

Brewster  
Floyd E R. 14145

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

March 8, 1916., 19

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects,  
The Octagon, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects under Class [A, B, C, or D].

I hereby certify that the following statements are correct:

Name Floyd Emery Brewster,

Address Lake Placid, New York.

Place and date of birth Lake Placid, New York. August 17, 1888.

Graduate in architecture Cornell University- 1912.  
[Give name of institutions and year—Evidence of Diploma or Certificate of graduation to be submitted with application.]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture Post Graduate scholarship in Cornell 1913.  
[Give name and year.]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecole des Beaux Arts.  
[State which, and year.—Evidence of Certificate to be submitted with application.]

If practicing architect, firm name Brewster & Kennedy, Lake Placid & Brooklyn N. Y.

Have been in practice Three years

If draughtsman, employed by

[State number of years.]

Collegiate and office training Studied in Europe for one summer with Prof. A. C. Phelps of Cornell University.

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the "Circular of Advice Relative to Principles of Professional Practice and Canons of Ethics," and I agree, if elected, honorably to maintain them.

I further agree, if elected to membership in the American Institute of Architects, that if at any time my membership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action taken by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reason of such membership in the property, real or personal, of the American Institute of Architects.

Floyd Emery Brewster  
[Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application is a member of Brooklyn Chapter, A. I. A. and was endorsed for Institute membership by Board of Directors of Brooklyn Chapter at a meeting held on April 3, 1916.

Carroll A. Pratt April 4, 1916  
[Secretary.]

Brooklyn Chapter, A. I. A.  
[To be omitted when the applicant does not reside in the territory of a Chapter.]

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

Membership Committee  
Stephen W. Dodge  
Chairman

Frank H. ...  
President  
Carroll A. Pratt  
[The signatures of three Institute members are here required. In the case of "official endorsement" of candidates by a Chapter, the signatures of its officers only shall be here required.]

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May 16, 1916.

Dear Sir:

Acting for the Secretary, I take pleasure in advising you of your election to membership in the American Institute of Architects, effective May 15, 1916.

You will receive later, the Annuary and Proceedings for the current year. The former contains the official documents of the Institute.

In accordance with the action of the recent Convention of the Institute with regard to applicants qualifying in 1916, your initiation fee of \$25.00 has been remitted. As you have paid the preliminary fee of \$5.00, the only charge on the Institute books is for dues for the current year. For this ite, we enclose a formal statement.

May I take this opportunity to say that the office of the Institute at the Octagon is for the service of every Institute member. Should the occasion arise, we will be glad to give you our best cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. F. E. Brewster,  
Lake Placid, N. Y.

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*Sent 5/17/16*  
*Per 84*  
*L. C.*

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HUGH LAW, PRINCIPAL  
RIVERSIDE, CALIFORNIA

October 15, 1917.

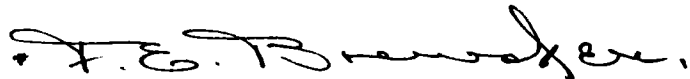
American Institute of Architects,  
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen;-

I have taken a position in the technical school here, instructing in Architectural, Mechanical, Freehand drawing etc., feeling that I would be of more use in this field than in private practice, at this time.

I wish to keep up my membership for future practice in the profession.

Very sincerely yours,



HEAD OF DRAWING DEPARTMENT.

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BROOKLYN CHAPTER  
OF THE  
AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS  
154 MONTAGUE STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

November 15, 1917.

Mr. Wm. Stanley Parker,  
Secretary, American Institute of Architects,  
The Octagon,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster has tendered his resignation as a member of the Brooklyn Chapter owing to his residence now being in California.

This resignation will be put before the Board of Directors on November 26th, and before action is taken by them I shall appreciate being advised by you as to whether he is in good standing and free from financial obligation to the Institute.

Yours very truly,

*Alex. Mackintosh*

Secretary,  
55 Bible House, New York.

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November 28-1917

Dear Sir:-

With further reference to your letter of November 15th, Mr. Brewster is in good standing as an Institute member in every respect.

The Board of Directors will regret to lose his membership, which will automatically <sup>terminate</sup> happen when he resigns from the Brooklyn Chapter. Does he clearly understand this and do you believe a letter from the President, Mr. Mauran, or the Secretary, Mr. Parker, of a personal nature would cause him to change his decision?

If he is to take up his residence in California will he not desire a transfer to the San Francisco or Southern California Chapters?

