

## Cleveland Architects

# Charles Bates

**Birth/Established:** December 7, 1879 **Death/Dissolved:** November 28, 1931

### Biography:

Charles Bates was a Wheeling, West Virginia-based architect with a Cleveland office. He was a native of Wheeling, attended Wheeling public schools, the Linly Military Institute, and studied architecture at the Armour Institute of Technology in Chicago. He began practicing architecture in 1904, working in both Chicago and Pittsburgh. He established a Wheeling office in 1909, later opening offices in Cleveland and Youngstown. He designed several of the Shaker Heights city schools. He was architect and construction engineer for scores of high schools in Ohio and West Virginia.

### Building List

Structure	Date	Address	City	State	Statue
Wheeling Public Library	1910-1	2100 Market	Wheeling	WV	Standing
Stifel Fine Arts Center	1910-2	1330 National Road	Wheeling	WV	Standing
National Bank of West Virginia	1914-5		Wheeling	WV	Standing
Woodbury School	1918	15800 South Woodland Road	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Colson Hall	1919-23		Morgantown	WV	Standing
Metropolitan Theater	1921-4		Morgantown	WV	Standing
Sussex Elementary School (Shaker Family Center)	1922	19824 Sussex Road	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Onaway School	1923	3115 Woodbury Road	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Moreland School	1924	16500 Van Aken Boulevard	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
State Road School	1924		Parma	OH	Unknown
Pearl Road School	1924		Parma	OH	Unknown
Ridge Road School	1924		Parma	OH	Unknown
Boulevard School	1925	14900 Drexmore Road	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Shaker Heights Library	1925	16500 Van Aken Boulevard	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Capitol Theatre	1928	1015 Main Street	Wheeling	WV	Standing
Lomond School	1928	17917 Lomond Boulevard	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing

### Sources:

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