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## THE INDIANA CHAPTER

OF THE

### AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

WARREN D. MILLER, Secretary-Treasurer 619 Ohio Street TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

October 2, 1930.

American Institute of Architects,

Washington, D. C.

Attention Mr. E. C. Kemper:

Gentlemen: -

Enclosed find application blank for Alfred Grindle, Architect, at Bloomington, Indiana, and he has enclosed his check for \$50.00. Twenty-five dollars for application fee which will become initiation fee and twenty-five dollars for the year's dues. President Bohn requests to have you act on this application as quickly as possible.

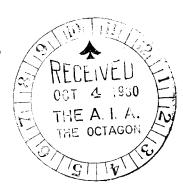
If Mr. Grindle is elected kindly assign him to the Indiana Chapter of the American Institute of Architects.

Respectfully yours,

Warren D. Miller

Secretary - Treasurer

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# Application for Membership

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Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date.	Insert date of election to chapter.]	(2)[Signature of the Secretary of	ae chapter.]
If the applicant is not an Associat	e, the following acknowled		•
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Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3) Forwarded by Secretary. See letter of Warren D. Miller, attached. [Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected.]

We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Architects, have carefully examined the foregoing statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the applicant personally, and consider that his work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.

Registration or License Number.

(Essential if Registered)

It is not mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. But the current number of Registration or License must appear here if the applicant is registered or licensed.

(7) 2144 State of Indiana.

Hopsil [The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the applicant proposed and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.

October 9, 1930

Dear Mr. Grindle:

Permit me to acknowledge with gratification, and on behalf of the Secretary, your application for membership in The American Institute of Architects, together with check for the Initiation Fee and first year's Annual Dues in advance, received by reference from the Secretary of the Indiana Chapter.

Your application appears to be complete in every respect, except for the submission of the customary, routine exhibits. These should consist of working drawings and photographs of two executed buildings. They need not be specially prepared, but may be taken from the office files and are carefully returned, later.

It is anticipated that a meeting of the Board of Examiners will be held the latter part of this month, to consider applications for submission to the Board of Directors for final action at its November meeting. It is urged that you give the matter of these exhibits your attention as soon as possible, so that action may be taken at the October and November meetings of the Boards.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Alfred Grindle, 1095 West 5th Street, Bloomington, Indiana.

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Copy to Mr. Frederick W. Garber, Director, Great Lakes District, A.I.iA.

October 9, 1930

Dear Mr. Miller:

Permit me to acknowledge with gratification and on behalf of the Secretary, your letter of October 2nd, forwarding the application for membership in the Institute on behalf of Alfred Grindle.

With your letter you forwarded the check of Mr. Grindle in the amount of \$50.00 for his Initiation Fee and first year's Armual Dues in advance. We are returning this check to you, with the request that you endorse it to the Institute, as it is made payable to the Indiana Chapter of the A.I.A.

We are writing to Mr. Grindle, today, in acknowledgment of his application, and advising him that in order to complete his case it will be necessary to send in exhibits of work executed by him.

If the exhibits are received in time for the October meeting of the Board of Examiners, we shall be glad to do all we can to secure final action on the application at the meeting of the Board of Directors to be held November 12-15; otherwise, there will probably be a delay until the Spring meetings of the Board or Executive Committee.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Warren D. Miller, Secretary, Indiana Chapter, A. I. A., 619 Ohio Street, Terre Haute, Ind.

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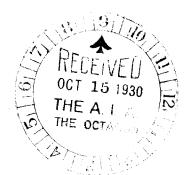
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AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

WARREN D. MILLER, Secretary-Treasurer 619 Ohio Street

TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA

October 13, 1930.



Mr. E. C. Kemper, Executive Secretary A. I. A., The Octagon, 1741 New York Ave., Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

We have the pleasure to inform you that Mr. Alfred Grindle has received unanimous endorsement of the Indiana Chapter for membership in the American Institute of Architects.

