

Fiumefreddo Bruzio, the tower.

ROSSI'S TOWER

It's an original building of the eighteenth century.

The tower lies north-west of the speedway tunnel, in the "Cordieri's" area, in Marina of Fiumefreddo.

The tower has beautiful eighteenth century balconies in wrought iron, a porch with arches and



the roof bordered with stone lilies. Nowadays the tower is the dwelling-house of a family of Fiumefreddo Bruzio.

Actually this building looks more like a mansion house than a tower. As a matter of fact, almost all the old towers of Fiumefreddo Bruzio, which belonged to vassals and vavasours, look like large houses of good appearance, that show, however, unmistakable,

distinguishing marks and features of the old gigantic feudal towers, such as battlements, jutting brackets, loopholes, embrasures, porches, old stone fireplaces, old terracotta tiles, etc.



The front and side view (west-south) of the tower.

This black and white photograph was taken little less than a century ago.