Front windows are in



Windows on the north end



Windows on the south end



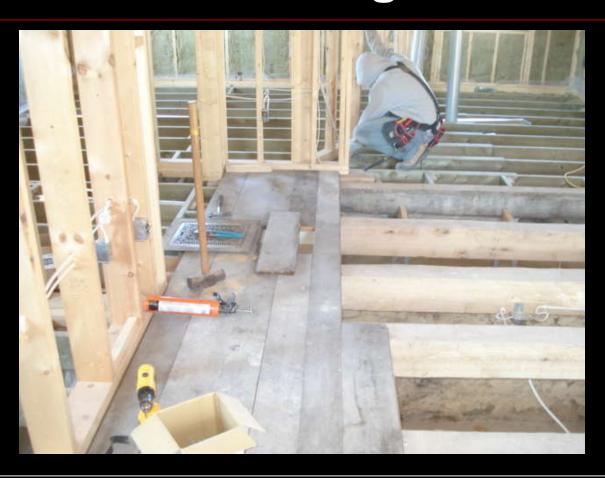
Adding the casings



1843 pine flooring from the upstairs being installed on the main floor



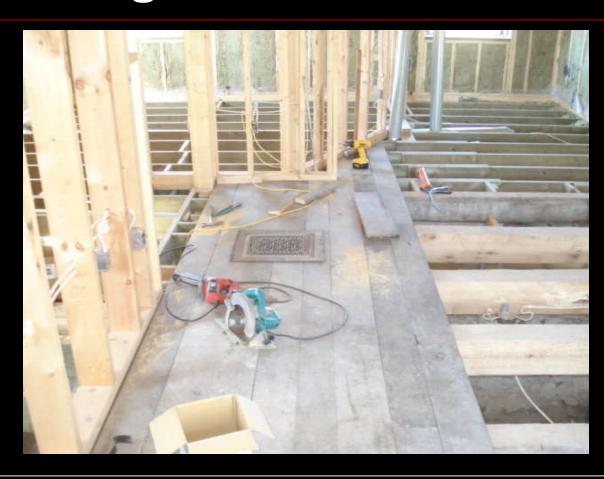
Cutout for cold air register



That would be Richard



Cold air register installed



Pretty, isn't it



Original square bricks re-installed for fireplace hearth



Lightly soda blasted to clean them



Living room looking north towards where the stairs will go



PL400 construction glue and 3" brown deck screws in the flooring



Floor perimeter & wall insulation



Heat ducts for the second floor



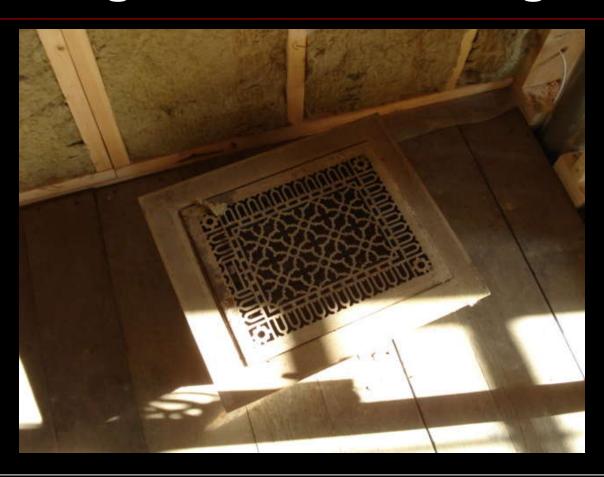
More insulation



Nice deep window sills



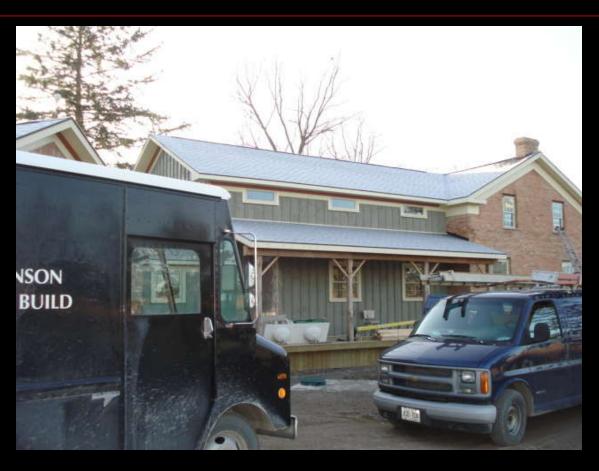
Hot air register for the living room



Simon in a box napping on my desk



Heavy frost overnight



To change direction for the flooring just put in a spline, glue & nail



And that's the glue



And now the tongue points towards me and down the entrance hall



1843 dust when the boards are cleaned before installation



Random widths, random lengths



And the dust and dirt pile up



Steve the "Mud Man"



Brad opening the stairwell to the second floor



Richard cuts the circle



The stairs come in the entrance



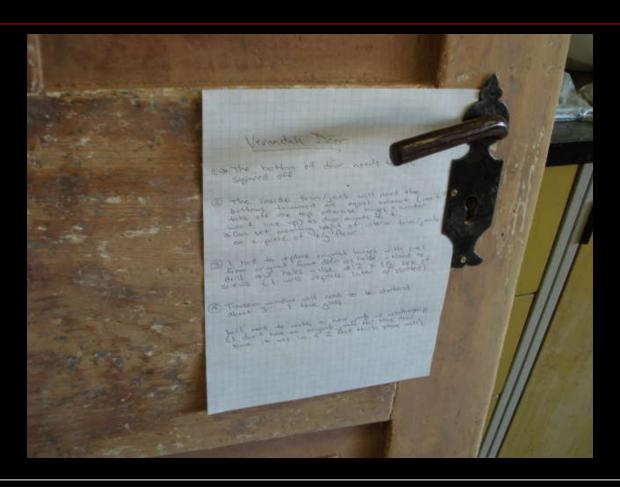
Antique stairs with handrail off



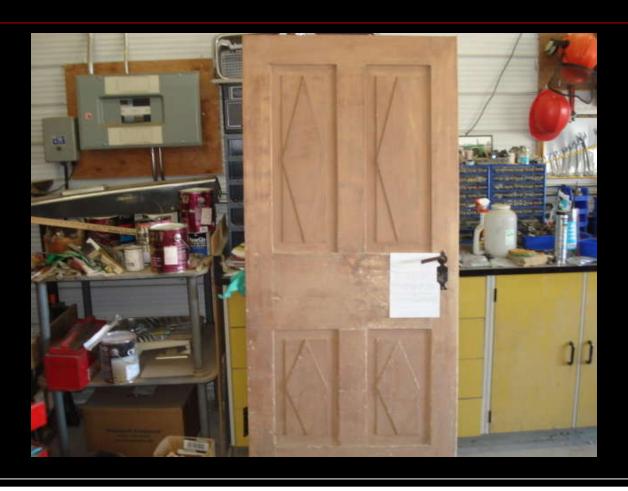
Getting ready to lower it



Notes from Steve on a door



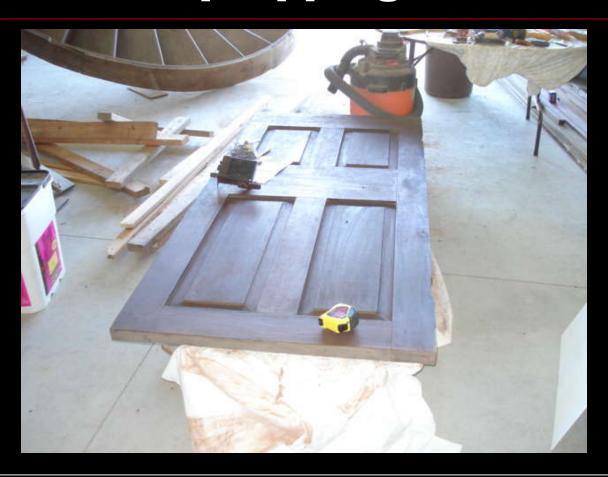
1860 door with box latch



Ready to move to the house



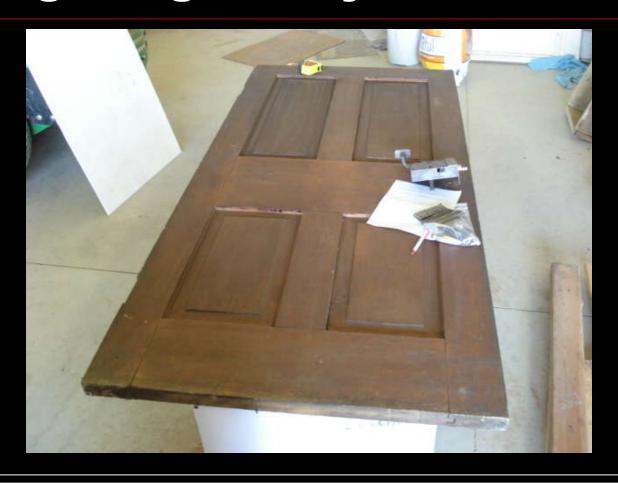
Steve's been prepping the door



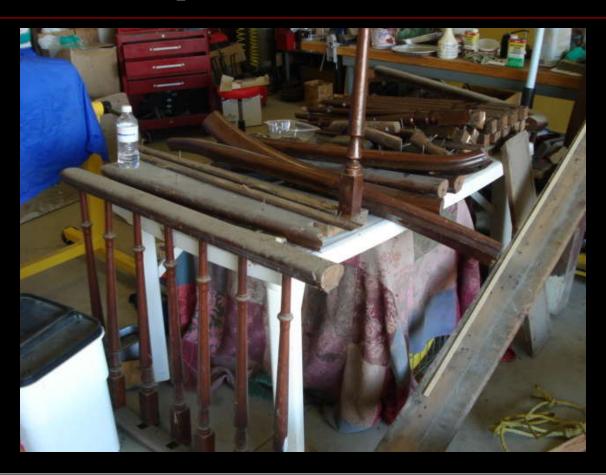
