



ATTACHMENT TO Y 110

The Historical Values Committee of the Philadelphia Historical Commission met November 27, 1961, at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. Present: Dr. Nichols, chairman; Mrs. Dilworth, Mr. Williams, and Dr. Tinkcom.

Contracts for the research staff of the Historical Commission were approved as follows:

The Commission's budget for 1962 allows for professional services, including \$350. for travel by Commission members or the historian

\$12,231.00

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Rows include: For Beatrice H. Kirkbride, 1200 hours @ \$3.00 = \$3,600.; Richard S. Fuller, 500 hours @ \$2.50 = \$1,250.; Edwin Iwanecki, 800 hours @ \$1.25 = \$1,000.; A. Adele Rudolph, honorarium = 750.; Marjorie G. Graham, " = 500.; Margaret B. Tinkcom, 1000 hours @ \$4.50; plus \$300. expenses traveling at the direction of the Commission = \$4,800.; Total = \$11,900.00; Unencumbered balance = \$681.00.

The assignment of a plaque to Carpenters' Hall was unanimously approved. Other requests for plaques were referred to the Architectural Committee, since the architectural features of the buildings under review, rather than their historical interest will determine the approval, or disapproval, of the requests. It was the Committee's considered opinion that ~~all~~ requests for plaques should in future be acted upon by the Architectural Committee.

The Committee also suggested that some consideration be given to the neighborhoods whose quiet charm is enhanced by the honeycomb of narrow streets of small houses -- Waverly, Panama, Iseminger -- found both East and West of Broad Street. The houses on these streets are not important individually, but their preservation is essential if the atmosphere of the old City is to be maintained. Furthermore, although many of these houses, perhaps most of them, will probably never be "restored" to their original appearance, they serve history well by preserving the spirit, if not the ~~xxxxxxxxxx~~ precise appearance of their neighborhoods. It is proposed, therefore, that a citation in the form of a smaller, sampler plaque recognizing the value of a particular building to the continued well-being of the particular section to which it belongs be designed. These will be distributed in the same way as are the present plaques, except that archaeological restoration to the original state will not be required. Any owner may obtain a citation for his house, if it is being maintained in good condition.

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The buildings on the attached list were recommended for certification:

In addition, 304 Walnut St., and Temple Keneseth Israel were approved pending the agreement of the commission's architects.

BUILDINGS RECOMMENDED FOR CERTIFICATION, November 27, 1961

708 S. Washington Square
Provost William Smith's house (Haywood St., near Krail St.)
S. W. cor. 13th & Spruce
N. W. cor. Pine & