

Dated April 15, 1946.

Received June 17, 1946.

Granted September 14, 1946

MEMBERSHIP NO



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

RECORD OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INSTITUTE

In due order
June 20, 1946
J.H. Gervais

- A Name of applicant Bradley Paige Kidder Chapter. Colorado
- B Address of applicant 900 East Garcia Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- C Applicant proposed by Hugo Zehner and John G. Meem
- D Application received with check for \$. . . 10.00 . . . on June 17, 1946.
- E Application returned for correction 19
- F Application in due order on June 20, 1946.
- Record of registration, Form S39, Sent (MM,) June 20, 1946. Received. July 29, 1946.
- G Notices sent to chapter executive committee:
 - (a) Form S11, reasonable time ending on . . . July 20, 1946., on June 20, 1946.
 - (b) Form S12, 30 day extension ending on . . August 20, 1946 on July 26, 1946.
- H Acknowledgments to applicant, proposers, and chapter on June 20, 1946.
- I Certified resolution of chapter executive committee recommending admission or that application be denied received on 19
- J No report from chapter executive committee on Aug. 20, 1946.
- K Application sent to The Board of Examiners on Sept. 10, 1946.
- L The Board of Examiners reported on application on Sept. 10, 1946.
- M Applicant was admitted on Sept. 14, 1946.
- N Notice and certificate to applicant and notice of assignment to chapter and letter to proposers on Sept. 18, 1946.
- O Notice of denial of application to chapter and applicant and \$ 19 returned to applicant on

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

Bradley Paige Kidder
to membership in The Institute, and hereby declare him to be a corporate member of The Institute and assign him to membership in the Colorado Chapter.

Date September 14, 1946.

Alexander C. Robinson
Secretary

THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
1946 JUN 17 AM 9:31
WASHINGTON, D. C.

ORIGINAL

File the 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

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

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

1. My full name is Bradley Paige Kidder .
2. I am a natural citizen of U. S. A. .
3. My legal residence is in the City of Santa Fe, Santa Fe County, New Mexico ,
County of State of .
4. My address in The Institute records will be
Street 900 East Garcia Road
City Santa Fe , State New Mexico .
5. I am engaged in the profession of architecture as an Associate Architect
6. I desire to be a member of the Colorado Chapter.
7. I declare that I have read the by-laws, the rules and regulations, and the Standards of Practice of The American Institute of Architects, and the by-laws and rules and regulations of the chapter of which I desire to become a member, and that I understand the duties, responsibilities and obligations thereunder of a member of The Institute, and I do hereby expressly agree and declare that, if admitted to membership, I will to the best of my ability abide by and comply with such by-laws, rules and regulations, and will abide by and uphold said Standards of Practice and conduct my practice of the profession accordingly. I am financially able to undertake all pecuniary obligations of a member to The Institute and to the chapter.
8. I filed the duplicate of this application with the secretary of the chapter above named and attach his receipt therefor. 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 you do not admit me to membership, all of said amount will be returned to me, except five dollars which you 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.

8. Receipt required.

Date April 15 1946 .

Bradley Paige Kidder
Applicant sign full name in ink



STATISTICS

10. Date of birth July 22, 1901 Place of birth Denver, Colorado

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

(State or States) By Examination

(State or States) By Exemption

New Mexico - by examination

(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:

East Denver High School

Colorado College

University of Pennsylvania

Traveled in England, France, Holland, Belgium, Morocco and Algeria

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:

1918 U. S. Rubber Co., St. Louis, Missouri, - Branch - Factory draftsman
1919-26 Student in College and University
1927-30 Junior Draftsman - temporary employment with Allied Architects, Denver, Colorado
T. Robert Wieger, Architect - Denver, Colorado
R. K. Fuller " " "
H. T. Edbrooke " " "
1930-33 T. H. Buell & Co., Architect, - Junior Draftsman
1934 With Historic American Buildings Survey in New Mexico - Field Captain
1934-35 John Gaw Meem, Architect - Junior Draftsman
1935 Licensed to practice in New Mexico
1935-1946 John Gaw Meem, Architect - Senior Draftsman and Chief Draftsman - Associate
since 1940 of firm of John Gaw Meem, Hugo Zehner and Associates
1942-45 With U. S. Navy Construction Battalion

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 have taught architecture or the arts and sciences allied therewith. (State names of firms or corporations and of schools or colleges)

New Mexico - as member of the firm of John Gaw Meem, Hugo Zehner and Associates since 1940

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 New Mexico from 1936 to 1942

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 him and 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 20 years.

Signed Hugo Zehner
Hugo Zehner
Proposer

I have known the applicant for 12 years.

Signed John G. Meem
John G. Meem
Proposer

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

RECORD OF REGISTRATION

OF

Bradley Paige Kiddor, New Mexico (Santa Fe)
(Name of Applicant)

SECRETARY,
BOARD OF ARCHITECTURAL EXAMINERS,
Santa Fe, New Mexico
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.....June 20,.....1946..

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?.....Yes.....or by exemption?.....
3. What was the scope of the examination?.....Junior Written.....
4. What was the period of the examination?.....3.....days. Written examination.....16.....hours; Oral examination.....1.....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 last registration.....December 15,.....1934.. Registration No.....40..... Is it current?.....Yes.....

[Signature]
(Signature of Secretary of Board)

Date.....July 22,.....1946..

New Mexico Board of Examiners of Archts.
(Name of Board)

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

COPY

September 18, 1946

Dear Mr. Kidder:

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 Colorado Chapter, effective September 14, 1946. You will be a member of that Chapter, or of some other chapter if you later transfer thereto, until your membership in The Institute terminates.

