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### Application for Membership

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	September 7th	1934
To the Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.		
I hereby apply for Membership in The American Institute of Arments are correct:		
2101 Architects' Building, Philadel	phia. Pennsylvania.	
Place and date of birth Camden, New Jersey. [City.	December 26th, 1888.	
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### TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Mr. John Graham, Jr. entered the Department of Architecture of the University of Pennsylvania in September of 1907 and graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Science in Architecture on June 21, 1911.

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January 5, 1935.

Dear Mr. Graham:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective December 30, 1934.

You have been assigned to the Philadelphia Chapter as an Institute Member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

Your payment of one year's dues in advance will be applied to your dues for 1935, and a Membership Card for that year will be sent to you in due course.

An engrossed Certiflicate of Membership in The American Institute of Architects will be sent to you as soon as it is completed.

May I take this opportunity to say that the Office of the Secretary at The Octagon is for the service of every Institute Member. Should the occasion arise we shall be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

ECK\*B

Mr. John Graham, Jr., 2101 Architects' Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

July 7th, 1934

Dear Mr. Kemper.

Sorry I missed you. Talked to Mr. white regarding my trip to Scandinavian countries this summer. Sailing in a couple of weeks.

Officially I am going to study Housing in Sweden, Denmark and Finland, with possibly only a fleeting glance at Norway.

I would like to have letters or credentials which would more easily allow me to poke my nose in interesting places. I would appreciate anything that you could make possible for me.

I will be booked through England enroute and can stop at London. Thanks so much. My address is Architects Bldg. Phila.

Sincerely,

(s) John Graham, Jr.

Known places to visit:

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**PHILADELPHIA** 

July 10th, 1 9 3

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper,

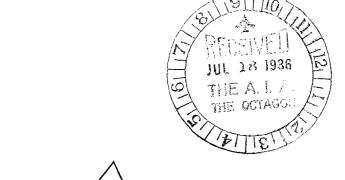
As my dues have been slightly in arrears, it almost seems proper to meet them before making a request of the Institute. Therefore, to remove any seeming embarrassment in the situation, I am enclosing my cheque for \$20.00. I trust that now my standing is entirely above either suspicion or reproach!

Sorry to have missed you the other I suppose Mr. White and my letter gave you day. the nature of my desires. I certainly would appreciate plentiful cooperation in the matter.

With kindest regards.

Very truly yours,

JGJr./MF Enclosure



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July 17, 1936.

Mr. John Graham, Jr., 2101 Architects Building, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Mr. Graham:

I am glad to Yearn from Mr. Kemper that you are planning a trip to the Scandanavian countries and expect to sail on or about the 21st of this month.

Herewith are enclosed three letters of introduction which we hope will be useful to you during your sojourn abroad.

With best wishes for a pleasant

and profitable trip,

Sincerely yours,

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Secretary.

cc-Mr. E. C. Kemper.

July 14, 1936.

### To Thom It May Concern:

This letter of introduction will be presented to you by Mr. John Graham, Jr., a prominent Architect of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Graham is a Member of The Institute and its Philadelphia Chapter.

He is visiting Earlous European countries to study their modern developments in Architecture and large scale housing projects.

Any courtesies that may be extended to Mr. Graham will be appreciated by The American Institute of Architects and by the undersigned.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

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Very sincerely yours.

Secretary.

Sir Ian MacAlister, Secretary, The Royal Institute of British Architects, 66 Portland Place, London, W. 1, England.



# JOHN GRAHAM, JR. ARCHITECT, A. I. A. ARCHITECTS BLDG., 17th & SANSOM STS. PHILADELPHIA, PA.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

December 27, 1939.

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary, The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

I hereby wish to tender my resignation from membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective December 31, 1939.

Very truly yours,

John Graham, Jr.

JG: Jr:M

January 2, 1940

Dear Mr. Grahem:

It is with such regret that we have received your letter of December 27, 1939, tendering your resignation as a member of The Institute and the Philadelphia Chapter.