Respectfully yours,

Warren D. Miller Secretary - Treasurer

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Registered Architect
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# Alfred Grindle Architect

Bloomington, Indiana

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Edward C. Kemper, Esq.

Executive Secretary, American Institute of Architects Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

Absence from the city has delayed my reply to your letter of October 9.

It will give me great pleasure to join the membership of the American Institute.

I have forwarded per this date through the American Express two packages, one containing work and Drawings of executed buildings, and another package containing Album with photograph illustrations of Studies and executed work.

I hope you will find them interesting. Should you require further information, I will be glad to forward upon your notification. With my greeting, I am

Very cordially yours,

AG: WB

October 15, 1930

Dear Mr. Grindle:

Since our letter of October 9th, to you, in acknowledgment of your application for membership in The American Institute of Architects, we have received further word from the Secretary of the Indiana Chapter advising that the Chapter has given its unanimous endorsement to your application for membership.

This endorsement has the effect of exempting you from the submission of exhibits of work executed by you, as requested in our letter of the 9th. You may, therefore, overlook that portion of our previous letter.

Your application is now complete in every respect, and it is hoped that we may secure final approval at the November meetings of the Board of Directors.

You will be advised promptly of the action taken.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Alfred Grindle, 1092 West 5th Street, Bloomington, Indiana.

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# Alfred Grindle Architect Bloomington, Indiana

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Edward C. Kemper, Esq.

Executive Secretary, Am. Institute of Architects
Dear Mr. Kemper:

Thanks for your letter of 15th inst.

Re: Matter of my membership in the Institute. I was pleased to hear that I had received the unanimous endorsement of the Indiana chapter. Not knowing this, of course, I forwarded to you under 17th inst. several sets of working drawings, also photographs of buildings executed, and will be pleased to receive them here at your convenience.

It will give me much pleasure to hear the result of your Board of Directors' meeting, and with my greeting, I am

Very sincerely yours.

AG: WB

October 22, 1930

Dear Mr. Grindle:

We have your two letters with regard to the working drawings and photographs which you have sent, as exhibits of the work executed by you, and regret that you have been put to so much trouble unnecessarily.

We notified you of the unanimous endorsement, as soon as we learned of it here, and hoped that the letter would reach you in time to forestall the mailing of the exhibits.

Now that they are here, we will keep them until after the meeting of the Board of Examiners, in case they should wish to examine them, and they will then be returned to you.

Yours sincerely,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Alfred Grindle, Bloomington, Indiana.

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Necember 8th, 1930

Dear Mr. Grindle:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective November 30th, 1930.

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

A Membership Card for the balance of 1930 is enclosed herewith. Your eard for 1931 will be forwarded shortly after January 1st, 1931.

An engrossed Certificate of Membership in the American Institute of Architects will be sent to you in due course.

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.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Alfred Grindle, 1092 West 5th Street, Bloomington, Ind.

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# Alfred Grindle Architect Bloomington, Indiana

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December 16: 1930.

E.C.KemperEsq. Executive Secretary The American Institute of Architects Washington.D.C.

Dear Mr. Kemper;-

I was very pleased to receive you notification of my election yo membership in the American Institute of Architects.

I note that I am assigned to the Indiana Chapter -- I have already received notice to that effect from Mr. Miller, secretary of this Chapter.

I will be pleased to receive the several sets of Drawings-also Album of my Works at your convenience.

With my greeting and Good wishes for a Pleasant Christmas and a Happy New Year

I am very Faithfully yours

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# American Institute of Architects

Inter-Office Communication

Subject

From

To

Date

December 12, 1932.

NOTICE TO OCTAGON STAFF: - Change of Address -

Mr. Alfred Grindle,

Trevlac, (Brown County),

Indiana.

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Extract from letter of Herbert Foltz, Secretary, Indiana Chapter

I am enclosing a personal letter from Alfred Grindle, believing the story of his failure to meet A.I.A. obligations during the recent lean years is better told in his own words than I could dictate it.

