

Philip Thornton Marye Collection.

63 drawings.

Scope and Content Note:

Collection consists of drawings of antebellum homes and gardens done by noted Atlanta architect Philip Thornton Marye (1872-1935). The drawings were done during the 1930s while Marye was Georgia's District Officer for the Historic American Buildings Survey, and reflect Marye's attempts to portray the homes as they were originally constructed, using old and new photographs, HABS drawings, old illustrations from various sources, and written accounts describing the homes. [Some of this research material is also in the Marye Collection.]

The drawings are done on drafting linen, in ink, and are suitable for line reproduction. They range in size from six by eight inches to nineteen by twenty-nine inches.

Arrangement: Prints organized by number.

Alternate formats:

Some garden drawings were published in the Garden History of Georgia, 1733 - 1933 compiled by Loraine Meeks Cooney, Atlanta; Peachtree Garden Club, 1933, and fifteen of the homes were used to illustrate "Georgia Notes," Georgia Archives, 1974.

Related Collections:

Atlanta History Center holds a collection of photographs and architectural drawings and the University of North Carolina holds a collection of correspondence.

Drawing listing:

Number	Description
01	Mount Nebo - near Milledgeville, Baldwin. Later known as "McCombs Mount." Built by William Bryd [David Brydie] Mitchell, 1817. 6-1/4 x 10-3/4.
02	Eagle Hotel - Dahlonega, Lumpkin. 1836 - 1838. 8 x 11.
03	Davenport House - Savannah, Chatham. circa 1805. 8-1/2 x 10.
04	Gilbert - Wright - Alexander House - Washington, Wilkes. 1808. 7-3/4 x 12-1/4.
05	Major James Cockran [Cabin] - circa 1780. 6 x 8.
06	Gunby House - in Bealwood near Columbus, Muscogee. circa 1840. 7-1/2 x 11-3/4.
07	Westover - near Milledgeville, Baldwin. Home of Colonel Ben Jordan. circa 1830. 8 x 11-3/4.

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08	Jerry Cowles - Coleman House - Macon, Bibb. 1838. 8 x 12-1/2.
09	The Jerry Cowles House - Macon, Bibb. 1829. Designed by Elam Alexander. 5-1/2 x 9
10	The Cobb - Thomas - Barrow Place - Athens, Clarke. 1830 - 1835. 7-1/4 x 10-3/4.
11	Champion - McAlphin House - Savannah, Chatham. circa 1830. 7-1/2 x 10.
12	Carter's Quarters - Rock Spring, Murray. circa 1812. Built by George Harlan, "a half-breed Indian Chief." 8-1/2 x 11.
13	The Bullock - Habersham House - Savannah, Chatham. 1818. Designed by Jay; Demolished. 1899. 7-1/2 x 9-3/4.
14	Cannons Point - St. Simons Island, Glynn. Original cottage, 1793; embraced in Mansion, 180?. 5 x 11.
15	Button Gwinnett Home - St. Catherine's Island, Liberty. circa 1770. Has been remodeled. 6-3/4 x 10.
16	Habersham House (The Pink House) - Savannah, Chatham. 1771. 7-3/4 x 10.
17	Ware - Sibley - Harralson House - Augusta, Richmond. 1807. 9 x 12-1/2
18	Hopeton on the Altamaha - Glynn. 1806. Built by John Couper and James Hamilton. Guttled by fire, 1880. 4-1/2 x 9
19	Governor John Houston Home - Reynolds Square, Savannah, Chatham. circa 1785. Later home of Colonel John Screven. Demolished, 1920. 7-3/4 x 12
20	The Howard Place, later Sherwood Hall - near Columbus, Muscogee County. 1830. 5 x 9-1/2.
21	The Jarrett Manor or Travelers Rest - Toccoa, Stephens. 1785. Built by Joseph Walton.
22	Jarrett Manor Stair Hall [detail] - Toccoa, Stephens. 1785. Built by Joseph Walton. 7 x 9.
23	Cottage on the Old Lawrenceville Road - circa 1855. 8 x 9-1/4.
24	Lowther Hall - Clinton, Jones. 1822. 8-1/4 x 14
25	Lufborrow - Habersham - Ravenel House - Savannah, Chatham. circa 1828. 9 x 11-1/2.
26	The Downs House [Neal-Patterson House] - Covington, Newton. 1840 - 1845. 7 x 12.
27	The Minis House - Savannah, Chatham. 1822. 7-1/4 x 10-3/4.

