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SUMMER MEETING OF NEW HAMPSHIRE CHAPTER, AIA HELD SEPTEMBER 7

New Hampshire Chapter, American Institute of Architects held their summer meeting on September 7 at a picturesque ski lodge called "Keene" at Etna, New Hampshire.

A meeting of the executive committee preceded the social hour and dinner. Following dinner Professor Hugh Morrison, Department of Art, Dartmouth College, gave an interesting commentary along with slides on recent contemporary architecture. His subjects were General Motors Research Laboratories, United States Air Force Academy, University of Mexico and Brazilia. Having visited these sites in recent years Professor Morrison and his slides spoke with authority of the scope, exciting design and magnitude of Following the these renowned places. showing the evening was spent in a general discussion of these works and others.

Next scheduled meeting of the Chapter is November 17 in the Manchester area.

NEW AIA-AGC COMMITTEE MEETS

Many topics of vital interest discussed. Further meetings planned.

Meeting at Manchester recently the newly appointed members of the AIA-AGC committee were enthusiastic about the formation of the committee and agreed that it had tremendous potential for creating better understanding between the two groups and advancing the common cause of both segments of the industry.

The purpose of the first meeting was mainly organizational, with a variety of topics suggested for exploratory purposes. It was proposed that the committee be a continuing committee meeting regularly at periodic intervals to maintain the lines of communication between the associations and to develop long range programs for the advancement of the common causes of the two groups. It was generally agreed that both architects and contractors in New Hampshire had done little in the way of a joint effort to promote the construction industry and it was also agreed there is a sizeable potential in this field.

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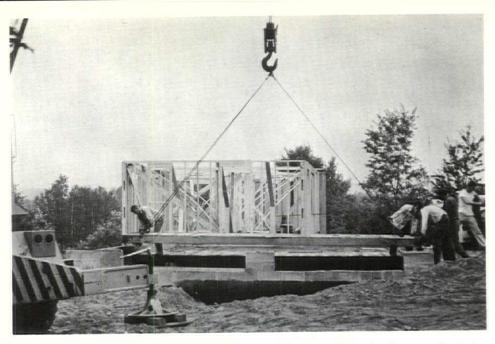
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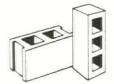


