

Dated December 15, 1948.
Received December 29 1948
Granted February 18, 1949

MEMBERSHIP NO 6648



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

- A Name of applicant... John James Croft, Jr. Chapter North Carolina
- B Address of applicant... 219 Sunset Avenue, Asheboro, N.C.
- C Applicant proposed by... J. Burton Wilder and Leon McMinn
- D Application received with check for \$ 10.00 on January 17, 1949
- E Application returned for correction (Check sent to Chap. for endorsement) Jan. 11, 1949
- F Application in due order on Check returned January 17, 1949
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (N.C.) Jan. 7, 1949. Received January 31, 1949
(Ala.) Jan. 12, 1949 " January 26, 1949
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on February 11, 1949 on January 11 1949
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on 19... on 19
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on January 11 1949
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission
or that application be denied received on February 2, 1949
- J No report from chapter executive committee on 19
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on February 9, 1949
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on February 9, 1949
- M Applicant was admitted on February 18, 1949
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter
to proposers on February 18, 1949
- 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

John James Croft, Jr.

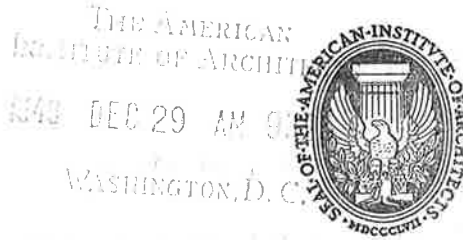
to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the North Carolina Chapter.

Date February 18, 1949.

Secretary

(a)

*In due order
January 17, 1949
J. B. Wilder*



ORIGINAL

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

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

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 JOHN JAMES CROFT, JR.

2. State whether a natural or a naturalized citizen.

2. I am a natural citizen of the United States

3. My legal residence is in the City of Asheboro, North Carolina

County of Randolph State of North Carolina

4. State whether residence or office address.

4. My address in The Institute records will be John James Croft, Jr. Architect

Number 219 Street Sunset Ave.

City Asheboro State North Carolina

This is my office address

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

5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as practicing architect

6. I desire to be a member of the North Carolina 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 \$ 10.00, 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.

Date Dec. 15 1948.

John James Croft, Jr.
Applicant sign full name in ink



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STATISTICS

10. Date of birth December 12, 1917 Place of birth Ionia, Michigan

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

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

North Carolina - July, 1938

Alabama, 1937

Texas - December, 1939

(a) I hold a Certificate No. _____ 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:

Fulton High School, Atlanta, Ga., Sept, 1927 to June, 1931

Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga. Sept, 1931 to June, 1935

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:

Constantine and Bradbury, Atlanta, Ga., Mar. 1935 - Mar. 1936

Designer & Draftsman - General Work

Rural Resettlement Administration, Montgomery, Ala, Mar. 1936 - Mar. 1937

Associate Architect in Charge of Architectural Office of approx. 60 men.

Wm. C. Holleyman, Jr., Greensboro, N. C. Mar. 1937 - Jan. 1939

Contact Man and Job Supervisor - some design and drafting

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).

Montgomery, Alabama, U. S. Resettlemen Administration Mar. 1936 - Mar. 1937

Asheboro, North Carolina, John James Croft, Jr., Architect
Jan. 1939 - Jan. 1942 -- Army 1942 - 1946 -- Jan. 1946 to present

Galveston, Texas, Croft and Shannon, Asso. Oct. 1939 to Jan. 1942

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 8 years.

I have known the applicant for 9 years.

Signed J. Burt Wilder
Proposer

Signed Frank M. Winn
P.O. Box 20 Proposer

Greensboro N.C.
Address

Greensboro, N.C.
Address

J. Burt Wilder

Frank M. Winn

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

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JAN 26 AM 9:53
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

John James Croft, Jr., Asheboro, N.C.
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Auburn, Ala.
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 January 12 19 49

Car W. D. [Signature]
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? Exemption
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? No If so, give Certificate No.....
6. Date of first registration Dec 1 19 36 Registration No. 98 Is it current? Yes

Keith G. Reese
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Jan 20 19 49

Ala. Board for Reg. of Archts.
(Name of Board)

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Date January 26, 19 49

Car W. D. [Signature]
Secretary

1. Is the applicant registered or licensed to practice architecture in your state? Yes
2. Was his registration or licensing by examination? Yes or by exemption? No
3. What was the scope of the examination? Design, 12 hrs, Composition & Proj, 4 hrs, Math, 4 hrs, Practice & Precedent, 4 hrs, Mech. Mat. & Bus. Practice & Precedent, 4 hrs
4. What was the period of the examination? 4 days. Written examination 36 hours; Oral examination 0 hours.
5. When examined, did applicant have a certificate from the National Council of Architectural Registration Boards? No. If so, give Certificate No. ✓
6. Date of first registration July 12, 1938. Registration No. 337. Is it current? yes