It occurs to me that Mr. Grindle, because of his age and past service, may be eligible for transfer to the retired class which is exempt from the payment of dues.

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

ALFRED GRINDLE, A.I.A. Architect

Trevlac (Brown County) Indiana

January 26, 1936

Mr. Herbert Foltz, A.I.A. Indianapolis, Ind.

Dear Mr. Foltz:

I write under difficulties so please excuse slovenliness etc. of note.

During bisit to my son in Indianapolis Thanksgiving I collapsed had to be brought home and from that time to date have been on the disabled list. A severe attack of sciatic rheumatism coupled with -- ----(?) pneumonia floored me and I have not been able to leave my room to date - however, I seem to have won ant and am now convalescing and gaining strength.

In 1932 high blood pressure got me. I was ordered to leave my office and come here and rest. The depression was on - losing money every day I came home - had my traps and office moved here. I expect this to be my headquarters so long as I remain on this earthly sphere.

During the last 3 years my total professional income has not exceeded one thousand dollars and I have had to depend upon my son who has fortunately for me been able to help his mother and myself, notwithstanding he himself has had a hard fight. He pays my life insurance, taxes and much of our support and I hardly know how he has managed it. This being so -

l cannot allow him to sacrifice further by paying license and other fees, A.I.A. etc. It would be too much to ask.

Much as I wish otherwise I must let my A.I.A. membership go with great regret as I see no prospect of improvement for my circumstances at least for some time.

My health and my age (73) handicap me greatly, naturally, as I can no longer actively employ myself instruggling with professional speculation and uncertainties.

Iune last I was appointed a Fee Architect for the F.H.A. Up to this date nothing whatever has materialized from it even to one dollar's return. I do not seem to have been able to obtain the benefit of a Burraucratic Swivel Chair appointment and I am evidently one of your "forgotten men".

All this does not prevent my continued interest in all that goes for the good of the cause. I am deeply interested in the success and welfare of the architect - particularly of the younger members of the profession for whom I visualize glorious opportunities. They must not be discouraged difficulties must be met and conquered in which case they will have a great

chance of success in a coming period of greater prosperity this country has ever known. I congratulate you on having a good son to carry on the work you commenced and have followed so faithfully - please give him my very good wishes for health, happiness and success.

Writing is hard for me just now - as my strength returns I hope of course to pick up an architectural crumb now and then. Do not consider me out of business.

As I am not able to write this explanation to Washington, kindly send my excuses and regrets or sned this letter to Secretary if you can read it.

With best regards, believe me

Very sincerely yours,

(S) ALFRED GRINDLE

Alfred Grindle, A.I.A. Please note afair American institute address - no Blooming Telephone: Architect Trevlac, (Brown County) address since 1932. CALL MORGANTOWN EXCHANGE Jany 26:1936. Mr. Herbert Folly AIA Indian apollo, Ind. Dear mi folts: I write under difficultées 30 plans Excuse slovenlind di. tude During oured to my Son in Luchen apole Thanksgiving I collapsed had to be brought home and from that line to date have been on the disabled list " a sever allaste of Scialic Plenmalisme compled with a fight with pheumoria Hoored me & Shave not be able toleave my norm to date - however I seem to leve won out & are now consalescing + Janing through. In 1932 - High blood pressure got me - Iwas ordered to leave my Office 4 come here and rest. He Depression was on . Losing money every day I came home had my haps + Office moved here: I expect thus to be my head quarter so long as Iremains on this Sarthy During He Last 3 years my total professional meens has not exceeded one thousand dollars of lave had to depend upon my Son who has fortunately for me been able to help his mother suy Self motorthestanding he homself has had a hard fight is be pays my Infe Lisurania, Tores of much of our Support of Sharly know how he has managed it -: This beneg 50 -I cannot allow him to sacrifice Further by paying Ireman + other Jees AIA ele = I would be loo much to ask. much as I would otherwise I must let my AIA membership so with great regret as I see no prospect of improvement for my arcumstances : at less for softime. my health truy ags (73) handred me freatly naturally - as Iron no longer actively employ my self in shoughing with professional Speculation V uncertainties. Time last Iwas appointed a fee Coscholad on the FHA, up lother date nothing whatever has maternalized from it even to Om dollars peture.

