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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS CHICAGO CHAPTER CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

November 20, 1931.

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Mr. E. C. Kemper, 1741 New York Ave., Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am attaching to this letter the application of Mr. Alfred Shaw accompanied by check for \$50.00 for Institute Membership.

Privileged communications were requested in accordance with the prescribed form and no unfavorable communications have been received.

Yours truly,

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Application for Membership

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To the Secretary of The American Institute of Architects.	<i>,</i>
I hereby apply for Membership in The American Institute of Arc	hitects, and certify that the following state-
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Address 1417 Railway Exchange Bullding, Ch.	reago, IIIInors
Number and Street.] Place and date of birthBoston, Mass	1895
Graduate in architecture	
Give name of institution and year. Diploma or Certificate of graduation	
Holder of Scholarship in architecture	e, 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 Ecole des Beaux Arts	λ
[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 re	gistered, state reasons.

If practicing architect, firm name Graham, Anderson, I	Probst & White
Have been in practice 6 years. If draughtsman, employed by	
Collegiate and office training.	
I further agree, if elected to membership in The American Institut bership shall cease, either by my own resignation or by any action take relinquish all rights of any character that I may have acquired by reas or personal, of The American Institute of Architects, and of the Chap member.	n by the Institute, I will then, by that fact, on of sach membership in the property, real
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I hereby certify that the signer of this application was duly elected	[Signature of Applicant.
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Chapter, A. I. A., on the following date	(Signature of the Secretary of the chapter.)
If the applicant is not an Associate, the following acknowledge	
Without endorsement I hereby take note on behalf of my	chapter that this applicant is applying for
Institute membership (3)	
We, the undersigned members of the American Institute of Archi statement by the applicant and believe it to be correct. We know the work and practice warrant his admission to Membership.	tects, have carefully examined the foregoing e applicant personally, and consider that his
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March 3, 1932.

Dear Mr. Shaws

Acting for the Secretary, I am pleased to advise you of your election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, effective February 27, 1932.

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

A Membership Card is enclosed herewith.

An engrossed Certificate of Membership in The American Institute of Architects 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. Alfred Shaw, A. I. A., 1417 Railway Exchange Building, Chicago, Illinois.

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March 7, 1932.

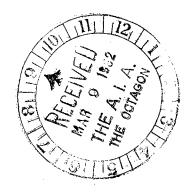
Mr. Edward C. Kemper, The American Institute of Architects, The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Kemper:

I acknowledge with thanks your notification of my election to membership in The American Institute of Architects, and I wish to express my appreciation of your invitation to avail myself of the services of your office. Believe me,

Cordially yours,

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THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS Jury of Fellows

Nº NF 142

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NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP

CASE RECORD

- 1. Name of Nominee Alfred Phillips Shaw Date of Nomination Dec. 28, 1943
- 2. Address of Nominee 80 East Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois
- 3. Nominee's firm Shaw, Naess and Murphy
- 4. Nominee's principal place of business Chicago, Illinois
- 5. Nominee's Chapter Chicago Chapter
- 6. Nominee's State Association Member
- 7. Nominee admitted to Institute 1932

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8. Nominee has been in good standing in Institute from

- 1932 to
- 1943

- 9. Nominee's age 48 yrs. Birthplace Boston, Massachusetts
- 10. Nominators: Chicago Chapter Executive Committee

11. Achievement in design and science of construction.

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CHICAGO CHAPTER THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

December 23, 1943

The Jury of Fellows, A. I. A., 1741 New York Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C., (6)

Gentlemen:

Mr. Alfred Shaw, who has been nominated by the Executive Committee of this Chapter for advancement to Fellowship in the Institute, has been in good standing in the Chapter for ten consecutive years preceeding December 1, 1943.

Yours sincerely,

M. H. Tunst

Secretary, Chicago Chapter, A. I. A.

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CONFIDENTIAL

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

NOMINATION FOR FELLOWSHIP BY CHAPTER

THE JURY OF FELLOWS The Octagon, 1741 New York Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Dec. 28. Date

Chicago

The Executive Committee of this Chapter, at a duly called meeting on Nov. 9. 19 43 Alfred Phillips Shaw. nominated* 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* Alfred Phillips Shaw, a member of this Chapter, has made so notable a contribution to the advancement of the profession because of his achievement in** Architectural design, Science that he is worthy of fellowship in The Institute; and of construction.