[Signature]
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date Jan 28 19 49

North Carolina State Board of Arch. Exam. and Registration
(Name of Board)

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

Name of Chapter
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

FAVORABLE RECOMMENDATION OF CHAPTER
ON APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS:

I, the undersigned SECRETARY of The NORTH CAROLINA Chapter,
The American Institute of Architects, do hereby certify that the following is a true copy of a
resolution adopted by the Executive Committee of this Chapter ~~at a duly called meeting thereof~~
held on ~~_____~~ 19, vouching for the honorable standing of
JOHN JAMES CROFT, JR. in the community, and
recommending his admission to membership in The Institute:

RESOLUTION

"Whereas, JOHN JAMES CROFT, JR. an architect having his
legal residence principal place of business within the territory of this
Chapter duly applied on DEC. 15 1948 for membership in The
American Institute of Architects; and

"Whereas, the Executive Committee of this Chapter has examined the
statements made by him in his application for such membership and believes
that the statements are true and correct and that the applicant is an architect
of integrity and ability and of honorable standing in this community and
among his fellow architects and able to undertake the financial obligations of
such membership to The Institute and this Chapter; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the NORTH CAROLINA Chapter,
The American Institute of Architects, vouches for the honorable character
and standing of JOHN JAMES CROFT, JR. an applicant for admission
to membership in The Institute, believes him able to undertake the financial
obligations of that membership, and recommends to The Board of Directors of
The Institute his admission to membership in The Institute and this Chapter."

Date JAN. 31 1949.

President
Secretary
(Strike out title not applicable)

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Type in name
of officer and
chapter.

Type in dates
and name of
applicant.

Type in name
of applicant.
Strike out the
words "legal
residence" or
"principal
place of busi-
ness" which-
ever are not
applicable.

Type in name
of chapter.

Type in name
of applicant.

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

COPY

February 18, 1949

Dear Mr. Croft:

The Secretary is happy to inform you that your application for membership in The Institute was acted on favorably by The Board of Directors and that you were admitted to corporate membership in The Institute and assigned to membership in the North Carolina Chapter, effective February 18, 1949.

Your certificate of membership, duly executed by the Officers of The Institute, will be sent in due course.

The Board of Directors welcomes you to membership in The Institute 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

Mr. John James Croft, Jr., A.I.A.
219 Sunset Avenue
Asheboro, North Carolina

CWD/kk
Enclosures



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

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Application for Membership Emeritus

TO THE SECRETARY,
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

I hereby apply for Membership Emeritus in the Institute for the following reason:

(Check the appropriate reason)

- I am more than 70 years of age.
- I am more than 60 years of age and retired from the profession of architecture.
- I am unable to engage in the profession of architecture because _____

(state nature of incapacitation)

I have been in good standing in the Institute and the North Carolina Chapter for 15 successive years.

If and when elected to Membership Emeritus, I wish to continue to receive AIA mailings
Yes No

John James Croft, Jr.

Date 3.19.81

Name John James Croft, Jr.
(written and printed signature)

Address P. O. Box 1399

Asheboro, North Carolina 27203

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#158375
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Attached

Information for applicant: The applicant may supplement the above reasons on a blank sheet. In exceptional circumstances and for adequate cause, the Secretary of the Institute may lessen the period of good standing but not the other conditions.

Upon election to Membership Emeritus, all rights and privileges of membership, including the use of the title Member Emeritus written in full after the initials "AIA" or "FAIA", as the case may be, remain intact while the member is exempted from further dues payments to the Institute and the member's Chapter and State.

Members Emeriti have the option to remain on the AIA mailing list for \$15 per year to help defray mailing costs. Members Emeriti who do not wish to receive AIA mailings and publications need not pay this mailing charge.

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March 27, 1981

John James Croft, Jr., AIA, Member Emeritus
P. O. Box 1399
Asheboro, NC 27203

Dear Mr. Croft:

It is a pleasure to inform you that your membership classification has been changed to Member Emeritus.

We are grateful for your many years of support and we hope that your participation and interest will continue, even though you are now relieved of further dues payments.

With best wishes,

Sincerely yours,

Harry Harmon, FAIA
Secretary

cc: North Carolina Chapter, AIA