

NEW LIFE

After the property sat vacant for decades, the couple enlisted the help of *GHK Design Collaborative's* Lauren Guidry, Cynthia Hahn, and Susie Kapadia to convert the historic building into seven apartments on the lower level and the couple's residence on the second floor. The Birmingham-based team were faithful to the homeowner's wishes by sourcing a mix of pieces that are reflective of the period and the history of the building while infusing the design with modern functionality. "Our primary concerns were honoring the soul of the building and showcasing its industrial history as well as bringing it in line with a more modern aesthetic," Kapadia explains.

Original vintage signs and placards are proudly displayed throughout the home, paying homage to the property's former life as the Peerless Weighing Machine Company.