

**Cleveland Architects**

**Dercum & Beer**

**Birth/Established:** 1917 **Death/Dissolved:** 1939

**Biography:**

Dercum and Beer was in business from 1907 to 1939, ten years after the 1929 death of partner George W. Beer. The firm was known for its Craftsman style residences, built in Cleveland Heights, Shaker Heights, and Lakewood. It was also the architect of significant buildings in Cleveland including the Cudell Clock Tower, the Penton Office Building, and the Hotel Linn.

**Building List**

Structure	Date	Address	City	State	Status
Store and apartment for George D. Jones	1907	1076-80 E. 105th	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence fo George D. Jones	1907	10418 Somerset	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence for O. Krause	1907	17841 Lake Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Residence for Mr. Gender	1907	17829 Lake Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Residence for Mrs. Fenton	1907		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Hotel Linn	1908	1285 West 9th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Crannell Morgan Residence	1908	118 Mayfield Avenue	Akron	OH	Standing
Residence	1910	1533 East 115th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Joseph C. Huber Residence	1910	1432 Nortland Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
Carl W. Gehring Residence	1910	13475 Lake Avenue	Lakewood	OH	Standing
J.H. Rogers	1912	14300 South Park Boulevard	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
Residence	1914	11310 Wade Park Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence	1914	2115 Elandon Drive	Cleveland Heights	OH	Standing
Walter S. Pope Residence	1915	2271 North St. James	Cleveland Heights	OH	Standing
Residence	1915	1524 East 115th Street	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Residence for John A. Zangerle	1915		Cleveland	OH	Standing
Cudell Clock Tower	1917	1390 West Boulevard	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Commercial building addition	1917	3167 Fulton	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Residence	1917		Cleveland Heights	OH	Demolished
Residence for Bertha Backus	1917	2717 Lancaster Road	Cleveland Heights	OH	Demolished
Globe, Machine and Stamping	1918		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Reasner Residence	1923	10216 Lake Avenue	Cleveland	OH	Standing
Penton Press and Plate Building	1924		Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Penton Publishing	1925	1213 W. 3rd	Cleveland	OH	Demolished
Dr. Guy Lovett Residence	1925	2877 Brighton	Shaker Heights	OH	Unknown
Residence for Guarantee Building Company	1927	2926 Torrington	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
H.D. Messick Residence - Fontenay Road	1927		Cleveland	OH	Standing
A.P. Shraner Residence	1928	18901 North Park	Shaker Heights	OH	Standing
St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church	1935	340 North Main Street	Hudson	OH	Standing
S.A.P. Schrayner Residence	nd			OH	Demolished

Benjamin H. Rose Residence	nd	1106 Forest	Lakewood	OH	Demolished
Country Home for Judge W.A. Babcock	nd		Gates Mills	OH	Demolished

**Sources:**

Campen, Richard Distinguished Homes of Shaker Heights 1992

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