If his residence in California is to be permanent it would be necessary for him to be assigned to one of the Chapters in that State, if he decided to retain his Institute membership.

Any assistance that you can give in this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Alexander Mackintosh, Sec'y,  
Brooklyn Chapter, A. I. A.,  
New York, N. Y.

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PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER  
Copy to Mr. Deane

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154 MONTAGUE STREET, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

November 30, 1917.

Mr. E. C. Kemper, *Encl. Sec.*  
The American Institute of Architects,  
The Octagon, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of your letter of November 28th and by way of reply am enclosing with this a copy of my letter of this date to Mr. Brewster.

I shall inform you of his reply when you will be better able to determine on the advisability of sending him a personal letter. My impression now is that this will be unnecessary when he understands the situation as put before him by my letter.

Yours very truly,

*Alex. Mackintosh*

Secretary.

55 Bible House, New York City.

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November 30, 1917.

Mr. F.E. (Brewster,  
960 West Eleventh Street,  
Riverside, California.

Dear Sir:-

At a meeting of the Board of Directors held on November 26th your letter of October 15th resigning from the Brooklyn Chapter was considered.

The members of the Board expressed regret that there should be occasion for your resignation, and before taking action they instructed me to point out, in case you are not familiar with the new by-laws of the Institute that your resignation from the Chapter automatically terminates your membership in the Institute.

This would be a double misfortune and it is suggested in the event of there being a chance of your again returning to New York, that you either retain your Chapter membership and claim the exemption allowed after a year's absence from the payment of dues for the period of your absence, or, in the event of your being permanently resident in California that you apply to be assigned to one of the Chapters in that state provided you desire to retain your Institute membership.

I shall be glad to give any further information or assistance required.

Yours very truly,

*Wm. Mark Kitchin*

Secretary, 55 Bible House, N.Y.C.

Copy -

Brewster F. E.

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

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December 26-1917

My dear Mr. Brewster:-

We received in due course from Mr. Mackintosh, Secretary of the Brooklyn Chapter, copy of his letter to you of November 30th, and in view of your letter to the Institute under date of October 15th in which you express a desire to maintain your membership, may I supplement the hope expressed by the Brooklyn Chapter that you will transfer your membership to the Southern California Chapter.

The matter of transfer is entirely simple and can be made by the Secretary of the Institute upon your written request and without further procedure. Please advise me of your wishes in this matter at your early convenience, and oblige,

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

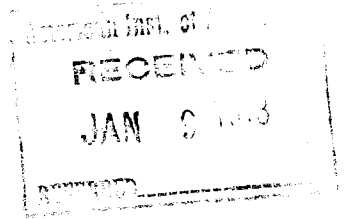
Mr. F. E. Brewster,  
960 W. 11th Street,  
Riverside, Calif.

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Polytechnic High School.  
Riverside, California.

January 3rd.,  
1918.



The American Institute of Architects,  
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen;-

In answer to your of December 26th. last,  
would say that I wish to have my membership transfered  
from the Breeoklyn Chapter, to the Southern California  
Chapter.

I wrote to the Chapter here, but they must  
be waiting for your action in the matter. I thought  
the transfer would be taken care of by the local Chap-  
ter here, thus the delay in writing you.

Very truly yours,

*F. E. Brewster.*

*Advice  
Brewster  
Chap  
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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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January 11, 1918.

My dear Mr. Brewster:

Permit me to acknowledge your letter of January 3, stating that you wish to have your membership transferred from the Brooklyn Chapter to the Southern California Chapter.

In accordance with this, I have written to the Secretary of the both Chapters notifying each that you have been formally re-assigned to the Southern California Chapter.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster,  
Polytechnic High School,  
Riverside, Calif.

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March 29, 1922.

My dear Sir:-

This will advise you that your membership in the Institute, and in the Southern California Chapter, has been terminated, effective February 10, 1922, for non-payment of Institute dues.

This action is taken, with regret, under resolution of the Board of Directors, concerning which you had notice.

The Secretary of the Southern California Chapter has been advised.

By direction of the Secretary.

Very truly yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster,  
1223 Anacapa Street,  
Santa Barbara, Cal.

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Name Brewster, F. E.

