

John Lane Evans, 1902-1994

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Archival Description

Descriptive Summary

- Title: Architectural Records, 1920-1982.
- Coll. ID: 067
- Origin: John Lane Evans (1902-1994), architect.
- Extent: 3034 architectural drawings (2113 originals, 921 prints);
275 photoprints; 12 photonegatives;
Boxed files 4.5 cubic feet;
1 architectural model.
- Repository: The Architectural Archives, University of Pennsylvania
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- Abstract: This is the primary archive of the architectural work of John Lane Evans. The largest part of the collection documents Evans's practice, including domestic, ecclesiastical and commercial projects as well as projects Evans supervised as City Architect of Philadelphia. The collection also contains 3 drawings made by Evans for projects of Paul Cret and numerous student drawings.
- Indexes: This collection is included in the Philadelphia Architects and Buildings Project, a searchable database of architectural research materials related to architects and architecture in Philadelphia and surrounding regions:
<http://www.philadelphiabuildings.org>
- Cataloging: Collection-level records for materials in the Architectural Archives may be found in RLIN Eureka, the union catalogue of members of the Research Libraries Group. The record number for this collection is PAUP01-A1.

Biographical/Historical Sketch

John Lane Evans was born in Philadelphia and graduated from West Philadelphia High School. He was trained at the University of Pennsylvania, earning a B.Arch. in 1924 and completing his M.Arch. the following year. He distinguished himself as a student, and was awarded a number of honors, including the AIA's student medal and the Arthur Spayd Brooke gold medal in 1924, and the John Stewardson traveling scholarship in 1925. Evans was made a teaching assistant in design while still an undergraduate.

Like many talented Penn architecture students, Evans began his professional career working in the office of Paul Cret before completing his degree, and continued there after his graduation. He established his own office in 1934, working as the principal architect for developer Dr. George Woodward in Chestnut Hill in exchange for rent during the lean years of the Depression. He joined the national AIA in 1939, and suspended his practice in 1942 for active duty in World War II, serving as an intelligence officer in the Naval Air Force in Pearl Harbor.

After the war, Evans returned to Philadelphia. In 1946 and 1947 he was associated with Sydney E. Martin, and then worked for Harbeson, Hough, Livingston & Larson for two years. In 1949, Evans resumed an independent practice. Several large projects for the City of Philadelphia in the 1950s presumably led to his appointment as city architect in April 1961. Evans succeeded George I. Lovatt who had resigned the previous year in the wake of controversy. Evans remained in that position until 1975, supervising the design of municipal buildings throughout this period.

Evans was made a fellow of the AIA in 1967. He was active in the profession, serving on several committees of the Philadelphia Chapter, as its vice president in 1965, and as a director in 1966 and 1967. He was also a director of the Pennsylvania Society of Architects between 1947 and 1950. Evans's wife Margaret (née Stimpson) was among the first women to graduate from the University of Pennsylvania's School of Fine Arts, earning her B.F.A. in 1925.

Scope and Content Note

This collection is the primary archive of the architectural work of John Lane Evans. The largest part of the collection comprises architectural records of Evans's practice, including domestic, ecclesiastical, civic and commercial projects in the Philadelphia region. In addition, the collection is rich in Evans's student drawings, which provide insight into the teaching of architectural design at the University of Pennsylvania during the period Louis I. Kahn and Norman Rice were students.

In addition to projects of Evans's own firm and his collaborations, projects of other architects are also found in the collection. Evans worked in Paul Cret's office as a young man, and his records preserve 3 drawings he made for Cret's projects. As City Architect of Philadelphia, Evans supervised projects of other architects and engineers, and his project files contain materials related to projects of the following: Vincent G. Kling; Harbeson, Hough, Livingston and Larson; Wright, Andrade, Amenta and Gane; Supowitz and Demchick; George M. Ewing Co.; Stonorov and Haws; Hugh A. Stubbins, Jr.

For most projects represented in this collection, job numbers assigned by Evans's office, are not available. Project-related materials are arranged in alphabetical order using short project names devised by the Architectural Archives. In most cases, a project for a personal client is named using the surname of the client, e.g., Johnson House.

Series Overview

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A full index to Evans's own projects is found in Appendix A.

Projects Evans supervised as City Architect are indexed in Appendix B.

Administrative Information

Restrictions on access: This collection is available for research by appointment only.

