

Starks, Leonard F.
No. California

Memo. Recd.

Application for Membership

April 28 1928

To the Secretary of the American Institute of Architects.

I hereby apply for Membership in the American Institute of Architects, and certify that the following statements are correct:

Name..... Leonard Frank Starks

Address..... 2531 - P Street Sacramento Calif.
[Number and Street.] [City] [State.]

Place and date of birth..... Healdsburg, Sonoma Co. Calif. Dec. 8. 1890.

Graduate in architecture.....
[Give name of institution and year. Diploma or Certificate of graduation (or photostatic copy) must accompany this application.]

Holder of Scholarship in architecture.....
[If required in your case, attach evidence (or photostatic copy.)]

Passed the qualifying examinations of the Royal Institute of British Architects, or the examinations for the first class of the Ecolè des Beaux Arts.....
[If required in your case, state which, and attach evidence of Certificate (or photostatic copy.)]

If your State has a Registration or License Law and you are not registered, state reasons.....

If practicing architect, firm name..... Starks & Handers

Have been in practice..... 8 years. If draughtsman, employed by.....

Collegiate and office training..... Experience started in year 1908.

I have carefully examined the Constitution and By-Laws of the Institute and the circular of advice relative to "Principles of Professional Practice," 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, and of the Chapter of the Institute of which I am then a member.

(1) Leonard F. Starks
[Signature of Applicant.]

I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected an Associate of the.....
[For use when the applicant is an Associate.]

Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date..... (2)
[Insert date of election to chapter.] [Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.]

If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledgment must be signed:

Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my chapter that this applicant is applying for Institute membership (3).....
[Signature of President or Secretary of Chapter to which the applicant will be assigned if elected.]

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

Registration or License Number.....
(4) Jo D. L. Suggall
(5) James F. Dean

(6) W. A. Deane

It is not mandatory that applicants from Registration or License law states be registered or licensed. But the current number of Registration or License must appear here if the applicant is registered or licensed.

(7) 909
NUMBER

The signatures of three Institute members are here required even if the applicant has the unanimous endorsement of his Chapter, in which case certification to that effect should be made above by the Secretary. Unanimous endorsement is that endorsement in which each Institute member of the Chapter had an opportunity to express himself by letter ballot either for or against the member proposed, and in which there were no negative votes. No other form of unanimous endorsement will be accepted.

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

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June 14, 1928.

Dear Mr. Starks:-

Permit me to acknowledge with gratification, and on behalf of the Secretary, your application for membership in The American Institute of Architects, received by reference from Mr. Evers, Secretary of the Northern California Chapter.

The application is complete except for check of \$25.00 covering annual dues which, for new members, are payable in advance; and the customary routine exhibits.

The exhibits should consist of photographs and working drawings of two executed buildings which need not be specially prepared, may be taken from your office files, and will be carefully returned later.

By way of explanation it should be stated that all applications for Institute membership are acted upon at the quarterly meetings of the Board of Directors and the Executive Committee. The next meeting is that of the Executive Committee, scheduled for early October, and your application can be acted upon at that time, provided all formalities are completed.

However, no action can be taken on an application until the annual dues have been paid.

Acknowledgment is made with thanks of your check of \$25.00 covering Initiation Fee.

Trusting you will find it possible to complete your application at an early date, I am,

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Leonard Frank Starks,
2531 P. Street,
Sacramento, California.

K:VB

STARKS & FLANDERS

ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS
FORUM BUILDING
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

September 11, 1928

The American Institute of Architects
The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue
Washington, D. C.



Gentlemen:

Attention: Mr. E. C. Kemper
Executive Secretary

Under separate cover by parcel post I am forwarding you blue prints of the working drawings on the Fremont Presbyterian Church, Sacramento, Elks Club Building, Sacramento, Alhambra Theatre, Sacramento, and the Senator Theatre Sacramento. Also under separate cover are two envelopes containing photographs of the above mentioned buildings, marked on the outside with Mr. Flanders' name and the writer's name.

I will give you a brief outline of the above mentioned work so you will know how it was handled under the firm name of Starks & Flanders. The Elks Club Building cost \$967,000.00, and was a Hemmings & Starks association contract, but unfortunately Mr. Hemmings, who was a member of the Institute, died before the preliminary drawings on this job were even made and I personally carried on the entire job to completion under the name of Hemmings & Starks. The Senator Theatre was done by myself before the time that Mr. Flanders joined me. The Fremont Presbyterian Church was a Leonard F. Starks contract, but was designed and built after the partnership of Starks & Flanders, and Mr. Flanders was personally responsible for the designing and executing of the work. The Alhambra Theatre is a

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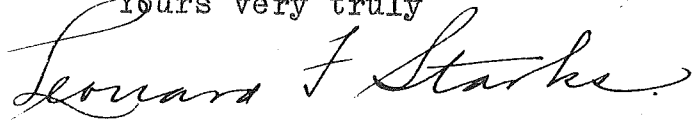
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product of the firm Starks & Flanders, and Mr. Flanders is directly responsible for the designing and carrying on of the work, for since our partnership I rarely have anything more to do with the drafting department after the preliminary work is settled.