The Institute records disclose that you are not indebted for Institute dues, but before final acceptance of your resignation, the approval of the Philadelphia Chapter must be secured also. We are today writing to the Secretary of the Chapter, accordingly.

Upon receipt of favorable recommendation of the Chapter, The Secretary will be able to take further action on your resignation.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. John Graham, Jr., A.I.A. Architects Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

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Architects' Building, January 3rd, 1940.

Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary, The American Institute of Architects, The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper,

With regard to your letter concerning John Graham, Jr., I wish to advise you that he is a member in good standing of the Philadelphia Chapter, his dues being paid to and including December 31st, 1939.

Very truly yours,

Richard W. Mecaskey, Socretary.

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### THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C. Office of The Secretary

#### NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OF MEMBERSHIP

Mr. John Grahem, Jr. To Architecta billible. Philadelphia, Popusylvania

Your resignation from The Institute, dated effective both in The Institute and in your chapter, as of 19 , the date it was received by The Secretary.

The Board regrets your decision to withdraw from The Institute, and hopes that you will return to it soon.

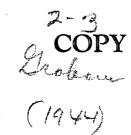
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Plasse return the certificate of membership and any other certificates which may here been issued to you by The Institute, for cancellation as required in the By-laws.

#### THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.





October 23, 1944

Dear John,

I checked up with Mr. Kemper's office; you resigned December 31, 1939 in good standing with both A.I.A. and the Philadelphis Chapter. Hence, you will only need to do the following:-

Write to the Secretary, Mr. Robinson, (see letterhead) at this address saying that you would like to be reinstated, that you have returned to private practice at Falls Church, and would like to be assigned to the Washington, D. C. Chapter. Accompany your letter with a check for \$25.00. (\$5.00 readmission, \$20.00 dues.) The mills of the Gods will then grind:

I am very glad to know that you want to return to the fold - - more power to you.

Very sincerely yours,

Washington Representative, A.I.A.

Mr. John Graham, Jr. 216 Little Falls Falls Church, Virginia

CC to Mr. Kemper

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JOHN GRAHAM, JR., REGISTERED ARCHITECT 216 LITTLE FALLS STREET FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA

Resigned 12-31-39 - owed no dues

November 19th, 1945

American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Ave., N.W., Washington 6

Attention - Mr. Edward C. Kemper

Dear Mr. Kemper,

Confirming my conversation by telephone, relating to the matter of rejoining the Institute, I hereby wish to make application for membership in the Virginia Chapter, with the privilege of attending the gatherings of the District of Columbia Chapter, which I understand is possible by payment of a small fee.

I am at present practising in Virginia and have taken out Registration in this state.

Please advise me what payments are necessary and I will send in the amount by check.

Sincerely yours,

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

3849

Winter

November 21, 1945

#### Dear Mr. Graham:

We are gratified to have your letter of November 19th requesting readmission to membership in The Institute and assignment to the Virginia Chapter.

To complete the application we should have your check in the amount of \$25.00 - \$5.00 for the readmission fee and \$20.00 for one year's Institute dues in advance. As both of these fees will be increased by \$5.00 in 1946, it is hoped that you can send your check in 1945 to take advantage of the current rates.

Should your readmission receive favorable action, you could apply to the Washington, D. C. Chapter for unassigned membership therein, which would give you the privilege of attending meetings and participating in the activities of that Chapter.

Flease be assured that we shall do everything possible to expedite the consideration of your application.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

Mr. John Graham, Jr. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

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Dated November 19, 19 45. Received November 20, 19 45. Granted February 12, 19 46.

