From Mars to Architects, Engineers and Surveyors

In 1911 Jean de La Hire released *Le Mystère des XV*, a book which may have the distinction of being the first to depict a human colonization of Mars, as well as the return of the character Leo Saint-Clair (The *Nyctalope*)--a superhero precursor as well as the first cyborg. Since then the idea of colonizing Mars has filled books, movies, TV shows and dreams of little kids and big kids alike. And who can forget *Marvin the Martian* and his Earth-destroying Illudium Q-36 Explosive Space Modulator?

The reality of a Martian colony may yet come to pass. Architects Marek Podlaha and Antónia Pohanková have designed a *prefabricated spaceship* that will convert to a large living space after landing, without the need for large equipment on-site. You may have heard about *Mars One*, an organization working towards providing a one-way trip to Mars in 2031. I wonder how the thinner atmosphere and lower gravity on Mars will affect the design of buildings that may exist there one day.

Some of the buildings on earth and here in the U.S. also look like they could have been designed by aliens, such as the beautiful and flowing *Aqua Tower* in Chicago.

While we don't have any Martian markets for you (yet) we can help you cover the architects that envision and design buildings, the engineers that make them happen, and the surveyors who measure out the land.

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This market is available in all states except AK, FL, HI & LA. It is also not available on Mars.

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