City ~~Lake Placid~~ Riverside,  
Santa Barbara

State ~~New York~~ Calif

Place and Date of Birth

Elected Member 1916

Elected Fellow

Chapter Assigned to ~~Brooklyn~~

Chapter Transferred to ~~Southern California~~ Santa Barbara

Resigned

Dropped *Effective Feb. 14, 1922*  
12-31-38

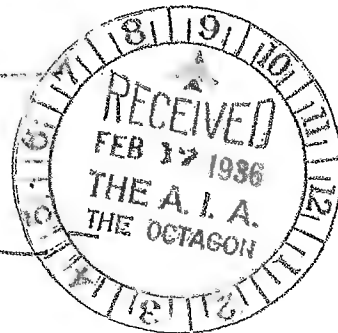
Otherwise Discontinued

Remarks *Dropped - Mich. Apr. 1922 Executive meeting  
for non-payment of dues  
Reinstated eff 12/31/38*



FLOYD E. BREWSTER, A. I. A.  
ARCHITECT  
889 MISSION CANYON ROAD  
SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

February 11<sup>th</sup>



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American Institute of Architects  
Octagon - D.C. Washington

Dear Member:-

Will you please accept enclosed check for \$15.00 to apply on my membership account -

I will now be able to pay in \$10.00 per month - until balance is paid -

Hoping this will be satisfactory and that it will keep my name from being dropped from membership in the Institute -

Fam -

Sincerely yours -  
F. E. Brewster -

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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February 17, 1936.

Dear Mr. Brewster:

This will acknowledge with thanks your letter of February 11th, and remittance of \$15.00, which has been credited to your dues in default.

Under the Board resolution, it is required that the entire amount of delinquent dues be paid by January 31, 1936, in order to maintain your membership.

Inasmuch as you have made partial payment on account and advise that you expect to be able to pay the balance of your indebtedness on the basis of \$10. per month, we believe the Treasurer and the Board will approve our acceptance of a note to cover the balance due of \$40.00 - provided it is received within the next few days.

With the thought of assisting you in this respect, we are sending herewith a note, without interest, dated January 31, 1936 - to meet the requirement of the Board as to date of coverage of delinquent accounts - for the balance of \$40.00. The note is made payable on or before December 31, 1936. However, it will be satisfactory - and appreciated - if you can make payments of \$10.00 per month thereon, as suggested in your letter.

Kindly sign and return the note to us by return mail, as we are acting without specific authority in making the above suggestion.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Treasurer.

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster,  
889 Mission Canyon Road,  
Santa Barbara, Calif.

AIR MAIL

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Encl.



FLOYD E. BREWSTER, A. I. A.  
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FLOYD E. BREWSTER, A. I. A.  
ARCHITECT  
Phone 5202 - P. O. 514 - Palm Canyon Drive  
PALM SPRINGS, CALIFORNIA



June 15-19  
American Institute of Architects  
Octagon - D.C.

Gentlemen:-

Enclosed please find  
check for \$20.00 to cover statement

Would you please advise  
me where I can obtain the  
standard A. I. A. checking list.

File for manufacturing data-

I am in active practice again  
and wish to bring my filing  
system up to date.

Thank you -

Yours truly,

F. E. Brewster.

June 20<sup>th</sup> 1936

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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June 24, 1936.

Dear Mr. Brewster:

Responding to your letter of June 15th:

We beg to acknowledge and thank you for your check for \$20.00, which has been credited to your account.

Herewith is a descriptive circular covering the A. I. A. Standard Filing System for Building Materials and Appliances, and Alphabetical Index.

These documents are available at this office at the prices indicated on the circular, namely 50¢ each, or \$1.00 for the combined document.

Your order will receive our prompt attention.

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

ECK\*B

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster, A. I. A.,  
P. O. Box 514, Palm Canyon Drive,  
Palm Springs, California.

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

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October 1, 1937

Dear Mr. Browster:

For your convenience, we send this letter of reminder concerning your note for \$ 40.00 covering Institute dues in arrears, and now past due.

The Institute books will be closed on December 31, 1937.

We hope that it will be convenient for you to take care of this obligation prior to that date.

Sincerely yours,

Assistant Treasurer

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Mr. Floyd E. Browster  
889 Mission Canyon Road  
Santa Barbara, California.

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

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October 5, 1938.

Dear Mr. Brewster:-

For your convenience, we send this letter of reminder concerning your note of \$40.00, covering Institute dues in arrears, and now past due.

We must report to The Institute Board concerning outstanding notes at its meetings in Washington on November 14th.

We hope that it will be convenient for you to take care of this obligation prior to that date.

Sincerely yours,

K.M

Assistant Treasurer.

Mr. Floyd E. Brewster,  
889 Mission Canyon Road,  
Santa Barbara, California.