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,

Alexander C. Robinson III.
Secretary

Mr. Bradley Paige Kidder, A.I.A.
900 East Garcia Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

ACR:MB
Enclosures

bcc to: Proposers: Mr. Hugo Zehner, A.I.A.
Mr. John G. Meem, A.I.A.

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

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April 16, 1947

Dear Mr. Kidder:

We have been advised by the Treasurer of the Colorado Chapter that you are in good standing in the Chapter.

You have, therefore, been formally transferred from the Colorado Chapter to the New Mexico Chapter as an Institute member in good standing, effective April 1, 1947.

Both chapters have been advised.

The Secretary of the New Mexico Chapter is Mr. Kenneth S. Clark, Sena Plaza, P. O. Box 308, Santa Fe, New Mexico; and we suggest that you get in touch with him concerning the next meeting and other matters of interest.

Sincerely yours,

Alexander C. Robinson III
Secretary

Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A.
900 East Garcia Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

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member
Kidder, Bradley P.

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

May 2, 1955

Mr. Bradley Paige Kidder, A.I.A.
900 East Garcia Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Brad:

It was indeed a pleasure to see you in Phoenix last week at the Western Mountain Regional Conference. I certainly did enjoy the meeting and it was quite apparent that everyone else was having a good time.

I am looking forward to your being on The Board of Directors of The Institute. If we can do anything for you, please let us know. We will be sending to you, from time to time, material which will be of interest to you.

With kindest regards,

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves
Executive Director

P:msd
cc: Mr. Jamieson

member
Kidder, Bradley P. J.

Administration Building
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.

January 27, 1954

Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A.
900 E. Garcia Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Kidder:

It is a real pleasure for me to write you, on behalf of Mr. Purves who is on the West Coast, to express appreciation of your hospitality while we were in New Mexico and to advise you of the following action taken by The Board of Directors:

RESOLVED, That The Board of Directors extends its special thanks to Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., for his special assistance and hospitality in making arrangements for the meeting of The Board of Directors in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

We all enjoyed the opportunity to visit your beautiful city and hope to return again.

Yours very truly,

J. W. Rankin
Administrative Secretary

JWR:mbh
cc: Mr. Purves

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Members
Kidder, Bradley P.

May 26, 1958

Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, AIA
717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Brad:

Ned tells me that you have never gotten a copy of Howard Mitchell's Centennial Concert record. It just so happens that I have a copy signed by Howard Mitchell which in years to come will undoubtedly become a collector's item. Hope you enjoy it.

Sincerely yours,

Edwin B. Morris, Jr., AIA
Assistant to the Executive Director

Enclosure

EEM:ekb

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

*Mr. Purves
10/10/58, B. P. Purves*

F

August 5, 1958

Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A.
717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

*Official
10/10/58
B. P. Purves*

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

Dear Brad:

Thank you for your nice letter of July 26th.

It was a great pleasure for all of us here to have had you on the Board and to get to know Harriet and yourself so well - friendships which certainly will not be allowed to lapse.

Your contribution to the Institute was outstanding, in fact so outstanding that I think you can count upon being sought after in the future. The seeking out is already taking place in the consultant position the Institute is asking you to assume.

I will be seeing you in Denver. I am not entirely sure that Carroll will be able to take the trip with me as our summer plans got rather complicated, which means also expensive. However, I certainly will try to arrange my travels to come by way of Santa Fe.

With all good wishes to both of you for a happy and successful future, I am

Cordially yours,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.
Executive Director

*Members
Kidder, Bradley P.*

September 10, 1938

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

Dear Brad:

Enclosed is a certificate of appreciation from The Institute for the efforts and many services which you performed during your service as a member of The Board of Directors.

It gives me pleasure to wish you well and I sincerely hope that we shall not lose the pleasant contacts which we have enjoyed. Be sure to come in and see us whenever you are in Washington and I shall most surely do likewise when I am in Santa Fe.

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.

Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, AIA
717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Enclosure



THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF
ARCHITECTS
NEW MEXICO
C H A P T E R

117 Quincy N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

28 October 1957

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

Attn: Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to the Jury of Fellows

Gentlemen:

Enclosed herewith is the nomination form presenting
Mr. Bradley P. Kidder in nomination for fellowship. This nom-
ination is being submitted by the New Mexico Chapter, American
Institute of Architects. A brochure containing supporting let-
ters and exhibits will be filed prior to the 1st of February,
1958.

Sincerely yours,

Jason P. Moore, President

Kenneth S. Clark
Kenneth S. Clark, Vice-Pres.

W. Miles Brittelle, Director

Arthur W. Dekker, Secretary

Willard C. Kruger, Director

John J. Heimerich, Treasurer

November 27, 1957

Mr. Kenneth S. Clark, Vice-President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.
117 Quincy, N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Clark:

On behalf of The Jury of Fellows this will acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 28th with which you forwarded the nomination for the advancement of Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., to Fellowship in The Institute as made by the Executive Committee of the New Mexico Chapter.

It is noted, however, that one of the Directors has not signed the form. The Jury requires that all members of a Chapter Executive Committee which nominates a member for advancement to Fellowship must sign the form. Accordingly, we are returning the first page in order that you may secure the additional signature required.

We shall look for the supporting letters and photographic exhibits in support of the nomination as required - prior to February 1st.

When all of these data are received, the nomination will be ready for submission to the Jury at its 1958 meeting.

Sincerely yours,

Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

Enclosure

KENNETH S. CLARK A.I.A.
PHILIPPE REGISTER A.I.A.
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3 December 1957

Miss Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to the Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue NW
Washington 6, D.C.

Dear Miss Gervais:

Thank you for your letter of November 27 regarding the nomination for the advancement of Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., to Fellowship in The Institute.

We are returning the nomination form, to which the name of W. C. Kruger, Board Member, has been added.

Sincerely yours,



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Kenneth S. Clark, Vice-President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.

