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The Isaac Goodnow house in Manhattan, now a museum operated by the Kansas State Historical Society. Etta Parkerson lived here during the period covered by her diary, 1874-1875—see the autumn issue, pp. 201-219, and this issue, pp. 255-278. This view is of the back of the house, the part where Etta lived and worked as a housekeeper for her Uncle William Goodnow. The front part of the house was rented. Photograph courtesy Ellen Paullin.
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