

Cannell, Ernest William 1870 - 1930

Ernest William Cannell was born in Chelsea Middlesex [now London], England in 1870 and was articled to John Scott [assumed to be John Douglas Scott (1865-1950)] in London. He commenced independent practice in London in 1900. He also lectured for many years on Buildings Construction, Design and Quantities at Borough Polytechnic in London; Northampton Institute; Birkbeck College, University of London; and elsewhere. He was a Member of the Society of Architects (MSA) and was elected a Fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects (FRIBA) in 1925. He died in Ernest, Surrey on 8 November 1930

Worked in

UK

Works

Factory, Cottage Lane, City Road; business premises, Central Street; flats, Sydney House; York Buildings, Adelphi, Bedford Park, Norfolk House, Deptford Broadway; residences at Harrietsham, Sheringham, Kingston, &c.; shops at Brockley, Sydenham, Sevenoaks; specialist on cinemas, Architect to Purple P.P., Camberwell, King's P.P., Kensal Rise, Dalston Playhouse, Kingsland, and several other London companies; specially engaged on heavy factory and similar works. [Source: Who's Who in Architecture 1914]

Palladium Picture Theatre, Kensal Rise; Perry's Canteen, Tilbury Docks; Chandos Court Mansions, Caxton Street, Westminster; Kensington Restaurant, Church Street, Kensington; Townley's Factory, City Road, E.G.; Swain's Cold Stores, West Smithfield, E.G.; Sydney House, Turnham Green; 16 and 17, York Buildings, Adelphi, W.C.; Purple Picture Palace, Walworth Road, S.E.; Dalston Playhouse, Ridley Road, N.B.; houses: Willesden Lane, Hemel Hempstead, Tenterden, Bexley, etc. [Source: Who's Who in Architecture 1926]

Bibliography

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