"Whereas, said member has been in good standing in this Chapter fort consecutive years immediately prior to this date; therefore be it

"Resolved, That!! The American Institute of Architects, does hereby nominate*

Alfred Phillips Shaw, 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."

Elected 1932

Chapter,

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

Type

BIOGRAPHICAL STATISTICS

- 1. Nominee's full name Alfred Phillips Shaw
- 2. Strike out in-appropriate word and write in name of Country.
- 2. Nominee is a natural naturalized citizen of United States
- 64 E. Elm Street 3. Nominee's legal residence
- 4. Nominee's firm name Shaw Naess and Murphy
- 5. Nominee's principal place of business, address 80 E. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago
- e in "N.C. B." or of State
- 6. Nominee is registered or licensed to practice architecture by Illinois
- 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 May 13, 1895 . Place of birth Boston, Massachusetts
- 9. Nominee's schools, colleges and universities:

Location

No. of Year of Graduation

Degree

High School

Private School St. Johns Pre-) Danvers, paratory School) Mass.

College or University

College or University

Boston Architectural

Post Graduate at Art Atelier

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Scholarships held

10. Other data concerning nominee's record.

Instructor and critic in design - Boston Architectural Art Atelier for two years.

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

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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.

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENT IN SCIENCE OF CONSTRUCTION

1. Construction Work

Type of Work Constructed Identification of Work

Location of Work

Completed Construction Work (Year)

Photographs, Drawings, or Sketches Submitted

Type in last column to right the number submitted in each case. lst Lt. Air Service AEF 1917-19 - Air Fields & Assemble Plants (France)
Consulting Architect - Chicago Subway

2. Books, Treatises, or Articles Written

Subject Title

Where Published

Date Published

An Architect in Hoover's Legion (Dalmatia)

American Architect

1919

Architecture Underground -Illinois Society
of Architects Bulletin 1943

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.

Originated use of Aluminated Aluminun on escalators at Marshall Field & Company, Chicago.

Originated use of Aluminum on sprndrels - Koppers Bldg., Pittsburgh

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.)

Member of Advisory Committee for reorganizing Architectural Department of Illinois Institute of Technology (then Armour Institute).

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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.)

Book, Treatise or Article	Subject	Name of Book or Periodical Containing Work	Year Work Published
An Architect in Ho Legion (Dal		American Architect	1919
Architecture Under	ground	Illinois Society of Architects	1943

NOMINEE'S ACHIEVEMENTS IN SERVICE TO THE INSTITUTE

1. State fully the nominee's signal service to The Institute, his chapter, or his state association, 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.

Regional Director, Illinois-Wisconsin Distric to complete term of John Fugard.

Vice President, Chicago Chapter 1941-42

President, Chicago Chapter 1943-44

Chairman, Membership Committee, National A.I.A. 1935(?)

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.

With Allied Food Administration, Dalmatia, 1918-19

Member Chicago Plan Commission 1931 to reorganize

At present - member Chicago Plan Advisory Committee

Chairman Committee on Plan of Chicago - Commercial Club

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333 North Michigan Avenue

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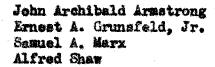
December 29, 1943

The Jury of Fellows
The American Institute of Architects
1741 New York Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Frederick H. Meyer, Chairman

Gentlemen:

I have received a letter from the Executive Committee of the Chicago Chapter advising me that the following members have been nominated for advancement to Fellowship:



These men have been known to me for many years, their work is distinguished, and they have contributed much to the advancement of the profession of architecture. They are abundantly qualified for the honor of Fellowship, and I trust that their nomination will be favorably acted upon by the Jury.

Yours very truly,

(s) George Wallace Carr

G#C: HJ

J. FLETCHER LANKTON John N. Ziegele

Beverly Theatre Bldg. Peoria 5, Illinois

January 4, 1943

The Jury of Fellows 1741 New York Avenue, N. Washington 6, D. C.

Jen**tlene**n:

Please refer to the release of December 27, 1943 issued to members of the Chicago Chapter, A.I.A. by W. H. Furst, Secretary, in reference to the nomination of:

John Archibald Armstrong George Wallace Carr Ernest A. Grunsfeld, Jr. Samuel A. Marx Alfred Shaw

as Fellows in the A.I.A.

It is my recommendation that these five men be advanced to Fellowship in The Institute as recommended.

Sincerely,

/s/ J. Fletcher Lankton

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FROM THE OFFICE OF HOLSMAN AND HOLSMAN, ARCHITECTS, 140 SOUTH DEARBORN STREET, CHICAGO

December 29, 1943

Mr. Frederick H. Meyer Chairman, Jury of Fellows 1741 New York, N.W. Washington, D. C.

Dear Sire

I am asked by our Chapter Secretary to write a confidential "privileged communication" respecting the following nominations for Fellowship:

John A. Armstrong George Wallace Carr Ernest A. Grunsfeld, Jr., Samuel A. Marx Alfred Shaw

I can heartily endorse the first two on personal knowledge as being high class architects in respect of character and civic and social disposition and of proven talent in design and building knowledge, to the extent that such recognition by the A.I.A. will be acclaimed with pleasure and approval by their confreres and the local if not national laymen public.

I can not disapprove nor approve the last two in the above terms. Their civic, social and architectural works of outstanding merit, if any, have not been locally conspicuous.

I can not endorse for official honor and distinction a man who proclaims himself to be medicare in all categories, and the initiation and continuation of whose career depends upon the support and continual push into prominent positions and jobs by relatives and their associates for reasons apparently other than architectural merit. Such official recognition might easily rebound to the detriment of the architectural profession, as I believe it has in a former similar recognition.

Yours truly,

(s) Henry K Holsman, FAIA

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.



April 20, 1944

Lear Mr. Shawt

SARAN ALAMAR

It is my privilege to advise you of your election as a Fellow of The American Institute of Architects by action of the Jury of Fellows at its meeting in Milwaukee on March 9, 1944.

Notice of your election is being sent to the Chicago Chapter.

A certificate of advancement to Fellowship will be sent to you or presented to you in due course - depending upon procedure to be determined by The Board of Directors at its annual meeting the latter part of the current menth.

The Officers and Directors of The Institute join me in extending to you their congratulations.

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. Alfred Shaw, F.A.I.A. 1661 Railway Exchange Euilding Chidago, Illinois

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



May 11, 1944

Dear Mr. Shaw:

Under the established procedure of The Institute, the photographs which accompanied the proposal of your name for advancement to Fellowship are returned to you, herewith.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary to The Jury of Fellows

Mr. Alfred Shaw, F.A.I.A. 1661 Railway Exchange Building Chicago, Illinois

K/g Enclosures

By Registered Mail

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SHAW NAESS AND MURPHY ARCHITECTS

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The American Institute of Architects

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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April 28, 1944

Mr. Alexander C. Robinson, III, The American Institute of Architects, 1741 New York Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Robinson:

This will acknowledge your letter of April 20th and express my appreciation to the Officers and Directors of The Institute, as well as to yourself, for the election to Fellowship.

Needless to say, the honor is deeply appreciated.

Yours very truly,

Ned O/Law

THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

THE OCTAGON, WASHINGTON, D. C.



March 26, 1945

Dear Mr. Shaws

Customarily certificates of election to Fellowship in The Institute are presented with ceremony at an annual convention.

As no convention was held in 1944 all certificates were held for presentation in 1945.

Because of a recent governmental ruling, the 1945 convention will be a limited one. The annual dinner at which the ceremony of presenting Fellowship certificates usually occurs must be omitted.

Therefore, The Executive Committee is requesting the chapters of The Institute to receive and present the Fellowship certificates.

The recipients of the honor have been notified by The Institute, their citations have been published in the Journal, and the delivery of the certificates remains to be made.

In view of these conditions The Executive Committee of The Institute requests the President of each chapter to arrange for a presentation, at some appropriate meeting of the chapter - and with the suggestion that the Regional Director be invited to participate if that is feasible.

We send herewith the Fellowship certificates and citations by The Jury of Fellows, signed by The Secretary of The Institute for each of the following:

Ernesé A. Grunsfeld, Jr.

Alfred Shaw

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If you will receive these documents as President of the Chapter and bring about their delivery along the lines indicated above, The Institute will indeed appreciate your courtesy and help.

By direction of The Secretary,

Sincerely yours,

Executive Secretary

ECK:dd Enclosures

Mr. Alfred P. Shaw, President Chicago Chapter, A.I.A. 1661 Railway Exchange Building Chicago, Illinois ALFRED SHAW CHICAGO CHAPTER

Admitted to The Institute in 1932, he has been advanced to Fellowship in The American Institute of Architects for his achievement in design. He has shown great skill in composition, color, and in selection of material as evidenced by his executed work.

Secretary

Shar, alfred

Jon M. Jonkel Counsel in Public Relations 26 E. Huron St., Chicago WHitehall 4-6164 (From Bill Webb) RESEARCH FOUNDATION 3-3-50

for immediate release

Alfred Shaw, prominent Chicago architect; has been appointed a director of Research Foundation, it was announced today by Park Livingston, president of the board of directors.

Research Foundation is the local non-profit group subsidizing production and distribution of the anti-tuberculosis vaccine, BCG, at Tice Laboratory, Chicago.

Designer of the Merchandise Mart, Field building, Museum of Science and Industry, Florsheim Shoe building, and most recently the Bonwit Teller structure on Chicago's "Magnificent Mile", Shaw is a member of the firm, Shaw, Metz and Dolio, 208 S. LaSalle st. He resides at 64 E. Elm st.

"The purpose of Research Foundation, advancement of the cause of preventive medicine, is one deserving the interest and effort of this city's citizens," Shaw said. "The Foundation is now concentrating its full energies against tuberculosis which annually costs our people \$350,000,000 and kills 50,000 Americans in the prime of life. Through the use of BCG vaccine tuberculosis can be smashed before it starts. The elimination of the White Plague in the United States is our objective."

More than ten million vaccinations of BCG have been given in Europe where the World Health Organization and UNICEF (United Nations International Childrens Emergency Fund) are now engaged in history's largest mass immunization campaign.

Twenty-four nations are cooperating in programs which will provide tuberculin tests for fifty million children and young adults in Europe in the near future.

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April 7, 1959

Mr. Alfred Shaw, F.A.I.A. 208 South Le Salle Street Chicago 4. Illinois

Dear Al:

Many thanks for yours of April 2nd, a most generous, thoughtful and veloces gesture.

Your gift will be brought to the attention of The Board. Possibly they will get the Rolls Royce for themselves and not let the Jury have it.

Cordially yours,

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

CC: Mr. Wolverton, v/f

BC: EDR File - call attention to The Board, amount \$125.00

P. S. - We have just noticed that you did not endorse the check over to The Institute and we are enclosing it for that purpose.

Membiers. Skan, Willest.

FILE COPY - PLEASE RETURN

April 21, 1959

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Mr. Thomas D. Broad, Chairman The Jury of Fellows The American Institute of Architects 1807 Commerce Street Dallas 1, Texas

Dear Ton:

I have yours of the 15th enclosing the original of Al Shaw's letter to you of April 9th.

We will process this. Sorrowfully I might add. I did not know that Al was contemplating resigning. Wink had written to me sometime before the meeting of The Jury. I rather suspect he may have found the going a little strenuous.

Carroll had a most touching letter from his wife.

With my best to you

Sincerely,

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

CC: Miss Gervais, v/f



THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

Descript 17, 1970

Miss Shirley Matters Chicago, Chapter, AlA 101 South Spaker Wrive Chicago, Illinois 660%

> Re: Deeth of Mr. Alfred P. Shew, FAIA, on Recenter 1, 1970

Dear Man Sections:

We are very sorry to learn of the death of the member indicated above.

For The Institute's Baldwin Memorial Archive records, it would be appreciated if you would have the enclosed forms filled in. Two copies should be returned to The Institute and the third copy is for the Chapter's files.

Sincerely yours,

Maureen Marx, Director Membership Procedures

MM:bjm Enclosures NO. _____

BALDWIN MEMORIAL ARCHIVE of American Architects

Name:

Alfred Phillips Shaw

of (address)

910 Lake Shore Drive, Chicago, III.

Born:

May 13, 1895

at Boston, Mass.

Died: December 1, 1970 at

Chicago, III.