I hope that the exhibits under separate cover and this letter together with the attached checks fulfill your requirements. If not we would be glad to meet any other requests that you might make.

Yours very truly



LFS:BR

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THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.

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September 25, 1928.

Mr. Leonard F. Starks,
Mr. Edw. F. Flanders,
Forum Building,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sirs:-

This will acknowledge and thank you for your letter of September 11, enclosing check of \$50.00 covering your annual dues.

Your exhibits have also been received.

The meeting of the Executive Committee previously scheduled for October was moved up to September 18. Therefore it was necessary to call a meeting of the Board of Examiners on September 6 to pass on the completed applications on hand.

We regret therefore that your applications must now await the meeting of the Board of Directors, scheduled for early December, after which time we shall be pleased to advise you concerning the action taken.

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

K:VB

COPY TO

FILES PRESIDENT SECRETARY TREASURER

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

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December 15, 1928

Dear Mr. Starks:

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective December 15, 1928.

You have been assigned to the Northern California Chapter as an Institute Member in good standing therein, and the Secretary of the Chapter has been so advised.

An engrossed Certificate of Institute Membership will be sent to you in due course.

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

Cordially yours,

Executive Secretary.

Mr. Leonard Frank Starks,
2531 P Street,
Sacramento, Calif.

K/FRG

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May 26, 1942

Mr. Wa. Howard Knowles, Secretary, Northern California
Chapter, A. I. A.
Mr. Frank V. Mayo, Chairman Pro-tem, Central Valleys Chapter
of California, A.I.A.

Gentlemen:

At its meeting in March, The Board of Directors granted
a charter of chapter membership to the Central Valleys Chapter
of California, effective April 1, 1942.

In accordance therewith we beg to advise that the follow-
ing members of the Northern California Chapter have been trans-
ferred to the Central Valleys Chapter of California, effective
April 1, 1942:

Mr. Alfred W. Eichler, 2727 Harkness Ave., Sacramento
Mr. Peter Louis Sala, 2130 N. Commerce St., Stockton
Mr. Leonard F. Starks, 2911 Riverside Blvd., Sacramento
Mr. Charles F. Dean, 1407 California State Life Bldg.,
Sacramento
Mr. Frank V. Mayo, 931 N. Eldorado Street, Stockton

Sincerely yours,

Chas. J. Ingham
Secretary

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MEMORANDUM

Date: August 18, 1986
To: Component Executives and Chapter Presidents
From: Ann M. Polski *Ann*
Senior Membership Director
Re: Active Members

*Melinda -
pls handle
(deaths)
Thx,
Ann*

The enclosed roster lists all active members of your chapter as of this date. Reinstatements have been coming in at a steady rate during the summer; we hope your chapter numbers have increased as a result. We are adhering to the requirement of a \$25 fee to activate membership, so it is possible that some of your members have paid their dues, but if they did not include the fee, they have not been reinstated. A letter requesting the additional money is sent to these individuals. When the fee is received and posted the member and chapter will be sent the notice of reinstatement.

Until September 30 membership may be reinstated if payment of dues, the \$25 fee and supplemental dues liability information is sent directly to us. On October 1, a new application and full dues must be sent to the chapter before reinstatement can occur. Members terminated during 1986 will not be eligible for the 15 month plan.

It's very helpful in keeping our records current if you advise us of any changes or discrepancies. Please direct your questions about requirements for reinstating or member status to me at (202) 626-7503 or Mary Felber at (202) 626-7424. Thanks for your help.

9/9/86

Having cross referenced your computer print out of active members I found two Earl W. Hampton 3129350
Leonard F. Starks 7424559 who passed away this past spring... PLEASE remove them from the rolls...I do not want their families to receive AIA material.

*Entered
9/30/86*

Many thanks

Gini
Gini Rountree
Exec. Director

You know what Ann...it would be sooooo much easier for us to check the print out if the Emeritus, AIA and Associate were all listed separately, as that is the way most of our membership rosters are listed. Do you think this might be possible in the future? *QR*

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