

Fort Macomb

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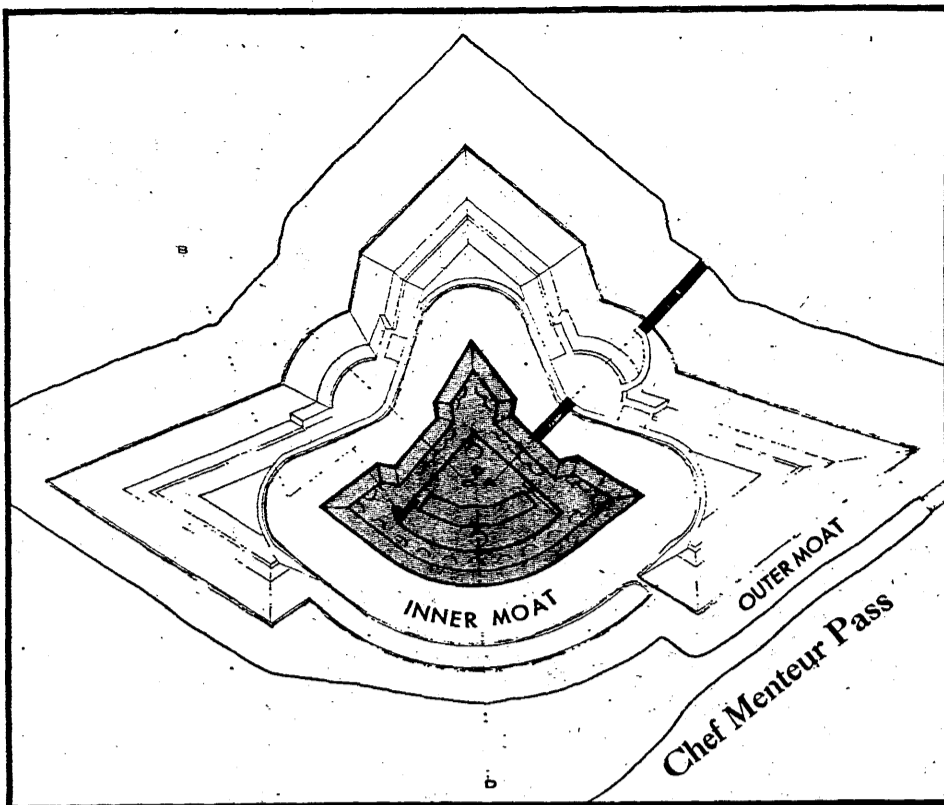
Louisiana Boy Scouts made plans to restore the fort as an encampment and tourist attraction, but a lack of funds prevented the project. In 1962, the Robert S. Hart Squadron of the Air Force Association tried to lease the fort for an aerospace educational museum but, again, plans never materialized.

It was just three years later that the state legislature passed Act 158 giving it permission to lease the fort, and the Fort Macomb Development Corp. took possession shortly thereafter, despite a much higher bid of anticipated revenue to be paid to the state submitted by a California firm.

Miss Swanson, who has spearheaded efforts to save Fort Macomb from further destruction since it was first leased in 1976, stressed that the fort is "an excellent example of the most monumental architecture in America during the first half of the 19th century."

"It is a tribute to the skill and workmanship and endurance of the men who designed and built it that Fort Macomb, though sadly neglected and abused, has managed somehow to survive."

"I cannot help but wonder if our modern Superdome would fare as well, should it ever be subjected to such shameful treatment."



ORIGINAL LAYOUT OF FORT—WHAT REMAINS (SHADED)

St. Patrick Would Be Delighted...Others Aren't

ATLANTA (AP) — Atop the Hyatt Regency hotel is a great, glass dome that used to be blue. The hotel colored the dome green for St. Patrick's Day and some of the natives don't like it that way.

Darryl Hartly-Leonard, the hotel's general manager, said the St. Patrick's Day promotion seemed like a good idea.

"We did it last Thursday and didn't get any calls until Saturday," he said. "People were just so accus-

toried to seeing it blue that the green just didn't register with them."

"Now they want to know why we did it. Why did we change the color?"

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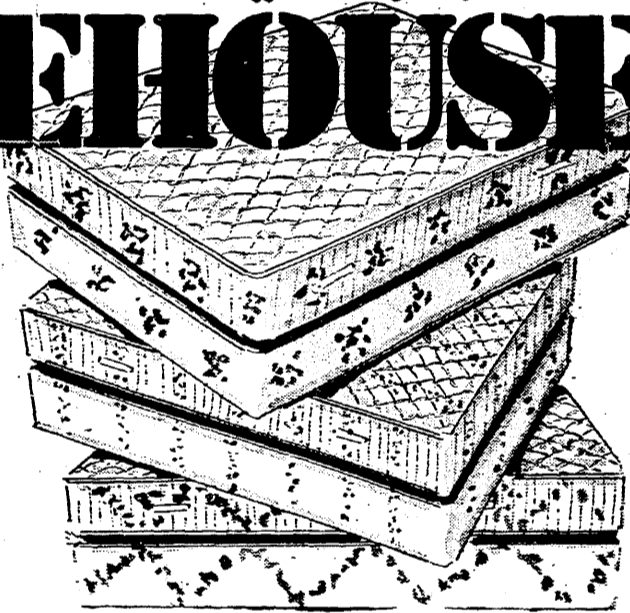
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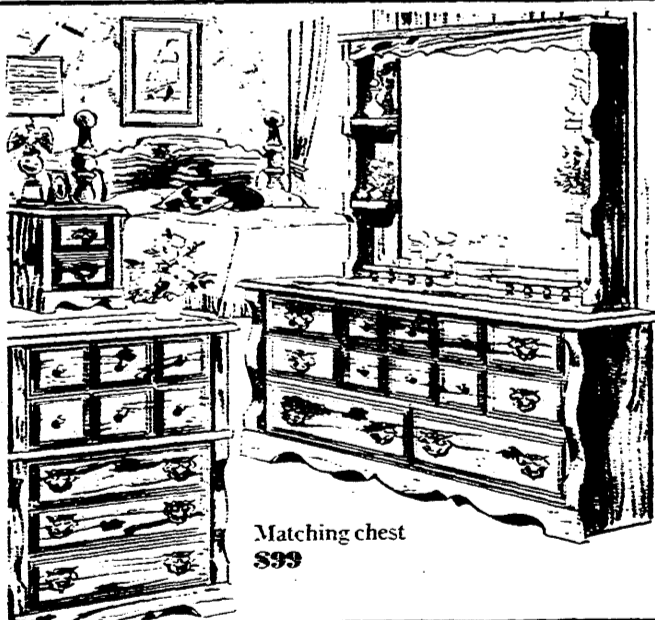
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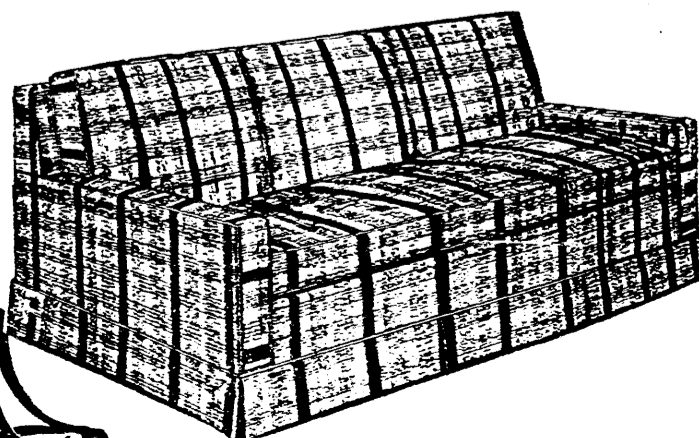
Sculptured detailing with the look of deep handcarving distinguish this massive set. Deep rich chestnut or white milk finish. Thick laminated tops.



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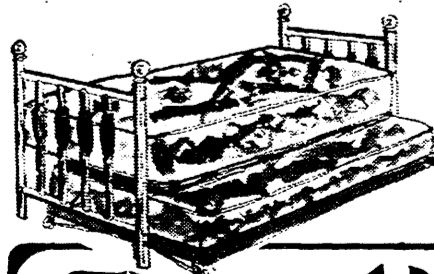
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