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CITY OF Jenkintown
 STATE OF Pennsylvania
 DATE June 25, 1946

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ARCHITECTS' ROSTER AND/OR REGISTER OF ARCHITECTS QUALIFIED FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC WORKS

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JUN 26 1946
 EDMUND R. PURVES

1. (a) **FIRM** (individual or partnership) DOMINIQUE BERNINGER
G. Harold W. Haag Paul d' Entremont
- (b) **FORMER FIRM**, if any Berninger & Bower (1935-1945)
2. **BUSINESS ADDRESS** 304 York Road, Jenkintown, Pennsylvania
3. **YEAR ESTABLISHED** 1946

4. PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS

	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>DOMINIQUE BERNINGER</u>	

Furnish data complete, but keep to essentials. Describe each member of firm individually; if more than two, append extra sheets.

- (a) **Date of Birth** May 31, 1898
- (b) **Education** Highschool, Darmstadt, Germany
Preparatory School, Paris, France
College, Paris, France
Graduated:- Ecole Centrale des Arts et Manufactures, Paris, France.
- (c) **Experience Prior to Own Practice**
 (Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)
Zantzinger, Borie and Medery
Architects, Philadelphia, Penna.
1925 to 1932
- (d) **Commenced Practice** 1933
- (e) **Number of Years a Principal** Thirteen years.

(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

Pennsylvania, Number 1398 by examination, 1933
New Jersey, No. A-2-1046, 1937, lapsed.
N. C. A. R. B, No. 285, 1939
State of Maine, No. 63, 1945

(g) **Professional Societies and Offices Held**

Pennsylvania Society of Architects
American Institute of Architects
Philadelphia Chapter:- served as
Recorder and on Executive Committee.

(h) **Service in World Wars I and II.** (Append data if desired.)

Project Engineer, Army Ordnance and
Navy Special Devices Section, Atlantic
Elevator Company, Philadelphia 1942
to 1945.

(i) **Civic Activities**

Secretary, Lower Moreland Township Zoning
Board of Adjustment.
On Boards of Directors of:-
Cheltenham Township Art Centre
Jenkintown Rotary Club
Bryn Athyn Civic & Social Club and Bryn Athyn Church

5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Irving S. Towsley
Business Address 112 South 16th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Julian S. Simsohn
Business Address 933 North Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Julian S. Simsohn
Business Address 933 North Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Julian S. Simsohn
Business Address 933 North Broad St., Philadelphia, Pa.

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

6. OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:

(Append extra sheet if necessary) 1932 to 1935, President of the Architectural Research Group, Philadelphia, for the group study of Housing and Slum Clearance.

1939 - As a result of placement in Philadelphia Competition for Housing projects, slated to work on Germantown Housing Project with EDMUND R. PURVES - GEORGE S. IDELL GROUP. (This project did not go ahead).

7. SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930-1940	\$ 1,500,000.00	\$ 3,000,000.00	\$ 600,000.00
Work Completed 1941-1946	\$ 75,000.00	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 100,000.00 (2 years)
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	\$ 200,000.00	\$ 800,000.00	\$ 600,000.00

8. REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE ARCHITECT OR WERE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS:

(a) Three Projects Not Exceeding Cost of \$300,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Elementary School Residence	\$ 70,000	Bryn Athyn, Pa.	Academy of New Church
Dufur Hospital Addition	\$ 75,000	Philadelphia	George Deming
	\$ 35,000	Ambler	Dufur Hospital, Inc.

(b) Three Projects Costing From \$300,000 to \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Elementary School and Dormitories now planning	\$ 300,000.	Bryn Athyn, Pa.	Academy of the New Church

(c) Three Projects Costing Over \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
French Pavilion	\$ 1,500,000.	N.Y. Worlds Fair	French Govt.
Sheffield Scientific School	\$ 1,250,000.	New Haven, Conn.	Yale University
(As job Captain for Zantzinger, Borie and Medery, Architects)			

9. PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS:

The author submits herewith photographs or photostats (size 8" x 10") of several buildings for which he has been the Architect, as follows: (N.C.A.R.B. presentation acceptable.)