MEMBERSHIP NO 3849



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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

### RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

A	Name of applicant. John Graham, Jr Chapter Virginia.	
В	Address of applicant 216 Little Falls Street, Falls Church, Virginia	•••••
C	Applicant proposed by	
D	Application received with check for \$. 25.00	21,1946.
E	Application returned for correction (Ck.for \$25 required)	<i>19</i> .
F	Application in due order on	<i>19</i> .
	Record of registration, Form 839, Sent (N.S.). Nov. 23. 1945. Received. Nov. 26,	1945.
G	Notices sent to chapter executive committee:	•
	(a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on January 4, 1946, on December A	4, 19 45.
	(b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on	19 .
H	Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on December	, 19 45.
I	Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission  **The commendation of chapter executive committee recommending admission  **The committee recommending admission	19 46.
J	No report from chapter executive committee on	<i>19</i> .
K	Application sent to The Board of Examiners on February 5	, 1946.
L	The Board of Examiners reported on application on	, 1946.
M	Applicant was admitted on	2 <b>,19</b> 46.
N	Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on	2 <b>,19</b> 46.
0	Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$returned to applicant on	19 .



### CERTIFICATION OF ELECTION AND ASSIGNMENT

I, Secretary of The American Institute of Architects, hereby certify that, under authority vested in me by The Board of Directors, I have this day duly elected

John Graham, Jr.

to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Virginia Chapter.

Date February 12, 1946.

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VIRGINIA CHAPTER, AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

December 11, 1945

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Mr. Edward C. Kemper, Executive Secretary American Institute of Architects 1741 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Notice of application for readmission to membership of Mr. John Graham, Jr. of Falls Church, Va. has been received by this office, but in order that our Executive Board may pass upon this man with intelligence, it is necessary that we have a duplicate of his original application and a memorandum as to why his former membership was terminated, etc.

If you will kindly forward this information, I shall circularize our Board with it.

With kindest respects and best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Pearson,

Secretary

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HARLES A. PEARSON, JR., A.I.A., ARCHITECT

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS - RADFORD, VIRGINIA

VIRGINIA CHAPTER, AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

January 3, 1946

Mr. Alexander C. Robinson, III Secretary American Institute of Architects 1741 New York Avenue, N.W. Washington 6, D. C.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

The application for membership in the Institute of Mr. John Graham, Jr., whose address is Falls Church, Virginia, has been circularized among the Executive Board of the Virginia Chapter and has been approved.

It is with a great deal of pleasure, therefore, that on behalf of the Virginia Chapter I endorse Mr. Graham for election to membership.

With kindest best wishes for a pleasant holiday season just past,

Sincerely yours,

Charles A. Pearson,/J

Secretary

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#### THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C. Office of The Secretary

### RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

John Graham, Jr., Falls hurch, Va. (Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,

BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS, Lynchburg, Va.

Address

Dear Sir:

The above named applicant for membership in The American Institute of Architects is an architect practicing in your state.

To qualify for such membership, an applicant, if resident in a state having registration or licensing laws for architects, must be registered or licensed by the state to practice architecture therein.

Will you please answer the following questions relating to the applicant's registration, to assist The Institute in determining his eligibility for membership? A duplicate of the form is enclosed for your

Date November 23, 19 45

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1.	Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state?  Was his registration or licensing by examination?  The property of the proper
2.	Was his registration or licensing by examination?
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4.	What was the period of the examination?days. Written examinationhours; Oral examina-
	tionhours,
5.	When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards?
	If so, give Certificate No
6.	Date of last registration 19 Registration No. 527 Is it current?
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(Signature of Secretary of Board)
Virginia State Board for the Exam. and Cert. of Pro. Engs., Architects, and Land Surveyors

(Name of Board)

February 12, 1946

Doar Mr. Graham:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for readmission to membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were readmitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the Virginia Chapter, effective February 12, 1946. You will be a member of that Chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer therato, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

The Board of Directors welcomes you again to membership and The Secretary's office is at your service to the extent of its powers.

The policies and the activities of The Institute are developed largely from problems arising within the chapters. By taking an active part in your chapter affairs you will contribute to the advancement of the objects of The Institute and will increase the benefits to be derived from Institute membership.

We bespeak your active cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

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Mr. John Graham, Jr., A.I.A. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

# THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.



November 21, 1946

Dear Mr. Grahami

In accordance with your telephone request of today, we shall be glad to arrange for the transfer of your chapter assignment from the Virginia Chapter to the Washington, D. C. Chapter.

