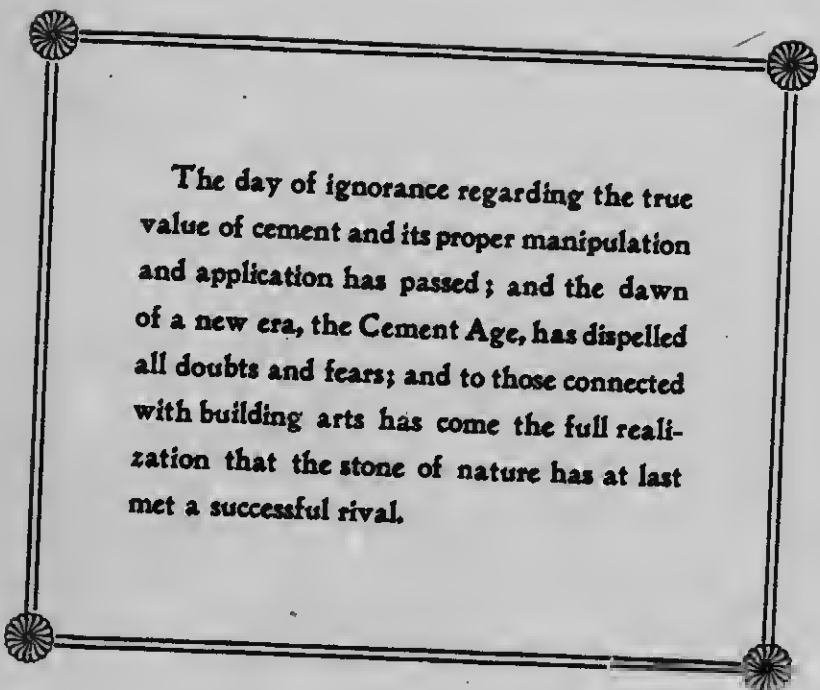




The day of ignorance regarding the true value of cement and its proper manipulation and application has passed; and the dawn of a new era, the Cement Age, has dispelled all doubts and fears; and to those connected with building arts has come the full realization that the stone of nature has at last met a successful rival.