- 1.) French Pavilion, New York Worlds Fair.
- 2.) Valentine Flower Shop
- 3.) Rendering, Elementary School, Bryn Athyn
- 4.) Sigstedt Residence
- 5.) Elementary School, (Fire Re-build job), Bryn Athyn.

10. COLLABORATION WITH JUNIOR ARCHITECTS:

- (a) If an established individual or firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals which would permit junior architects to qualify and help further their professional careers?

YES

- (b) If in private practice at this time, name associates (if additional architects are to be added to your organization) for the purpose of qualifying:

None determined upon.

- (c) If not in private practice at this time, name established architect or firm with whom you have agreed to collaborate, for the purpose of qualifying:

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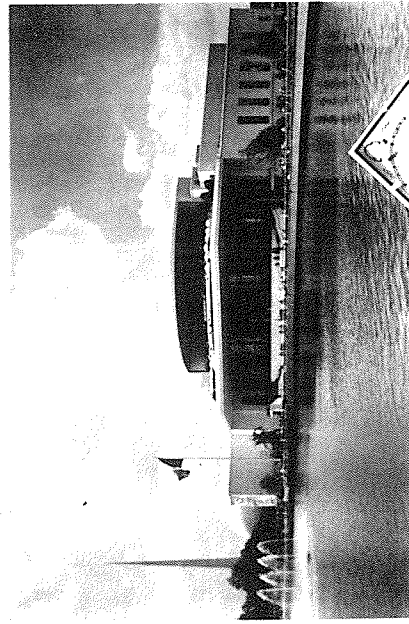
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DOMINIQUE BERNINGER

