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CITY OF Bluefield. 3
 STATE OF West Virginia.
 DATE May 6, 1946.

W. J. Garry

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

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1. (a) **FIRM** (individual or partnership) Robert A. Sheffey, A. I. A., Architect.
 (Martin J. Garry, Deceased)
- (b) **FORMER FIRM**, if any Garry & Sheffey, Architects. (Robert A. Sheffey.)
2. **BUSINESS ADDRESS** 614-616 Appalachian Building, Bluefield, West Virginia.
3. **YEAR ESTABLISHED** Garry & Sheffey, 1920.. Robert A. Sheffey, 1941.

4. PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>Robert A. Sheffey.</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** February 1, 1892.
- (b) **Education** Graduate Lynchburg, Virginia, High School, 1910
Attended Randolph-Macon College, Ashland, Va., '10 - '12.
Student College of Architecture, Cornell University, '12-'16.
Graduate Cornell University, Bach. of Architecture, 1916.
Sorbonne Det. A. E. F., Paris, France, 1919.

- (c) **Experience Prior to Own Practice**
 (Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)
Frye & Chesterman, Arch'ts., Lynchburg, Va. App. draftsman '10
McLaughlin & Johnson, Arch'ts., " " " " '12-'15
Heard & Cardwell, Arch'ts. Danville, Va. draftsman, 1916
Alex. B. Mahood, Arch't. Bluefield, W. Va. draftsman & designer
and part partner '17, and '19.

- (d) **Commenced Practice** Full partner of Garry & Sheffey, Architects, 1920

- (e) **Number of Years a Principal** Twenty six (26)

(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

West Virginia License No. 24, November 23, 1921.

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

Vice-President West Virginia Society of Architects.

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

Entered service May 10, 1918.
A. E. F. France July 6, '18- July '19.
Headquarters Company, 54th, Infantry, 6th. Division.

(i) **Civic Activities** Charter Member Bluefield Post No. 9, The American Legion.

Past Commander Bluefield Post No. 9, The American Legion.
Charter Member Bluefield Kiwanis Club.
Past President Bluefield Kiwanis Club.

5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS** Morris Brown, Pittsburgh; Henry Mills, Bristol, Va and others at times, or in office.

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Local or in office, and occasionally others.
Business Address

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS** Local or in office, and occasionally others.

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS** Local or in office, and occasionally others.

Name of Firm or Individual
Business Address

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual None regularly.
Business Address

6. OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:

(Append extra sheet if necessary)

Work has consisted of regular practice, with a number of schools, hospitals, public buildings, hotels, office buildings, etc.

7. SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930-1940	\$350,000.00	\$3,197,000.00	\$319,700.00
Work Completed 1941-1946	\$420,000.00	\$ 971,000.00	\$194,200.00
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	\$403,000.00	\$ 550,000.00	

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
Appalachian Electric Power Co. Bldg.	\$300,000.00	Bluefield, W. Va.	State of West Virginia
Pinecrest Sanitarium	\$265,000.00	Beckley, W. Va.	" " " "
Concord College Library	\$167,000.00	Athens, W. Va.	" " " "

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

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Ramsey Junior High Schools	\$500,000.00	Bluefield, W. Va.	Mercer County W. Va.
Pinecrest Sanitarium	\$420,000.00	Beckley, W. Va.	State of W. Va.

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

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Pinecrest Sanitarium	\$1,050,000.00	Beckley, W. Va.	State of West Va

(Note: The above consisted of three hospital units, with the total cost as indicated)

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.)

~~These will be furnished on request.~~

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, under certain conditions.

- (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:

None definite now.

- (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:

11.(a) I/We wish to be included in the Architects' Roster
do not wish to be

(b) I/We would like to be considered for the Register of Architects Qualified for Federal Public Works
do not wish to be

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

Name of Firm or Individual Robert A. Sheffey, A. I. A., Architect.

Signed by all Principals: Robert A. Sheffey