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Forgotten Books, United States, 2015. Paperback. Book Condition: New. 229 x 152 mm. Language: English . Brand New Book \*\*\*\*\* Print on Demand \*\*\*\*\*.Excerpt from School Architecture in California To the School People of California: Five years ago we sent you the first handbook on school architecture ever issued by the State. It was introduced by this sentiment: It is almost as cheap to build a beautiful schoolhouse as an ugly one, when we know how. California, like old Greece, is a land of beautiful things. Sun and sea and mountains, streams and trees and flowers conspire to make it a place inspiring to the painter, the poet, the musician, and delightful as a dwelling place for man. This attractiveness and beauty are practical assets of priceless value to the State. We who live here now should give to our landscapes tasteful and harmonious schoolhouses, not dreary shanties surrounded by slovenly barnyards. Our schools, reflecting the public spirit, should be handsome and prosperous, and must not teach slatternly lessons of unthrift to the little boys and girls who are coming on. Here is our Opportunity to touch and to improve the long procession of the future. This handbook made its...



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