in my window - Through The redwood branches - 9 Trink ofyon - of your great gift of friendship - of The steams of your webs spread all overthe world - from your capacity to know us all - and give so much love-How I look forward to Seeing you - may you blossone. with The spring and with love-Dravest nell I have been on The phone with isony so I know you are not fully recovered as yet but I will be calling again - and also hoping to come by to give you a B16 hing and a lot of love - on may 23rd - when anne and I leave Smith College and my 25th Reunion. Each day , as the 3un comes





## THE JAMES DOLLS' HOUSE 1885

This house is another instance of a dolls' house descending through the female line of the family. Made by an estate carpenter on the Hudson River, the enormous house with its columned porch and balustraded roofline reflects the lavishness of Victorian New York's summer cottages.

Inside, the furniture is in keeping with the rich and heavy suites for formal rooms imported from Germany. The dining room is splendidly appointed, and the kitchen full of finely made equipment. The large sets of furniture are of about the same date and were added by the Museum. They once belonged to Marie Constable and came from her dolls' house.

Gift of Mrs. Bayard James, Acc. No. 43.362 The Furniture is the gift of Mrs. Robert G. Olmstead and Constable McCracken, Acc. No. 66.28

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