Ground plan the same as No. 1320, page 10).

A two-story brick front, with brick side and division columns, cast-iron sills, lintels and supporting columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediments. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 29 ft. front, \$222.25; 34 ft., \$228.50; 39 ft., \$235.50; 38 ft., \$242.15; 40 ft., \$248.65; 42 ft., \$255.25; 44 ft., \$261.90; 46 ft., \$268.50; 48 ft., \$275.15; 50 ft., \$281.50; 52 ft., \$288.50. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

We will, on application, quote prices for material of this design for a front of any width, and also for three or four-story buildings, or any change in the arrangement of the front.

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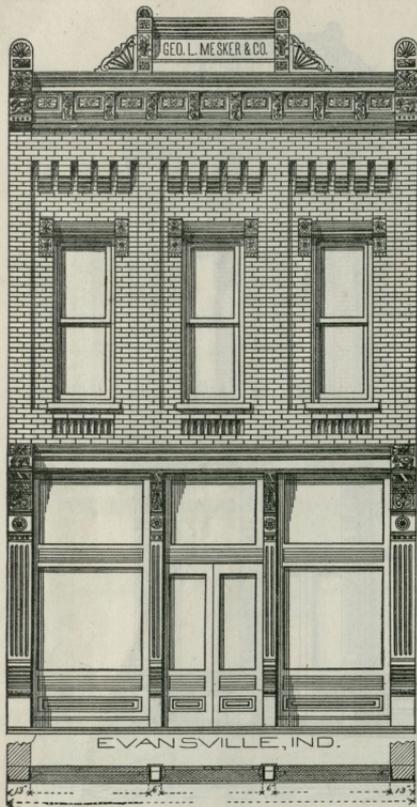


Design No. 1307.

A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediments. Can be arranged for doors to be straight, as shown, or recessed. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 32 ft. front, \$811.90; 34 ft., \$890.00; 36 ft., \$328.15; 38 ft., \$336.25; 40 ft., \$344.40; 42 ft., \$352.50; 44 ft., \$360.65; 46 ft., \$368.75; 48 ft., \$376.90; 50 ft., \$385.00; 52 ft., \$393.15. Woodwork and glass, extra.

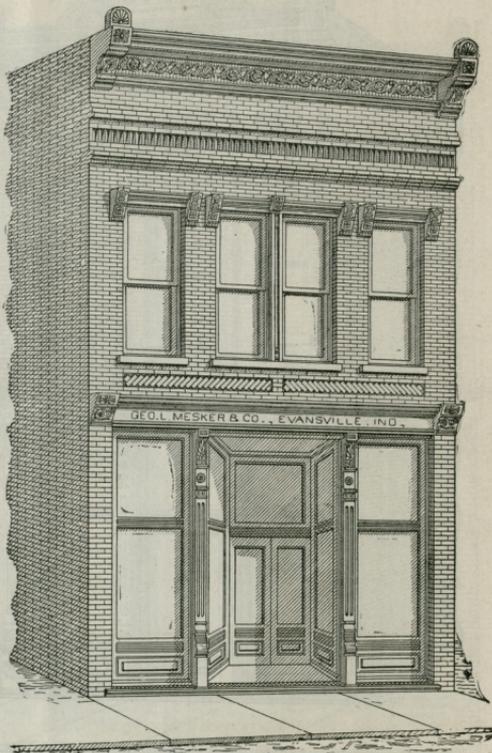
Prices will be quoted on application for material of this design for a front of any width, and also for a three or four-story building, also on woodwork and glass, or any change in the arrangement of the front.

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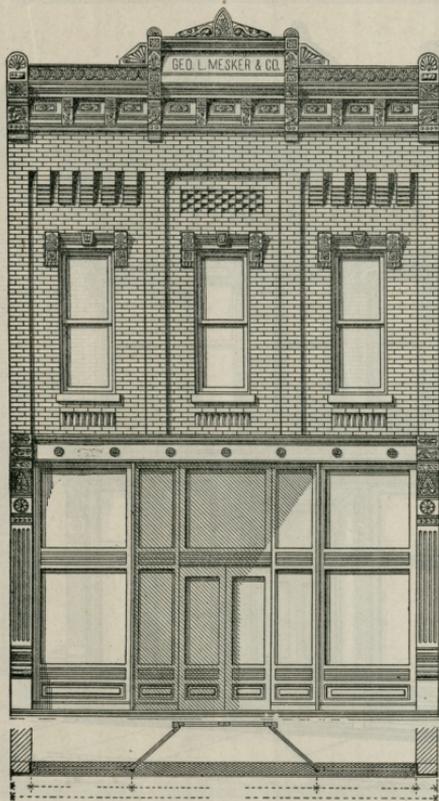
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 17 ft. front, \$170.35; 19 ft., \$178.45; 21 ft., \$186.60; 25 ft., \$202.85. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



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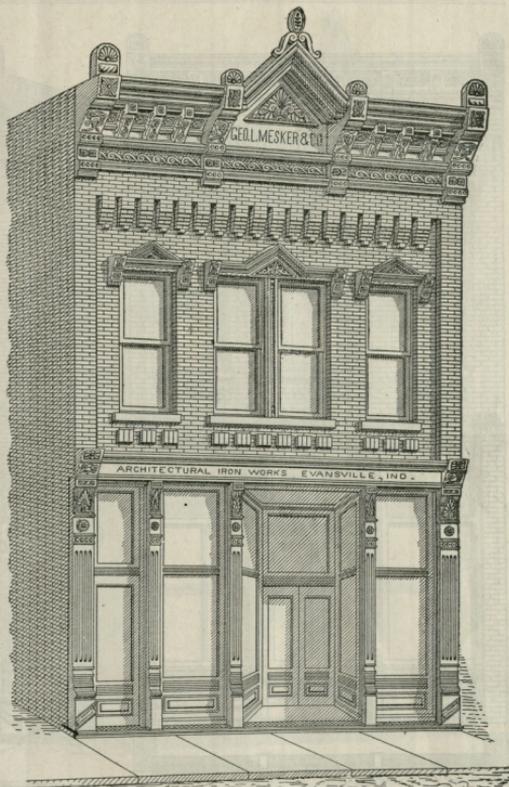
A two-story brick front, with brick side columns, cast-iron sills, lintels and supporting columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$112.15; 20 ft., \$130.00; 22 ft., \$136.65; 24 ft., \$153.25; 26 ft., \$169.90. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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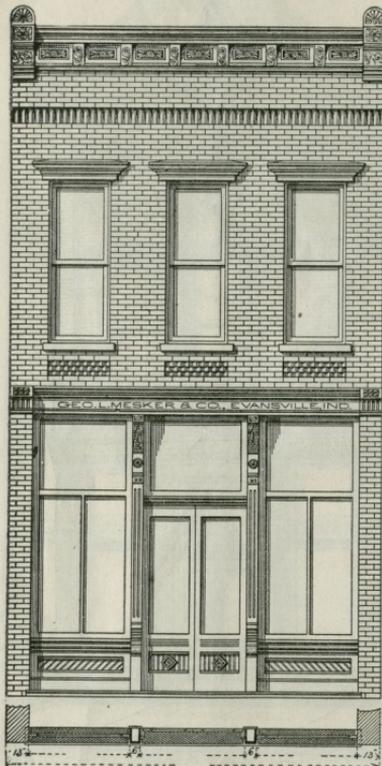
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron sill course and side columns. Second story brick wall supported by a steel beam girder (see No. 49, page 39). Galvanized-iron beam moulding, window caps, main cornice, pediment and balustrade for second story. Can be furnished for a building of any width. Price of cast-iron work, steel beams and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$181.35. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted for front of any width, on application.



