

T. W. Smith: A Georgia Architect

One of Georgia's leading architects, Thomas W. Smith (1860-1926) lived in and designed buildings for Waverly Terrace.



Rose Hill Presbyterian Church (1900). Misabeled as Rose Hill Baptist Church on this postcard (c. 1914). Photo source: *Columbus, GA In Vintage Postcards, 88.*

Smith served on the Georgia State Board for Examination and Registration of Architects. Smith and his son, E. Oren Smith, designed a number of large-scale municipal, railroad, and religious buildings throughout the state.

In Waverly Terrace, Smith designed his own home at the corner of 29th Street and Hamilton Road (c. 1912). He also designed Waverly Terrace Elementary School and the United Congregationalist Church (1909). In Columbus, Smith designed a number of residential and religious buildings, including Rose Hill Presbyterian Church (c. 1900).



Thomas W. Smith's House (1908) c. 1912. Photo source: *Columbus, GA in Vintage Postcards, 89.*