



A Practical Treatise on Segmental and Elliptical Oblique or Skew Arches: Setting Forth the Principles and Details of Construction in Clear and Simple Terms (Classic Reprint) (Paperback)

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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 A Practical Treatise on Segmental and Elliptical Oblique or Skew Arches: Setting Forth the Principles and Details of Construction in Clear and Simple Terms This Essay has been written at the urgent request of a few of the writer s personal friends, with a view to simplify the Oblique Bridge Problem. The request was chiefly made on account of a recent strongly expressed opinion as to the difficulty of constructing oblique arches, and also on account of the numerous accidents (some fatal) occurring on several of the County Bridges in consequence of so many of them being situated at the foot of steep hills, and built at right angles to the stream, irrespective of the line of roadway leading on to and off these bridges. The writer takes this opportunity of stating that he is under a deep obligation to the late Mr. Peter Nicholson, of Carlisle, for the first light he received in this practical stone-squaring art. His work on the Oblique Arch is perhaps for the student the most exhaustive to this day....



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