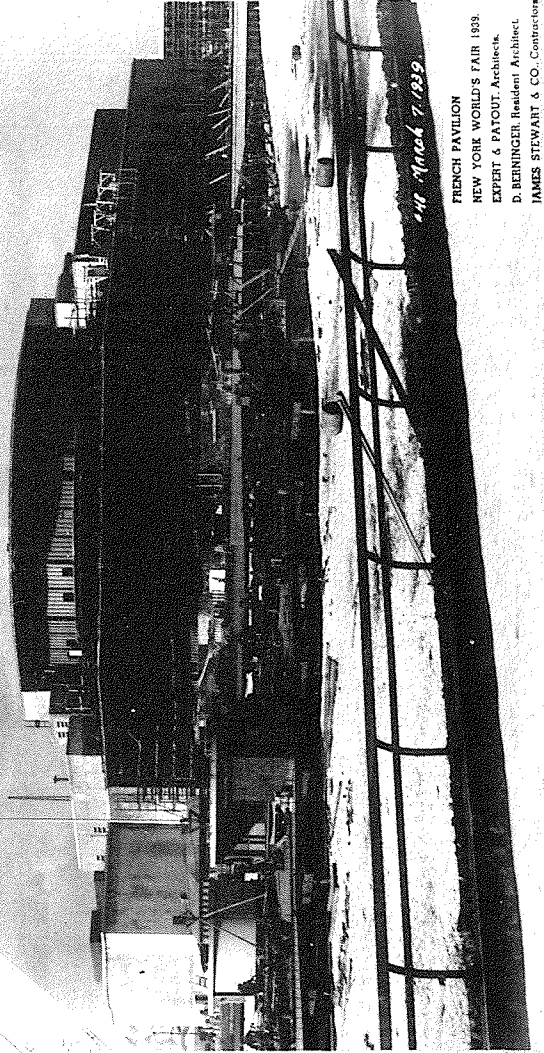
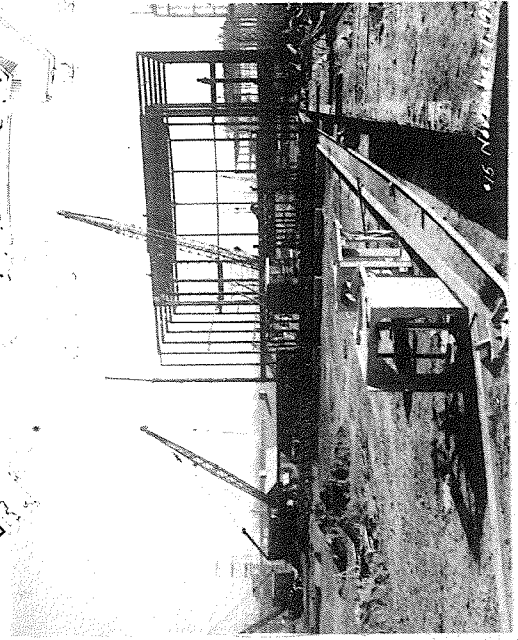
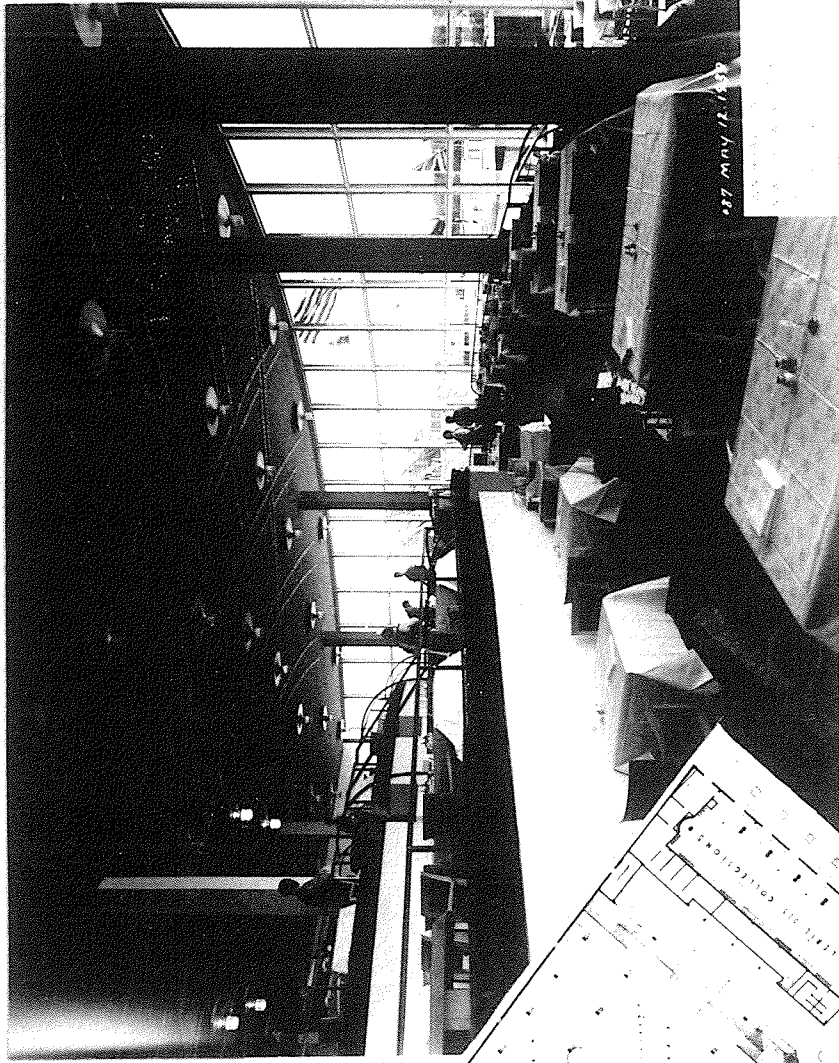
