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CITY OF Fort Wayne

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STATE OF Indiana

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ARCHITECTS' ROSTER AND/OR REGISTER OF ARCHITECTS QUALIFIED FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC WORKS

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- 1. (a) **FIRM** (individual or partnership) A. M. Strauss (individual)
- (b) **FORMER FIRM**, if any _____
- 2. **BUSINESS ADDRESS** 415 Cal-Wayne Bldg., Fort Wayne, Ind.
- 3. **YEAR ESTABLISHED** 1918

4. PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>A. M. Strauss</u>	

Furnish data complete, but keep to essentials. Describe each member of firm individually; if more than two, append extra sheets.

- (a) **Date of Birth** April 8, 1895
- (b) **Education** Kendallville, Ind.
High School

- (c) **Experience Prior to Own Practice**
(Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)

<u>Chas. R. Weatherhogg, draftsman</u>	<u>19-12-15</u>
<u>J. M. E. Riedel, designer</u>	<u>1915-16</u>
<u>J. F. Wing, "</u>	<u>1916-17</u>

- (d) **Commenced Practice** 1918
- (e) **Number of Years a Principal** 28

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(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

Indiana - #73 - 1930 (Also registered engineer -
Ohio #961- 1934 #3291 - Indiana.)
Illinois- #2499 - 1934
N.C.A.R.B. - #473 - 1944

(g) **Professional Societies and Offices Held**

A.I.A.
Indiana Society of Architects (Former Director.)
Member Indiana State Architect's Registration Board - 7 years

(h) **Service in World Wars I and II.** (Append data if desired.)

World War I - Motor Transport Corps - 6 mo.
domestic service - honorable discharge.

(i) **Civic Activities**

F. W. Chamber of Commerce
Executive's Club
Civic Assoc. (Chairman City Planning Committee).

5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Chas. Mallott (own staff)
Business Address

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS** (usually own staff) - occasionally

Rotz Eng. Co. or Bevington, Taggart and Fowler -
Name of Firm or Individual both firms of Indianapolis, Indiana.
Business Address

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS** same as (b)

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS** same as (c)

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

6. **OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:** My present organization of eighteen (Append extra sheet if necessary) people includes a number who have been with me from 10 to 26 years. Except for three depression years, minimum number of employees since 1925 has been 10 and maximum 30. We have our own mechanical engineering section (4 men), but employ consultants when advisable.

7. **SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:**

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930-1940	\$1,350,000.00	(10 yrs.) \$18,000,000	\$1,800,000
Work Completed 1941-1946	\$4,000,000.00	(5 yrs.) \$25,500,000	\$5,100,000
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	Approximately \$5,000,000 - part of which is non-urgent because of deferrment resulting from current restrictions.		

8. **REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE ARCHITECT OR WERE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS:**

(a) **Three Projects Not Exceeding Cost of \$300,000:**

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Richmond Hospital	\$250,000.00	Richmond, Ind.	State of Indiana

(b) **Three Projects Costing From \$300,000 to \$1,000,000:**

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
School of Business	\$570,000.00	Bloomington, Ind.	Indiana Univ.
Paramount Theatre	\$450,000.00	Ft. Wayne, Ind.	Loop Realty C

(c) **Three Projects Costing Over \$1,000,000:**

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Lincoln Tower	\$1,300,000.00	Ft. Wayne	Lincoln Nat'l Bank
Auditorium Bldg.	1,370,000.00	Bloomington, Ind.	Indiana Univ.
Casad Ord. Depot	4,000,000	New Haven, Ind.	U. S. Government
Indiana Hotel	1,500,000	Ft. Wayne	Fox Realty Co.
Charleston Housing	3,500,000	Charleston, Ind.	U. S. Government

9. PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS:

The author submits herewith photographs or photostats (size 8" x 10") of several buildings for which he has been the Architect, as follows: (N.C.A.R.B. presentation acceptable.)

Three (3) photographs covering eighteen views of work, part of examination exhibit and N.C.A.R.B. senior exhibit.

10. COLLABORATION WITH JUNIOR ARCHITECTS:

- (a) If an established individual or firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals which would permit junior architects to qualify and help further their professional careers?

