

# Rock and Galloway Office Records

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Cadis Residence, 402 Sena Drive, Metairie, LA. 1957. Rock and Galloway, architects. Photograph by Krantzten Studio, Incorporated for *Popular Home Magazine*.

## SCOPE and CONTENTS

Correspondence, photographs, presentation boards, models, etc.  
1950s - 1992  
9 boxes; 10 models

Records from the office of New Orleans architects Rock and Galloway (John Walter Rock, 1923-2009; William J. Galloway, Jr., 1927-1992). They designed residences, churches, apartment buildings, and schools. Included are project photographs, specifications, correspondence, etc. The

firm was established in 1956.

John Walter Rock was a native of New Orleans who briefly attended Tulane University before completing his studies at the University of Illinois (B.Arch. 1950). While in Urbana, he was a draftsman for the Small Homes Council. An opportunity to teach at Tulane prompted his return to New Orleans in 1950, where he also had a private practice. William J. Galloway, Jr. was born in Memphis, Tennessee. Galloway graduated from Tulane University (B.Arch. 1952), where John Rock was one of his instructors.

## **PROVENANCE**

Models were given by John Rock to SEAA in 2003. Other records were promised by him in 2003 and later given by his widow, Lorraine Rock.

## **ACCESS**

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## **INVENTORY**

### **Correspondence, photographs, specifications, etc.**

#### ***Box 1.***

Folder 1. Metairie, LA. 2321 North Hullen. Rock and Galloway Architects. Rock and Galloway Office Building. 1978. Floor plans and specifications.

Folder 2. a. Square bounded by Harmony, Dryades, Baronne, and Seventh Streets.

- b. Square bounded by Harmony, Baronne, Carondelet, and Eight Streets.
  - c. Square bounded by S. Saratoga, Euterpe, S. Rampart, and Melpomene Streets.
- Proposed public housing. New Orleans, LA. Drawings.

Folder 3. Albert Wicker Elementary School. Orleans Parish School Board. New Orleans, LA. 1971. Specifications, photos, and cost estimates.

Folder 4. Albert Wicker Elementary School. Orleans Parish School Board, New Orleans, LA. 1971. Photographs, cost estimates, etc.

Folder 5. Metairie, LA. Proposed Joe Yenni Memorial Place. Lafreniere Park. Drawings.

**Box 2.**

Folder 6. St. Charles Avenue, 3722. Unity Temple. Additions. New Orleans, LA. 1975. Drawings and specifications.

Folder 7. St. Charles Avenue, 5300. De LaSalle High School. Additions. New Orleans, LA. Specifications, drawings, photos, and miscellaneous documents.

Folder 8. Metairie, LA. Archbishop Chapelle High School. Additions. Drawings, reports, correspondence, and miscellaneous documents.

Folder 9. Slidell, LA. St. Luke's Catholic Church. 1986. Miscellaneous documents.

Folder 10. Julia Street. Julia Street Wharf. Proposed office buildings. Study – includes drawings and specifications.

Folder 11. Tchoupitoulas Street, 4822. Public Belt Railroad Building. New Orleans, LA. 1992. Photos, reports, correspondence, and miscellaneous documents.

Folder 12. Metairie, LA. 801 Brockenbrough Court. J. C. Ellis Elementary School. Addition. 1966. Correspondence, reports, and miscellaneous documents.

**Box 3.**

Folder 13. Leesville, LA. Fort Polk Elementary School. 1979. Photos, drawings, and specifications.

Folder 14. Kenner, LA. Proposed senior high school. Jefferson Parish School Board. 1973. Proposal.

Folder 15. Metairie, LA. 6500 Kawanee Avenue. St. Philip Neri Church. 1978. Photos, newspaper clippings, and miscellaneous documents.

Folder 16. St. Charles Avenue at Eighth (?) Street. Proposed apartment building. 1960-1981. Drawing.

Folder 17. Proposed apartments buildings. White Manor Gardens. West Bank Investments, Inc. New Orleans, LA. Proposal and drawings.

Folder 18. Brochure. "5 Innovative Schools." Albert Wicker Elementary School, New Orleans, LA. Mount Carmel Academy, New Orleans, LA. Polk Elementary School, Fort Polk, LA. De LaSalle High School, New Orleans, LA. Chapelle High School, Metairie, LA.

Folder 19. Metairie, LA. Square bounded by Rosa Avenue, Veterans Highway, Dumaine, and Martin Behrman. Culotta, James. Proposed two-story building. 1962. Report.

Folder 20. Jefferson Parish, LA. Square bounded by Westbank Expressway, Farrington Drive, Manson Drive, and Tenth Street. Proposed apartment building. Report.