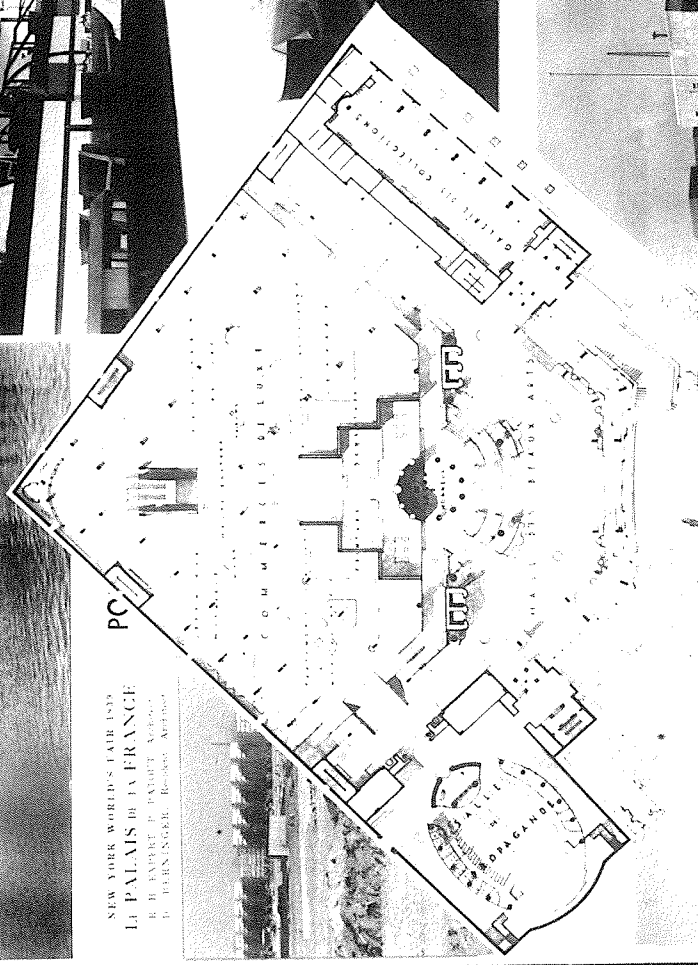
Name of Firm or Individual G. Harold W. Haag, Paul d' Entremont