Will you please address further correspondence to me at 118 Otero Street,
Santa Fe, New Mexico.



THE AMERICAN
INSTITUTE OF
ARCHITECTS
NEW MEXICO
CHAPTER

117 Quincy N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

27 January 1958

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue NW
Washington, D. C.

Attn: Miss Florence H. Gervais, Secretary

Gentlemen:

Transmitted herewith is a brochure exhibit in support of the nomination of Bradley P. Kidder for election to Fellow, The American Institute of Architects.

We have exhibited some letters of endorsement in the brochure. Other letters, particularly from A.I.A. members, have been sent to you directly.

We certainly appreciate your assistance and guidance in getting this nomination before the Jury of Fellows.

Sincerely yours,

Jason P. Moore, President

Kenneth S. Clark

Kenneth S. Clark, Vice-Pres.

W. Miles Brittelle, Director

Arthur W. Dekker, Secretary

Willard C. Kruger, Director

John J. Heimerich, Treasurer

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS
JURY OF FELLOWS

Received Oct. 31, 19 57

Voted On March 27 19 58

Voted On Mar. 26, 19 59

Voted On Feb. 11, 1960

Granted Feb. 11, 1960

NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

CASE RECORD

- 1. Name of Nominee Bradley P. Kidder Date of Nomination Oct. 24, 19 57
- 2. Address of Nominee 717 Canyon Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 3. Nominee's firm McHugh & Hooker, Bradley P. Kidder & Associates
- 4. Nominee's principal place of business New Mexico
- 5. Nominee's Chapter New Mexico
- 6. Nominee's State Organization
- 7. Nominee admitted to Institute 1946
- 8. Nominee has been in good standing in Institute from 1946 19 to Dec. 31, 19 57
- 9. Nominee's age 56 yrs. Birthplace Denver, Colorado
- 10. Nominators: Executive Committee, New Mexico Chapter:

President: - Jason P. Moore ✓ Directors: - W. Miles Brittelle ✓
 Vice-Pres.: - Kenneth S. Clark ✓ ← Willard C. Kruger ✓
 Secretary: - Arthur W. Dekker ✓
 Treasurer: - John J. Heimerich ✓

11. Achievement ~~Service to The Institute and~~ Public Service

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- 1. Name of Nominee Bradley P. Kidder Date of Nomination Oct. 24, 19 57
- 2. Address of Nominee 717 Canyon Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 3. Nominee's firm McHugh & Hooker, Bradley P. Kidder & Associates
- 4. Nominee's principal place of business New Mexico
- 5. Nominee's Chapter New Mexico
- 6. Nominee's State Organization
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(Nominators leave blank)

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

BY
CHAPTER

THE JURY OF FELLOWS, A.I.A.
The Octagon, 1735 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Date October 24, 1957

The Executive Committee of this Chapter, at a duly called meeting on September 28, 1957 ^{*Type in full name.} nominated* BRADLEY P. KIDDER, member of this Chapter, for fellowship in The Institute. We enclose evidence of the qualifications of the nominee for the fellowship on which the nomination was based and certify the resolution is as follows:

"Whereas, this Executive Committee believes* Bradley P. Kidder a member of this Chapter, has made so notable a contribution to the advancement of the profession because of his achievement in**service to the Institute and in public that he is worthy of fellowship in The Institute; and service

*Type in full name.

**Type in "Design," "Science of Construction," "Literature," "Education," "Service to The Institute," or "Public Service," as is appropriate.

"Whereas, said member has been in good standing in this Chapter for† ten years prior to this date; therefore be it

†Type in number of years.

"Resolved, That‡‡ The New Mexico Chapter, The American Institute of Architects, does hereby nominate*

‡‡Type in name of Chapter.

Bradley P. Kidder

*Type in full name.

for fellowship in The Institute, and the President and the Secretary be and hereby are authorized and directed to prepare the nomination papers and forward them to The Jury of Fellows of The Institute and to do all things proper to forward said nomination."

John W. ... President
Kenneth Clark Vice-President
John J. Heismorech Treasurer
Cornelius Brunette Board Member
Arthur W. ... Secretary
W. C. ... Board Member

THE NOMINATORS SHOULD SEE THAT LETTERS OR DATA ARE SENT TO THE JURY OF FELLOWS IN SUPPORT OF THIS NOMINATION.

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BIOGRAPHICAL STATISTICS

- 1. Nominee's full name BRADLEY P. KIDDER
- 2. Nominee is a natural ~~naturalized~~ citizen of The United States
- 3. Nominee's legal residence 900 East Garcia Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- 4. Nominee's firm name McHugh & Hooker, Bradley P. Kidder & Associates
- 5. Nominee's principal place of business, address 717 Canyon Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico

2. Strike out in appropriate word and write in name of Country.

6. Type in "N.C. A. R. B." or name of State Board, as case may be.

7. Strike out in appropriate words.

8. Type in date of birth and city and Country.

- 6. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture by The New Mexico State Board of Examiners for Architects. License No. 40.
- 7. Nominee is engaged in practice of architecture as a practicing architect—~~teacher in architecture—teacher in science of construction—public official—retired.~~

8. Born 22 July 1901 . Place of birth Denver, Colorado

9. Nominee's schools, colleges and universities:

	Location	No. of Years	Year of Graduation	Degree
High School	Denver, Colorado	4	1920	-
Private School	-	-	-	-
College or University	Colorado College	4	1924	B. A.
College or University	-	-	-	-
Post Graduate at	University of Pennsylvania	2	1926	-
Scholarships held	Fine Arts Scholarship Award, Colorado College 1923-24.			

10. Other data concerning nominee's record.

Post Graduate architectural study tour of Europe 1926.