Box latch, hinges & notes



Getting things ready for installation



Handrail & spindles



Cast iron registers



Stan brings the John Deere



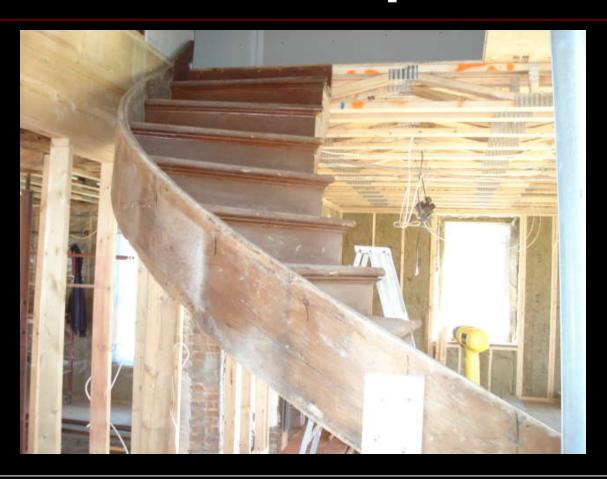
Test fit



Richard says "hoist it up!"



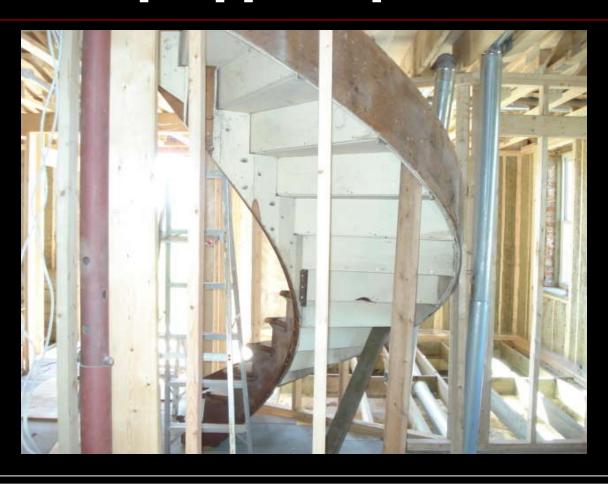
Locate and set the top first



A closer look



Underside propped up



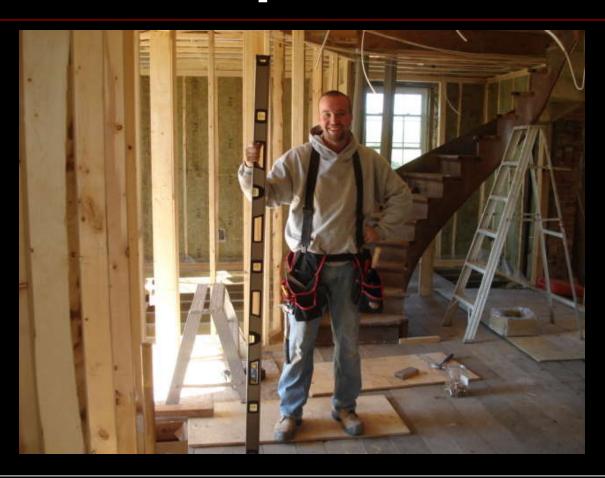
Pull & push & twist and check!



Eventually it sits correctly



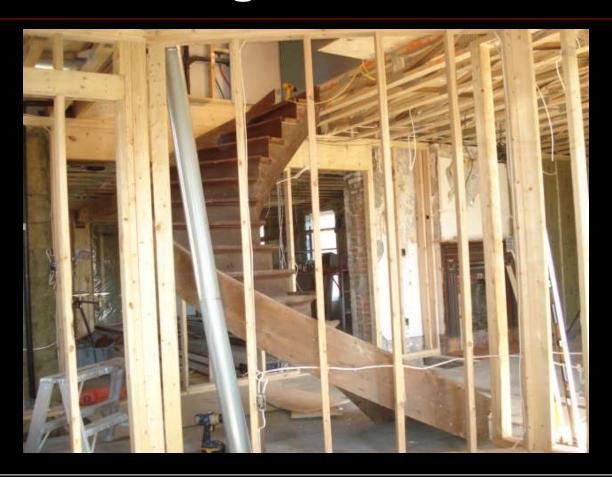
Brad's new "Perpendicularizer"



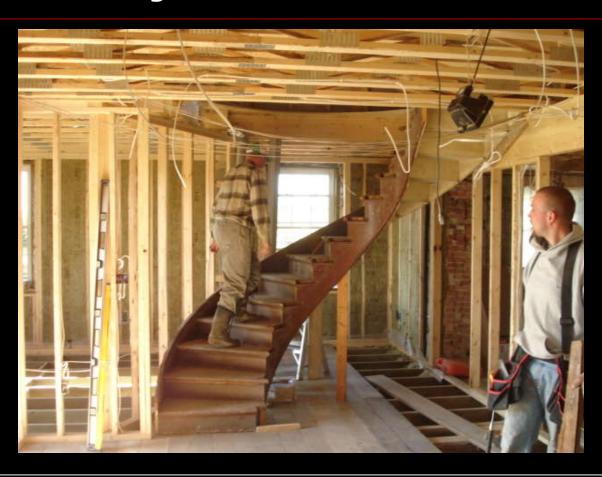
View from the second floor



From the Dining Room



To quote Stan - " I never thought I'd live to see the day! " - first cautious ascent



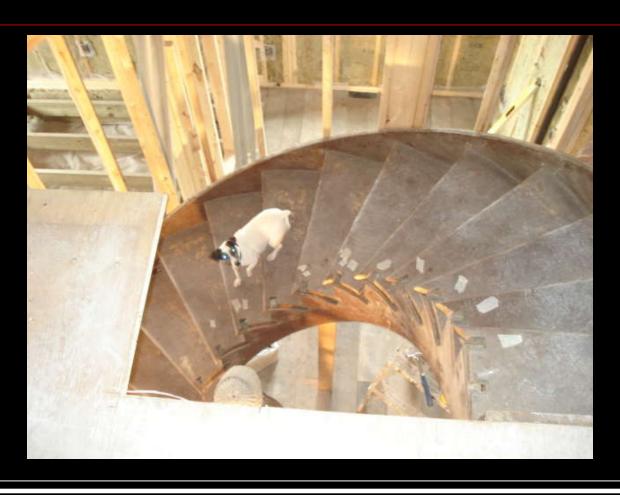
Now we have to build curved walls



1843 square nail used once again



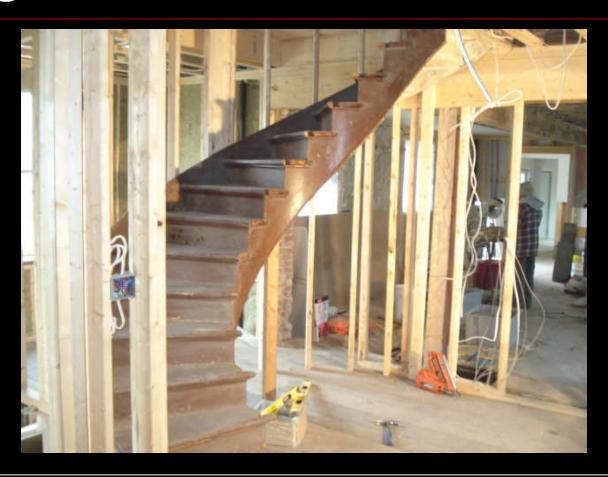
"J.C." tries out the stairs



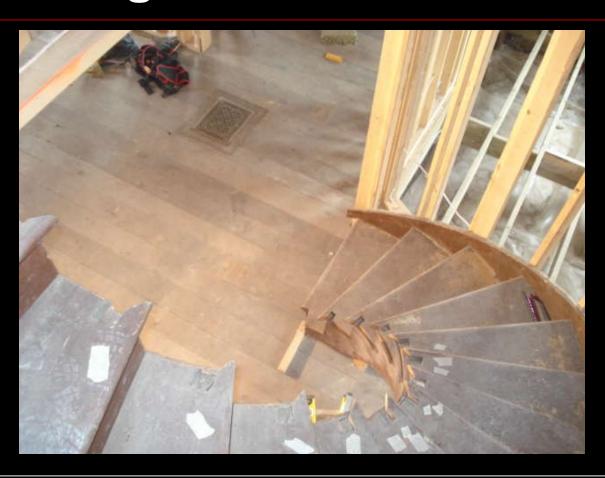
Studs go in around the curve



Going round the bend



Cold air register at the bottom



Then we have to do the inside curved wall as well.