Signed by all Principals:

Dominique Berninger
G. Harold W. Haag
Paul d'Entremont



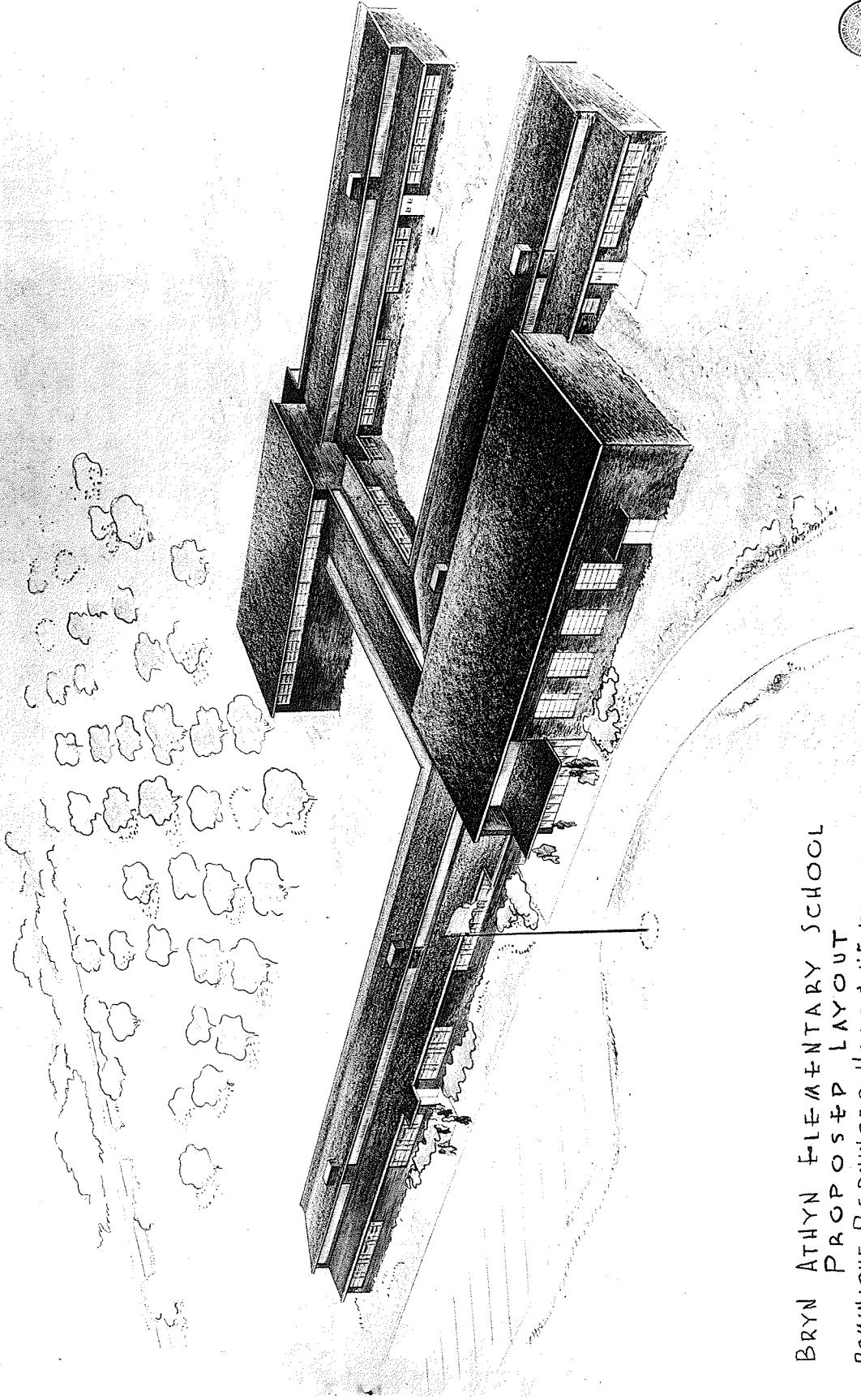
NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR 1939
LE PALAIS DE LA FRANCE
BY HENRI JEAN LÉONARD
IN ASSOCIATION WITH
D. BEHNINGER, Resident Architect



FRENCH PAVILION
NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR 1939
EXPERT & PAYOT, Architects
D. BEHNINGER, Resident Architect
JAMES STEWART & CO., Contractors



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BRYN ATHYN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
PROPOSED LAYOUT
DOMINIQUE BERNINGER HAAG & D'ENTREMONT
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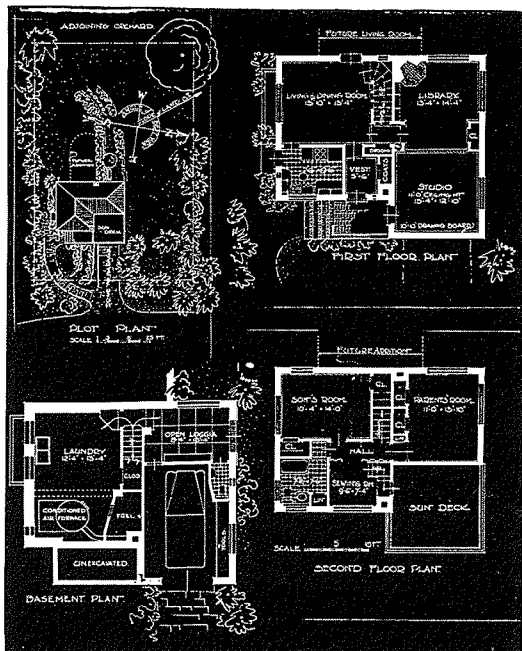
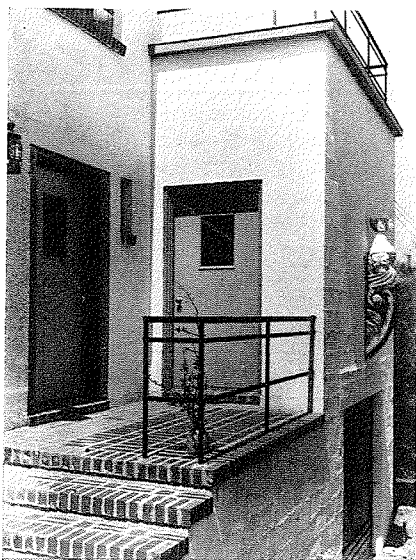