10. Type in important experiences during employment or additional statistics of importance in nominee's record.

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WASHINGTON, D.C.
1957 FEB -6 ARCH 26
THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Nominators should read "Principles Underlying the Bestowal of Fellowships", Institute Document No. 9 before completing this nomination. Additional sheets may be inserted to supplement any page, 3 to 7, inclusive. Use typewriting only.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN

1. Works

Type (a) Commercial (b) Monumental (c) Domestic (d) Special	Identification of Work	Location of Work		Completed Construction Work (Year)	Photographs Drawings, or Sketches Submitted	
		(City)	(State)			
(a)	Batt Building (Remodel)	Santa Fe	New Mexico	1957	2	Under column headed "Type" type in (a), (b), (c), or (d), as the case may be.
(a)	Supermarket	Santa Fe	New Mexico	1956	1	
(a)	J.C. Penney Store	Santa Fe	New Mexico	1956	2	Type in last col- umn to right the number submitted in each case.
(c)	Kidder Residence	Santa Fe	New Mexico	1940	3	
(d)	State Industrial School	Springer	New Mexico	1934	-	
(d)	Throughout 1947-48-49, Mr. Kidder was Associate Architect of the firm Meem, Zehner, Holien & Associates, with the responsibility of coordinating and developing specifications for four major medical facilities.					

2. Describe nominee's notable work in design, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

The nominee's contribution in the field of design lies primarily in recognition and in recording those features of good design appearing in Spanish-American structures indigenous to the Southwest. His contemporary work has made use of these design features with fine understanding of the historical and social background of this region.

In 1933-34 Mr. Kidder undertook the research measurement and recording of La Capilla de Nuestra Senora de Taos Mission and the San Esteban del Rey Mission, Acoma Pueblo. His report and delineations were selected for publication by the Historic American Building Survey, U. S. Department of Interior.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

1. CONSTRUCTION WORK

<i>Type of Work Constructed</i>	<i>Identification of Work</i>	<i>Location of Work</i>	<i>Completed Construction Work (Year)</i>	<i>Photographs, Drawings, or Sketches Submitted</i>
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Type in last column to right the number submitted in each case.

Not applicable

2. BOOKS, TREATISES, OR ARTICLES WRITTEN

<i>Subject Title</i>	<i>Where Published</i>	<i>Date Published</i>
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Not applicable

3. Describe nominee's notable work in the science of construction and any recognition thereof by other societies, to bring out the particular achievements the nominators believe have notably contributed to the advancement of the profession.

Not applicable

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NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN EDUCATION AND LITERATURE

1. EDUCATION WORK

(List the degrees and the educational positions held by the nominee, and bring out clearly the nominee's signal work and its particular force and influence which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by pupils, the profession, other societies, or the public.)

Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado

Attended 1920 to 1924. Graduated with Bachelor of Arts degree in Graphic Arts. Held Fine Arts Scholarship awarded in 1923-24.

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Attended 1925 and 1926 in graduate study of architecture.

Foreign study of architecture

In England, France, Belgium and Holland in 1926.

In French Morocco and Algiers in 1943.

2. LITERARY WORK

(List the original written works of the nominee and state clearly the particular force and influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession, and state evidences of recognition of such work by other societies, the profession, educational institutions or the public.)

<i>Book, Treatise or Article</i>	<i>Subject</i>	<i>Name of Book or Periodical Containing Work</i>	<i>Year Work Published</i>
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Not applicable

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NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTE

1. State fully the nominee's signal service to The Institute, his chapter, or his state organization, or to the profession, which the nominators believe has notably contributed to the advancement of the profession, and list the offices in architectural organizations occupied by the nominee and the period of each.

Bradley P. Kidder, in his service to the Institute, has rendered an outstanding service to his fellow architects and to the Profession. Itemized, these services catalog a long period of faithful and competent service.

- a. Corporate Member, Colorado Chapter, 1946.
- b. Charter Member, New Mexico Chapter, 1947.
- c. Director, New Mexico Chapter, 1947.
- d. Vice-President, New Mexico Chapter, 1948.
- e. President, New Mexico Chapter, 1949 and 1950.
- f. Chairman, Legislative Committee, New Mexico Chapter, 1953 to 1958.

In this capacity, Mr. Kidder directed a successful campaign to strengthen the architectural registration law in New Mexico and again successfully opposed legislation to place architectural fees for state work in a rigid fee schedule below that at which a competent service might be rendered.

- g. Regional Director, Western Mountain District, 1955 to 1958.
- h. Chairman, Special Committee to re-write Chapter By-Laws, New Mexico Chapter, 1956-1957.
- i. In his services on the A.I.A. Committee on Committees, Mr. Kidder has rendered outstanding service to the Institute during a period in which administrative procedures have been revised.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN PUBLIC SERVICE

1. List the public offices held by the nominee and the positions of trust held by him in recognition of civic leadership, and state clearly his notable work in public service and the particular influence of that work which the nominators believe to be a notable contribution to the advancement of the profession.

Bradley P. Kidder, in civic leadership, has displayed a capability to match or to exceed that in the field of Service to the Institute. Highlights of his career in civic leadership include:

- a. New Mexico Board of Examiners for Architects: Member, 1951 to 1957; Secretary 1951 to 1953; Chairman 1953 to 1957. During his term of office, and under his leadership, the New Mexico Board revised and greatly improved the examination and evaluation procedures. Rules and Regulations of the Board were revised and re-published.

- b. Santa Fe High School P.T.A.: As President in 1949, Mr. Kidder was instrumental in expansion of the school hot lunch program.

- c. Santa Fe Fiesta Council: In his service as Member of the Council in 1948 and as President of the Council in 1949, Mr. Kidder contributed much to the continuation and enrichment of an annual festival established by Don Diego De Vargas in the Seventeenth Century.

- d. Montecita School: Served as member of the Board in 1949 and as President of the Board in 1950.

