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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) G. Morris Whiteside 2nd
- (b) **FORMER FIRM**, if any Brown & Whiteside, Inc.  
2162 DuPont Building, Wilmington 41, Delaware
- 2. **BUSINESS ADDRESS** Brown & Whiteside, Inc. 1910; G. Morris Whiteside 2nd 1931.
- 3. **YEAR ESTABLISHED** " " " "

4. <b>PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS</b>	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>G. Morris Whiteside 2nd</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** July 7, 1884
- (b) **Education** Graduate, Philadelphia High School - 1901  
Graduate, University of Pennsylvania - 1905  
Post Graduate, Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts  
Post Graduate, Beaux Arts Institute of Design  
Post Graduate, American Academy, Rome, Italy

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

Various Philadelphia offices during 1901 through 1906,  
including William Charles Hays, and Cope & Stewardson.

- (d) **Commenced Practice** 1910

- (e) **Number of Years a Principal** Since 1910

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(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

Pennsylvania - #609-A - 11/30/21  
Delaware - #1-D - 9/21/33  
New Jersey - #A-2-1039 - 12/29/36  
Maryland - #347-R - 8/28/39

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

Delaware Chapter, American Institute of Architects, First  
President - 1932-34  
National Council of Architectural Registration Boards, since 1933.  
T-Square Club of Philadelphia; Torch Club of Delaware; Newcomer

(h) **Service in World Wars I and II.** (Append data if desired.) Society of England, American Branch

In conjunction with the United States Housing Corporation, 1918;  
War Housing 1942-44; contracts with the United States Engineers  
1942-44.

(i) **Civic Activities**

See Attached Sheet

**5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:**

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Louis H. Doane or Frank N. Kneas  
Business Address Pennsylvania Building 504 Woodland Terrace  
Wilmington, Delaware Philadelphia, Pa.

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Robert P. Schoenijahn or Eggly Engineers,  
Business Address Industrial Trust Building 1500 Walnut Street,  
Wilmington, Delaware Philadelphia, Pa.

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Robert P. Schoenijahn or Eggly Engineers,  
Business Address Industrial Trust Building 1500 Walnut Street,  
Wilmington, Delaware Philadelphia, Pa.

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual Robert P. Schoenijahn or Eggly Engineers  
Business Address Industrial Trust Building 1500 Walnut Street  
Wilmington, Delaware Philadelphia, Pa.

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual Wheelwright & Stevenson  
Business Address 225 S. 15th Street,  
Philadelphia, Pa.

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DU PONT BUILDING  
WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

4 (i) - Civic Activities:

A.I.A. Offices Held:

- 1926-28 - Committee on Plans for Washington & Environs.
- 1928-32 - Committee on The National Capital.
- 1933 - Delaware Member of Standing Committee on Building.
- 1935-38 - Member of Committee on Public Works.
- 1936-37 - Member of Committee on Housing.
- 1943 - Member of Committee on Post War Reconstruction.
- 1943 - Member of Committee on State & Municipal Public Works.
- 1945 - Elected Fellow

Delaware Chapter of A.I.A.:

- 3-30-32 - Acting President, presided over first meeting, and elected President
- 4-22-32 - Appointed on Membership Committee.
- 5-4-32 - Appointed to represent Chapter at meeting of contractors to stimulate building at Wilmington.
- 6-24-32 - Recommended for appointment to Institute Building Committee.
- 1-4-33 - Re-elected President of Chapter.  
Appointed to Local Advisory Committee of American Historic Buildings Survey.
- 1-10-34 - Elected to Executive Committee for two years.
- 2-7-34 - Appointed to Historic Buildings Committee.
- 3-1-34 - Appointed to Educational Committee.
- 10-3-34 - Appointed Chairman of a special committee to prepare a program and develop methods of educating the public regarding the services of an Architect.
- 11-7-34 - Appointed to Nominating Committee.
- 1-21-43 - Appointed to Public Relations Committee.  
Appointed to Committee on Civic Design.
- 1-12-44 - Appointed to Public Relations Committee.  
Appointed to Post War Reconstruction Committee, as Chairman.

Delaware State Board of Examiners and Registration of Architects:

- 1933 - Active in the movement of the passage of Registration Law, State of Delaware, with continuous membership on Board since this law was passed.
  - Appointed delegate and attended most of the Architectural Registration Board Conventions since adoption of Registration Law by the State of Delaware.
- 1943 - Member of Committee of Exhibits, National Council Registration Board

\*Numerous positions were held during the years 1935 to 1943 inclusive, but Minutes of the Delaware Chapter of A.I.A. are not available.

