

Cleveland Architects

Paul Matzinger

Birth/Established: April 11, 1870 **Death/Dissolved:** October 30, 1964

Biography:

Paul Matzinger was born in Canton, Ohio and raised in Chicago. He graduated from Calvin College in 1888. He was employed as a draftsman by A. W. Rust, the Savings and Sensible Architectural Bureau, Cramer & Fugman, and Arthur Oviatt. From 1893 to 1897 he was a member of the firm of Matzinger and Sprackling. After 1898 he was in business for himself, except for two brief partnerships, Matzinger and Hulett (1905) and Matzinger and Miller (1911-1915). He was the architect of numerous churches, apartment buildings, and terraces throughout Cleveland. Significant examples of his work include the Tudor Revival Clifton Terrace (1905-6), the Gothic Revival Zion Lutheran Church (1902), and the Mission style Eighth Reformed Church (1909). In 1920 his office was located in the Caxton Building and he lived at 11609 Fairport Avenue in Cleveland's Glenville neighborhood. In the later 1920's he worked for Lehman and Schmitt until 1928 when he went into practice for himself. He would form a partnership with Rudolph J. Grosel. He later moved to 6870 Ridge Road in Parma. He died in Boynton Beach, Florida in November 1966 at the age of ninety-six, and was buried in Lake View Cemetery in Cleveland.

Building List

Structure	Date	Address	City	State	Statue
Residence for Samuel Campbell	1894		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial building for George Tinnerman	1896		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for George Tinnerman	1898	6013 Franklin Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence for Burt Wilmot	1898	3880 - 2 West 36th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Louis Grosser Residence	1898	6814 Franklin	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Samuel Kaestlen Residence	1898	2065 West 26th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for Warren H. Goss	1899	3218 West 14th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for Arnold Moos	1899	3321-5 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial-Residential Building for Charles Schmidt	1899	2084-90 West 25th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for John & Herman Jacoby	1899	7034-8 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for Carl Schmidt as Wedding Present for Daughter Emma and Husband Henry Eilert	1899	3192 West 14th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building for Ed Sattis	1900	2988 West 25th St.	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building for Dr. F. F. W. Somers	1900	7410 - 4 Lorain Ave.	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Apartment Building for F.C. Goodman	1900		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Adam Lehr Residence	1900	6515 Wakefield Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
James Sanderson Residence	1900	6302 West Clinton Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing

C. E. Seidel Residence	1900	7012 West Clinton Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Charles Rohde	1900-1	3043-7 Scranton Road	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Fifth Reformed Church	1901	6701 Hague Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Terrace for Harry C. Coil	1901	657 - 9 Parkwood	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Apartment Building for Thomas Frantz	1901	3735-7 West 33rd Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Adam Hoffman Residence	1901	7304 West Clinton Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Charles Faulhaber Residence	1901	4115 Whitman Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Zion Lutheran Church	1902	2062 East 30th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
D. C. Gries & Walker Company Store and Apartments	1902	1415 Prospect Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Apartment House	1902	4814 Carnegie Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Terrace for Harris Switzer	1902	1858 - 74 West 58th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
National Bread Bakery Addition	1902	2261 East 14th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Calvary Evangelical Church Addition	1902	2709 East 93rd Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Terrace for Dr. Russell P. Pelton	1902-3	1431-45 West 117th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
The Emma Building	1903	2546 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Luther Memorial Church	1903	3269 West 43rd Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Dr. George Kinsey Residence	1903	7300 Franklin Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Double Residence	1903	1459 1459 West 85th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Terrace	1903		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Terrace for Walter Krewson	1903	1861-5 West 65th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Russell Brown Residence	1903		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
O.C. Seidel Company Commercial Building	1903		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Frank M. McCartney Residence	1903	17859 Lake Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Apartment Building for George Schweitzer	1903	1451-5 West 85th Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
First Hungarian Reformed Church	1903-4	2856 East 79th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Terrace	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Terrace for E. Paultze	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Bethany English Lutheran Church	1904	2226 West 89th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Warehouse and stable for Mueller Brewing	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Residential Building	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residential for Mrs. Pfeffer on Clifton	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residential for J.G. Poole on Rosemont Road East Cleveland	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Stable for Dr. Gries on Willson opposite Lexington	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
R. A. Brown Residence	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building near Lorain and Clark	1904		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Dr. F. M. McCartney Residence	1904	17858 Lake Road	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Double residence for Mr. McDonald	1905		Cleveland	OH	Demolished

Commercial Bldg for Cleveland & Sandusky Brewing E.63rd	1905		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Foyer Steel Stamping	1905		Painesville	OH	Unknown
Joseph Schmolzer Block	1905	3216 West 41st Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial/Residential Building	1905	11910 - 4 Detroit Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Clifton Terrace	1905-6	11201 Clifton	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Store and dwelling for Frederick W. Gehring	1906	3332 West 56th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Store and apartment building for James M. Brady	1906		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Block on Franklin for John King	1906		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Store addition to dwelling of Frank Deyer	1906		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Cleveland & Sandusky Brewing Company	1906		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Terrace for Frederick Kratt	1906	1027 - 31 Kenilworth	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Terrace for C. Priesmeyer	1906	3186 - 90 West 17th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Clark Avenue Savings Bank	1906	4905 Clark Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Zion Evangelical School	1906	2694 West 14th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Hermann E. Walker Residence	1906	1516 East 108th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Martin Leopold Residence	1906	6810 Franklin	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial building for Jacob Haller	1906	9500 - 8 Lorain Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Michael Gerstacker Residence	1906	6718 Franklin Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial-Residential Building for Matej Cermak	1906	5003-5 Clark Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Carolina Terrace	1907	11204 Clifton Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Double Residence	1907		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Apartment House for George Switzer	1907	1285-9 East Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Four suite terrace for L. Boltz	1907		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Terrace for George Phelps	1907	3704 - 8 Clinton Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building for H. Laub	1907	5500-10 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Calvary Church of the Evangelical	1907	2765 Woodhill Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Park Theatre	1907	1207 Starkweather Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Abel Apartments	1908	7045 - 9 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Charles L. Mosher Residence	1908	1053 Maplecliff Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Eighth Reformed Church	1909	2409 Willowdale	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building for Anton and August Kausek	1909	6202 St. Clair Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
St. Marcus Lutheran Church and School	1909	4464 Pearl Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence	1910	3289 East 55th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
William G. Pollock Residence	1910	9035 Parkgate	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Store & Apartment Building for H. J. Berger	1910	5404-10 Detroit Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Residential Building	1911	8327 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished

Dwelling for P. Ryan	1911	1926 Drexel Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building	1911	8918 Euclid Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Assembly Hall for Immanuel Lutheran Church	1911	2928 Scranton Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Hessler Apartments	1912	11350 - 11420 Hessler	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence	1912	9812 - 4 Parkgate	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Koblitz Kohn Company	1912	2380 Canal Road	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for William Leopold	1912	10700 Lake Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence for John Hart	1912	10908 Lake Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building	1912	7907 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Kulas Conservatory of Music	1912	96 Front Street	Berea	Ohio	Standing
Bethenian Evangelical Church	1913	4101 Storer Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Bethany Evangelical Church	1914	3382 West 41st Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Edson L. Cannon Apartments	1915	2577 Overlook Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Conrad Baisch Kroehle Furniture Company	1917	6710 Detroit	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Garage	1917	1686 Magnolia Drive	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building	1917		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence for J. Shively	1917		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building for J. Voan	1917		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building	1917	3021 W.105th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial - Residential Building	1918	6416 St. Clair Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Christ Temple Apostolic Church	1919	860 Eddy Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Holtkamp Organ	1920	2909 Meyer	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial Building for G.B. Ehrman Company	1921-2	3212 West 25th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Peerless Paper Box Company	1922	3221 East 56th Place	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Commercial Building for George Zellers	1924	2141 Broadview Road	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Francis Crank Residence	1925	10700 Lake Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Apartment Building for Thomas J. Holden	1928		Cleveland	OH	Standing
Miller-Wohl Building	1929	410-8 Euclid Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Newman Building	1930	1291 West 9th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Parma Theater	1936	5826 Ridge Road	Parma	Ohio	Standing
Avalon Theater	1937	4134 East 131st Street	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Kulas Conservatory of Music Addition	1937	96 Front Street	Berea	Ohio	Standing
Shore Theatre	1939	22500 Lake Shore Boulevard	Euclid	Ohio	Demolished
Residence	1940	20676 Alma Drive	Shaker Heights	Ohio	Standing
Ezella Theatre Remodeling	1942	7011 Superior Avenue	Cleveland	Ohio	Demolished
Mayland Theatre	1948		Mayfield Heights	Ohio	Standing
Berea Theatre	1949	201 Front Street	Berea	Ohio	Demolished

Mercury Theatre	1950	6901 Pearl Road	Middleburg Heights	Ohio	Demolished
Halle's Department Store	1957		Middleburg Heights	Ohio	Standing
Otto Berchtold Residence	nd	12008 Detroit Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Demolished

Sources:

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