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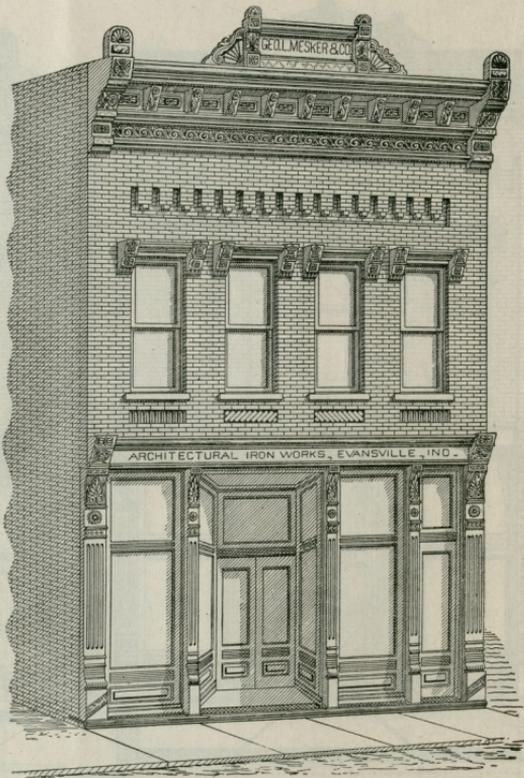
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 21 ft. front, \$219.40; 23 ft., \$238.15; 25 ft., \$256.90; 27 ft., \$245.65; 29 ft., \$254.40. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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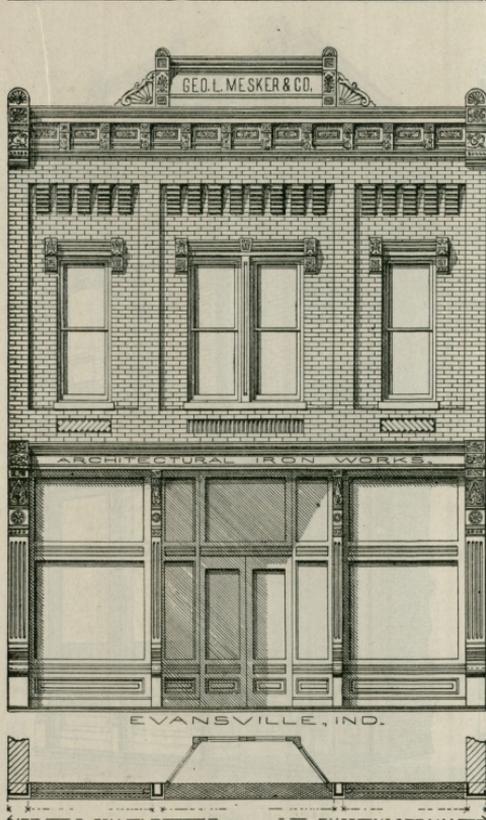
A two-story brick front, with brick side columns, cast-iron sills, lintels and supporting columns, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps and main cornice. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 16 ft. front, \$103.75; 18 ft., \$110.65; 20 ft., \$117.50; 22 ft., \$124.40; 24 ft., \$131.25; 26 ft., \$138.15. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



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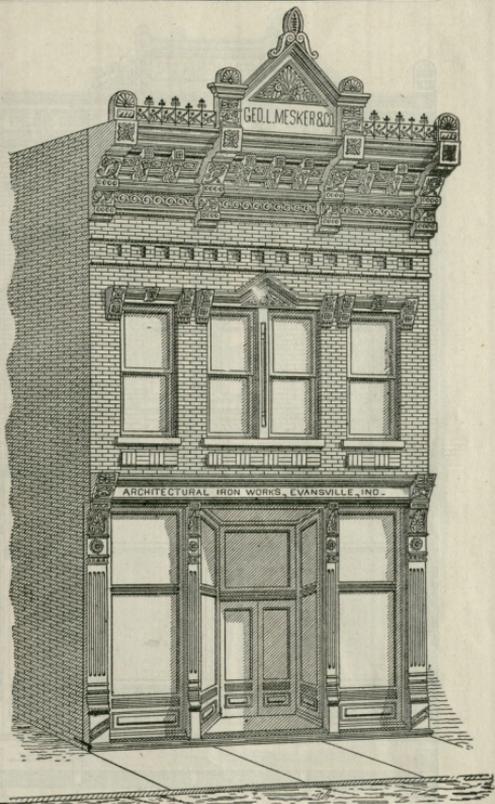
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 31 ft. front, \$306.40; 23 ft., \$214.15; 25 ft., \$221.90; 27 ft., \$229.65; 29 ft., \$237.40; 31 ft., \$245.15. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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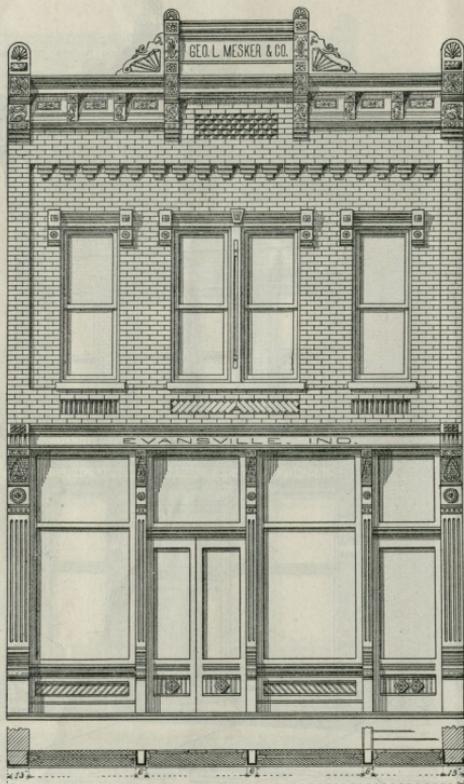
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 20 ft. front, \$185.65; 22 ft., \$193.75; 24 ft., \$301.90; 26 ft., \$210.00; 28 ft., \$218.15; 30 ft., \$226.25. Woodwork and glass, extra.



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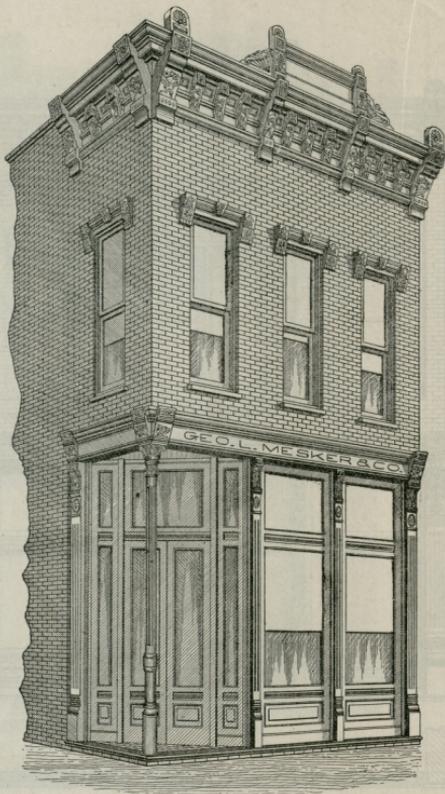
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment, and cast-iron cresting. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 15 ft. front, \$193.15; 20 ft., \$302.50; 22 ft., \$211.90; 24 ft., \$221.35; 26 ft., \$230.65; 28 ft., \$240.00. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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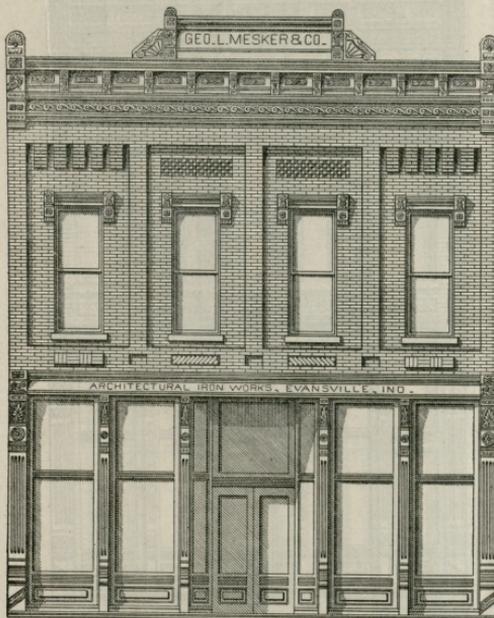
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron sills, lintels and columns, and galvanized iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 31 ft. front, \$210.35; 23 ft., \$218.45; 22 ft., \$226.60; 27 ft., \$234.70; 29 ft., \$242.85. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



Design No. 1317.

