

GLOSSARY

WALLS AND FOUNDATIONS

BRICK - KILN FIRED CLAY MOLDED INTO A MASONRY UNIT

Half-Brick - Brick split lengthwise; used for ornamentation

Hard Brick - Brick fired quickly, at high temperatures, baking the interior as well as the exterior surface; twentieth century

Pressed Brick - Brick molded into a compact smooth face by mechanical pressure; after 1890

Soft Brick - Brick fired at a temperature, baking the exterior surface but leaving the interior soft

BRICK BOND PATTERN IN WHICH BRICK IS LAID

American - Horizontal rows of stretchers alternated by a row of headers

Common (or Stretcher) - Horizontal rows of bricks laid lengthwise

English - Alternating horizontal rows of stretchers and headers

Flemish - Alternating stretchers and headers within a horizontal row

Garden Wall - Alternating rows of Flemish and American bonds

Header - Horizontal rows of bricks laid endwise.

Roman - Horizontal rows of long, narrow pressed bricks laid lengthwise

STONE - MATERIAL COMPOSED OF MINERALS AND ANIMAL OR PLANT ELEMENTS; IN BUILD-

INGS, MOST COMMON ARE LIMESTONE AND SANDSTONE

Limestone - Rock formed by the accumulation of rocks and shells and yielding lime when bored

Sandstone - Rock consisting of quartz and a cement such as silica or calcium carbonate formed by the action of wind and water

STONE COURSING PATTERN IN WHICH STONE IS LAID

Broken Course, Cut Stone - Randomly placed stones which have been cut into rectangles of various sizes

Cobblestone - Randomly placed stones of a size larger than a pebble and smaller than a boulder

Coursed Cut Stone - Rhythmically placed stone which has been cut into rectangles of uniform size

Coursed Rubble - Rhythmically placed stone as it comes from the quarry

Field, Panel - Vertically placed stone of uniform size

Fieldstone - Randomly placed rocks found in fields, forest, etc.

Random Rubble - Unpatterned placing of rough quarry stone

Squared Rubble - Rhythmically placed quarry stone which has squared edges

STONE FINISH SURFACE CHARACTERISTICS AND APPEARANCE OF STONE:

Natural - Unchanged from original condition