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Number	Description
28	Nankapoo Tavern - Opposite Nancy's Blacksmith Shop, near Columbus, Muscogee. 5 x 8-1/4.
29	The Oertel House - Augusta, Richmond. 1839. 9-3/4 x 12.
30	Orange Hall - St. Marys, Camden. 1830. Built by the Reverend Horace Southworth Pratt. 7 x 10.
31	Richardson - Maxwell - Owens - Thomas House - Savannah, Chatham. 1816. Designed by Jay. 10 x 7.
32	St. Elmo - near Columbus, Muscogee. Date uncertain. Remodeled circa 1835. 6-1/2 x 9.
33	Scarborough House - Savannah, Chatham. May have been built in 1806; rear wing added by Jay in 1818; or possibly whole building by Jay in 1818. 8-1/4 x 13.
34	Slave Market - Louisville, Jefferson. 7 x 10-3/4.
35	Spencer - Woodbridge House - Savannah, Chatham. circa 1795. 8 x 11.
36	Old Tavern on St. James Square - Savannah, Chatham. Probably built before the Revolution. George Washington stopped here in 1795. Destroyed by fire in 1885. 6 x 10-1/2.
37	Orange Grove - St. Simons Island, Glynn. Later Retreat Plantation. Built by Thomas Spalding, 1794. 4-1/2 x 8.
38	Upson - Howard Place - Lexington, Oglethorpe. 1825 - 1826. [House and gardens] 8-1/2 x 8-3/4.
39	The Warner - Hill Plantation - near Greenville, Meriwether. 1847. 5-1/2 x 10-1/2.
40	White House - Augusta, Richmond. circa 1850.
41	St. Patricks Roman Catholic Church - Augusta, Richmond. 1857. [Not by P. T. Marye] 4-1/2 x 5.
42	St. Pauls Church [detail of the gate] - Augusta, Richmond. 1819. 6 x 8.
43	The John Thomas Grant Place - Athens, Clarke. 1855. [House and gardens] 12x12.
44	The Elms - Buenavista Road, Columbus, Muscogee, 1832. Now the Bowers Place. [House and gardens] 10 x 12.

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Number	Description
45	Elizafield Plantation on the Altamaha - Built by Hugh Frazer Grant. 1825 - 1830. Destroyed by fire. [House and gardens] 13 x 18.
46	The Carnes - Howard - Chafee Place - The Hill, Augusta, Richmond. Central part built by Peter Carnes, circa 1779; square Dutch garden planted by Mrs. Howard, 1784; wings added by Mrs. Howard, 1810. [House and gardens] 10-1/2 x 16.
47	Barnsley Gardens - Bartow County. Home of Godfrey Barnsley, 1833; Gardens planted about 1840. [House and gardens] 11 x 14.
48	Hartridge - Battersby - Wilder - Anderson House - Savannah, Chatham. 1833. Gardens laid out by William Battersby. [Gardens]. 13-1/2 x 16-1/2.
49	The Hermitage on the Savannah River - Chatham. circa 1825. Designed and built by Henry McAlpin (Arch Clusky?). 6 x 8-1/2 and 9-1/2 x 13-1/2 [two views]
50	The Kolb - Pou - Newton Place - Madison, Morgan. 1855. Built and planted by Wilkes Kolb. [House and gardens] 8-1/2 x 16.
51	Andrew Low House - Savannah, Chatham. 1847 [Gardens] 12 x 23.
52	Mimosa Hall - Roswell, Fulton. 1838. Built by Hohn Dunwoody. Originally called Phoenix Hall. 20-1/2 x 18 [House and gardens]
53	Gardens at Oakton - Cobb. Planted by Mrs. John Randolph Wilder, 1852. 12-1/2 x 17-1/2.
54	Rose Hill Plantation - Elbert. Original cottage built by Stephen Heard, 1787; incorporated in house shown by Thomas Jefferson Heard in 1810; gardens planted, 1810 - 1815. [House and gardens] 9 x 12.
55	Rosemary - Newnan, Coweta. Cottage built by Dr. Joel W. Terrell, 1828; remodeled by Dr. C. L. Redwine, 1859; gardens laid out by the Berkmans, 1859. [House and gardens] 12 x 17-1/2.
56	Rosemary Cottage - Harrisonville, Troup. 1829. Built by Samuel Hale. Gardens said to be copied from Niblo Gardens in New York. [House and gardens] 12 x 12-1/2.
57	Home of Colonel Stevens Thomas - Athens, Clarke. 1848. Garden laid out by John Bishop, 1848. House has been moved. [House and gardens] 13 x 18.
58	Robert Toombs Home - Washington, Wilkes. 1810. Remodeled, 1830. 10 x 11-1/2.

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Number	Description
59	Valley View Home of James Caldwell Sproull - Bartow County. 1848. [House and gardens] 18 x 22.
60	[Lion House] Columbus, Muscogee County Home - circa 1840. 10 x 15.
61	Westover on Old Eatonton Road - near Milledgeville, Baldwin. circa 1850. Planted by Colonel Ben Jordan. [Gardens] 12 x 18-1/2.
62	Walker - Broughton - Bacon - Newton Place - Madison, Morgan. circa 1830. Built by Colonel John Byne Walker. [House and gardens] 19 x 27.
63	Walton Harper House - Augusta, Richmond. 1795. 10 x 12.