

Dated October 4, 1944.
Received January 29, 1945.
Granted March 15, 1945.

MEMBERSHIP NO 3229



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant. George Clarence Johnson.....Chapter.. Philadelphia....
- B Address of applicant.. 158 West Penn. Street., Philadelphia (44), Pennsylvania...
- C Applicant proposed by.. Howell Lewis Shay.....and..... Sylvester L. Smith.....
- D Application received with check for \$ 10.00.....on..... January 29, 1945.
- E Application returned for correction..... 19 .
- F Application in due order on..... February 7 1945.
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (Pa.) Feb. 7, 1945. Received February 14, 1945.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on.....19...., on..... 19 .
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on.....19...., on..... 19 .
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on..... February 7 1945.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
~~on that application be denied~~ received on..... January 29 1945.
- J No report from chapter executive committee on..... 19 .
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on..... March 6, 1945.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on..... March 6, 1945.
- M Applicant was admitted on..... March 15, 1945.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter
to proposers on..... March 15, 1945.
- O 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

George Clarence Johnson

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

Date March 15, 1945.

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

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In due order
February 7, 1945
H. L. Shay



ORIGINAL

File this original with The Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.

File the duplicate, on gray paper, with the secretary of the local chapter of The Institute.

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
 1945 JAN 29 AM 10:06
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

The American Institute of Architects

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

I, the undersigned, do hereby apply for corporate membership in The American Institute of Architects.

1. My full name is **George Clarence Johnson** .
2. I am a **American** born citizen of **United States of America** .
3. My legal residence is in the City of **158 West Penn Street,** .
 County of **Philadelphia** State of **Pennsylvania** .
4. My address in The Institute records will be .
 Number **158** Street **West Penn Street**
 City **Philadelphia, 44,** State **Pennsylvania.** .
5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as **Registered Architect.**
6. I desire to be a member of the **A. I. A.** **Philadelphia** Chapter.
7. I declare that I have read the by-laws and the Principles of Professional Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws and Principles of Professional Practice.
8. I have filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named. I am not indebted to The Institute or to any of its chapters or state association members.
9. I enclose my check for \$ _____, for admission fee and the first year's annual dues. It is my understanding that if for any reason I am not admitted to membership all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which The Institute will retain as an examination fee.

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

4. State whether residence or office address.

5. State whether as a practicing architect, a teacher, a public official, etc.

Date **October 4th 1944 .**

George Clarence Johnson
 Applicant sign full name in ink

PAID
 DATE *8/10 = 1/30/45*

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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth **Sept. 20, 1881**. Place of birth **Philadelphia, Penna.**

11. I am registered or licensed to practice architecture in the following named states:

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

Pennsylvania

(a) I hold a Certificate No. **1719** of the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.

EDUCATION

12. I attended the following named schools (high school, private school, college or university); have held the following named scholarships; have travelled in the following named countries:

Friends Private School and Friends Central High School

Special Courses at Drexel Institute.

Travelled for Architecture in Great Britain, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Switzerland and Italy.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

13. I list below, in chronological order, the periods of my training as draftsman, the names and addresses of my principal employers, and my classification as draftsman while employed by each:

General Architectural training in the office of Horace Trumbauer, Philadelphia. And I was with him for over twenty five years, performing in all the phases of Architecture, Designing, working drawings, detailing, specification writing, superintending the construction of buildings and handling of the clients.

Was Ass't Architect with the State at Harrisburg in the General State Authority's 65 million dollar building program, 1937 to 1939 inc.

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

14. I list below, in chronological order, the periods during which and the states in which I have practiced architecture as an individual or as a member of a firm or corporation or as a public official or have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations or public office and of schools or colleges).

PRESENT OR PREVIOUS MEMBERSHIPS IN ARCHITECTURAL ORGANIZATIONS

- 15. Member of Institute from _____ to _____
- 16. Junior of Institute from _____ to _____
- 17. Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 18. Junior Associate of _____ Chapter from _____ to _____
- 19. Member of State Association in _____ from _____ to _____

ENDORSEMENT BY PROPOSERS

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have read the statements made herein above by the applicant and believe them to be correct. I vouch for his honorable standing in this community and in his profession. I believe he is fully qualified for membership and I propose him therefor.

I have known the applicant for _____ years. I have known the applicant for _____ years.

Signed Howell Lewis Shay
Howell Lewis Shay
Proposer

Signed Myrtle Smith
Myrtle Smith
Proposer

1701 Park Lane Bldg.
1701 Park Lane Bldg.
Phila., Pa

Myrtle L. Smith
Myrtle L. Smith
620 Park Lane Bldg.
Phila.

Note: The two proposers must be corporate members of The Institute in good standing.

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1945 FEB 14 PM 2:32
WASHINGTON, D. C.



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Office of The Secretary

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

George Clarence Johnson, Philadelphia (44), Pennsylvania
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania
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 files.