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Extract from letter

The Indiana Chapter of the American Institute of Architects

Feb. 17, 1936.

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"I was authorized to recommend to the Board of Directors such action in Mr. Alfred Grindle's case as may be necessary to protect his membership in the Institute.

"Alfred Grindle is and has been an inspiration to the younger men in the profession and now that he has lost both his health and his practice, we believe any concessions that can reasonably be made to prevent termination of his membership are justifiable under the circumstances."

Herbert Foltz, Secretary-Treasurer.

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June 16, 1936

Dear Er. Grindle:

The Board of Directors of The Institute, at its recent meeting, remitted all Institute dues charged against you - to December 31, 1936, on condition that the Indiana Chapter take similar action with respect to any indebtedness that you may owe to the chapter for chapter dues to December 31, 1936.

We have written to the secretary of the chapter as per the enclosed copy of letter.

Upon hearing from him that you are not indebted to the chapter, or that the chapter has remitted all chapter dues to December 31, 1936, we can record the above action of The Institute Board as becoming effective, and will send your Institute membership card.

We suggest that you take this matter up with the secretary of the chapter in order that the record may be cleared without delay.

By direction of The Secretary.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Treasurer

K/O Enclosure

Mr. Alfred Grindle, A.I.A., Treviec, Brown County, Indiane.

July 22, 1936

Dear Mr. Grindle:

I am happy to beport to you, in confirmation of the Assistant Treasurer's letter of June 16th, that upon consideration of your application for remission of your past dues and of the circumstances you related. The Board remitted all your past due dues amounting to \$30.00 and also your dues for 1936, amounting to \$20.00, a total of \$50.00.

Because of this action you will neither have to worry about your back dues nor about those for 1936.

You will, under this action, be billed for dues for 1937, and The Board hopes that before that year closes you will be in a position to pay them without too much sacrifice. However, if your circumstances do not then permit you to pay in full, your name will not be drapped from the rolls until the end of 1938.

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Mr. Alfred Grindle, A.I.A., Trevlac, Brown County, Indiana.

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ALFRED GRINDLE, A.I.A. ARCHITECT

Trevlac, (Brown County)
Indiana

Member: American Institute of Architects Registered Architect, State of Indiana

August 26, 1936

Mr. Edwin Bergstrom, A.I.A. Treasurer A.I.A. Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Bergstrom:

My illness has prevented my replying to your letter of July 22: please forgive delay.

It is not easy for me to express my appreciation of the generosity of The Board and their consideration of my circumstances. Will you please present my thanks and appreciation for the extreme courtesy shown to me.

You may be assured that - if at all possible - my membership will be continued as long as I live - it would be bitterly disappointing to have to relinquish it.

I regret to say that my health does not permit me to be active and even writing is difficult - however, I am an optimist and continue to hope.

I must not expect too much - my age, 73 yrs, has its limitations.

With my greeting and regards

Believe me

Very Cordially yours,

(s) Alfred Grindle

# Alfred Grindle, A.I.A. Architect

Trevlac, (Brown County) Indiana



MEMBER .

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
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the Time appointed from the court searching on the the lie note that at the annual meeting of the chapter, held January 22, 1938, Alfred Grindle was exempted from the payment of all chapter dues, and that chapter dues of Wayne E. Bell were remitted until such time as Mr. Bell was able to resume the practice of architecture.

