

Knowles, Wm

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

Feb 11, 1916

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 William Knowles

Address Hearst Building San Francisco - Cal.

Place and date of birth Brooklyn N.Y. Jan 3. 1874

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

Holder of Scholarship in architecture _____
[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 William Knowles

Have been in practice fifteen years

If draughtsman, employed by _____

Collegiate and office training 3 years Stanford University.
office - A. Page Brown, A.C. Schuiss fourth Clinton Day, Percy Hamilton

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.

William Knowles
[Signature of Applicant]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application is a member of SAN FRANCISCO CHAPTER
Chapter, A. I. A. AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Pythian
Secretary.
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.

W B Jewell Pres.
Pythian
Chas. W. ...

[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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JOHN GALEN HOWARD
ARCHITECT

Knowles

JOHN GALEN HOWARD
WILLIAM OTIS RAIGUEL

ATLAS BUILDING
604 MISSION STREET
SAN FRANCISCO

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April 24, 1916.

Board of Directors,
American Institute of Architects,
The Octagon,
Washington, D.C.

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Gentlemen:

I recommend the election of William Knowles
of San Francisco to Institute membership. I have
known him personally for many years and have a high
regard for him. He should certainly be an Institute
member.

Very truly yours,

[Handwritten signature]

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July 11, 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 July 7, 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 remaining half year of 1916. For this item 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. William Knowles,
Hearst Building,
San Francisco, Cal.

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WILLIAM KNOWLES

ARCHITECT

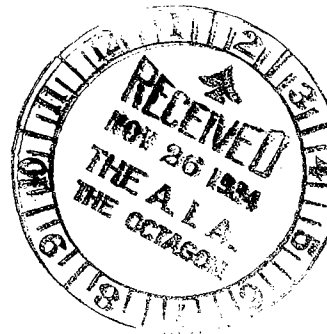
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~~WEST HEDDEN STREET~~

OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

753 Kingston Ave.,

October 16, 1934.



The American Inst., of Architects
Northern California Chapter,
369 Pine Street,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen;-

With regret I wish to tender
my resignation as a member of the Northern
California Chapter of Architects.

Yours very truly,

A cursive handwritten signature that reads "William Knowles".

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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WILLIAM KNOWLES

ARCHITECT

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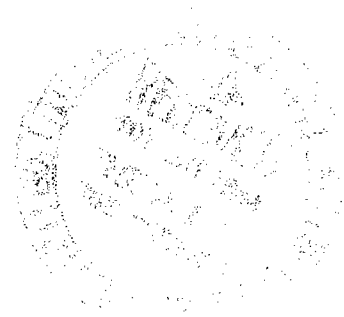
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753 Kingston Ave.,

Oakland, Cal.



January 30, 1935

The American Inst. of Architects
Northern California Chapter,
569 Pine Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Mr. Knowles:

At the December, 1934, meeting of the Executive Committee
of The American Institute of Architects, your resignation as a
member in good standing in the Institute and the Northern
California Chapter was accepted, with regret, effective
December 31, 1934.

The Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

By direction of the Secretary,

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

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Mr. William Knowles
753 Kingston Avenue
Oakland, California

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