Date February 7, 19 45

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state?..... Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination?.....or by exemption?..... X
3. What was the scope of the examination?.....
4. What was the period of the examination?.....days. Written examination.....hours; Oral examination.....hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards?..... If so, give Certificate No.....
6. Date of ~~his~~ registration..... 8/15/39 19..... Registration No. EA 1719 Is it current?..... Yes
first

M. Edwin Green
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Feb. 13 19 45

Pennsylvania State Board of Examiners of Architects.
(Name of Board)

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GEORGE CLARENCE JOHNSON

Architect

158 WEST PENN STREET
PHILADELPHIA 44, PA.

February 10, 1962

The American Institute of Architects,
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.,
Washington 6, D.C.

I have just received a bill for the dues
for membership for the year 1962. Enclosing the blue bill
and a pink one.

Last year I reached the age of eighty years
and retired from the practice of architecture and thereby
received no income from that source. But felt I would like
to keep my membership in the A.I.A. So what do I do about
the bills sent?

I also have been a member of the Pennsylvania
Society of Architects of The American Institute of Architects.
Can one who is retired, drop out of the Penna. Society of
Architects and still be a member of the A.I.A.?

I will appreciate your setting the old man
straight on the above matters.

Very truly yours,

Geo. Clarence Johnson

Elected 3-15-45

Phila Chapter

1961 Dues Pd

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March 15, 1962

Mr. George Clarence Johnson, A.I.A.
158 West Penn Street
Philadelphia 44, Pa.

Dear Mr. Johnson:

From your letter of February 10th, it would seem that you are eligible for election as a Member Emeritus of The Institute.

A Member Emeritus retains all the rights and privileges of an active corporate member, while being exempted from the payment of any further dues to The Institute, the Chapter and the State organization.

Enclosed is a form requesting this status, and if you wish to do so, please fill in, sign and return it and we shall be pleased to see that it receives prompt attention.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Head, Membership Department

Enclosures

Copies to: (Philadelphia Chapter, A.I.A.
(Pennsylvania Society of Architects, A.I.A.
(Please advise if Mr. Johnson is in good standing
(in your Chapter and State Organization.) 875

F.H.G.

GEORGE CLARENCE JOHNSON

Architect

158 WEST PENN STREET

PHILADELPHIA 44, PA.

April 9, 1962

Miss Florence H. Servais,
Membership Department,
The American Institute of Architects,
1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington, 6, D.C.

Dear Miss Servais:

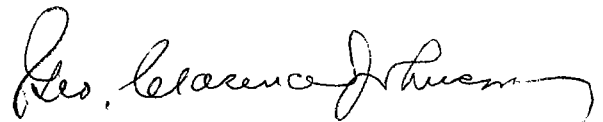
I have been out of the City for a few weeks and have just returned today, and find your letter of March 15th, among my mail. With application blanks for Membership Emeritus enclosed.

Three years ago I suffered a heart attack, while I have recovered sufficiently to engage in some work of the restoration type in our historical Germantown and its vicinity and which gives me a great amount of pleasure in the results which have been accomplished, but now feel it is now time to and have retired from the practice of the architectural profession and business.

I have filled in the application blanks and added a noted in the space below as suggested.

Very sincerely yours,

Enclosures.





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

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP EMERITUS

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

Strike out the inappropriate reason, a, b, or c, as the case may be.

I wish to apply for Membership Emeritus in The Institute for the following reasons:

- a. I am more than 70 years of age. *and am discontinuing the Practice of Architecture*
- b. ~~I am 65 years of age, retired, and not engaged in the practice of architecture.~~
- c. ~~I am unable to engage in any gainful vocation.~~

Write in name of chapter.

I have been in good standing in The Institute and the Philadelphia chapter for 15 successive years or more immediately preceding the date of this application.

Respectfully,

Date April 9th 1962,

Geo. Clarence Johnson
Signature

The applicant may supplement the above reasons in writing below or on sheets which he shall attach to this application. Under exceptional conditions and circumstances, The Board of Directors may lessen the period of good standing but not the requirements of a, b, or c.

Three years ago I had a severe heart attack, but recovered sufficiently to engage in some architectural work of the restoration type in our historical Germantown and its vicinity.

I have had a long architectural career and the time has come to cover up the "Board" so to speak, for good.

Geo. Clarence Johnson

APR 11 1962

Johnson, George Clarence

Bd. Sec



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

NOTICE OF ELECTION—MEMBER EMERITUS

TO **George Clarence Johnson, A.I.A.**
158 West Penn Street
Philadelphia 44, Pennsylvania

It is my privilege to advise you that The Board of Directors has conferred upon you
the title

MEMBER EMERITUS

of The American Institute of Architects and of its component organizations of which you are
a member, exempting you from the payment of annual dues to The Institute and such
organizations, effective **April 1, 1962**.

Date **May 1** 19 **62**.

Joseph...

Secretary

Phila Chapter

cc: Treasurer

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November 4, 1965

Mr. William B. Chapman, Exec.-Dir.
Philadelphia Chapter, AIA
2400 Architects Building
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19103

Re: Death of Mr. George C. Johnson
on October 5, 1965.

Dear Mr. Chapman:

We were very sorry to learn of the death of the member indicated above.

For The Institute's Baldwin Memorial Archive records, it would be appreciated if you would have the enclosed forms filled in. Two copies should be returned to The Institute and the third copy should be maintained in the Chapter's files.

Sincerely yours,

William H. Scheick, A.I.A.
Executive Director

Enclosures