CAN YOU NAME FIVE D.C. ARCHITECTS?

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D.C. ARCHITECTS TO KNOW SERIES: PART TWO
ALBERT CASSELL (1895-1969)

About:

- Born in Towson, MD
- Designed in Colonial Revival Style
- Acted as Howard University's official architect from 1922 to 1938; responsible for 1930 Master Plan for expansion and other campus buildings

Buildings Designed:

- Founders Library, 500 Howard Pl NW (National Historic Landmark and National Register)
- Mayfair Mansions, 3819 Jay St NE (DC Inventory and National Register)
- Odd Fellows Temple, 1851 9th St NW (Within Greater U St Historic District)

Photo Courtesy of American Institute of Architects (AIA)
FOUNDERS LIBRARY, 1939

Designed by Albert Cassell

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APPLETON P. CLARK (1865-1955)

About:
- Born in Washington, DC
- Designed in Classical, Renaissance, and Tudor Gothic Revival; Late Victorian styles
- Completed architecture apprenticeship under Alfred Mullett

Buildings Designed:
- St. Phillips Baptist Church, 1001 N Capitol St NE (DC Inventory)
- Victor Building, 724-26 9th St NW (DC Inventory)
- Second National Bank, 1331-33 G St NW (DC Inventory)

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Photo Courtesy of Dale and Laura Lambert's Washington: Past and Present
SAINT PHILLIP'S BAPTIST CHURCH, 1892

Designed by Appleton P. Clark
ALFRED MULLETT (1834-1890)

About:

- Born in Taunton, England
- Designed in Second Empire, Italianate, and Greek Revival styles
- Worked as Supervising Architect for the U.S. Treasury, 1863-1874

Buildings Designed:

- State, War, and Navy Building, 17th and Pennsylvania Ave NW (National Historic Landmark, DC Inventory, and National Register)
- Baltimore Sun Building, 1317 F St NW (DC Inventory and National Register)
- John A. Logan Mausoleum, U.S. Soldiers' and Airmen's Home National Cemetery, 21 Harewood Rd NW
BALTIMORE SUN BUILDING, 1887
Designed by Alfred Mullett

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GEORGE T. SANTMYERS (1889-1960)

About:
- Born in Front Royal, VA
- Designed in Gothic & Moorish, Colonial Revival; Eclectic Tudor; Art Deco; Art Moderne; International styles
- Designed over 440 apartment buildings

Buildings Designed:
- 3901 Connecticut Ave NW (DC Inventory and National Register)
- The Yorkshire, 3355 16th St NW
- The Delano, 2745 29th St NW

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Photo Courtesy of James Goode's Best Addresses
3901 CONNECTICUT AVE NW, 1927

Designed by George T. Santmyers

Designed by George Oakley Totten, Jr.

OLD FRENCH EMBASSY, 1907

Photos Courtesy DCPL Photo Archives
GEORGE OAKLEY TOTTEN, JR. (1866-1934)

About:

- Born in New York City, NY
- Designed in Classical and Renaissance Revival; Italianate styles
- Worked as official architect for Mary Foote Henderson

Buildings Designed:

- Old French Embassy, 2460 16th St NW (DC Inventory and National Register)
- Edward H. Everett House, 1606 23rd St NW (DC Inventory and National Register)
- 3224 16th St NW (DC Inventory and National Register)

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