

Button, Frederick Charles 1901 - 1969

Frederick Charles Button [also known as Charles C. Button] was born in Newbury, West Berkshire, England on 11 May 1901. He is believed to have been articled to Thomas Wallis of [Wallis, Gilbert & Partners](#) and between c.1933 and c.1936 he is listed in the Royal Institute of British Architects' Kalendar as working for Wallis Gilbert & Partners. He then established the architectural firm Adie, Button & Partners in London with [George Mountford Adie](#) (1901-1989)

The practice was active for at least the next two decades. Architectural projects by the Adie, Button & Partners included Park Lane Hotel in Piccadilly, London (1927); 59-63 Princes Gate, South Kensington, London (1937-38); Charters House in Sunningdale, Berkshire (1938); and Stockwell Garage, a Grade II* bus garage in Stockwell, London (completed in 1952).

Button was elected an Associate of the Royal Institute of British Architects (ARIBA) in 1925 and a Fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects (FRIBA) in 1942.

His address was given as 5 St. Hilda Road, Folkestone. Kent in 1928; Coastal Chambers, 5 Elizabeth Street, Buckingham Palace Road, London in 1933; "Orchardleigh", Ickenham Road, Ruislip, Middlesex in 1931 and 1939; 30 George Street, Hanover Square, London in 1939; and 29 Weymouth Street, London in 1950. He died in London on 2 August 1969

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