As soon as arrangements have been completed you will receive formal notice of the transfer.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. John Grahen, Jr., A.I.A. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Caurch, Virginia

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November 21, 1946

Deer Mr. Huff:

Mr. John Graham, Jr., of 216 Editile Falls Street, Falls Church, Virginia, a comporate member assigned to the Virginia Chapter, has requested that his chapter assignment be transferred to the Washington, E. C. Chapter.

As Falls Church is in Fairfax County, which recently has been placed under the jurisdiction of the Washington, D. C. Chapter, his request is in order.

We shall appreciate it if you will advise if Mr. Graham is in good standing in the Virginia Chapter in order that his transfer may be arranged.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Mr. Charles W. Huff, Jr., Secretary Virginia Chapter, A.I.A. 103-A East Cary Street Richmond, Virginia

K/g

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

November 25, 1946

Poar Mr. Grahams

Since writing on November 21st, we have been advised by the Secretary of the Virginia Chapter that you are in good standing in the Chapter.

You have, therefore, been formally transferred from the Virginia Chapter to the Washington, D. C. Chapter as an Institute member in good standing, effective December 1, 1946.

Both chapters have been advised.

The Secretary of the Washington, D. C. Chapter is Mr. Harry Barrett, 1309 - 14th Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

alexander C. Roberton III.

Secretary

Mr. John Graham, Jr., A.I.A. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

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September 13, 1956

Mr. John Graham, Jr., A.I.A. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

Dear Jack:

Herewith a first draft of a memorandum statement on "The Capitol and The A.I.A."

As I said over the telephone this is subject to revision and to further checking. We would like to have your comments.

Yours sincerely,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A. Executive Director

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Enclosure

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July 5, 1957

Mrs. John Graham, Jr. 216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

Dear Mrs. Graham:

At its recent meeting, The Board of Directors of The Institute directed that I write to extend to you the sincere sympathy of The Board in the death of your husband. All of us knew and admired him and we are well aware of his splendid contributions to the welfare and advancement of The American Institute of Architects and the profession.

The Institute has lost a valuable member but we are all cognizant of the great loss to you and your family.

Please accept the sincere sympathy of The Board of Directors, and if there is ever maything we can do for you, we shall be only too glad to hear from you.

Cordially yours.

Edward L. Wilson, F.A.I.A. Secretary

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216 Little Falls Street Falls Church, Virginia

My dear Mr. Wilson,

It was extremely kind of you to write me to express The Board's sympathy in the sudden death of my husband, and I want to thank you for your letter.

Jack's feeling of pride in his profession and the position he felt it should occupy in the community was immense and led him to give a great deal of time to civic work channelled through The Institute, as you know.

He had built up a valuable architectural library and had expressed to me a desire that some of the books from it should eventually go to The Institute's own Library. This wish I will effect and expect in the near future to contact your Librarian to discuss the matter.

Very sincerely,

/s/ Elizabeth McG. Graham

August 5, 1957

### 216 LITTLE FALLS STREET FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA

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John Graham Dies at 68: Falls Church Architect

John Graham, jr., Falls Church architect who helped area schools, died yesterday in Arlington Hospital after a short

Mr. Graham, who was 68, was a member of the National Capital Regional Planning Commission, vice chairman of the Northern Virginia Regional Planning Council and co-chairman of the American Institute of Architects'

Committee on the National Cap- United States Housing Authority,

Active in civic affairs in Falls Church, he was a member of the projects here and in Baltimore committee which selected the and Wilmington, Del. site for the Northern Virginia

With his partner, James M. McHugh, Mr. Graham designed here in 1945. the Mount Daniel Elementary School in Falls Church and the Church Rotary Club.

Oak Ridge Elementary School in Mr. Graham mad Falls Church.

adelphia and was graduated in author of "Housing in Scandi-1911 from the University of navia," published in 1940.

