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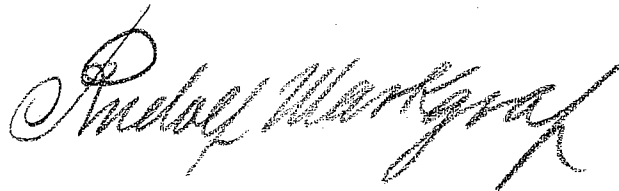
Mr. Glen. Brown,

Octagon, Washington D.C.

Dear Sir :-

Enclosed please find a short biography of the two members of the Kansas City Chapter A.I.A. who have recently died.

Yours Truly.



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FRANK MAYNARD HOWE.

Born - July 20 th. - 1849 in Arlington Mass.

Died - January 4th. -1909 at 1707 Jefferson St. Kansas City, Mo. 7;50pm.

Studied Architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of technology.

Entered office of Ware & VanBrunt 1868 ; entered into partnership with Henry Van Brunt in 1878 . Opened an office in Kansas City, Mo. in 1885.

After the Death of Henry Van Brunt in the Year 1903 Mr. Howe admitted two partners : Henry F. Hoit and Wm. H. Cutler - under the name of Howe -Hoit and Cutler ; Cutler died Jan. 7th., 1907 and firm name was changed to Howe and Hoit.

He is survived by a widow and two daughters. He was a fellow of the American Institute of Architect and one of the oldest members of Kansas City Chapter A.I.A.

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BERTRAM AUGUST VON UNWERTH.

Born Oct. 23rd., 1838 at Neisze , Schlesia, Germany.

Attended Gymnasia at Glogau and Soran - Studied at and graduated from the University of Berlin.

Studied and graduated in Architecture and Engineering from the Academy of Building of the City of Berlin .

Served as first Lieutenant in the German Army during war campaigns in 1859-1864- 1866.

He married in 1869 and is survived by a widow , two sons and four daughters., He came to the United States in 1870.

Practiced the profession of Architecture in New York , Chicago and located in Kansas City , Mo. in 1877 where he remained active until his death , June 28th.- 1908.

He was one of the oldest members of the Kansas City Chapter A.I.A.

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