- e. Santa Fe Cancer Clinic: Served as Member of the Board of Directors, 1951 to 1953.

- f. Lions Club: Served as Club President, Santa Fe, 1949. In 1952-54 he was elected to District Cabinet Member, and in 1954-55 he served with distinction as District Governor.

- g. Rio Grande Symphony, Board of Directors, 1957.

KIDDER, BRADLEY P.

Chapter Supporters:

Moore, Jason P.)
Clark, Kenneth S.)
Dekker, Arthur W. : Proposers
Heimerich, John J.)
Britelle, W. Miles)

Meem, John Gaw, FAIA
Hyatt, Foster H.

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Nelson, Edward H., Secretary, Arizona Chapter
Carpenter, Ashley T., Secretary, Utah Chapter
Wilson, Edward L., FAIA, Ft. Worth, Texas
Williams, Richard B., Secretary, Colorado Chapter
Wehrli, Robert, Wyoming Chapter
Young, George Cannon, AIA, Salt Lake City
Hunter, James M., FAIA, Boulder, Colo.
Mechem, Hon. Edwin L., Governor, State of New Mexico
Martinez, A.B., Sr., President, Santa Fe Fiesta
Rand, Frank C., Jr., Chairman of Board, The Santa
Fe Clinic, Inc.
Larsson, Mrs. Karl, Secretary, Rio Grande Symphony
Batts, Charles N., Pres., Batrite Food Stores, Inc.
Santa Fe
Eoff, W.S., District Governor, Lions International,
Chicago

Kidder, Bradley P.

Rec'd since 1958 meeting

Chapter Supporters:

Kruger, W. C. - (Proposer)

Brittelle, W. Miles, R., Pres., New Mexico Chapter, AIA				
Register, Philippe, Vice, Pres.,	"	"	"	"
Dekker, Arthur W., Secretary,	"	"	"	"
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Heimerich, John J., Treasurer,	"	"	"	"
Clark, Kenneth S., Past-Pres.,	"	"	"	"
Smith, Kern, Director of	"	"	"	"
Girard, Alexander				
Moore, Jason P.				

Non-Chapter Supporters?

Eichenbaum, Howard, FAIA - Little Rock
Whitake, Elliot L., AIA - Secty., National Architectural
Accrediting Board
Will, Philip, Jr., FAIA - Chicago

KIDDER, BRADLEY P. Rec'd since 1959 Jury meeting

Resolution of New Mexico Chapter - responding to Jury's
advice that it would reconsider nomination under
"Public Service" category.

Chapter Supporters:

Brittelle, W. M., Sr., A.I.A. - Proposer
Heimerich, John J., A.I.A. - "
Dekker, A. W., A.I.A. - "

Liberty, James S., A.I.A.
Register, Philippe, A.I.A.
Smith, Ken, A.I.A.

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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April 4, 1958

Mr. Miles Brittelle, President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.
117 Quincy, N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brittelle: Report of Action of The Jury of Fellows
 Re: Nomination of Member of Your Chapter

The Jury of Fellows has requested me to advise you of the following action it has taken on a nomination before it of corporate member who was considered for advancement to Fellowship:

Nomination Referred to 1959 Meeting of Jury:

Bradley P. Kidder - Santa Fe, New Mexico

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves, P.A.I.A.
Executive Director

KENNETH S. CLARK A.I.A.
PHILIPPE REGISTER A.I.A.
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The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue NW
Washington 6, D.C.

Attn: Miss Gervais

Gentlemen:

Members of the New Mexico Chapter are eagerly awaiting the decision of the Jury of Fellows in regard to Brad Kidder's nomination. Please let us know the outcome as early as possible.

We have all been cleared for classified information, in the event A.I.A. reserves announcement privileges.

Sincerely yours,



Kenneth S. Clark

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Members
Fellows
Whom invited in 1958
Kidder

April 15, 1958

Mr. Kenneth S. Clark, A.I.A.
118 Otero Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Clark:

In reply to your letter of April 11th, with regard to the status of the nomination of Mr. Bradley P. Kidder for advancement to Fellowship:

Enclosed is copy of letter sent to the President of your Chapter notifying him of the action taken by The Jury of Fellows, which is self-explanatory.

Am sorry I haven't better news for you.

Sincerely yours,

Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

Enclosure

August 1, 1958

Confidential

Mr. Kenneth S. Clark, A.I.A.
118 Otero Street
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Clark:

As I promised you at the time of our talk in Cleveland, I have examined the file of the nomination of Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., for advancement to Fellowship.

As a result, I'm sorry that I cannot offer any helpful suggestions for additional data or submissions. The letters for the most part are factual and that is the type wanted, rather than numerous communications.

There is one lack - we do not have a supporting letter from Mr. Willard C. Krueger, who was one of the Directors signing the nomination; and, as you know, it is a requirement that every signer must write in support of the nomination, or indicate lack of support if that should be the situation.

This following comment may or may not have any bearing with The Jury of Fellows, but I mention it for what it is worth: On page 2 of the nomination form, item "10. Other data concerning nominee's record" only the following line appears - "Post Graduate architectural study tour of Europe 1926." The marginal note on the form indicates this space is to be used for: " * * important experiences during employment or additional statistics of importance in nominee's record." Quite often, in other submissions, a great deal of biographical data is included in this space. If you believe anything could be added, here, and you will type it out, it can be inserted on the form. It should be borne in mind that the nominees, for the most part, are complete strangers to the members of the Jury, and anything which adds to the nominee's background and accomplishments is, of course, valuable.