Yes

- (b) If in private practice at this time, name associates (if additional architects are to be added to your organization) for the purpose of qualifying:

- (c) If not in private practice at this time, name established architect or firm with whom you have agreed to collaborate, for the purpose of qualifying:

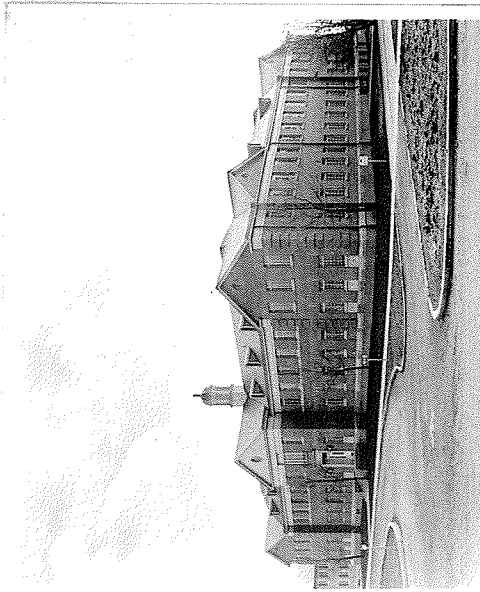
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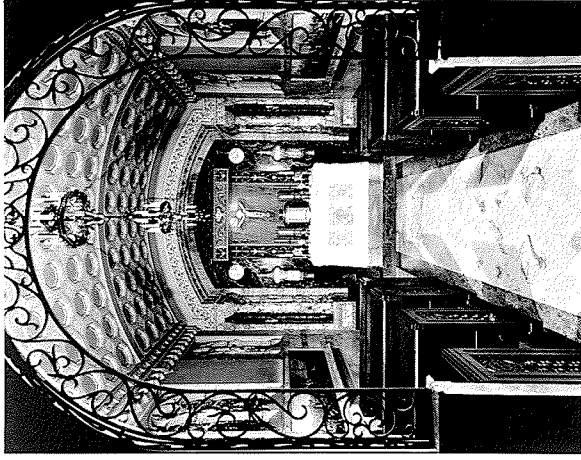
I/We hereby certify that the above is a true statement of facts.

Name of Firm or Individual A. M. Strauss, Architect

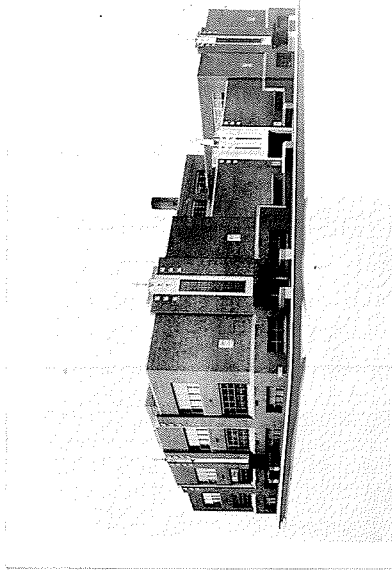
Signed by all Principals: *A. M. Strauss*



HOSPITAL BUILDING - INDIANA STATE HOSPITAL - RICHMOND, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 275,000



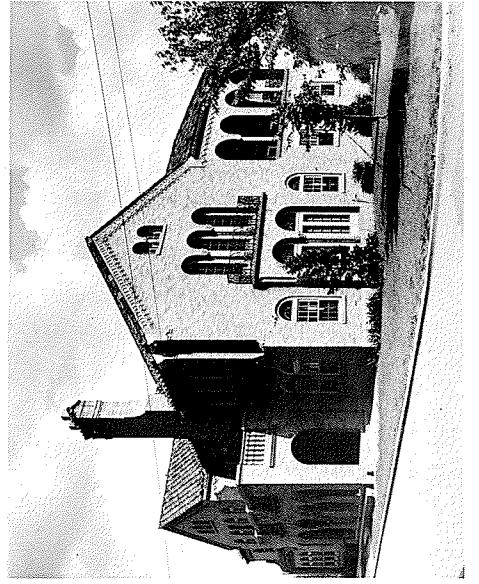
PRIVATE CHAPEL - MOST REV. JOHN F. NOLL - BISHOP OF FT. WAYNE
APPROX. COST \$ 20,000



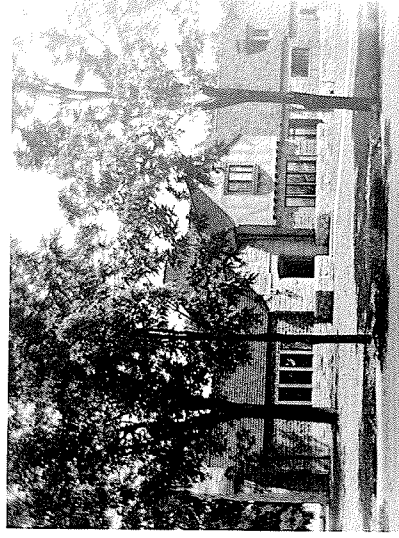
CATHOLIC CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL - FT. WAYNE, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 500,000



