

## **Burnet, Frank 1846 - 1923**

Frank Burnet was born in Melrose in Roxburghshire, Scotland on 29 March 1846 and trained in the office of John Carrick (1819-1890), Glasgow City Architect from 1871 to 1878. He commenced independent practice as an architect in Glasgow in 1878. He was in partnership with William James Boston (1861-1937) as Frank Burnet & Boston from 1889 to 1901, and with James Carruthers (1872-1952) as Burnet, Boston & Carruthers from 1901 to c.1908. He then worked alone until 1919 when he formed a partnership with his son, Frank Russell Burnet (1891-1980).

Throughout his career as an architect Burnet had offices in Glasgow and lived in Renfrewshire, Scotland. He died in Earlston, Kilmacolm, Scotland on 6 February 1923.

Worked in

UK

Works

St. Vincent Chambers, St. Vincent Place, Glasgow (1898); Castle Chambers, Renfield and West Regent Streets, Glasgow (1898); Castle Chambers, St. George's Road and Woodland Road Junction, Glasgow (1900); branch office and business premises for Royal Bank of Scotland in Glasgow (1900); Bakery for R A Peacock and Son, Glasgow (1903); Gordon Chambers, Mitchell Steet, Glasgow (1906); Royal Exchange Assurance Building, Glasgow (1911); and an extension to tramway offices in Bath Street, Glasgow (1914)

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For a list of Burnet's architectural works see also [Dictionary of Scottish Architects 1660-1980](#)

Bibliography

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Links

- Dictionary of Scottish Architects 1660-1980  
[http://www.scottisharchitects.org.uk/architect\\_full.php?id=100236](http://www.scottisharchitects.org.uk/architect_full.php?id=100236)
- University of Strathclyde Archives and Special Collections - Frank Burnet & Boston, architects <https://atom.lib.strath.ac.uk/frank-burnet-and-boston-architects>
- Glasgow Sculpture Database  
[http://www.glasgowsculpture.com/pg\\_biography.php?sub=burnet\\_boston](http://www.glasgowsculpture.com/pg_biography.php?sub=burnet_boston)
- Architects who built Glasgow - Gordon Chambers - Guidigo  
[https://www.guidigo.com/Web/Architects-who-built-Glasgow/ocK\\_YURaow/Stop/5/Gordon-Chambers](https://www.guidigo.com/Web/Architects-who-built-Glasgow/ocK_YURaow/Stop/5/Gordon-Chambers)
- Canmore. Glasgow, St James Road, Allen Glen's Secondary School  
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