I enjoyed meeting you in Cleveland, and if you come to Washington, stop in to see us.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

April 8, 1959

Mr. Miles Brittelle, President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.
117 Quincy, N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brittelle:

The Jury of Fellows has requested me to advise you of the following action it has taken on the nomination before it of a corporate member of your Chapter who was considered for advancement to Fellowship:

Referred to Meeting of the Jury in 1960:

Bradley P. Kidder

Sincerely yours,

Edmund R. Purves, F.A.I.A.
Executive Director

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P.s. - The Jury has asked me also to advise you that it is disregarding The Chapter's citation for his Service to The Institute and is considering his nomination under the category of Public Service alone. It hopes this meets with the approval of the Chapter.



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS NEW MEXICO CHAPTER

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS: The New Mexico Chapter, The American Institute of Architects, did by unanimous vote of The Board of Directors on 24 September 1957, nominate Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., for election to Fellow, The American Institute of Architects For Service To The Institute and In Public Service; which action was again unanimously endorsed by The Board of Directors, the New Mexico Chapter meeting in Santa Fe, New Mexico, on 8 November 1958, and

WHEREAS: The Jury of Fellows of the 1959 meeting, on recon-
sideration of this nomination did again refer action to the Jury
of Fellows in 1960 meeting, with the stipulation that the nomina-
tion be considered under the category of Public Service, now
therefor

BE IT RESOLVED: That the Board of Directors of the New Mexico Chapter, The American Institute of Architects, does concur and
does unanimously endorse the nomination of Bradley P. Kidder,
A.I.A., for election to Fellow, The American Institute of Architects,
under the category of Public Service without, however, withdrawing
their citation for the nominee in his Service To The Institute, and further does petition the Jury of Fellows in 1960 meeting to reconsider this nomination.

This Resolution adopted without dissenting vote by The Board of Directors, meeting in Albuquerque, New Mexico on 19 September 1959.

W. Miles Britelle Sr.
W. Miles Britelle, Sr., President

Philippe de M. Register
Philippe de M. Register, Vice President

Arthur W. Dekker
Arthur W. Dekker, Secretary

John J. Heimerich
John J. Heimerich, Treasurer

James S. Liberty
James S. Liberty, Director

W. Kern Smith
W. Kern Smith, Director

November 6, 1959

Mr. Miles Brittelle, President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.
117 Quincy, N. E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brittelle:

On behalf of The Jury of Fellows, permit me to acknowledge, with appreciation, receipt of copy of the Resolution passed by The Board of Directors of the New Mexico Chapter, consenting to the consideration of the nomination of Bradley P. Kidder, A.I.A., for advancement to Fellowship, under the category of Public Service.

The resolution will be brought to the attention of the Jury at its meeting in 1960, when Mr. Kidder's nomination is under consideration.

Sincerely yours,

(Miss) Florence H. Gervais
Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

February 18, 1960

Mr. Miles Brittelle, President
New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A.
117 Quincy, N.E.
Albuquerque, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Brittelle:

The Jury of Fellows has reported to me the following action it has taken on a nomination before it of a corporate member of your Chapter who was considered for advancement to Fellowship:

Elected to Fellowship: Bradley P. Kidder

Herewith is copy of letter of notification to Mr. Kidder which is self-explanatory.

The Department of Public Information has asked me to inform you that a national announcement of all new Fellows will be issued for release Saturday PM - Sunday AM, February 27 and 28. Your Chapter is urged, however, to supplement this announcement with a release of its own. This release should describe the new Fellow's accomplishments and, if applicable, the prominent buildings he has designed in your area. Photos of his work and his portrait should also be made available to the press.

It is suggested that a member of your Chapter Public Relations Committee take the release personally to your local newspaper editors as well as to the radio and television stations. In doing so, however, it is imperative that the release date, Saturday PM - Sunday AM, February 27 and 28, be strictly observed. (This is necessary to avoid ill feeling on the part of the news media.)

Sincerely yours,

J. Roy Carroll, Jr., F.A.I.A.
Secretary

Enclosure

*Members
Kidder, Bradley P. F.A.I.A.
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February 18, 1960

Mr. Bradley Paige Kidder, F.A.I.A.
717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Kidder:

The American Institute of Architects desires to confer upon you the honor of Fellowship and membership in the College of Fellows in accord with the action of The Jury of Fellows at its recent meeting, for your notable contribution in Service to The Institute and Public Service.

The purpose of this letter is to request your presence at the 1960 Convention of The Institute, to be held in San Francisco, California, starting April 18, 1960.

At a special ceremony to be held in the evening of Tuesday, April 19, in the City Hall, those who have been elected to Fellowship will receive their certificates and medals. Presentation will be with appropriate ceremony and it is highly important that each of the newly-elected Fellows be present.

The Officers of The Institute and The Jury of Fellows join in the request that you come to receive this honor in person. Please send your response to The Octagon at an early date.

The Public Relations Department advises that press announcements of newly-elected Fellows will be released for Saturday PM -- Sunday AM publication, February 27 and 28. Chapters will be advised in advance of this date to follow through with your picture and biographical information for additional local publicity.

Will you please send a 5 x 7 black-and-white, glossy photograph, suitable for newspaper use, together with a short biographical sketch, to the Department of Public Information at Institute headquarters for its public information files.

Yours sincerely,

J. Roy Carroll, Jr., F.A.I.A.
Secretary.

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January 8, 1965

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF MEMBERSHIP

Effective Date **January 1, 1965**

TO: *Transferred Member:*

**Mr. Bradley P. Kidder, FAIA
717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe, New Mexico**

Transferred to:
Chapter
State Society

**New Mexico Chapter, AIA
New Mexico State Society, when finalized**

Transferred from:
Chapter
State Society

**New Mexico Chapter, AIA
None**

In accordance with Chapter II, Article 1, Section 7 of the By-laws of The Institute this will advise that the above-named corporate member has been transferred as indicated, **as a Charter Member.**

Sincerely yours,

SECRETARY

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August 29, 1972

Executive Director
The American Institute of Architects
1735 New York Avenue, N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20006

Dear Sir:

At the August 10 meeting of the Santa Fe Chapter A.I.A., a motion was made and passed that I write you with reference to an application for Emeritus Status for Mr. Bradley Kidder F.A.I.A.