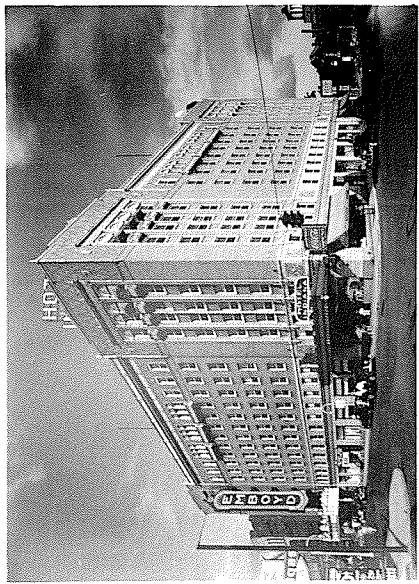
RESIDENCE - MR. J. S. ZIMMER - WARSAW, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 50,000



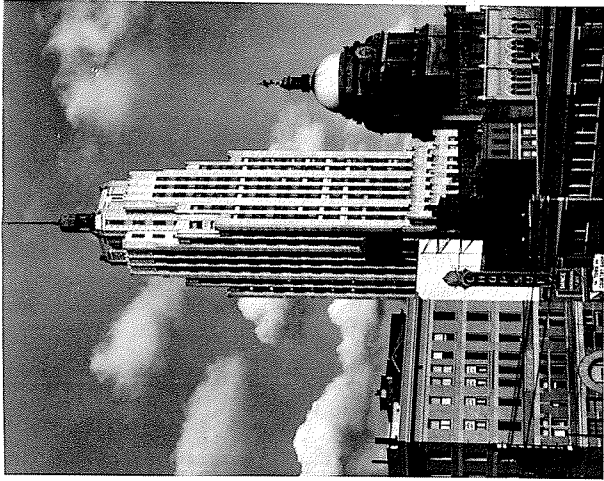
TYPICAL DORMITORY - ST. VINCENT ORPHANS HOME - CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF FT. WAYNE
APPROX. COST \$ 60,000



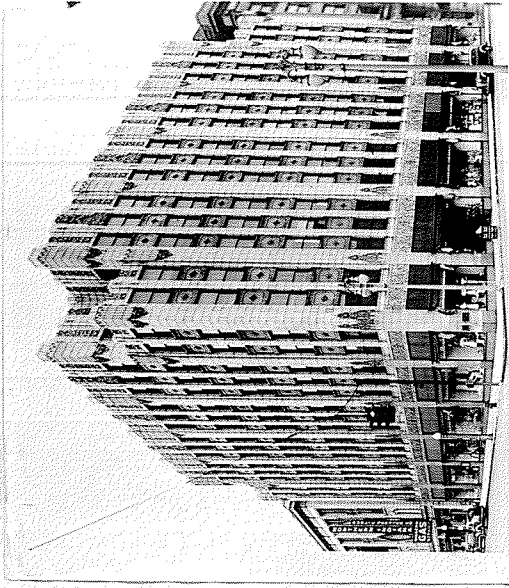
RESIDENCE - MR. O. F. BRADY - PAYNE, OHIO
APPROX. COST \$ 35,000



INDIANA HOTEL and EMBOYD THEATRE
BUILDING ~ FT. WAYNE, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 1,250,000



LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK
BUILDING ~ FT. WAYNE, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 1,350,000



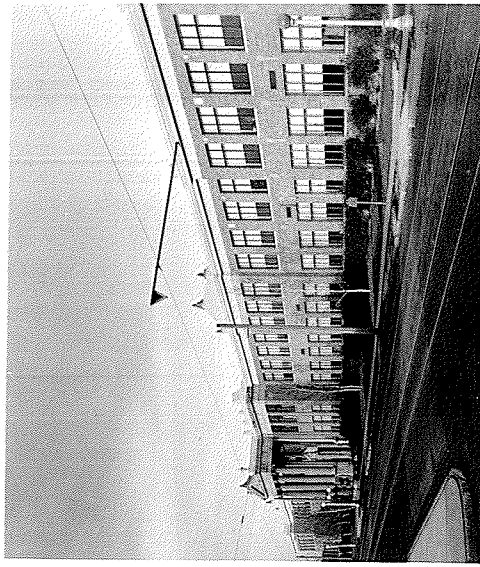
GRAND LEADER DEPARTMENT
STORE ~ FT. WAYNE, IND.
APPROX. COST \$ 400,000



