PERSONAL.

In the CANADIAN ARCHITECT AND BUILDER for January the statement was made that Mr. Geo. Gouinlock, architect, Toronto, had entered into partnership with Mr. Garland. We regret that this statement was made without authority and under a misapprehension as to the facts. It has since been learned that the arrangement Mr. Garland had with Mr. Gouinlock, was only a temporary one, and that it has since been dissolved.

News has been received of the death at Hanford, Cal., of Mr. Jas. R. Bowes, architect, late of Ottawa, Ont. Mr. Bowes death resulted from injuries sustained by jumping from the second story window of a burning hotel.

Mr. Wm. Gregg, Jr., representing the Toronto Radiator Mfg. Co., at Winnipeg, Man., paid a visit to Ontario last month. He reports the building outlook for Winnipeg and the Northwest to be encouraging, and business in his particular line extending.

PUBLICATIONS.

Sir Edwin Arnold, who has been enjoying an interesting trip through the United States, has made a careful study of the conditions which govern the family in Japan and embodies his ideas in a paper called "Love and Marriage in Japan" in the February number of The Cosmopolitan. The article is illustrated by the quaintest possible Japanese sketches running down the sides and across the bottom of each page.

We have been favored by the publisher with a copy of a practical treatise by Mr. Owen B. Maginnis on the practice of centering arches in building construction of illustrations, is well bound in cloth, and is sold at the price of \$1.50. Wm. T. Comstock, New York, is the publisher.



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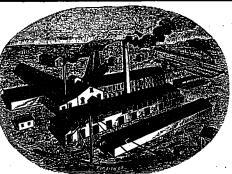
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