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Container list

Series I. Large Drawings

A. Student work

Call#	Descriptive Title
067.1	Student drawings 1920-1921 (22 drawings) Life drawing (hands & feet), May 7, 1920; life drawing (3 bodies); life drawing ; life drawing (bust), May 6, 1920; life drawing (both sides of paper), April 1920; life drawing (3 heads); life drawing (bust), April 15, 1920; life drawing; life drawing (4 bodies), March 5, 1920; life drawing (bust), April 10, 1920; life drawing, March 4, 1920; life drawing (hands); life drawing; life drawing (4 feet), April 1, 1920; life drawing; life drawing (head), April 23, 1920; life drawing, February 13, 1920; life drawing (both sides of paper), April 30, 1920; constructive heads, March 26, 1920; head of Buddha - Chinese, [stamped June 5, 1924]; masque - grotesque - feathers, [stamped June 5, 1924]; untitled [vase/urn], March 10, 1921
067.2	Student architectural drawings, 1921-1923 (11 drawings) A Mausoleum, Grade III Design, October 29, 1921; Untitled , Grade I Design, January 22, 1921; Untitled, Design Grade 2, April 30, 1921; Untitled, Design Grade III, May 21, 1921; A Casino, Grade V Design (section), March 11, 1922; A Casino, Grade V (plan), March 11, 1922; A Casino, Grade V Design (elevation); Interior Gateway in a Museum, Design Grade V, April 8, 1922; Decoration of Draughting Room for Spanish Pageant, February 17, 1923; A Salon in the Style of the Greek Revival, VI Project, May 21, 1923; Untitled, May 24, 1923.
067.3	Student architectural drawings, 1924 (14 drawings) A Public Library, Class "A" I Project, [stamped June 17, 1924]; A Public Library, Class "A" I Project [stamped June 17, 1924]; Untitled [A Public Library?]; A Carved Wood Ceiling, Class "A" I Esquisse - Esquisse; A Cabaret, II Project Class "A"; A Cabaret, IV Project Class "A"; A Cabaret, IV Project Class "A"; Untitled [A Cabaret]; Untitled [A Cabaret]; A Crematory, Class "A" II Project; A Crematory, Class "A" II Project, [stamped December 8, 1924]; A Crematory (section), Class "A" II Project, [stamped December 8, 1924]; Untitled [A Crematory section]; Untitled [A Crematory]

- 067.4 Student architectural drawings, 1924 (12 drawings)
 A Municipal Market, Class "A" IV Project, March 7, 1924; A Municipal Market, Class "A" IV Project, March 17, 1924; A Municipal Market, IV Project, January 17, 1924; Untitled [A Municipal Market]; Untitled [A Municipal Market]; A Water Gate, Class "A" IV Project; A Water Gate, Class "A" IV Project; Center for Exposition of Building Material, Class "A" V Project; Untitled; Untitled [Center for Exposition of Building Material]; Untitled [Center for Exposition of Building Material interior]; American Academy in Rome, Final Competition, Fellowship Application, June 23, 1924
- 067.4a Student architectural drawings, ca. 1923 (1 drawing - oversize)
 Archeology III, Atelier Cret, "A French Gothic Cloister"

B. Architectural Drawings for Paul Cret

- | Call# | Descriptive Title |
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| 067.5 | 3 drawings made by Evans in Paul Cret's office, 1927-1932.
Includes drawings for Cret's monuments for the American Battle Monuments Commission and for Cret's Central Heating Plant, Washington, D.C. |

C. Architectural Drawings and oversized photographs for Evans's Practice

Arrangement: Alphabetical by client.

- | Call# | Descriptive Title |
|--------|---|
| 067.6 | Bary House, 1937-1938 (40 originals, 3 prints) |
| 067.7 | Brown Farm (Alterations to Tenant Farmer's House & Spring House), 1938 (23 originals, 1 print) |
| 067.8 | City of Philadelphia, Automobile Garage for the Police Department, 1952, 1954, 1955 (102 originals, 7 prints) |
| 067.9 | Number not issued |
| 067.10 | City of Philadelphia Hunting Park Avenue Fire Station, 1959 (14 originals, 1 print); Reference prints, Supowitz & Demchick (6 prints) |

- 067.11-12 City of Philadelphia Police Station for the Police Department of the 23rd & 31st districts, 1953-1961 (124 originals, 28 print, 2 photos, 2 photostats)
- 067.13 Number not issued
- 067.14 Cross House, 1949-1952 (71 originals, 1 print, 1 photo)
- 067.15-16 Eastwick House, "Springhead Farm" (Alterations & Additions), 1936-1937, 1955, 1961 (64 originals, 3 prints)
- 067.17 Edgemont Public School, 1947-1949 (12 prints)
- 067.18 Erskine House, 1958 (9 originals, 1 print)
- 067.19 First Presbyterian Church Sunday School Building (Alterations & Additions), 1927, 1949 (10 originals); Shop drawings (12 originals); Record drawings of as built buildings by Druckenmiller (2 originals)
- 067.20 Number not assigned
- 067.21 Fulweiler House (Alterations), 1948, 1953 (7 originals, 2 prints)
- 067.22 Gibbs House (Alterations & Additions), 1940-1941 (27 originals)
- 067.23 Gardner House, "Springdale Farm" (Alterations & Additions), 1948-1950 (8 originals, 8 prints)
- 067.24 George Woodward Inc. Houses, 1957-1958, 1915 original built drawing 112 West Gravers Lane (5 originals); 8001 Navajo Street (4 originals, 2 prints); 7920 Crefeld Street (9 originals, 3 prints); Accessory Garages (17 originals, 13 prints)
- 067.25 Number not assigned
- 067.26 Harris House (Alterations & Additions), 1959 (2 originals)
- 067.27 Hartman House (Alterations & Additions), 1949-1951 (5 originals)
- 067.28 Lucke House, 1949-1951, (30 originals, 3 prints)
- 067.29 Number not assigned
- 067.30 Number not assigned
- 067.31 McCouch House, 1906, 1927 (4 prints)
- 067.32 Nauman House (Alterations & Additions), 1940-1941 (38 originals)

- 067.33 Otterbein's Evangelical United Brethren Church (Additions), 1951-1953 (4 originals)
- 067.34 Peter A. Frasse & Co. Warehouse & Office Building, 1941-1942, Warehouse (3 originals); Office Building (4 originals)
- 067.35 Philadelphia State Hospital, 1916, 1942, 1953-1955 (16 originals); Record drawings for plot plan, etc. (1 original); Record drawings for as-built buildings by Johnson (7 originals)
- 067.36 Number not assigned
- 067.37 Rice House, 1937 (1 original)
- 067.38 Ridley Park High School & School District Garage, 1950-1957, 1960 (16 originals, 4 prints)
- 067.39 St. John's Episcopal Church, Parish House and Rectory (restorations, alterations & additions), 1937-1982 (91 originals, 8 prints)
- 067.40 Number not assigned
- 067.41 Number not assigned
- 067.42 St. Mark's Church Parish House (Alterations & Additions), 1955-1957 (28 originals)
- 067.43 Number not assigned
- 067.44 Straus House, 1963 (22 prints)
- 067.45 Van der Eb House, "Woodbrook Farm" (Improvements), 1954-1959 (20 originals)
- 067.46 Windolph Farmhouse, additions, 1952 (2 originals)

Series II. Files.**A. Personal Files**

Call#	Descriptive Title
067.47	Student drawings, (Arch 9), 1921 (15 original drawings)
067.48	Travel and other photographs (50 photoprints, some negatives)
067.49	Postcards of works of Piranesi, (200 postcards)
067.50	Postcards, mixed subjects, (165 postcards)
067.51	Postcards bearing messages, 1923-1929, n. d., (30 postcards)
067.52	Miscellaneous personal drawings (98 original drawings, 1 drawing print, 1 photoprint attached to 3 original drawings)
067.53	Photographs of a modern table and chair, (8 photoprints)

B. General Office Files

Call#	Descriptive Title
067.54	Filing systems for architectural information (5 original drawings in sheet protectors, 5 drawing prints, 2 misc. items)
067.55	Professional Administration Refresher Course - Correspondence (25 letters, 10 misc. items)
067.56	Professional Administration Refresher Course - Notes and reminders (2 copies syllabus or "bulkpack")
067.57	ENR 400 largest contractors (3 articles)
067.58	Cost indexes (15 articles)
067.59	Information files, data and drawings (18 original drawings, 6 drawing prints, 1 graphic print, 23 misc. items)

- 067.59a Study photographs of projects by R. Brognard Okie, 40 photoprints (Sutro House, 15 photoprints; Livezey House, 5 photoprints; Owen Roberts House, 6 photoprints; Miscellaneous and unidentified, 14 photoprints)
- 067.60 Lettering (25 lettering originals, 45 lettering prints, 4 photoprints)

C. Project Files.

1. Standard-sized files

Call#	Descriptive Title
067.61-067.68	Bary House; project files (1 original drawing, 1 drawing print, 66 letters, 40 misc. items)
067.69-067.70	Brown House; project files (2 original drawings, 1 drawing print, 3 letters, 25 misc. items)
067.71	City of Philadelphia; Contracts, Data (20 misc. items)
067.72	City of Philadelphia; Market Street Subway 15 th Street Station Specifications (1 copy specs.)
067.73	City of Philadelphia; Municipal Services Building - Letter (2 drawing prints, 92 letters, 80 misc. items)
067.74	City of Philadelphia; Municipal Services Building - Notes, etc. (1 original drawing, 3 letters, 41 misc. items)
067.75	City of Philadelphia; Office Space Standards (1 misc. item)
067.76	City of Philadelphia; Police Station - Copy of City Contract and Bills (2 letters, 28 misc. items)
067.77	City of Philadelphia; Projects (1 letter, 48 misc. items)
067.78	City of Philadelphia; Projects – Data (1 letter, 32 misc. items)
067.79	City of Philadelphia; Stadium – Costs (43 misc. items)
067.80	City of Philadelphia; Stadium – Data (8 letters, 3 photoprints, 53 misc. items.)
067.81	City of Philadelphia; Stadium - Drawings, Contracts (5 drawing prints, 7 letters, 51 misc. items)

- 067.82-067.96 Cross House; project files (26 original drawings, 81 drawing prints, 179 letters, 20 photoprints, 182 misc. items)
- 067.97-067.118 Eastwick House; Project Files (72 original drawings, 16 drawing prints, 318 letters, 33 photoprints, 206 misc. items, 1 journal containing original drawings)
- 067.119 W. A. M. Fuller - Blue Prints/Plans (2 drawing prints)
- 067.120 Thomas B. Fulweiler - Contract Drawings (6 original drawings, 1 letter)
- 067.121 Thomas B. Fulweiler - Contract Drawings and Specifications (2 original drawings, 7 misc. items)
- 067.122 Thomas B. Fulweiler - Letters, Contracts (42 letters, 6 photoprints, 13 misc. items)
- 067.123 Thomas B. Fulweiler - Preliminary Drawings and Specifications (23 original drawings, 14 drawing prints, 10 misc. items)
- 067.124-067.132 Gibbs House; Project Files (8 original drawings, 7 drawing prints, 211 letters, 5 photoprints, 34 misc. items)
- 067.133-067.135 Hartman House; Project Files (4 original drawings, 1 drawing print, 47 letters, 6 photoprints, 5 photo negatives, 18 misc. items)
- 067.136 Independence Hall - Details From Measured Drawings (11 original drawings, 3 drawing prints, 5 misc. items)
- 067.137 Balduin Lucke House - Blue Prints/Plans (2 original drawings, 13 drawing prints, 8 photoprints)
- 067.138 Balduin Lucke House – Specifications (1 copy specs.)
- 067.139-067.140 McCormick House; Project Files (7 original drawings, 21 letters, 3 photoprints, 3 misc. items)
- 067.141-067.149 Nauman House; Project Files (16 original drawings, 20 drawing prints, 37 letters, 19 photoprints, 6 photonegatives, 11 misc. items)
- 067.150 Otterbein Evangelical United Brethren Church - Blue Prints/Plans (6 original drawings, 12 drawing prints, 1 misc. item)
- 067.151-067.163 Peter A. Frasse and Co., Inc.; Office Building; Project Files (19 original drawings, 11 drawing prints, 212 letters, 3 photoprints, 93 misc. items)

- 067-164 P. G. H., Children's Hospital, University of Pennsylvania Complex - Drawings and Reports (1 original drawing, 6 drawing prints, 4 letters, 24 misc. items)
- 067.165 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - Blue Prints/Plans (10 drawing prints)
- 067.166 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - General Refractories, Building Surveys (5 original drawings)
- 067.167 Real Estate Trust Co. Building – Conferences, 1941 Consulting (9 misc. items)
- 067.168 Real Estate Trust Co. Building – Consulting, 1941 (1 drawing print, 10 letters, 4 misc. items)
- 067.169 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - General Refractories (4 letters, 3 misc. items)
- 067.170 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - General Refractories, Data (3 original drawings, 1 letter, 9 misc. items)
- 067.171 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - General Refractories, Specifications, Contracts (3 copies specs., 5 misc. items)
- 067.172 Real Estate Trust Co. Building – Photos (3 photoprints)
- 067.173 Real Estate Trust Co. Building – Plan (1 original drawing)
- 067.174 Real Estate Trust Co. Building, Proposed Revision of Chestnut St. Store - Blue Prints/Plans (5 original drawings, 3 drawing prints)
- 067.175 Real Estate Trust Co. Building, Proposed Revision of Chestnut St. Store - Drawings/Plans (2 original drawings)
- 067.176 Real Estate Trust Co. Building, Proposed Revision of Chestnut St. Store – Report (1 copy report)
- 067.177 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - Report Data (1 drawing print, 7 misc. items)
- 067.178 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - Report, Photos (4 photoprints)
- 067.179 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - Report, Preliminary (5 misc. items)
- 067.180 Real Estate Trust Co. Building – Specifications (2 copies specs.)
- 067.181 Real Estate Trust Co. Building - Surveys, Consulting, 1941 (2 original drawings)
- 067.182 John H. Rice (4 original drawings, 1 misc. item)
- 067.183 St. John's Episcopal Church - Blue Prints/Plans (9 drawing prints with 1 original drawing attached to one of the prints)

- 067.184 St. John's Episcopal Church - Blue Prints/Plans (16 drawing prints; 1 misc. item)
- 067.185 St. John's Episcopal Church - Blue Prints/Plans (5 drawing prints)
- 067.186 St. John's Episcopal Church - Chancel Windows (3 original drawings, 13 letters, 1 photoprint, 10 misc. items)
- 067.187 St. John's Episcopal Church - Chapel Window (1 original drawing, 53 letters, 9 misc. items)
- 067.188 St. John's Episcopal Church, Data, 1952 (4 misc. items)
- 067.189 St. John's Episcopal Church – Drawings (2 original drawings, 1 misc. item, 1 envelope)
- 067.190 St. John's Episcopal Church – Letters (105 letters, 26 misc. items)
- 067.191 St. John's Episcopal Church – Miscellaneous (1 original drawing, 2 original templates, 2 misc. items)
- 067.192 St. John's Episcopal Church - Nave Windows (3 original drawings, 40 letters, 19 misc. items)
- 067.193 St. John's Episcopal Church - Original Sketch Drawings (9 original drawings, 1 drawing print)
- 067.194 St. John's Episcopal Church – Photos (17 photoprints, 1 envelope)
- 067.195 St. John's Episcopal Church – Photos (2 photoprints)
- 067.196 St. John's Episcopal Church - Preliminary Sketches (2 original drawings, 1 misc. item)
- 067.197 St. John's Episcopal Church – Specifications (3 copies specs.)
- 067.198 St. John's Episcopal Church, Chapel Altar - Wood Tracery Screens (7 original drawings)
- 067.199 St. Mark's Episcopal Church - Drawings and Photos [372B] (16 original drawings, 1 original template, 6 photoprints, 1 photo negative, 5 misc. items)
- 067.200 St. Stephen's Cathedral Church - Blue Prints/Plans (8 drawing prints)
- 067.201 St. Stephen's Tablet – Photos (1 photoprint)
- 067.202 St. Stephen's Tablet - Mrs. Spencer G. Nauman (3 letters, 1 misc. item)

2. Oversized items from project files

- 067.203 City of Philadelphia, Market Street Subway, 15th Street Station (1 rolled architectural drawing)
- 067.204 City of Philadelphia, Municipal Building - AIA Honor Award to Vincent Kling, 1967 (1 item)
- 067.205 Oversized photographs mounted on boards (4 photoprints). Includes: City of Philadelphia, Police Dept. Garage and Patrol Headquarters, 1956; Eastwick House, completed barn, 1937; Nauman House, Harrisburg, Pa., 1941; & St. John's Episcopal Church, Lancaster, Pa., 1939.
- 067.206 Foxcroft School (5 original drawings, 8 drawing prints)
- 067.207 Unidentified Projects (1 unidentified photoprint)
- 067.208 Windolph Spring House (1 original drawing)
- 067.209 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania General Specs.
- 067.210 Scherenschnitte [scissor-cuttings] made in Poland (2 examples)

Series III. Models

067. 216 Police Station (29" x 29" x 7")

Appendix A

Alphabetical Project List -- Evans's own projects

Note: All projects are by John Lane Evans, Architect unless otherwise noted.

Bary House

Bary, Constantine

“Cricket Club Road” [Cricket Road], Whitemarsh Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania

1937-1938, 1954.

note/s: Design, presentation, & construction drawings. 1937-1938; house built. 1954; alterations & additions, including the addition of a porch.

holdings:

[067.6] 43 architectural drawings (40 originals, 3 prints).

[067.61-067.68] 8 files including 2 drawings (1 original, 1 print).

Brown Farm, alterations

Brown, Mrs. Coleman P.

North Ship Road, Anselma, Chester County, Pa.

1938

note/s: Cartographic, presentation, & construction drawings. Alterations to Tenant Farmer's House & Spring House.

holdings:

[067.7] 24 architectural drawings (23 originals, 1 print).

[067.69-067.70] 2 files including 3 drawings (2 originals, 1 print).

Cheyney State Teachers College, Yarnall Hall New Wing (Addition)

Cheyney State Teachers College

Cheyney, Delaware County, Pa.

1950

note/s: Financed by the Pennsylvania General State Authority. Design & shop drawings.

holdings:

[067.46] 21 architectural drawings (prints)

City of Philadelphia, Automobile Garage for the Police Department

City of Philadelphia

26th & Master Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.

1952-1956

note/s: Evans, Hatfield and Malkus, associated architects [James S. Hatfield, Lloyd Malkus]. Evans, architect in charge. Cartographic, design, & construction drawings, 1954. Shop drawings by Geyser Bar Windows, 1952. Shop drawings by Sprague & Henwood, Inc., 1955.

holdings:

[067.8] 336 architectural drawings (originals).

[067.205] 1 photoprint.

City of Philadelphia, District Health Center, competition

No Location

[ca. 1960]

note/s: John Lane Evans, Lloyd Malkus, James S. Hatfield, associated architects

holdings:

[067.217] 5 architectural drawings (originals) on presentation boards

City of Philadelphia Front & Luzerne Street Fire Station & Warehouse

City of Philadelphia

Front & Luzerne Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1960

note/s: Design drawings, site survey, reference prints.

holdings:

[067.9] 22 architectural drawings (17 originals, 5 prints).

City of Philadelphia Hunting Park Avenue Fire Station

City of Philadelphia

Hunting Park Avenue (near Front Street), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1959

note/s: Design drawings, site survey, reference prints.

holdings:

[067.10] 53 architectural drawings (31 originals, 22 prints), 2 photoprints.

City of Philadelphia Police Station, 23rd & 31st Districts

City of Philadelphia

17th Street & Montgomery Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1953 – 1961

note/s: Construction, design, shop, presentation, and cartographic drawings.

holdings:

[067.11-067.13] 534 architectural drawings (323 originals, 211 prints); 7 photoprints.

[067.76] 1 file

[067. 216] 1 model

City of Philadelphia, Riverview Extension, competition

No Location

Before 1961

note/s: John Lane Evans, Lloyd Malkus, James S. Hatfield, associated architects

holdings:

[067.218] 9 architectural drawings (originals) on presentation boards

Cross House

Cross, Richard S.

Germantown Pike, Whitmarsh Township, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania

1949-52

note/s: Cartographic, presentation and construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.14] 97 architectural drawings (95 originals, 2 prints); 6 photoprints.

[067.82-067.96] 15 files including 107 architectural drawings (26 originals, 81 prints); 20 photoprints.

Eastwick House, "Springhead Farm" (Alterations & Additions)

Eastwick, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Lees

Paoli, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

1936-1937, 1955, 1961, 1972

note/s: Near Charlestown [Township], Pennsylvania. Design, presentation, & construction drawings.

1936-1937: exterior alterations & additions to the barn, stable, & tenant farmer's house; new garage & implement storage building. 1946-1948: Tenant farmer's house. 1955-1957: Pool & interior alterations to main house. 1961: Alterations & additions to main house.

holdings:

[067.15-067.16] 92 architectural drawings (88 originals, 4 prints); 7 photoprints.

[067.97-067.118] 22 files including 88 architectural drawings (72 originals, 16 prints); 33 photoprints; 1 journal containing original drawings.

[067.205] 1 photoprint.

Edgmont Public School

Edgmont Township School District

Gradyville, Edgmont Township, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

1947-1949

note/s: Sydney E. Martin, Architect, Harry G. Stewart, John Lane Evans, Associates. Construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.17] 12 architectural drawings (prints).

Erskine House

Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph C.

Peck Road, Uwchlan [Township], Chester County, Pennsylvania

1958

note/s: Cartographic, design, & presentation drawings.

holdings:

[067.18] 25 architectural drawings (24 originals, 1 print).

First Presbyterian Church Sunday School Building (Alterations & Additions)

First Presbyterian Church

Lansdowne, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

1927, 1949

note/s: Sunday School Building addition; John Lane Evans, Architect. Design, construction, and shop drawings. William B. Druckenmiller, architect of original structure, built 1927. Includes Druckenmiller prints (2 dated 1927) of original house.

holdings:

[067.19] 22 architectural drawings (prints); 12 photoprints.

Fisher House, "Lyndewalt"

Fisher, Mr. & Mrs. Miles

Abington, Pennsylvania.

May 26, 1956 - June 11, 1956

note/s: Construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.20] 2 architectural drawings (originals).

Foxcroft School

Foxcroft School

Middleburg, Virginia

1945-1946

note/s: Sydney E. Martin, Architect, Harry G. Stewart, John Lane Evans, Associates. Presentation drawings.

holdings:

[067.206] 13 architectural drawings (5 originals, 8 prints).

Fuller Farm

Fuller, W. A. M.

Germantown and Perkiomen Turnpike [Germantown Pike], Whitmarsh and Springfield Townships, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania

1947

note/s: Site maps by Albright and Friel, Civil Engineers. Farm adjacent to Henry H. Houston Estate.

holdings:

[067.119] 1 file including 2 architectural drawings (prints).

Fulweiler House (Alterations)

Fulweiler, Thomas B.

North Valley Road, Paoli, Pennsylvania

1948, 1953

note/s: Design, presentation, & construction drawings. Built 1948. Additions 1953.

holdings:

[067.21] 12 architectural drawings (10 originals, 2 prints).

[67.121-067.123] 3 files including 39 drawings (25 originals, 14 prints); 6 photoprints.

Gardner House, "Springdale Farm," alterations & additions

Gardner, Mr. & Mrs. Paul

Millersville, Lancaster County, Pennsylvania.

September 10, 1948 - February 9, 1950

note/s: Construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.23] 35 architectural drawings (11 originals, 24 prints).

George Woodward Inc. House, alterations

George Woodward, Inc.

112 West Gravers Lane, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 1957

1957

note/s: Alterations, John Lane Evans, Architect. Design & construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.24] 16 architectural drawings (13 originals, 3 prints).

George Woodward Inc. House, alterations

George Woodward, Inc.

8001 Navajo Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1915, 1957

note/s: Alterations, John Lane Evans, Architect. Construction drawings. Robert Rodes McGoodwin, architect of original structure, built 1915. Includes McGoodwin prints (2 sheets dated June 5, 1915) of original house.

holdings:

[067.24] 9 architectural drawings (5 originals, 4 prints).

George Woodward Inc. House, alterations

George Woodward, Inc.

7920 Crefeld Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1957-1958

note/s: Alterations, John Lane Evans, Architect. Design, presentation, & construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.24] 35 architectural drawings (25 originals, 10 prints).

George Woodward Inc. Accessory Garages

George Woodward, Inc.

7900 Block, West side of Crefeld Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1957-1958

note/s: Accessory Garages, John Lane Evans, Architect. Design, presentation, & construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.24] 59 architectural drawings (45 originals, 14 prints).

Gibbs House (Alterations & Additions)

Gibbs, Mr. Benjamin

Matson Ford Road, Radnor, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

1940 - 1941

note/s: Originally built ca. 1880s (from photoprint). Cartographic, presentation, & construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.22] 27 architectural drawings (originals).

[067.124-067.132] 9 files including 15 drawings (8 originals, 7 prints); 5 photoprints.

Guzzardi House (Additions)

Guzzardi

Springfield, Pennsylvania.

1951

note/s: There are no Evans materials in these holdings. Frank Weise, Architect. Construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.25] 6 architectural drawings (prints).

Harris House (Alterations & Additions)

Harris, Ralph C.

Ambler Road, Upper Dublin Township, Pennsylvania

1959

note/s: Cartographic & presentation drawings.

holdings:

[067.26] 2 architectural drawings (originals).

Hartman House (Alterations & Additions)

Hartman, Mrs. H. W.

560 [North] School Lane, Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

December 7, 1949 - August 17, 1951

note/s: Alterations & additions, John Lane Evans, Architect. Design & construction drawings. James Jennings Bevan (New York, New York), architect of original structure, built 1926. Includes Bevan prints (3 dated 1926) of original house designed for Mrs. Helen H. Bevan.

holdings:

[067.27] 19 architectural drawings (originals); 3 photoprints.

[067.133-067.135] 3 files including 5 architectural drawings (4 originals, 1 print); 11 photographs (6 photoprints, 5 photonegatives).

Independence Hall

Chestnut and 5th Streets

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

No date

note/s: Details from measured drawings for scheme to replace 1 to 2 windows

holdings:

[067.136] 1 file including 14 architectural drawings (11 originals, 3 prints).

Lucke House

Lucke, Dr. & Mrs. Baldwin

623 Rose Lane, Bryn Mawr, Montgomery County, Pennsylvania.

1949-1951, 1957

note/s: Built 1949-1951; design & construction drawings. Alterations and additions to dining room, kitchen, guest house, & garage 1957; design, construction, & presentation drawings.

holdings:

Lucke House, 1949-1951:

[067.28] 22 architectural drawings (20 originals, 2 prints).

[067.137-067.138] 2 files including 15 architectural drawings (2 originals, 13 prints); 8 photoprints; specifications.

Alterations & additions, 1957:

[067.29] 29 architectural drawings (21 originals, 8 prints).

McCormick House (Interior Alterations)

McCormick, Mr. & Mrs. Vance C.

Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

August 28, 1940

note/s: Interior Alterations. Construction drawings

holdings:

[067.30] 2 architectural drawings (originals).

[067.139-067.140] 2 files including 7 architectural drawings (originals); 3 photoprints.

McCouch House, alterations & additions

McCouch, Gordon

"St. Martin's" [Chestnut Hill], Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1906, 1927

note/s: There are no Evans drawings in this group. Duhring, Okie & Ziegler, architects of original structure, built 1906; construction drawings. Carl A. Ziegler, garage additions, 1927; construction drawing.

holdings:

McCouch House:

[067.31] 4 architectural drawings (prints).

Garage additions:

[067.31] 1 architectural drawing (print).

Nauman House (Alterations & Additions)

Nauman, Spencer G.

315 North Front Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

1940-1941

note/s: Design, presentation, construction, & shop drawings.

holdings:

[067.32] 104 architectural drawings (88 originals, 16 prints).

[067.141-067.149] 9 files including 36 drawings (16 originals, 20 prints); 25 photographs (19 photoprints, 6 photonegatives).

[067.205] 1 photoprint

Otterbein Evangelical United Brethren Church (Additions)

Otterbein Evangelical United Brethren Church (Now Otterbein United Methodist Church)

310 Peffer Street (at Logan Street), Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

1951-1953

note/s: John Lane Evans, Architect, Benjamin A. Johnson, Engineer. Design, presentation, construction, & record drawings.

holdings:

[067.33] 29 architectural drawings (originals).

[067.150] 1 file including 18 drawings (6 originals, 12 prints).

Peter A. Frasse & Co. Office Building

Peter A. Frasse & Co., Inc.

3913 Wissahickon Avenue, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1941-1942

note/s: Design and construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.34] 28 architectural drawings (27 originals, 1 print).

[067.151-067.163] 13 files including 30 architectural drawings (19 originals, 11 prints); 3 photoprints.

Peter A. Frasse & Co. Warehouse, alterations & additions

Peter A. Frasse & Co., Inc.

3921 Wissahickon Avenue (at Yelland Street), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,
1942

note/s: Construction drawings.

holdings:

[067.34] 3 architectural drawings (originals).

Philadelphia State Hospital, alterations

Philadelphia State Hospital

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1916, 1942, 1953 - 1955

note/s: John Lane Evans, Architect; Design and shop drawings. Alternate name: Byberry State Hospital. Financed by the Pennsylvania General State Authority.

holdings:

[067.35] 7 architectural drawings (prints). Construction drawings for original "Female Cottages" by Philip H. Johnson, Architect/1824-25 Land Title Building/Philadelphia, Pa./dated 1916.

[067.35] 1 architectural drawing (print). "Plot Plan Buildings, Roads, and Utilities Female Group Philadelphia State Hospital" dated 1942, revised 1952.

[067.35] 65 architectural drawings (26 originals, 39 prints). Design and shop drawings for remodeling of buildings C1 and C5 by John Lane Evans, dated 1953-1955.

Real Estate Trust Building (Alterations)

The Real Estate Trust Company of Philadelphia

Chestnut Street at Broad Street (southeast corner), Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1935-1941

note/s: 1935-1935 (Proposed revision of Chestnut Street stores); design and presentation drawings.

1935-1936 (Alterations to 16th floor); construction drawings.

1941 (Proposed improvements to freight & rear bank entrance); design drawings.

holdings:

Proposed revision of the Chestnut Street stores:

[067.36] 12 architectural drawings (7 originals, 5 prints); 1 photoprint.

Alterations to 16th floor:

[067.36] 11 architectural drawings (originals).

Proposed improvements to freight & rear bank entrance:

[067.36] 2 architectural drawings (originals).

Real Estate Trust Building files 1935-1941:

[067.165-067.181] 16 files including architectural drawings (19 originals, 14 prints); 7 photoprints; specifications.

Rice House

Rice, Mr. John H.

Old Gulph & Harriton Roads, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania.

1937

note/s: Preliminary & site drawings.

holdings:

[067.37] 1 architectural drawing (original).

[067.182] 1 file including 2 architectural drawings (prints).

Ridley Park High School, alterations & additions

Ridley Park School District

Dupont Street, Free Street, Trainor Avenue, Ridley Park Borough, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.

1950-1957

note/s: Survey, construction, design, & presentation drawings

holdings:

[067.38] 127 architectural drawings (70 originals, 57 prints); 3 photoprints.

Ridley Park School District Garage

Ridley Park School District

Ridley Park, Pennsylvania.

1960

note/s: Construction & design drawings.

holdings:

[067.38] 5 architectural drawings (4 originals, 1 print).

St. John's Episcopal Church, Parish House, & Rectory (Restorations, Alterations & Additions)

St. John's Episcopal Church

321 West Chestnut Street, Lancaster, Pennsylvania

1915, 1937-1982

John Lane Evans, Architect

Note: Original architect for the Parish House (1915) was William C. Pritchett (416-20 Walnut St., Phila., Pennsylvania), who renovated the Rectory at the same time. A fire that destroyed the interior and roof of the Church in 1938 resulted in restoration and rebuilding projects. A major building campaign began in 1939; in 1957 an addition to the Parish House and renovation of the Church was completed. In 1969 and 1982 elevators were installed or reinstalled in the church complex.

holdings:

Parish house & rectory, prints of Pritchett's 1915 design & construction drawings, & 1958 survey:

[067.39] 11 architectural drawings (1 original, 10 prints).

Church restoration & related projects, design & construction drawings, 1937-1955:

[067.40] 77 architectural drawings (71 originals, 6 prints); 2 photoprints.

Parish house & rectory, design, construction, & shop drawings, 1957-1961; 1969; 1982:

[067.41] 234 architectural drawings (136 originals, 98 prints).

[067.183-067.198] 16 files including 61 architectural drawings (31 originals, 30 prints); 19 photoprints; specifications.

[067.205] 1 photoprint

St. Mark's Parish House (Alterations & Additions)

St. Mark's Church (Episcopal)

1625 Locust Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1955-1957

note/s: John Lane Evans, Architect, John E. Sweet, Associate Architect. Construction, presentation, & design drawings; survey prints; reference prints.

holdings:

[067.42] 91 architectural drawings (55 originals, 36 prints); 6 photoprints.

[067.199] 1 file including 17 architectural drawings (originals); 6 photoprints, 1 photonegative.

St. Stephen's Cathedral Church (Alterations)

St. Stephen's Cathedral Church

211 N. Front Street, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania.

1935-1951

note/s: John Lane Evans, Architect. Design, presentation, & construction drawings. Includes drawings for a new Nameplate for the Church, donated by Mrs. Spencer G. Nauman in 1935.

holdings:

[067.43] 30 architectural drawings (29 originals, 1 print).

[067.200-067.202] 3 files including 8 architectural drawings (prints); 1 photoprint.

Straus House

Straus, J. Pennington

719 Glengarry Road, Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

1963

note/s: John Lane Evans & Roland Taylor Addis, Architects. Design & presentation drawings. Gift of J. Pennington Straus, 1990.

holdings:

[067.44] 22 architectural drawings (prints)

Van der Eb House, "Woodbrook Farm," alterations & additions

Van der Eb, Mr. & Mrs. Henry G.

Merlin & Yellow Springs Roads, Chester County, Pennsylvania.

1954-1959

note/s: "Improvements." Design & construction drawings.

holdings:

067.45 66 architectural drawings (57 originals, 7 prints)

Windolph Spring House

Windolph, Mr. & Mrs. F. Lyman

Lancaster, Pennsylvania.

1940

note/s: Presentation drawing.

holdings:

067.208 1 architectural drawing (original)

Unidentified Public Building

holdings:

[067.207] 1 photoprint.

Appendix B

Alphabetical Project List -- City Architect projects

Hospital Complex

Philadelphia General Hospital, Children's Hospital, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania
34th Street, Civic Center Boulevard, Curie Avenue, and University Avenue
1965-1968

note/s: Plans for a new building for Children's Hospital (which wished to move from south 22nd Street) and for shared facilities for the three cooperating hospitals. Architects: Harbeson, Hough, Livingston and Larson; Associate Architects: Wright, Andrade, Amenta and Gane; City Architect: John Lane Evans, Public Property Department. Also, Supowitz and Demchick, Architects for PGH Building and Proposed Student Nurses Dormitories.

holdings:

[067-164] 1 file including 7 architectural drawings (1 original, 6 prints).

Market Street Subway, 15th Street Station

City of Philadelphia

Market & 15th Streets, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

ca. 1974

note/s: Special Architect: Vincent G. Kling and Partners. John L. Evans, SEPTA. Also listed: H. Stockham at Vincent Kling and Partners. Also includes: "City Architect's Scheme" for graphics design for 15th and Market Streets Subway Station.

holdings:

[067.203] 1 architectural drawing (original)

[067.72] 1 file including specifications.

Municipal Services Building

City of Philadelphia

1401 John F. Kennedy Boulevard, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

c. 1965

note/s: Architect: Vincent G. Kling and Associates; City Architect: John Evans.

holdings:

[067.73-067.74] 2 files including 3 architectural drawings (1 original, 2 prints).

[067.204] 1 file

Veterans Stadium

City of Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

c. 1971

note/s: Architects: George M. Ewing Co., Stonorov and Haws; Executive Architect: Hugh A. Stubbins, Jr.

holdings:

[067.79-067.81] 3 files including 5 architectural drawings (prints); 3 photoprints.

Miscellaneous Projects

City of Philadelphia

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

1962-1968; 1971-1974

holdings:

[067.71] 1 file.

[067.75] 1 file

[067.77-067.78] 2 files.