Pennsylvania School of ArchiMr. Graham is survived by tecture. After a tour of duty his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Mcduring World War I as a Captain Gilvary Graham, and a daughter, in the Army Engineers, he was in Milla Graham, both,of the home private practice in Philadelphia, address, 216 Little street/ Falls and schools.

He came to Washington in A memorial service 938 to join the staff of the held in Philadelphia.

where he served as a project planner for new public housing

During World War II, Mr. Detention Home in Annandale in Graham was technical advisor in Defense and War Housing. He resigned from the Government and resumed private practice

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specializing in homes, apartments Church, and a brother David L. Graham of Mexico City.

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### John Graham, Architect of Falls Church

John Graham Jr., 68, Falls Church architect who helped design area schools and to select a site for a Northern Virginia detention home, died Tuesday in Arlington Hospital after a short illness.

In 1955 the Northern Virginia Regional Juvenile Detention Home Committee selected a 6-acre Annandale tract, one of several Mr. Graham, consultant to the group, had submitted. The home has not yet been built.

He was associate architect of Mt. Daniel Elemer tary School in Falls Church and Oak Ridge Elementary School

in Arlington.

At the time of his death, Mr. Graham was co-chairman of the American Institute of Architects Committee on the National Capital. He was on the National Capital Regional and the Northern Virginia Regional Planning Commissions and was formerly director of the Washington Metropolitan Chapter of the AIA.

Born in Canden, N. J., he was educated at Norfolk (Va.) Academy and Chestnut Hill Academy in Philadelphia. He was graduated from the Uniersity of Pennsylvania School of Architecture in 1911.

In World War I Mr. Graham was a captain in the Army Engineer Corps. As a private architect in Philadelphia he designed colonial homes, in the suburbs.

He was technical adviser on housing for the State of Pennsylvania with headquarters in Harrisburg before coming to the U. S. Housing Authority here in 1938.

Mr. Graham was planner for new public housing projects in Washington, Baltimore, and Wilmington, Del., and technical adviser of defense and war housing until he resigned in 1945.

He then started a private practice in Falls Church and was associated with James M. McHugh of Arlington. Mr. Graham wrote a book, "Housing in Scandinavia," published in 1940. He was a director of the Falls Church Rotary Club and served on the Falls Church Planning Commission. Planning Commission.

Surviving are be wife, Elizabeth McGivary Graham, and a daughter, Milla Dupuy Graham, of the home address, 216 Little Falls st., Falls Church; and a brother, David L. of Mexico City

Graham, John.

## John Graham, Architect, Dies Tuesday

FALLS CHURCH — John Graham, Jr., architect who helped design area schools died yesterday in Arlington Hospital following a short illness.

Mr. Graham, 69, was associate architect of Mt. Daniel Elementary School in Falls Church and Oakridge Elementary School in Arlington. He acted as consultant to the Northern Virginia Regional Juve in 1955. The home has not yet been built.

A RESIDENT of 216 Little Falls St., Mr. Graham was cochairman of the American Institute of Architects committee on the National Capital at the time of his death. Formerly director of the Washington Metropolitan Chapter of the AIA, he served on the National Capital Regional and Northern Virginia Regional Planning Commissions.

Until he resigned in 1945 to go into private practice in Falls Church with James M. McHugh of Arlington, Mr. Graham served as technical adviser of defense and war housing. Before that he was planner for new public housing projects in Washington, Baltimore, Md., and Wilmington, Del.

HE IS THE author of "Housing in Scandinavia," which was published in 1940. He was a director of the Falls Church Rotary Club and served on the Falls Church Planning Commission.

A native of Camden, N. J., he was a captain in the Army Engineer Corps during World War I. He was educated at Norfolk Academy in Norfolk, Va., and Chestnut Hill Academy in Philadelphia. He graduated from the University of Pennsylvania School of Architecture in 1941.

Mr. Graham is survived by his wife, Elizabeth McGilvary Graham and a daughter, Milla Dupuy Graham of the home address; and a brother, David L. Graham of Mexico City.

Services will be private. A memorial service at the Old Swedes Church will be held in Philadelphia.