Parents:

Enoch and Ellen (Phillips)

and

Married:

Rue Winterbotham

of Chicago, III.

on June 1, 1932

Children:

Patrick Phillips and Joseph Winterbotham

Education:

Public Schools, Boston; St. John's Preparatory School, 1907-11, Boston Architectural

Club Atelier, 1911-17.

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

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

Other Affiliations: (Religious, Fraternal, Political, Social)

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

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

SHAW, Airred Phillips, architect; b. Boston, Mass., May 13, 1895; s. Enoch and Ellen (Phillips) S.; ed. public schools; Boston; St. John's Preparatory Sch., 1907-11, Beston Architectural Club Ateller, 1911-17; m. Rue Winterbotham, June 1, 1032; 2 sons, Patrick Phillips, Joseph Winterbotham, June 1, 1032; 2 sons, Patrick Phillips, Joseph Winterbotham, Architects offices in Bostoni and New York; Drivate Practice, Boston, 1912-218; Junior partner Erness Graham, 1929-37, asso. 1d, design of Pennsylvanis Rallroad Station, Phila; Merchandise Mart. Hibbard. Spencer, Bartlett & Co., Old Heidelberg, Field Bldg., Chicago; Chase Nat. Bank, New York; Koppers Bldg., Pittsburgh. Served as 2d ileut., Air Service, U.S. Army, A.E.F., World War I; interallied food adminstr. South Dalmatia, Jan. Sept. 1919. Partner Shaw, Naess & Murphy, architects U.S. Air Base, Bermuda; U.S. Naval Depots at McAlester, Okla. Earle, N.J., E. Bangor, Wash, Aitgeld Gardens, Chicago Sun, Museum of Science and Industry, Chicago: Chatham Park; Ida B. Wells Housing; Women's Residence Halls, U. of Ill.; partner with Shaw, Metz and Dollo since 1948, architects for Florshelm Shoc Co., U.S. A.E.C. Argonne Nat. Lab., Chicago Park District, Chicago Housing Authority, Midwest. Inter-Library Center, Nash Kelvinator, etc.; partner of Shaw Metz and Assos., architects Robert Taylor Homes, Zenith Radio Corp., chers; chief architect for McCormick Place, Chicago; consultant AEC, Los Alamos, N.M., 1951-54; men. policy bd. Architect Engineers Spanish Bases for design U.S. Air Naval baves in Spain; now senior partner Airca Shaw & Assos., architects for Chgo. Flies Chos, Fire Stas., Monvoe, Wabash, Adams Office Bldg. (all: Chgo.), Post Office, Springsfield, Liliosis, and Sports Center, in Oak Brook, Illinois, chus. Chiqago, Coorming mem.), Chgo, Hist. Soc. (Chicago); Players (N.Y.). Home: 910 Lake Schore Dr., Chogo, Flores (N.Y.). Home: 910 Lak

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

ALFRED SHAW - most outstanding characteristics -- courage ... foresight ... perseverance ... gentleman ... scholar ... genlus! Mr. Shaw left behind him many architectural monuments of which the City of Chicago can be proud. To name a few: The United of America Building, Merchandise Mart, Field Building, McCormick Place, Morton Wing of the Art Institute, Continental Plaza Hotel, and the 49-story Mid-Continental Plaza Office Complex now under construction. Also, four air bases and two naval bases in Spain.

In 1919 he was a representative of the inter-allied Food Administration in Central Dalmatia and the American Commission to Negotiate Peace with headquarters in Spalato, Dalmatia, for which he was decorated by the government of Jugoslavia. He was a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects, and a governing member of the Art Institute of Chicago and the Chicago Historical Society.

He was a world-wide traveller with lifetime friendships in countries all over the world.

thebisies and special interests are landscaping, verse and painting.

rive. Show has served an National Architectural Juries and lectured throughout the country as well as in Paris where he addressed the "Urbanism" section of the Sarkonne at the invitation of the Committee on Social Thought of the University of Chicago.

The Citation of Marit was awarded him in 1963 for "Excellence in Architecture" for the United of America Building; also in 1956 for the Argonne National Luberatories, U.S. Atomic Energy Commission.

Principal Commissions: (Classified, with locations and Reference Data) (Above)

Compiled by:

India E. Sundblom, Former Secretary to Alfred Shaw

Date:

January 21, 1971

Acknowledgements: