

Walker, Ernest Robert 1872 - 1942

Ernest Robert Walker was born in Leamington, Warwickshire, England on 10 May 1872 and was articled to Frederick Bodley (1827-1907) and Thomas Garner (1839-1900) of Bodley & Garner in London. He also attended classes at South Kensington School of Art in London.

He commenced practice as an architect in 1897 and was in partnership with [William Bonner Hopkins](#) (1868-1958) in the London-based architectural firm W.B. Hopkins & E.R. Walker from 1900-1905. In 1905 Walker moved to York in Yorkshire where he was in practice until at least the late 1920s. He was elected a Licentiate of the Royal Institute of British Architects (LRIBA) in 1911.

Walker's address was given as 5 Staple Inn, Holborn, London in 1897; 7 Clifton, York in 1911; and 17a Lendal, York in 1911 and 1930. He died in York, Yorkshire on 17 May 1942.

Worked in

UK

Works

Alterations, additions, etc.: — at Gaston House, Bishops Stortford, Reeves Rest, Chipstead; and in York: Moorlands (Haxby), Upper Helmsley Hall, Sand Mutton Hall, Aldwark Manor, Bishopthorpe Vicarage, Colton Lodge, etc., etc. New work: — Barclays Bank. Hemsworth; Church at Scacketon. Yorks.; Claxton House, York; Saudreith, Walton, Yorks; Sand Hutton Hall (garage); cottages for Thirsk R.D.C. Housing scheme. Interior church oak-work, etc.: — at Settrington, Walton, Yorks; Stockton-on-Forest, York; Shenleybury, Herts; Sand Hutton, York, etc. [Source: *Who's Who in Architecture 1926*]

Bibliography

Directory of British Architects 1834-1914. Compiled by Antonia Brodie, et al. Volume 2: L-Z. London; New York: British Architectural Library, Royal Institute of British Architects/Continuum, 2001

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