PARTIAL VIEW - MAIN BUILDING -
ST. VINCENT ORPHAN'S HOME
CATHOLIC DIOCESE OF FT. WAYNE
APPROX. COST \$ 400,000

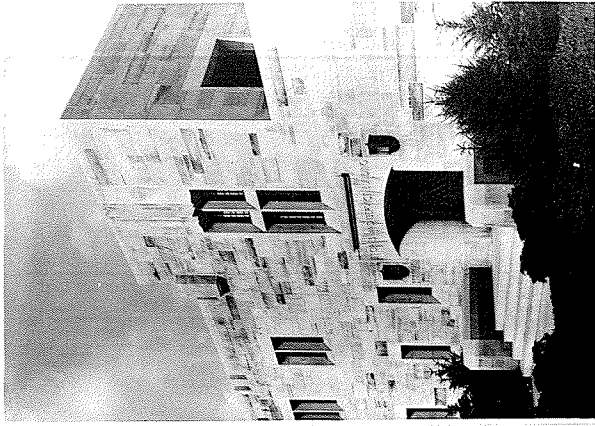


INTERIOR VIEW - LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK

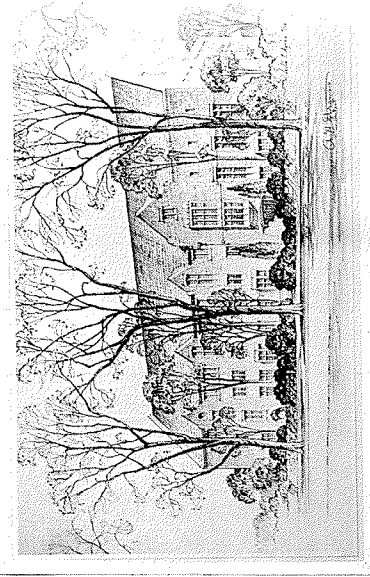


SOUTH SIDE HIGH SCHOOL ~ FT. WAYNE, INC
APPROX. COST \$ 1,000,000

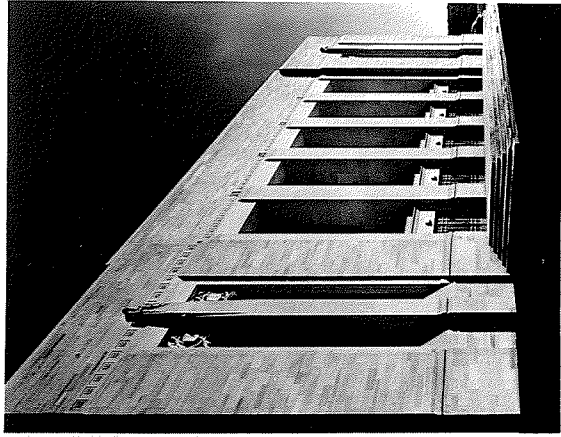
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ENTRANCE DETAIL - SERVICE and STORES BUILDING - INDIANA UNIVERSITY - BLOOMINGTON, IN. APPROX. COST \$100,000



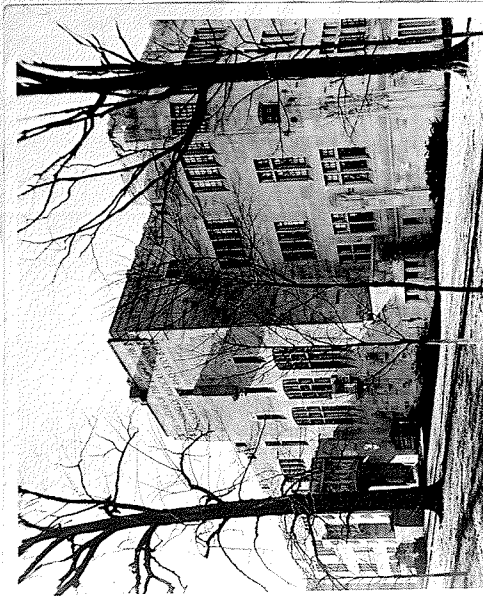
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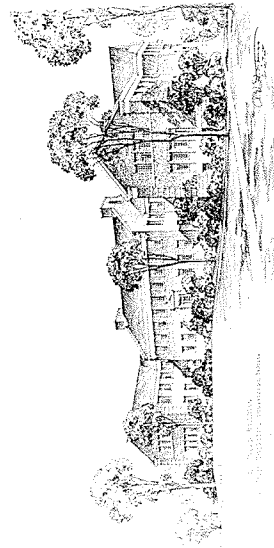
ENTRANCE FACADE - AUDITORIUM INDIANA UNIVERSITY - BLOOMINGTON, IN. APPROX. COST \$1,350,000 (EGGERS & HIGGINS - ASSOCIATE ARCHITECTS)



SCHOOL OF BUSINESS - INDIANA UNIVERSITY BLOOMINGTON, IN. APPROX. COST \$550,000



MEDICAL BUILDING - INDIANA UNIVERSITY BLOOMINGTON, IN. APPROX. COST \$500,000



MEN'S INFIRMARY WARD BUILDING - INDIANA STATE HOSPITAL - LOGANSPORT, IN. APPROX. COST \$250,000

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