House of Thorsten Sigstedt, Bryn Athyn, Pa.

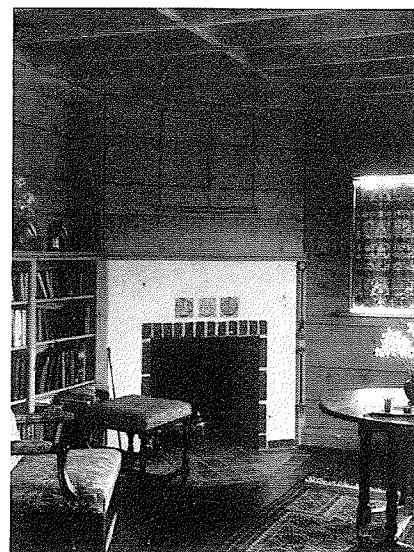
DOMINIQUE BERNINGER, ARCHITECT

A primary requirement was a studio, 11' high, accessible without passing through the residential portion of the house, yet available for social use in conjunction with the library. A large living-room, as indicated on the plot plan, is contemplated

Main entrance doors to house (left) and to studio. The house has a cubage of 21,500 ft., and cost \$5830, exclusive of screens, refrigerator, finished grading and planting



Joists with solid bridging show over library and combined living-room and dining-room. Horizontal knotty pine sheathing is used here, sand-finish plaster elsewhere. The house is thoroughly insulated



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Bryn Athyn Elementary School Fire Rebuild Carswell, Berninger & Bower Architects, 1935

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Huntington Valley, Pa., February 6, 1935

WING OF BRYN ATHYN ACADEMY BURNS

PUPILS INSPECT BURNED SCHOOL

Thousands of persons in the suburban area, aroused by the arrival of eleven volunteer fire companies, including one from Philadelphia, viewed the spectacle as firemen waged a four-hour battle to save the main building and the north wing, where the priceless art treasures and books of the Academy were stored.

The blaze caused damage estimated to be between \$100,000 and \$125,000.

The wing was located on the east side of the Second Street Pike, several hundred yards south of the Pitcairn estate, and a short distance south of the Bryn Athyn Cathedral.

The fire was discovered in the basement by Charles Ueberger, night watchman, shortly after 5 A. M. He started a siren recently installed on the roof of the south building, but by the time firemen arrived flames were shooting fifty feet into the air.

Aiding local fire fighters were firemen from Huntingdon Valley, Abington, McKinley, Rockledge, Willow Grove and Weldon, and one unit from Philadelphia. The fire chief in charge was Theodore Doering of the Bryn Athyn Fire Company. He did a splendid job of directing the fire fighters. We commend the untiring efforts of the McKinley and Huntingdon Valley Volunteer Fire Companies; and also due credit to the other fire companies.

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While one wing of their school, the Academy of the New Church, at Bryn Athyn, was virtually destroyed by fire Sunday morning, these pupils found classes going on as usual in the undamaged portions of the institution. A group on their way to their studies are pictured as they paused to view the ruins.

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