Folder 21. St. Charles Parish School Board. Reports and correspondence.

**Box 4.**

Folder 22. Metairie, LA. 402 Sena Drive. Cadis, Clifford. Residence. Photos and *Popular Home Magazine* 1957 (photos of home appeared in this issue). 2 pieces.

Folder 23. River Ridge, LA. Caston, Jeffrey. Residence. Copies of drawings. 7 pieces.

Folder 24. Coliseum and Urania Streets. Apartment buildings. New Orleans, LA. Brochure. 1 piece.

Folder 25. Metairie, LA. Wilshire Apartments. Brochure and report. 2 pieces.

Folder 26. Metairie, LA. The Jefferson Apartments. Brochure.

Folder 27. South Broad Street, 700. L. F. Gaubert and Co. Building. New Orleans, LA. Brochure. 1 piece.

Folder 28. Metairie, LA. 3526 Veterans Highway. Lakeside Theatre. W.H. Cobb and Associates. 1965. Photo. 1 piece.

Folder 29. St. Charles Avenue, 5300. New Orleans, LA. De la Salle High School. Addition. Photos, report, and miscellaneous documents. 16 pieces.

Folder 30. Davey Street, 4100. New Orleans, LA. Park Royale Apartments. Bayou St. John near Park Island. Clem Dreisewerd. 1962.

Folder 31. Metairie, LA. Joe Yenni Memorial Place. Snapshots and negatives (includes photos of Galloway).

Folder 32. Cameron, LA. Clark, Cecil. Residence. 1959. Drawings and photos of model. 10 pieces.

Folder 33. Square bounded by Baronne, Harmony, Dryades, and Seventh Streets. Proposed low-rent public housing project. New Orleans, LA. Project LA-128. Reports (includes photos) and drawings. 11 pieces.

Folder 34. Metairie, LA. Rock, John. Residence. 1964. Drawing. 1 piece.

Folder 35. River Ridge, LA. 291 Midway Drive. Threefoot, Henry, residence. Snapshots.

Folder 36. Lakeshore Drive, New Orleans, LA. Smith, William S., residence. Snapshots.

**Box 5.**

Copies of newspaper clippings.

Student correspondence.

Miscellaneous teaching material.

John Rock curriculum vita.

**Box 6. Oversized.**

Albert Wicker School. Photographs mounted to board. 23 pieces.

**Box 7. Oversized.**

“5 Innovative Schools.” Albert Wicker School, New Orleans, LA. Mount Carmel Academy, New Orleans, LA. Polk Elementary School, Fort Polk, LA. De la Salle High School, New Orleans, LA. Chapelle High School, Metairie, LA. Photographs mounted to board. 28 pieces.

Hazel Park School. Library. Copy print of perspective elevation. 1 piece.

J.C. Ellis Elementary School, alterations. Copy print of elevation. 1 piece.

De La Salle High School. 1982 Exhibition of School Architecture, A.I.A. 5 prints.

Polk Elementary School. Photographs of model and plans mounted on board. 3 pieces. 1960, Typical Elementary School. Plan and elevations on board. 2 pieces.

Joe Yenni Memorial Place. Model and plans mounted on board. 6 pieces.

**Box 8. Oversized.**

Lafayette, LA. Kellner, William, residence. Exterior elevation mounted on board. 1 piece.

Photographs mounted on board of unidentified religious building. 3 pieces.

St. Philip Neri Church. Photographs mounted to board and bound as brochure.

Mount Carmel Convent. Floor plans mounted to light board. 2 pieces.

Unidentified office building. 1 bound piece.

Metairie, LA. 2321 North Hullen Street. Rock and Galloway, Architects, office. Photographs mounted to board. 1 piece.

An Office Building for the Space Age. 1 bound piece.

***Box 9. Oversized.***

A Protean School Building. 26 pieces on board.

**Project Models** (added to Louisiana Architecture Models, SEAA Collection 144).

Unidentified apartment complex. Flat File Area 2.

St. Philip Neri Church, Metairie, LA. Flat File Area 2.

Yenni Memorial, Metairie, LA. Flat File Area 2.

Polk Elementary School, Fort Polk, LA. Flat File Area 2.

Unidentified apartment complex. Flat File Area 2.

Albert Wicker School, New Orleans. Flat File Area 2.

Polk Elementary School, Fort Polk, LA. Flat File Area 2.

De La Salle High School, addition, New Orleans. Flat File Area 2.

Mount Carmel Academy, Performing Arts Center, Metairie, LA. Flat File Area 2.

St. Philip Neri Church, Metairie, LA. Flat File Area 2.

Unidentified housing study. Carrel Room

Albert Wicker Elementary School, New Orleans. Carrel Room.