Civil Activities and Public Positions Held:

Delaware:

Delaware Advisor, Palos Verdes Art Jury, Art Appreciation - 1928.  
Works Progress Administration, Federal Art Project - Chairman for  
Delaware in 1935.  
Delaware Works Progress Administration's Projects - Advisory Committee.  
State of Delaware, Housing Commission - President 1937.  
Merit Badge Counselor in Architecture, Boy Scouts of America Inc.  
Member of Committee on New Castle County Regional Plan.

Wilmington:

Architectural Member, Trade School Model House in Wilmington - 1930-31.  
Chairman, Member of Committee on Charter Street, Wilmington Charter  
Centennial Week - 1931-32.  
Wilmington Zoning Commission - Secretary, 1932 to date.  
Director of Vocational Advisory Board of Wilmington Trade School - 1932-37.  
Wilmington, Mayor's Relief Commission - 1932.  
Wilmington, Academy of Fine Arts - Director, 1932-42.  
Wilmington, Mayor's Post War Planning Commission - Member, 1943.  
Wilmington, Mayor's Committee on City Planning - Chairman in 1938.  
Wilmington, Member of National Committee for Music Appreciation - 1939.  
Wilmington, Chamber of Commerce:-  
Director, 1928-32.  
Ex-officio Director, Chairman of the Real Estate & Buildings Trade  
Section - 1932-34.  
Chairman of Committee on Survey of City Approaches for Railroad, Motor Bus  
Terminals - 1934.  
Member of Committee to Study Building Code Changes - 1944.

Miscellaneous:

Associated Pennsylvania Clubs - Secretary, 1920.  
Associated Pennsylvania Clubs - Past Regional Vice President, 1942.  
Boys' Club of Delaware - Director since 1932.  
University of Pennsylvania:-  
General Alumni Society - Director.  
Delaware Alumni - President 1920-22.  
Valley Forge Committee - Member, 1926-44.  
General Alumni Society - Regional Vice President, 1941.  
Delaware Society of the Sons of the American Revolution- President 1933-35.  
Social Service Club of Wilmington - President, 1936.  
West End Reading Room Society of Wilmington - President, 1920.  
Lincoln Club of Wilmington - President, 1941-43.  
Wilmington Y.M.C.A. - Director since 1941.  
Wilmington Y.M.C.A. - Camp Committee 1941.  
Walnut Street Christian Association - House Committee, since 1942.  
Member of American Planning and Civic Association, since 1939.

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Business:

Modern Wall Construction Company - President, since 1933.  
Gracelawn Memorial Park, Inc. - Director, since 1935.  
First Federal Savings and Loan Association of New Castle County -  
Director and Vice President since 1938.

Memberships:

Delaware Art Center.  
Delaware Society for the Preservation of Antiquities.  
Masonic Bodies.  
Medalist Society.  
National Aeronautics Association.  
National Committee for Mental Hygiene, Inc.  
Quill & Grill Club of Wilmington, Delaware.  
Rotary Club, Wilmington, Delaware.  
University Club of Wilmington - President, 1931.  
Wilmington Club.

College Fraternity:

Alpha Tau Omega.

Professional Memberships:

American Institute of Architects - Elected and assigned to Philadelphia  
Chapter in 1920. Charter Member of Delaware Chapter - President in  
1932-34. Elected Fellow 1945.  
National Council of Architectural Registration Boards.  
Torch Club of Delaware, since 1932.  
T-Square Club, Philadelphia - Elected 1906.  
Newcomen Society of England, American Branch - 1944.

6. OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS My office is quite familiar with governmenta (Append extra sheet if necessary) department procedure having worked with the follow- ing departments in the number of contracts given for each:- P.W.A.-7; W.P.A.-3; F.W.A.-5; U.S.H.A.-2; F.P.H.A.-7; F.H.A-numerous projects; Treasury Department-1; U. S. Engineers Corps-3; we also collaborated with the U. S. Department of Agriculture through State Agencies.

7. SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930-1940	\$ 415,000.00	\$ 19,000,000.00	\$1,900,000.00
Work Completed 1941-1946	\$8,000,000.00	\$ 17,000,000.00	\$2,800,000.00
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	\$ 750,000.00	\$ 6,933,000.00	

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
First & Central Presbyterian Church	\$285,000.00	Wilmington, Del.	Same
Smyrna School	284,000.00	Smyrna, Del.	"
Wilmington General Hospital	277,000.00	Wilmington, Del.	"

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

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Tower Hill School	670,000.00	Wilmington, Del.	Same
Wilmington Y.M.C.A.	850,000.00	Wilmington, Del.	"
Walnut Street Christian Association	448,000.00	Wilmington, Del.	"

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

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Millside-Pennside (Housing)	2,027,228.00	Wilmington, Del.	F.P.H.A.
Dover Air Port	8,000,000.00	Dover, Delaware.	U.S.Army
Bigler, Little Neck (Housing)*	8,000,000.00	Philadelphia, Pa.	B.C.Burton

\*Death of Owner stopped work on project.

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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.)

- Tower Hill School - Wilmington, Delaware.
- Young Men's Christian Association - Wilmington, Delaware.
- First & Central Presbyterian Church - Wilmington, Delaware.
- Eastlake Housing Project - Wilmington, Delaware.
- Wilmington, Delaware - Walnut Street Christian Association
- 200 West Ninth Street - Wilmington, Delaware.

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~~ <sup>Architects now employed in my office.</sup> (if additional architects are to be added to your organization) for the purpose of qualifying:

- Joseph E. Carbonell Jr. - pending registration in Delaware.
- M. Reese Dill Jr. - Registered Architect, Delaware.
- Wm. G. Moeckel, - Registered Architect, Delaware.
- Edward M. Johnson - Registered Architect, Connecticut & New York.
- Wm. T. Allison - filed for Pennsylvania registration.

- (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~~

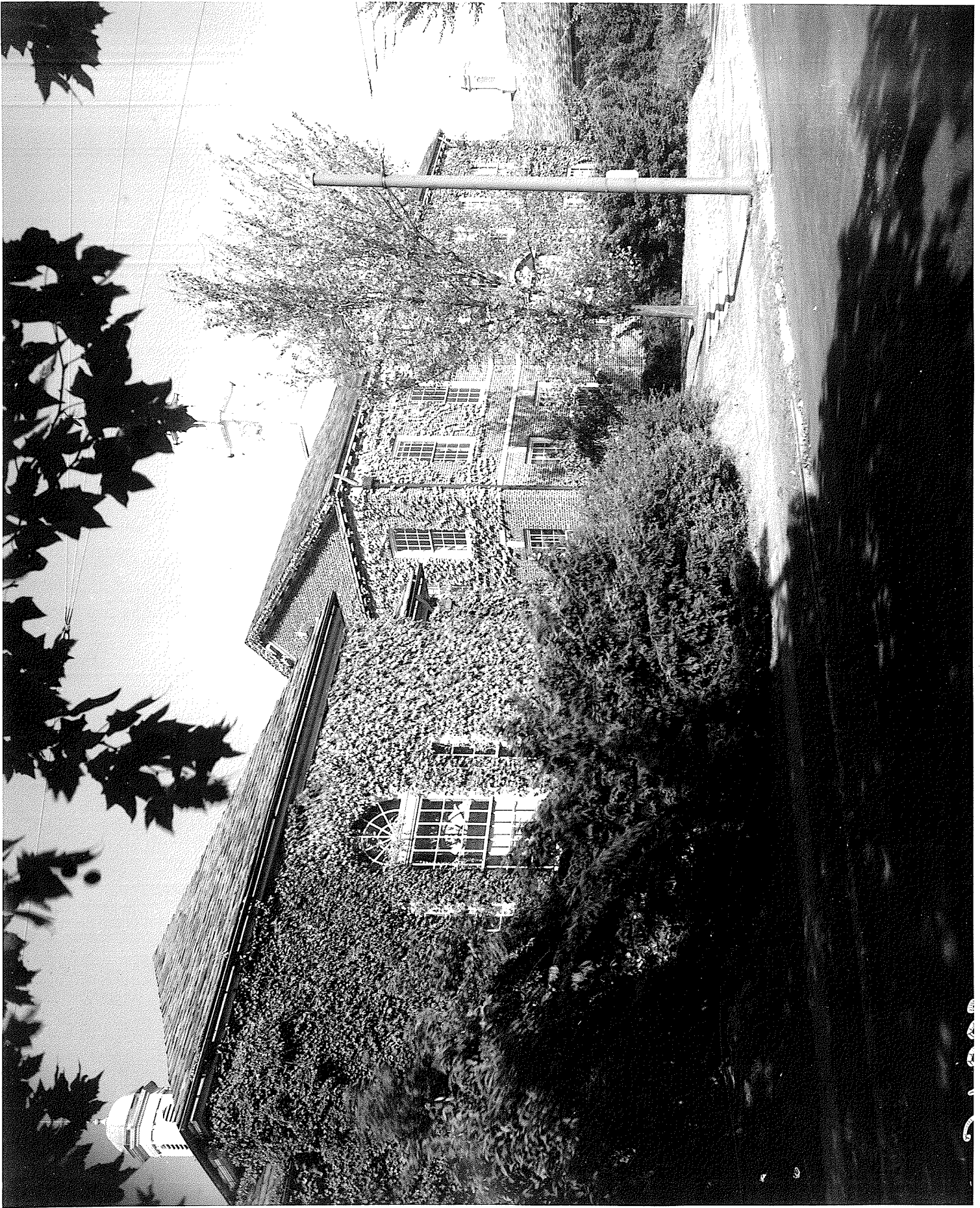
I/~~We~~ hereby certify that the above is a true statement of facts.

Name of Firm or Individual G. Morris Whiteside 2nd

Signed by all Principals: G. Morris Whiteside 2nd



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Tower Hill School, Wilmington, Delaware

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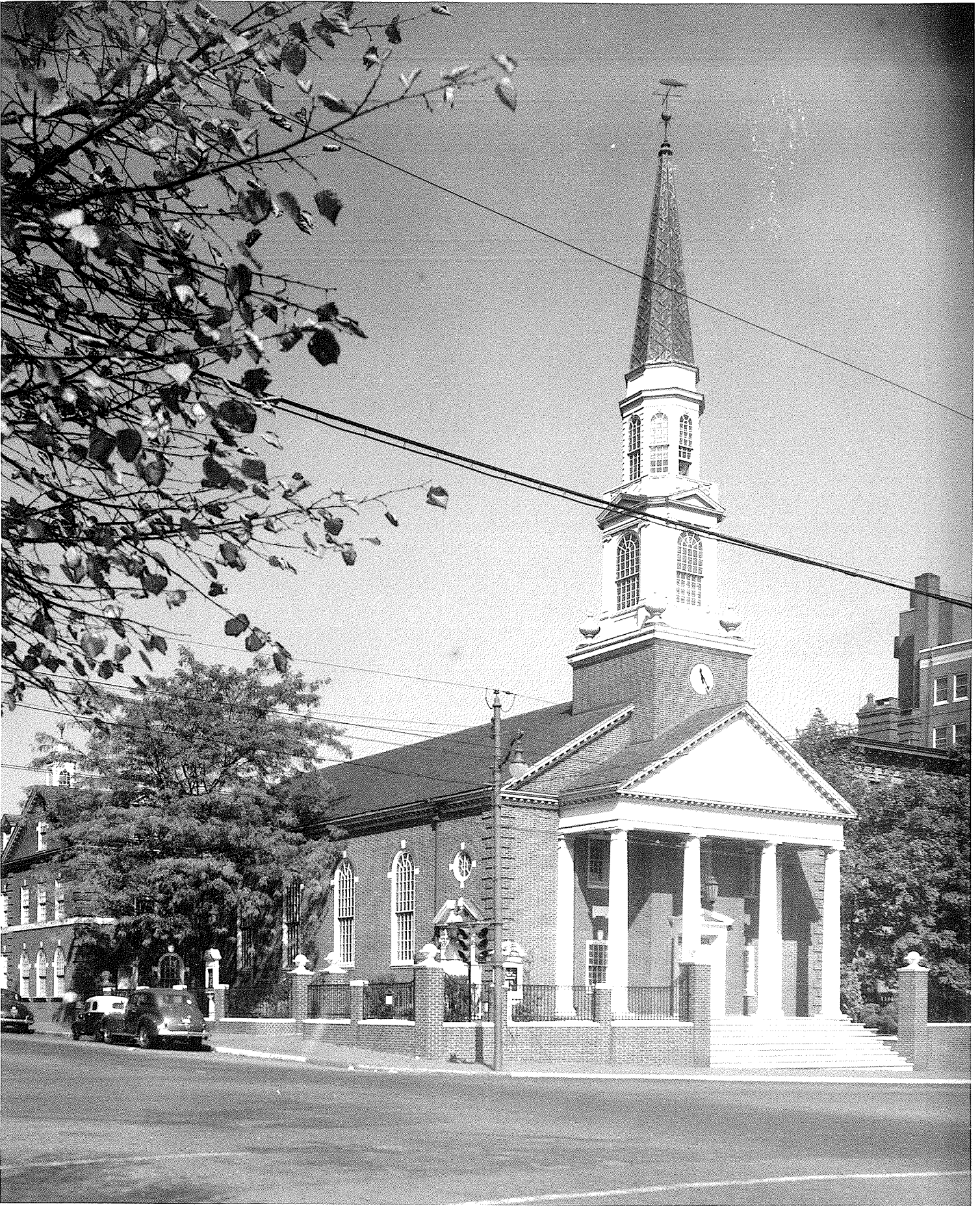




Y.M.C.A. - Wilmington, Delaware

*E. Morris Whiteside 20*  
*Architect*







First & Central Presbyterian Church  
Wilmington, Delaware

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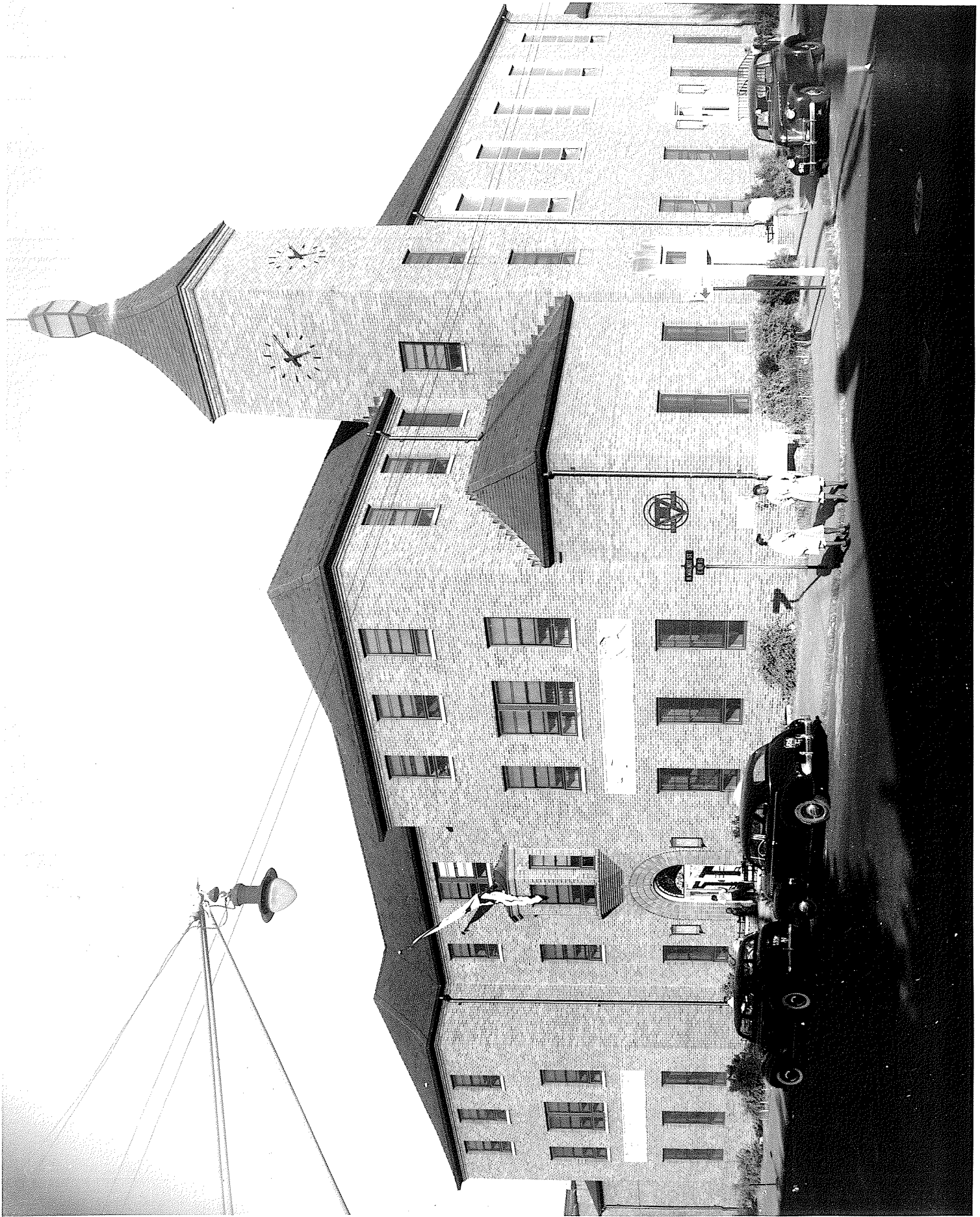




Eastlake Housing Project - Wilmington, Del.

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Walnut Street Christian Association  
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