A two-story brick front, with corner entrance, cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 29 ft. front, \$252.50. We will quote prices on application on this material for a building of any width. Woodwork and glass, extra.

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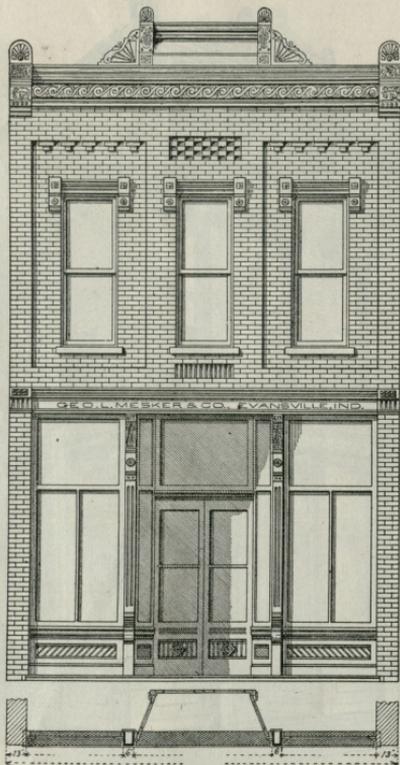
A two-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 24 ft. front, \$238.65; 30 ft., \$346.40; 36 ft., \$461.90; 34 ft. \$277.40; 38 ft., \$392.90. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



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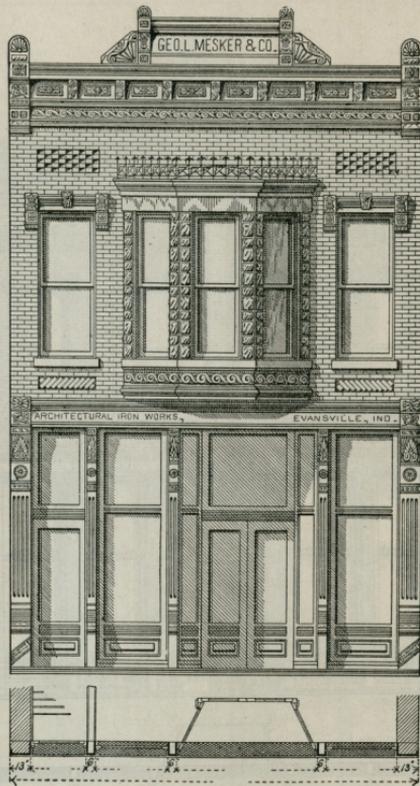
A two-story brick front, with return show window, which can be placed on either side, cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 23 ft. front, and 7 ft. return, \$352.50; 25 foot front, \$368.75. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.

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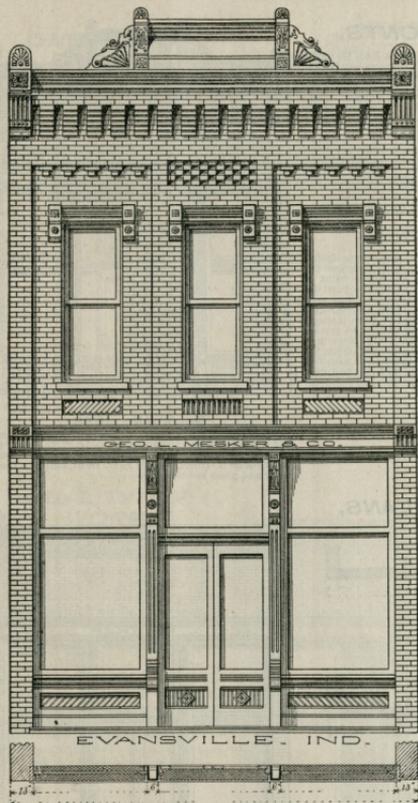
A two-story brick front, with brick side columns, cast-iron supporting columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron flat cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$116.50; 20 ft., \$128.15; 22 ft., \$139.75; 24 ft., \$136.40; 26 ft., \$143.00; 28 ft., \$149.65. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



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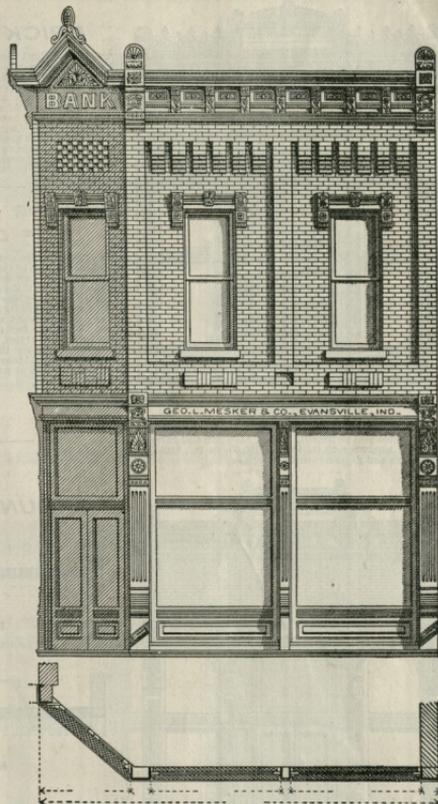
A two-story brick front, with galvanized-iron bay window. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 19 ft. front, \$220.00; 21 ft., \$227.75; 23 ft., \$235.50; 25 ft., \$243.25; 27 ft., \$251.00; 29 ft., \$258.75. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application for woodwork, and also for bay windows, which can be used separately on any building.

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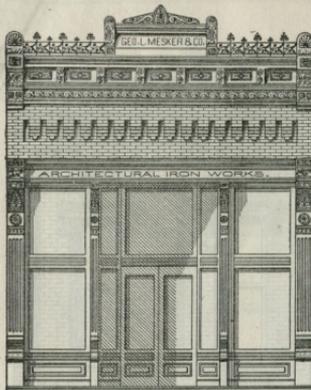
A two-story brick front, with brick side columns, cast-iron supporting columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and pediment. The brackets under main cornice are of brick-work. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 17 ft. front, \$110.00; 19 ft., \$115.00; 21 ft., \$130.00; 23 ft., \$125.00; 25 ft., \$130.00; 27 ft., \$138.00. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.



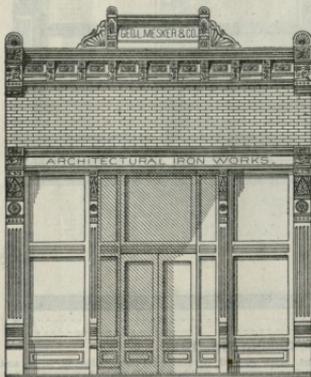
Design No. 1323.

A two-story brick front, with cast-iron corner, cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, window caps, main cornice and corner pediment. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for front to set on 30 ft. lot, with cut-off corner, \$191.00; 22 ft., \$192.50; 24 ft., \$206.50; 26 ft., with one extra column and one extra window cap, \$238.75; 28 ft., \$246.00; 30 ft., \$256.00. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

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**Design No. 1324.**

A one-story brick front, with cast iron columns, sills, lintels and cresting, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, main cornice and pediment. Price, cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 30 ft. front, \$150.00; 24 ft., \$165.00. Woodwork and glass not included.

**Design No. 1325.**

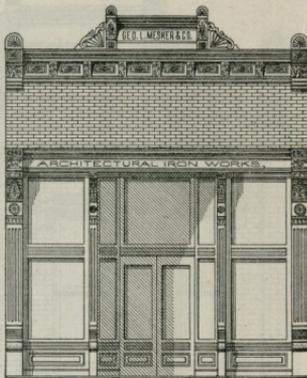
Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 18 ft. front, \$125.95; 22 ft., \$137.25. Woodwork and glass not included. Price quoted on application.

## BRICK FRONTS.

All the designs shown from pages 3 to 19, inclusive, are for brick buildings, with front walls of brick, having cast-iron columns, sills and lintels in first story, with trimmings of galvanized-iron, consisting of main and lintel cornices and window caps. These make handsome and substantial fronts, practically fireproof, and they can not fail to prove satisfactory in every respect. A good brick front with cast-iron columns and high grade galvanized-iron ornamentation is the best that can be put up. There are many inferior grades of work on the market, but we find it most satisfactory to ourselves and customers to make only the best.

## CHANGING ARRANGEMENT OF DESIGNS.

Parties who are unable to find a complete design in the catalogue to suit their purpose, can use the lower front of one design and the upper front of another, and will thus be able to secure just the arrangement they desire. The single fronts may also be extended to form double stores, and one-half of any double front may be used to form a single front. With this fact in view, the catalogue gives a great variety of styles, from which every taste may be pleased. Tear out the designs preferred, mark the measurements on them and send them to us with full explanations, and we will return them with the lowest net prices.

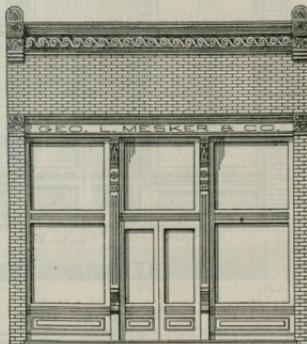
**Design No. 1326.**

A one-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice, main cornice and pediment. Price, cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 30 ft. front, \$143.75; 23 ft. front, \$154.65. Woodwork and glass not included.

## GROUND PLANS.

**No. 1.****No. 2.**

In writing for estimates on woodwork and glass, let us know whether it is desired to have the doors straight or recessed. Ground plan No. 1, above, shows straight doors, and No. 2, recessed.

**Design No. 1327.**

Price of cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 16 ft. front, \$77.25; 19 ft., \$85.90; 23 ft., \$94.50. Woodwork and glass not included. Price quoted on application.

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## ONE-STORY FRONTS.

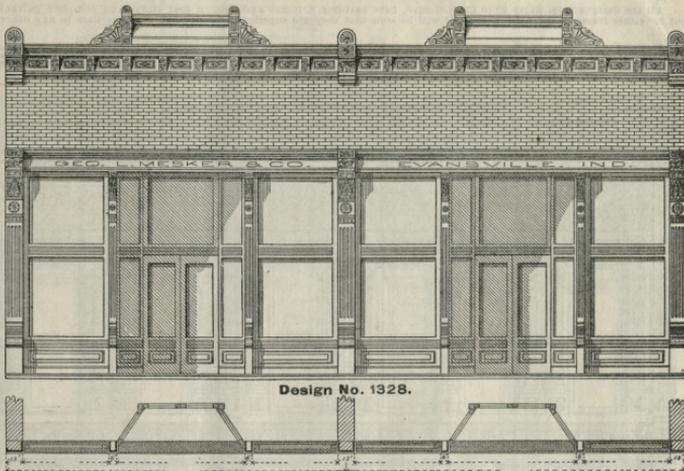
Any of the designs of two-story fronts shown on the preceding pages can be used for one-story buildings. The drawings can be folded down to the proper height, so their appearance as one-story buildings can be seen.

If you intend building, get our prices before you place your order, and you will save money and get superior work, original designs and prompt service.

In quoting prices we will give approximate cost of freight to destination. This will enable our customers to estimate the cost, including freight charges.

### Design No. 1328.

One-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Price, cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 35 ft. front, \$238.15; 40 ft., \$298.90; 44 ft., \$312.65. Woodwork and glass, extra.



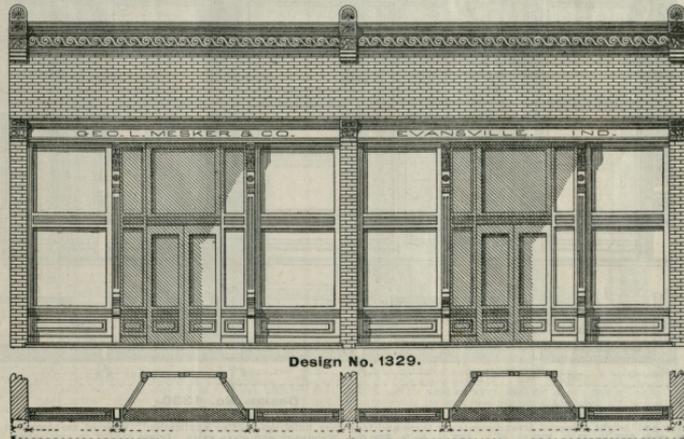
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## QUALITY OF WORK.

There is much difference in the quality of work furnished for store fronts by different manufacturers, and it behooves a customer to look well to his own interest when buying. We always take pleasure in showing up the quality of our work, as we feel it is the best advertisement we can get. Therefore, when we send an estimate, we send detail drawings and descriptions which show just what the work is. Elevation cuts don't show good work to advantage, but poor work is flattered by them, and nothing but a detail will show the actual quality of the work. Some firms cannot afford to send details, but we take pleasure in doing so, because we have no glaring imperfections to hide.

### Design No. 1329:

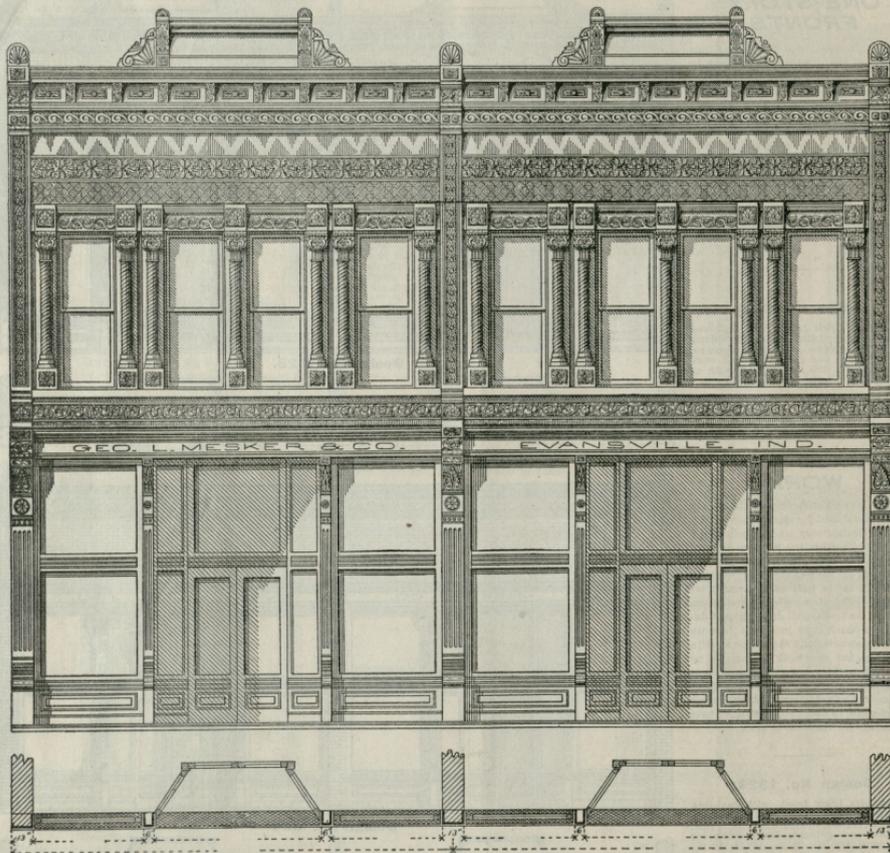
One-story brick front, with cast-iron columns, sills and lintels, and galvanized-iron lintel cornice and main cornice. Price, cast-iron and galvanized-iron work for 30 ft. front, \$181.60; 34 ft., 195.15; 42 ft., \$221.65; 46 ft., \$234.90. Woodwork and glass not included.



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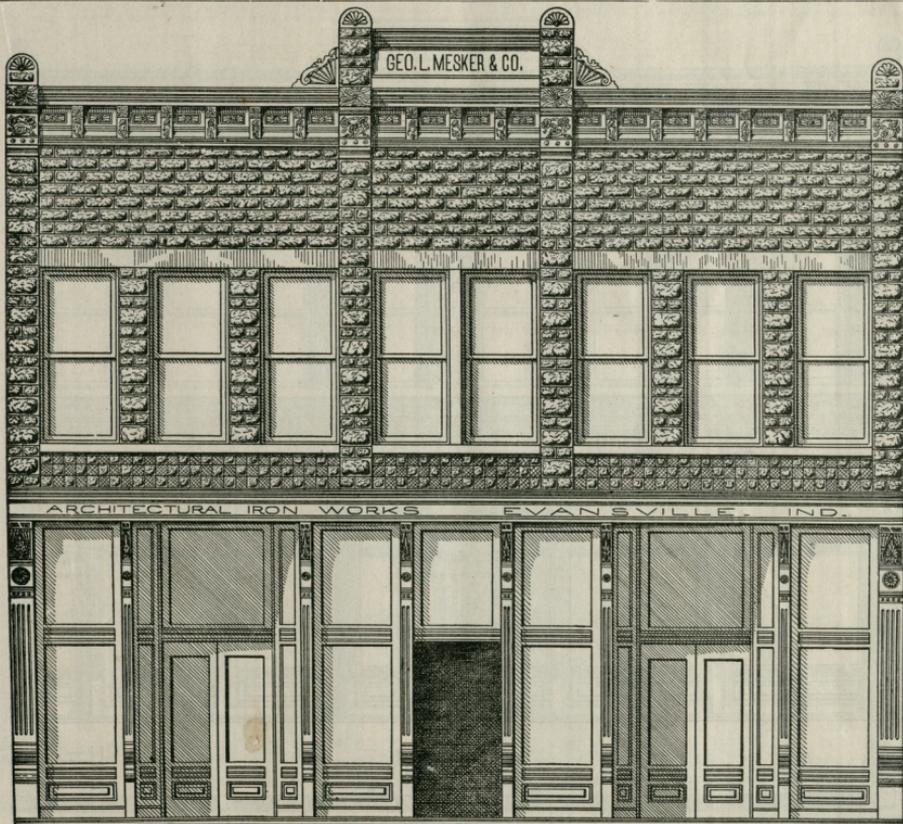
## SHEET METAL FRONT DEPARTMENT.

All the designs from pages 30 to 37, inclusive, have cast-iron columns and sills in first story, and complete galvanized-steel fronts above, and they can be used for either frame or brick buildings. It will be seen that they are superior in beauty and attractiveness to any other sheet metal fronts in the market.



Design No. 1330.

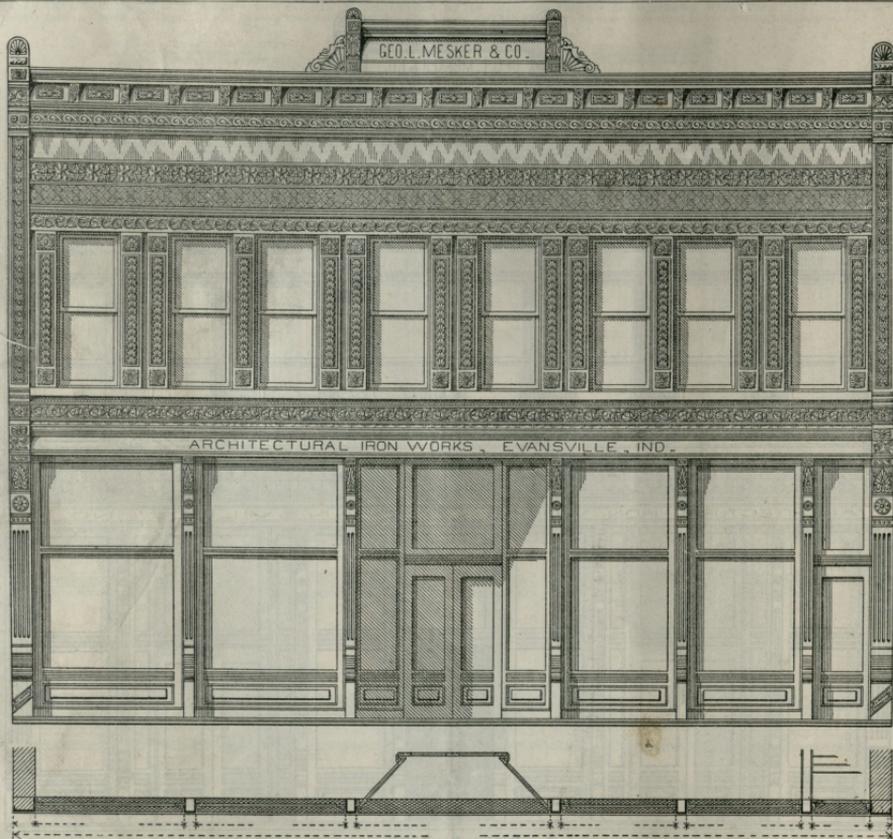
A two-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sill course in first story—an entirely new design, which can be used for buildings of any width and height. Special arrangements for three and four-story buildings sent on application. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for two-story front 28 ft. wide, \$329.15; 42 ft., \$545.65; 46 ft., \$397.15; 60 ft., \$590.65. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application.



Design No. 1331.

A two-story double front, the second story all galvanized-steel, except window frames and sash. Cast-iron columns and sills in first story. A handsome front, the rock-face work being stamped deep and rugged—a perfect imitation of ashlar stone. The columns in first story are cast in one piece, including base, capital and ornaments. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work complete for 36 ft. front, \$395.00; 38 ft., \$438.75; 40 ft., \$350.00; 42 ft., \$361.25; 44 ft., \$372.50; 46 ft., \$383.75; 48 ft., \$395.00; 50 ft., \$406.25. Woodwork and glass, extra. Prices quoted on application. If inferior substitutes for cast-iron columns are used the prices will be less, but cast-iron is best for the purpose.

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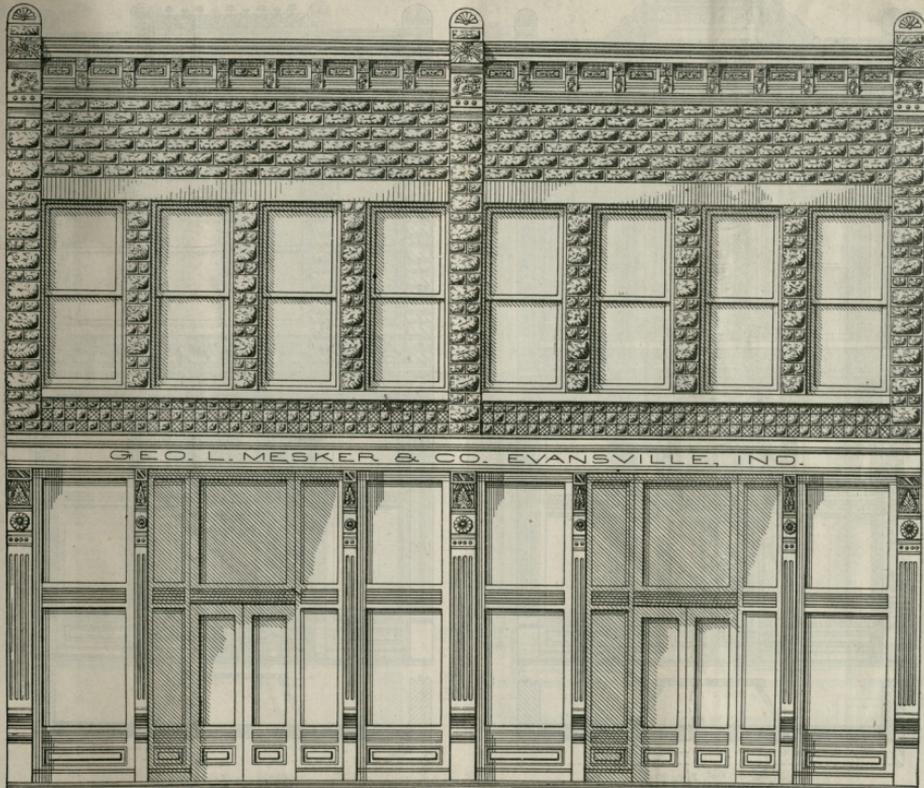


Design No. 1332.

A two-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sills in first story. This is one of our latest and handsomest designs. It can also be arranged for a double store. Send for special cut of any arrangement desired. Price of cast-iron and galvanized steel work for 36 ft. front, \$311.90. 40 ft., \$334.40; 44 ft., \$352.90; 48 ft., \$379.40. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

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In addition to the designs shown in this catalogue, we have many other styles and arrangements. If none of the designs in catalogue suit, let us know what is desired and we will send special designs and prices.

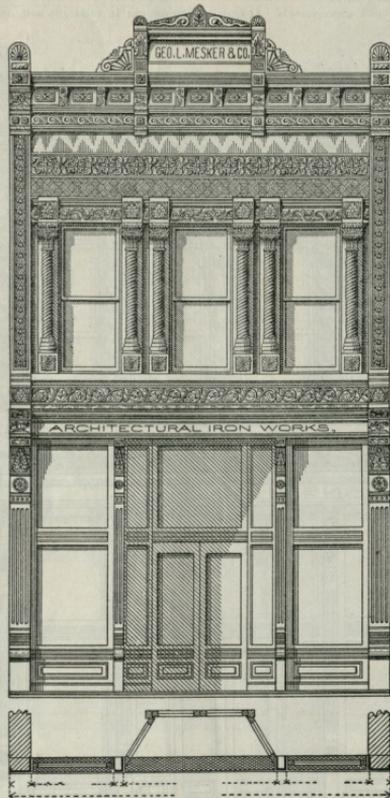


**Design No. 1333.**

A two-story galvanized-steel rock-face front with cast-iron columns and sills in first story. The rock-face stamping is deep and bold, and presents the exact appearance of ashlar stone. The lintel cornice, main cornice and the window cap and sill courses are of galvanized-steel, and have the appearance of cut stone when painted. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front 32 ft. wide, \$279.40; 36 ft., \$300.65; 40 ft., \$321.90; 44 ft., \$343.15; 48 ft., \$364.40. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

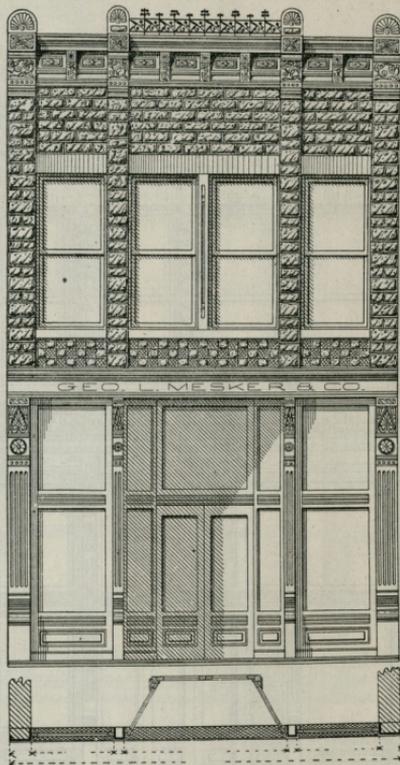
We will quote prices on this or any other of our designs for buildings of any width and height.

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Design No. 1334.

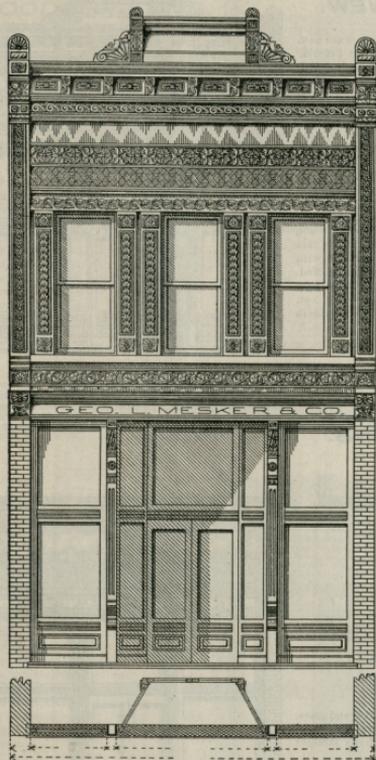
A two-story front, with cast-iron columns and sills in first story and complete galvanized-steel front for second story. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 30 ft. front, \$175.00; 23 ft., \$186.00; 25 ft., \$208.75. Woodwork and glass not included. Prices quoted on application.



Design No. 1335.

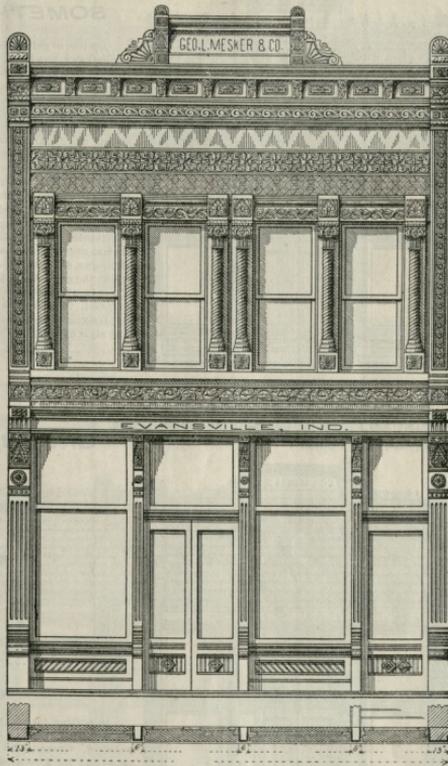
A two-story front, with cast-iron columns and sills for first story and complete galvanized-steel front for second story, including rock-face work. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 18 ft. front, \$163.75; 20 ft., \$175.00; 22 ft., \$186.25; 24 ft., \$197.50; 26 ft., \$208.75; 28 ft., \$220.00. Woodwork and glass not included. Prices quoted on application.

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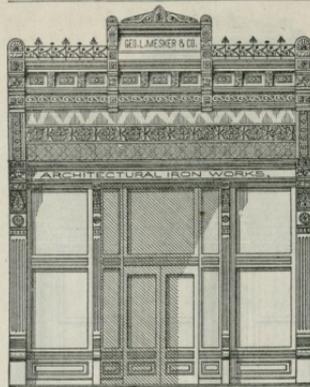
A two-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sill course in first story. Cast-iron side columns may be used instead of brick as shown, and they will be quoted extra on application. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front, as shown above, 16 ft. wide, \$111.25; 20 ft., \$131.25; 24 ft., \$161.25; 28 ft., \$171.25. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.



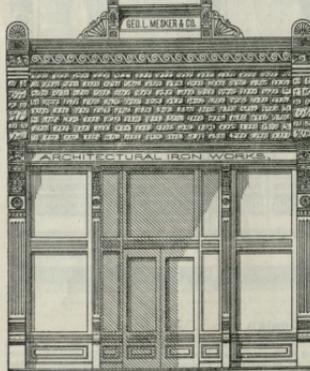
Design No. 337.

A two-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sill course in first story. May be arranged either with stairway door or without, and the doors may be straight, as shown, or recessed. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front, 20 ft. wide, \$160.65; 24 ft., \$213.15; 28 ft., \$265.65; 32 ft., \$298.15. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

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**Design No. 1338.**

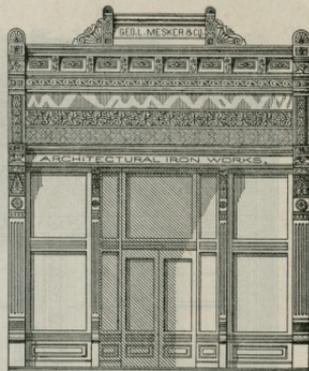
One-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron sill course and columns. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front, 20 ft. wide, \$143.75; 24 ft., \$158.75; 28 ft., \$173.75; 32 ft., \$188.75. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

**Design No. 1339.**

One-story galvanized-steel rock-face front, with cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front, 15 ft. wide, \$109.40; 19 ft., \$121.30; 23 ft., \$134.40; 27 ft., \$146.80. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

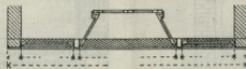
## SOMETHING NEW.

Our line of galvanized sheet steel fronts are new, original and handsome designs. They are superior in every way to the old style, time-worn designs that are shown in the catalogues of most manufacturers, which have not been improved or changed for years. Our designs are conceded by all to be elegant and attractive. They are so easily put up that the cost of setting one of our fronts will not exceed one-half the expense of setting one of the fronts of other manufacturers. Our work is so easily understood that no one can possibly have any trouble in placing it on a building. They make excellent fronts for frame buildings, and are also largely used for fronts of brick buildings, but they are not considered as nearly fireproof nor so substantial as our handsomely finished brick fronts, such as are shown on pages 3 to 19, inclusive, in this catalogue, on account of the wood studding with which the galvanized-steel fronts are usually backed. These fronts can be backed with brick, to make them fireproof, if desired, which would add to the cost. We guarantee to give the best value obtainable in any style of front that we furnish.

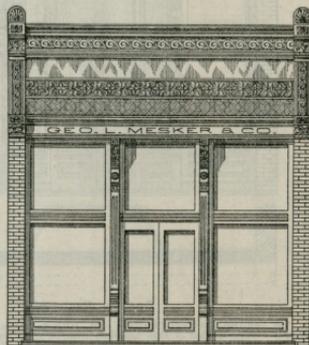
**Design No. 1340.**

One-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron sill course and columns. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 18 ft. front, \$130.00; 22 ft., \$145.00; 26 ft., \$160.00; 30 ft., \$175.00. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

## GROUND PLANS.

**No. 1.****No. 2.**

In writing for estimates on woodwork and glass, let us know whether doors are wanted straight or recessed. Ground plan No. 1, above, shows straight doors and No. 2, recessed.

**Design No. 1341.**

One-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron door and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel work for 17 ft. front, \$79.10; 21 ft., \$90.35; 25 ft., \$101.60; 29 ft., \$112.85. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.

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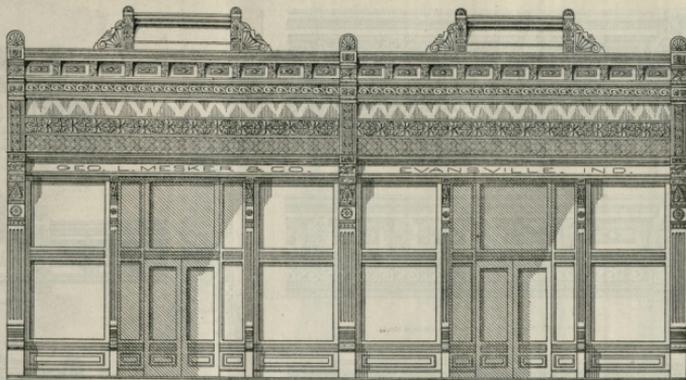
## WOODWORK AND GLASS.

We have a factory completely fitted out for making woodwork for store fronts, and we desire to figure on furnishing woodwork and glass to all who write us in regard to fronts. We make the doors, transoms, show windows and sash out of the best quality of soft Northern white pine. Where we furnish the cast-iron and galvanized-iron work as well as the woodwork and glass for a front, accuracy and correct construction throughout are guaranteed. We usually furnish fine A double strength glass throughout, but will also estimate on plate glass for show windows when desired. When we figure on woodwork we desire to know whether a straight or recessed front is wanted. Give us particulars and let us quote you on woodwork and glass.

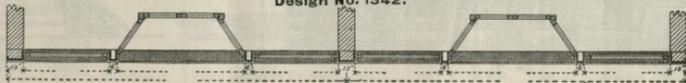
Our estimates do not include hardware, sash weights or cord, inside casings, wood backing or wood lintel.

### Design No. 1342.

One-story galvanized-steel front, with cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front 30 ft. wide, \$221.90; 35 ft., \$240.65; 40 ft., \$259.40; 45 ft., \$278.15. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.



Design No. 1342.

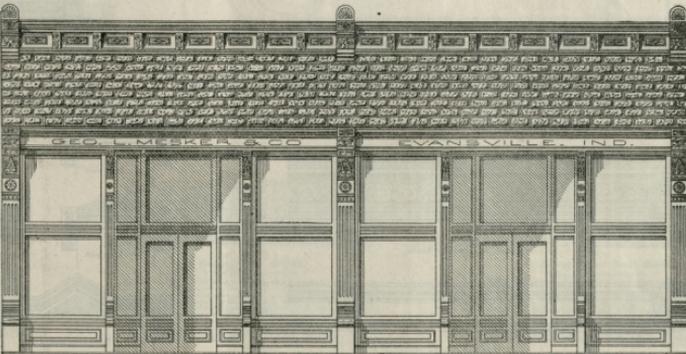


## OLD BUILDINGS.

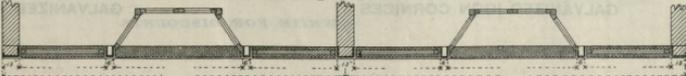
If you have an old building that does not appear well, it will pay you to remodel it and put in one of our modern fronts. A handsome building draws trade, and is always considered a substantial evidence of prosperity, and it certainly is a source of gratification to its owner. Persons who have not looked into the matter will be surprised to learn how easily and cheaply our handsome iron fronts can be put into the first story of a building without taking down the second story wall. Our cornices and window caps can be made to go on old walls, and thus the old front can be made new with very little work. We will take pleasure in giving full particulars on application.

### Design No. 1343.

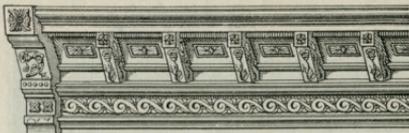
One-story galvanized-steel roof-face front, with cast-iron columns and sill course. Price of cast-iron and galvanized-steel front, 32 ft. wide, \$199.40; 37 ft., \$218.45; 42 ft., \$237.50; 47 ft., \$256.60. Woodwork and glass, extra. Price quoted on application.



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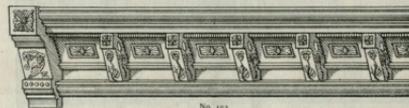
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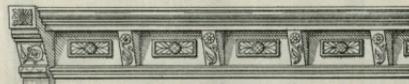
No. 100.  
4 1/2 in. high.  
Price, \$1.88 per ft., including brackets and head blocks.



No. 101.  
3 1/2 in. high.  
Price, \$1.48 per ft., including brackets and head blocks.



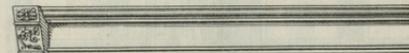
No. 102.  
3 1/2 in. high.  
Price, \$1.57 per ft., including brackets and head blocks.



No. 103.  
4 in. high.  
Price, 95¢ per ft., including brackets and head blocks.



No. 104.  
4 in. high.  
Price, 85¢ per ft., including head blocks.



No. 105.  
4 in. high.  
Price, 50¢ per ft., including head blocks.

### GALVANIZED IRON CORNICES



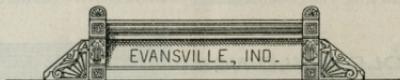
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No. 107.  
Price, \$14.50 and upwards.

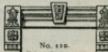


No. 108.  
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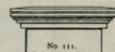


No. 109.  
Price, \$9.45 and upwards.

### GALVANIZED IRON PEDIMENTS.



No. 110.  
Price, \$3.45 each.



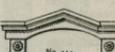
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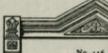
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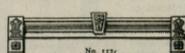
No. 114.  
Price, \$3.45 each.



No. 115.  
Price, \$3.55 each.



No. 116.  
Price, \$3.50 each.



No. 117.  
Price, \$6.25 each.

### GALVANIZED IRON WINDOW CAPS.

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No. 118

We will quote prices on application for galvanized iron non-lubricating skylight frames and rough plate glass.



No. 119

We furnish glass cut to exact size, carefully packed in boxes.



No. 120

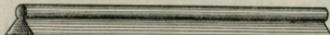
**Galvanized Iron Skylight Frames.**



No. 120.  
Finial, 63¢ each.

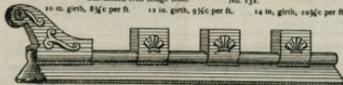


No. 121.  
Stamped Blocks, 10¢ each.



Galvanized Iron Ridge Roll. No. 125.

10 in. girth, 85¢ per ft. 12 in. girth, 95¢ per ft. 14 in. girth, 105¢ per ft.



No. 131

**Adjustable Galvanized Iron Cresting.**

Composed of 14 in. Ridge Roll and stamped finial and blocks. (See prices above.)



No. 132

**Corrugated Steel Roofing and Siding.**

Prices quoted on application.



No. 135

**V Crimped Steel Roofing.**

Prices quoted on application.

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No. 121.

Price, \$6.45.



No. 122.

Price, \$27.50.



No. 123.

Price, \$10.00.



No. 124.

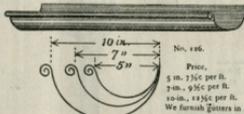
Price, \$15.75.



No. 125.

Price, \$8.15.

**Galvanized Iron Finials.**



No. 126.

Price,  
5 m., 75¢ per ft.  
7 m., 95¢ per ft.  
10 m., 125¢ per ft.  
We furnish gutters in 8 ft. lengths, securely sealed and banded.

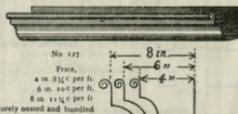
**Galvanized Iron Hanging Gutter.**



No. 128.

3 m., 75¢ per ft. 4 m., 100¢ per ft.  
5 m., 125¢ per ft. 6 in., 150¢ per ft.

**Galvanized Iron Conductor Pipe.**



No. 127.

Price,  
4 m., 85¢ per ft.  
6 m., 105¢ per ft.  
8 m., 145¢ per ft.

**Galvanized Iron Box Gutters.**



No. 129.

14 in. girth, 10 1/2 in. length, 18 in. girth, 140¢ per ft.

**Galvanized Iron Roof Gutters.**



No. 136

**Beaded Steel Ceiling.**

Prices quoted on application.



No. 137

**Plain Sheet Steel Brick Siding.**

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No. 138

**Rock Face Steel Brick Siding.**

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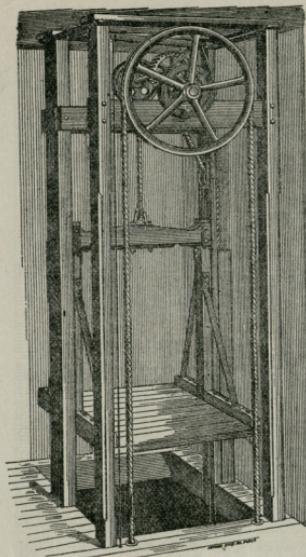
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**Rock Face Steel Siding.**

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**ELEVATOR GEARING.**

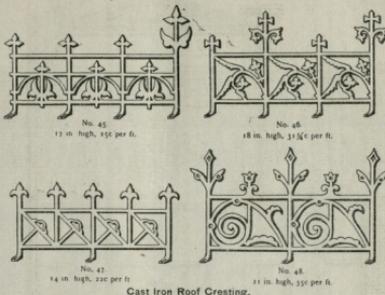
For business houses and places where it will warrant the outlay of a large sum of money for an expensive elevator, this gearing will make a first-class hand-power machine for raising and lowering merchandise. Any mechanic can build the platform, put up the guides and place gearing in position. The gearing is fitted with double automatic brake, so that it is perfectly safe when loading, and can not run down itself. It is strong and durable, and superior to any made.

**PRICES.**

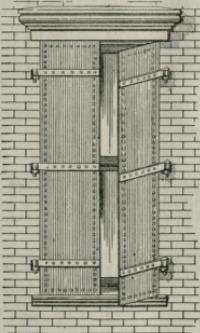
Machine with weight.	All Rope per ft. of height.	
500 lbs. ....	\$42.75	27 1/2 cts.
750 " .....	59.40	36 "
1000 " .....	72.00	38 "
1500 " .....	85.00	30 1/4 "
Platform Irons .....	\$19.50 to \$17.50	

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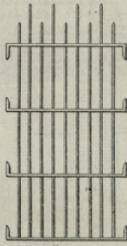
Give distance from centre of opening to where hand rope is to be.  
 State total height from lowest floor to position of machine.  
 Show position of hand rope and counterbalance weight.



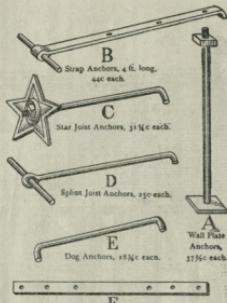
Cast Iron Roof Cresting.



Wrought Iron Doors and Shutters.  
 Prices quoted on application.



Wrought Iron Window Guards.  
 Prices quoted on application.



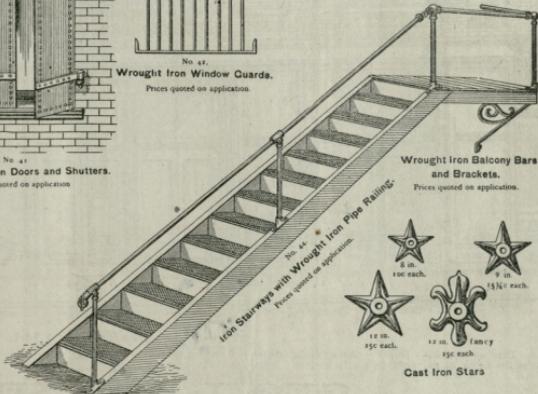
Wrought Iron Anchors.



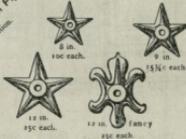
Crimped Wire Window Guards.  
 Prices quoted on application.



Cast Iron Cresting Finials.



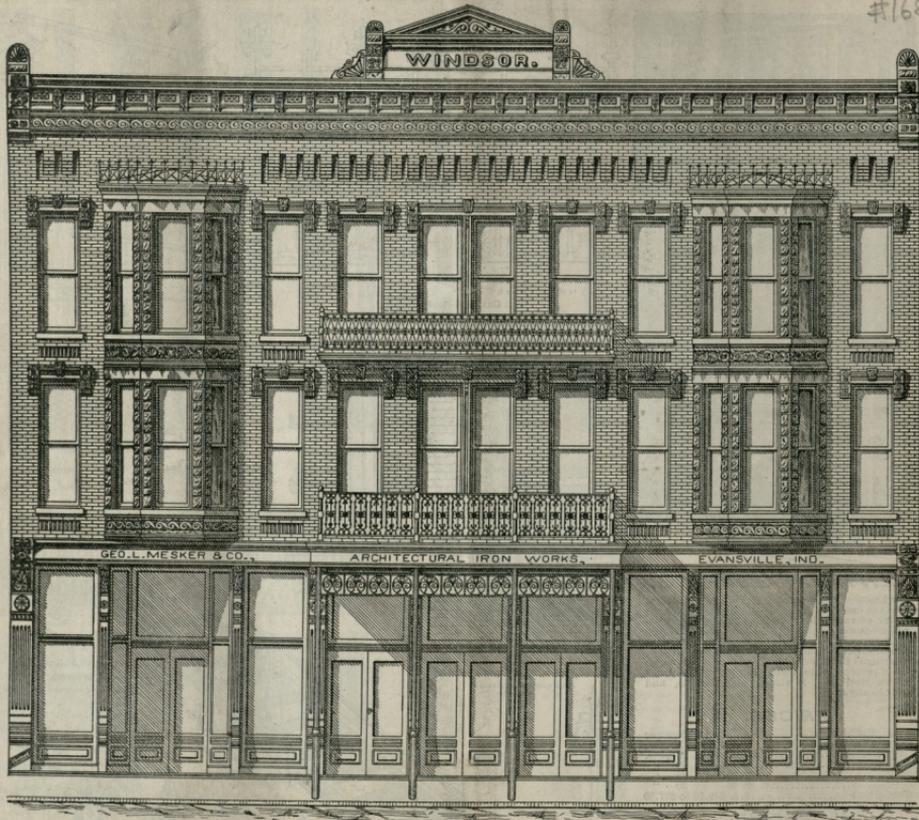
Wrought Iron Balcony Bars and Brackets.  
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Cast Iron Stars

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**MODERN STORE FRONTS.**



Design No. 1344.

Persons who wish fronts different from any shown in our catalogue are requested to write us for other designs. We can furnish a very large number of designs for either brick or galvanized-iron fronts, any width and any number of stories in height.

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