Mr. Bradley Kidder has just recently retired from architectural practice and his services with reference to active duty in the A.I.A.

Mr. Bradley Kidder is greatly esteemed in this area, having served in numerous positions in Santa Fe, the State of New Mexico, and the Southwest in a highly efficient and diligent manner on A.I.A. affairs. He also has a highly commendable record of architecture practice.

Any forms or information with reference to Mr. Bradley Kidder achieving Emeritus Status in the A.I.A. will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

R. J. Pfeiffer
R. J. Pfeiffer
Secretary-Treasurer

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Santa Fe
age 71*

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September 8, 1972

Mr. R. J. Pfeiffer, Secretary-Treasurer
New Mexico Society of Architects, AIA
114 Placita de Oro
Santa Fe, NM 87501

Dear Mr. Pfeiffer:

This is in response to your letter of August 29, regarding Membership Emeritus status for Bradley Kidder FAIA.

From the standpoint of age (71) and year of election (1946), Mr. Kidder is eligible. Please ask him to fill in the enclosed form, sign and return it to this office. We shall then bring it to the attention of the Secretary.

Sincerely,

(Miss) Helen R. Swan
Membership Procedures

Enclosure



McHUGH
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March 12, 1973

ROBERT J. STRADER, JR.
PROJECT ARCHITECT

717 Canyon Road
Santa Fe
New Mexico
87501

(505) 982-8556

The American Institute of Architects
1785 Massachusetts Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20036

Attention: Mailing Section

Good Morning!

We would appreciate it if you would take Bradley P. Kidder, FAIA off of your mailing list. As some people in your office already know, he died in January. We realize the news probably hasn't reached you.

Thank you,

Cleo Fowler,
Secretary

Santa Fe

Albuquerque

Clovis

Dallas

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Kidder, Bradley

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**BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE
of American Architects**

Name: Bradley P. Kidder of (address) 717 Canyon Road, Santa Fe, New Mexico

Born: 22 July, 1901 at Denver, Colorado Died: 27 January, 1973 at Santa Fe, New Mexico

Parents: Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Kidder and

Married: to Katherine (Harriet) Newhall of Colorado Springs, Colorado 1928

Children: Katherine Kidder, born 1929 and Bradley P. Kidder, Jr., born 1930

Education: B.A. in graphic art, Colorado College, 1924
two years in special courses, University of Pennsylvania, 1924 - 1926

Training; and practice as Principal: (Firm Names, Places, Dates, Specialization)

Junior Draftsman, T. Robert Weiger, Denver, Colorado, 1927
Draftsman & Supervisor, T.H. Buell & Co., Denver, Colorado, 1928 - 1932
Draftsman, John G. Meem & Associates, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1934 - 1940
In Association with John G. Meem & Associates, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1940 - 1947
Bradley P. Kidder & Associates, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 1946 - 1961

*** Continued Below
Professional Memberships and Service: (Institute and Chapter Activities; Teaching)

Chairman, New Mexico Board of Examiners for Architects, six years occasional lecturer at
Fellow, A.I.A and President, New Mexico Chapter, 1946 Department of Archi-
Director from Western Mountain Region of A.I.A., 1955 - 1958 tecture, University of
President, Board of Trustees of A.I.A. Foundation, 1957 - 1959 New Mexico, 1966 -
President, A.I.A. Foundation, 1960 - 1961 1969.

Other Affiliations: (Religious, Fraternal, Political, Social)
first President, New Mexico Society of Architects, 1965
District Governor of Lions International

Public Service: (Civil and Military; Community, State, National)

World War II - in SEABEES, Construction Battalion of the United States Navy
President, Rio Grande Symphony, 1960 - 1961
first Chairman, State of New Mexico Construction Industries Commission, 1967 - 1970

Published Material: (Articles and Addresses; Executed Work; Biographical Data)

*** Training; and Practice as Principal:(Continued)

McHugh, Hooker & Kidder, 1961 - 1963, Santa Fe, New Mexico
McHugh and Kidder, 1963 - 1971, Santa Fe, New Mexico
McHugh, Kidder, Burran & Wright, 1971 - 1973, Santa Fe, New Mexico

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General Background: (Personal Characteristics and Accomplishments; Interests, Digressions, Travels, Friendships, Side-lights, Honors, and Awards.)

Please see attached magazine article

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Compiled by: John W. McHugh, A.I.A.

Date: 17 April, 1973

Acknowledgements:

Bradley P. Kidder, FAIA

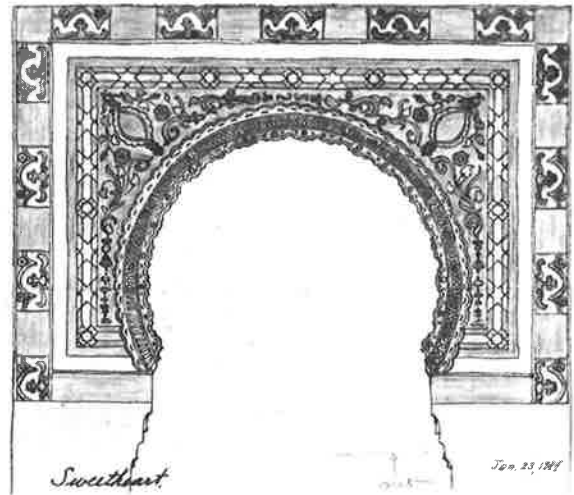
some notes by John McHugh, AIA

On Saturday, January 27th, 1973 my partner, Bradley P. Kidder, F.A.I.A., died in Santa Fe, New Mexico. Brad was born in Denver in 1901, son of Frank E. Kidder who together with Harry Parker wrote the KIDDER-PARKER ARCHITECTS' AND BUILDERS' HANDBOOK, the construction bible for several generations of architects across the nation. Brad grew up in Colorado and took his B.A. degree from Colorado College in 1924. After that he went on to take special courses at the University of Pennsylvania, finishing there in 1926. After graduation he entered architectural work as a junior draftsman with several architects in Denver including Fisher & Benedict and Temple Buell. He worked one year as an advertising layout man and artist. He married Katherine (better known to us as Harriet) Newhall in Colorado Springs in 1928. His daughter, Katherine, was born in Denver in 1929, and in 1930 Harriet presented him with a son, Bradley Jr.

He came to New Mexico in 1935 and worked with John Gaw Meem on the Historic American Buildings Survey. Some of the handsomest drawings of native New Mexico architecture that are in the national archives were made by Brad. After living in a variety of amusing — if not particularly convenient — rented quarters, he and Harriet built a handsome adobe house in Santa Fe in 1939-40 and lived in it while continuing to work with Mr. Meem until the beginning of World War II when he joined the SEABEES, the Construction Battalion of the United States Navy. Being one of the luckier members of the services, he actually worked on construction both in North Africa and in Okinawa. He received an Admiral's citation for his design of a military hospital in Oran, Algeria.

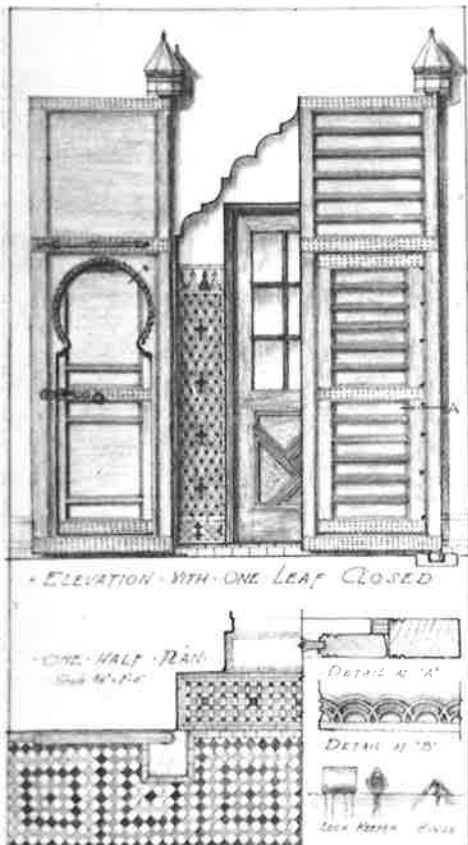
After the war he returned to his home in Santa Fe and went back into the practice of Architecture. He served as chairman for the New Mexico Board of Examiners for Architects for six years. In 1951 he acted as consultant to the then firm of Meem, Zehner, Holien and Associates while they were planning the St. Vincent Hospital in Santa Fe. I was working for Mr. Meem at the time, and it was in that office that I first met Brad. At the time I was a little frightened of him, for not only was he chairman of the architect's board, District Governor of Lions International, a consultant to Mr. Meem — but he was the official appraiser for the Veterans Administration who made the appraisal for my own newly constructed home!

Back in 1946 he was president of the New Mexico Chapter, A.I.A. In 1955-58 he was Director from the Western Mountain Region of the A.I.A., and in 1965 he became first president of the newly established New Mexico Society of Architects. His public service activities were many, including presidency of the Board of Trustees, A.I.A. Foundation 1957-1959, and as president of the foundation in 1960-61, presidency of the Rio Grande Symphony in 1960-61 and first





These sketches are copies of illustrations from letters to his family by Brad while serving with the U. S. Navy Seabee Battalion in North Africa, 1943-1944.



chairman of the State of New Mexico Construction Industries Commission 1967-1970. He served on nine national A.I.A. board committees while he was a director. He was chairman of the Architectural Competitions Committee and of the August Committee on Committees, and was a member of the national judicial board from 1965 to 1970. In 1959 Brad received the Edward C. Kemper Award of the American Institute of Architects. The award is given each year "to the one who has contributed significantly to the Institute and to the profession."

McHugh, Hooker and Kidder designed the original Santa Fe Opera Pavilion in 1957 and after the disastrous fire in 1967, which destroyed the entire structure, the firm was commissioned to design a new Santa Fe Opera Pavilion. This was a truly challenging commission in that we had a progressive and imaginative client, a limited money budget, and a very strict time budget. Brad wrote the specifications, kept the accounts, and made most of the inspections. He frequently had to make rather momentous decisions on the spot when certain materials turned up short, or even missing. By the efforts of Brad and the rest of the team, the building was finished on time and cost \$60,000 less than the estimate!

He was an occasional lecturer at the Department of Architecture, University of New Mexico, 1966-69. In 1967 he was one of the speakers discussing the effects of humidity in historic buildings at a meeting of the International Council of Monuments and Sites in Rome, Italy.

Besides being a man of the highest professional integrity, Brad was a gentle and thoughtful man, full of generosity. He was a man with strong principles which he expressed forcefully and with precision. His untiring enthusiasm for the profession of architecture has left a strong imprint on us all. His passing is a loss to that profession, to his friends, and to civilization.

J McH

In the name of Bradley Kidder a continuing scholarship fund has been established at the University of New Mexico. Through the Fund, new monies will be available for students in the Architecture Department, and dispersment will be based upon need and scholastic ability. Contributions are needed and are, naturally, tax deductible. Checks should be made payable to:

*Greater UNM Fund
(Bradley P. Kidder Scholarship)
University of New Mexico
Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106*