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According to The Institute records, Fayne Everett Bell was elected to corporate membership in The Institute on October 26, 1927 and now is indebted to The Institute for dues for the balance of 1937 and for 1938, a total of \$30.00. Alfred Grindle was elected a corporate member of The Institute November 30, 1930 and is now indebted to The Institute for dues for 1937 and 1938 in the amount of \$40.00 (Mr. Grindle's dues for 1934, 1935, and 1936 were remitted by action of The Board of Directors at their meeting in May, 1936).

We quote from The Institute By-Laws, Chapter I, Article 2. Section 6 - Exemption from Dues:

## "Section 6. Exemption from Dues.

- (a) Exemption by Retirement.
- (a-1) Qualifications for Retirement. A corporate member who has been a corporate member in good standing in The Institute for not less than fifteen successive years immediately preceding the date of his appli-

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> "cation for retirement and either has attained the age of seventy years or is incapacitated and unable to engage in any vocation may be exempted by The Board from the payment of annual dues to The Institute. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances in any individual case, The Board may lessen the requirement of the period of good standing but no other requirement.

"(a-2) Retirement Effective. A member's exemption by retirement from the payment of annual dues shall be effective in The Institute and in each of its component organizations.

As remission of dues can be accomplished only by action of The Board of Directors, we are putting the Indiana Chapter's recommendations with regard to Messrs. Bell and Grindle on the agenda for the next meeting of The Board which will be held in April.

As Mr. Grindle is past seventy years of age, and inasmuch as The Board may lessen the requirement of the period of good standing, prerequisite to his being made a Member Emeritus, we enclose herewith copies of A.I.A. Form S40, Application for Retirement, with the suggestion that you have Mr. Grindle fill out copies in duplicate and send them to The Secretary of The Institute at The Octagon.

We will then be in a position to put the entire matter forward for consideration.

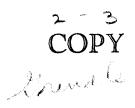
Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

PHW: DC Encs.

Mr. John R. Kelley, Secretary, Indiana Chapter, A.I.A., 1033 Architects Building, Indianapolis, Indiana.

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



June 20, 1938

Dear Mr. Kelley:

This will formally advise you of the action taken by The Board of Directors at its meeting in April, relative to the request of the Indiana Chapter that the indebtedness of Messrs. Wayne Everett Bell and Alfred Grindle for Institute dues be remitted.

The action taken by The Board was as follows:

Resolved. That dues in default of Wayne Everett Bell in the amount of \$30.00 be remitted.

Resolved, That The Board regrets that it cannot consistently comply with the request of the Indiana Chapter to remit the dues in default of Alfred Grindle, in the sum of \$40.00, accrued during the years 1937 and 1938.

We have advised Mr. Bell of the action taken, but will not write to Mr. Grindle in view of the circumstances.

By direction of The Secretary.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

K/g

Mr. John R. Kelley, Secretary, Indiana Chapter, A.I.A., 1034 Architects & Builders Bldg., Indianapolis, Indiana.

407. W. 46th St. Indianapolis ALFRED GRINDLE
THE BEEGES
TREVILAC, INDIANA Dec. 8/38 Mr. Chas. J. Ingham

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Dear Lie

My husband. Mr alfred Grindle, wishes me to write you he being unable to do so himself. he has been an invalid for the past-3 or 4 grs. his right-side is usiless the can not write. He is very sorry to drop his membership in the a.l.a. but he has not done any professional business for the past of Jab. Sickness, and no Uncome makes it impossible to Kup up the Dues. Jours Very Truly Frances & Grendle Alfred Grenidle Carren Commence 

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December 13, 1938.

My dear Mrs. Grindle:

We are indeed sorry to learn from your letter of December 8 that Mr. Grindle continues to be incapacitated, and that he feels he must drop his membership in The American Institute of Architects.

We greatly appreciate your keeping us advised concerning Mr. Grindle's condition, and sincerely hope that he will make a satisfactory recovery.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

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Mrs. Alfred Grindle, 407 West 46th Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.