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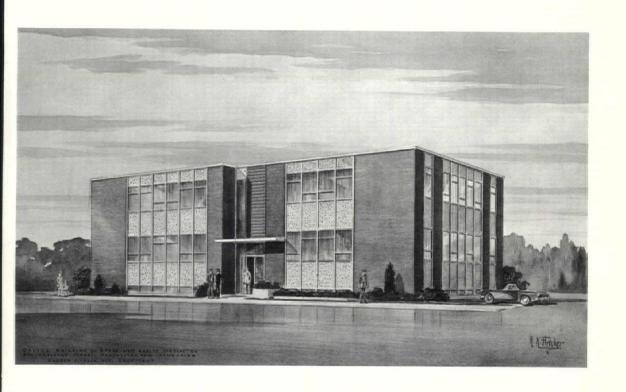
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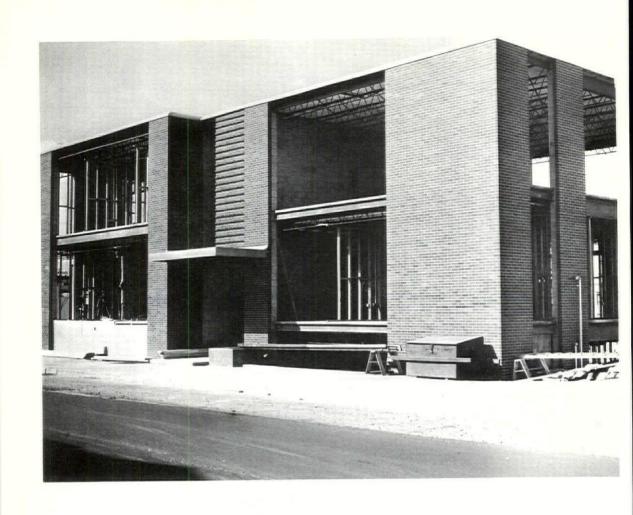
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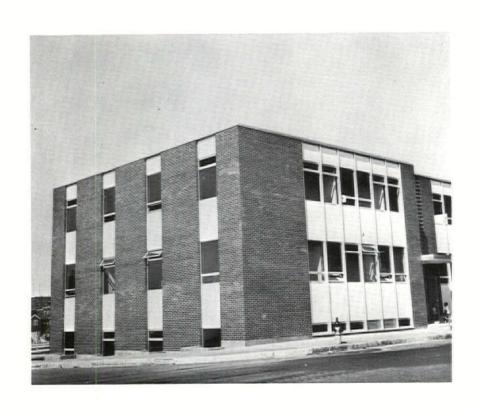
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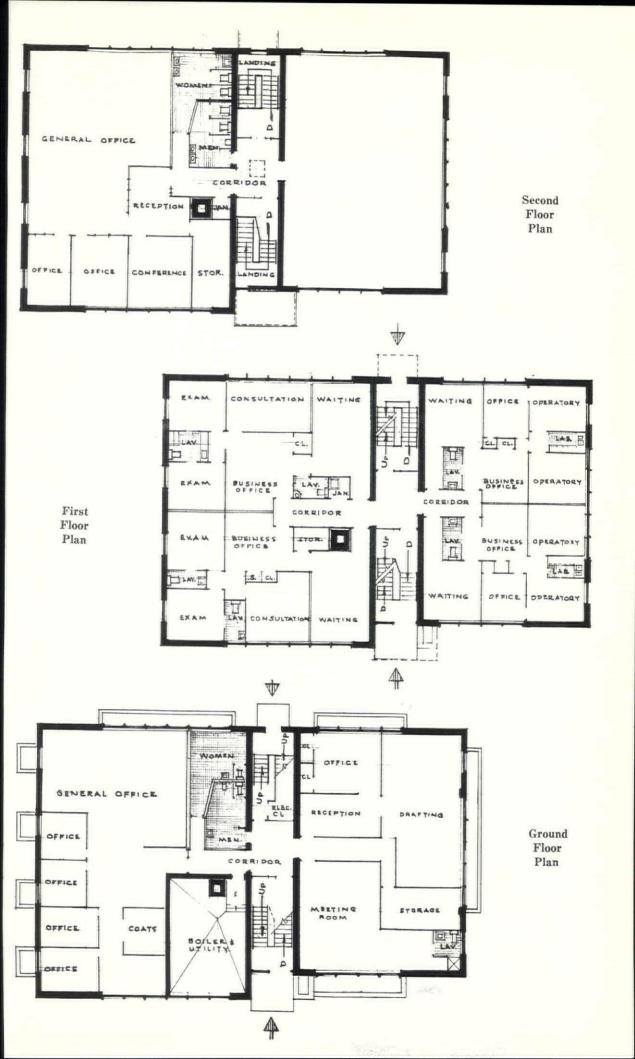
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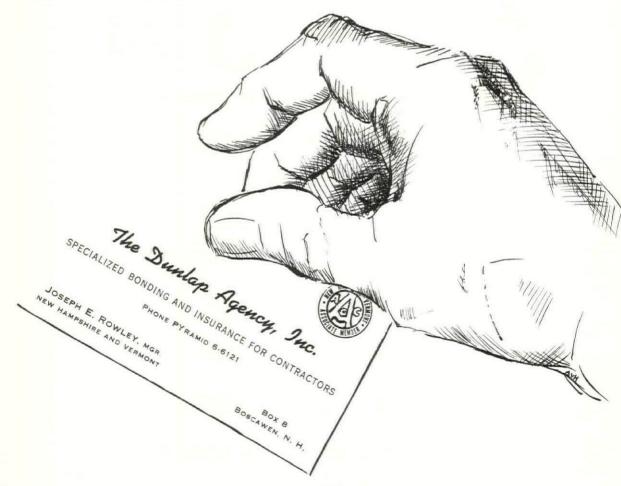












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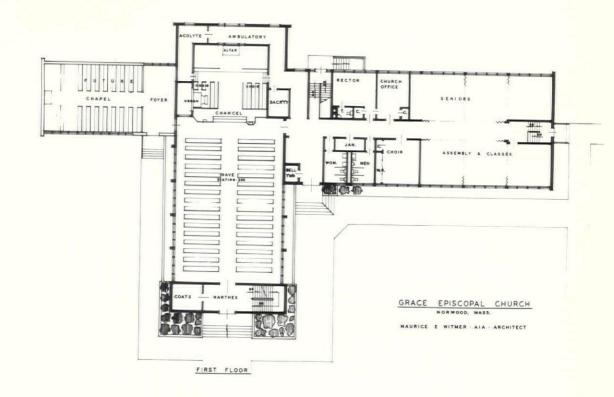
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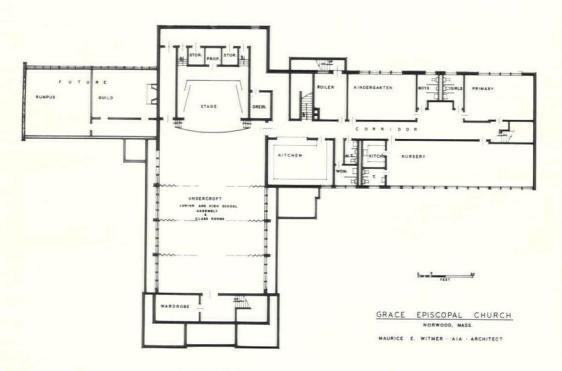
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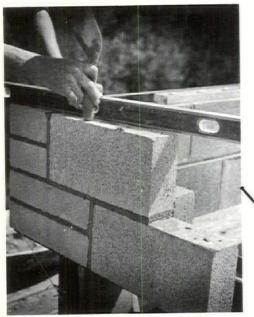
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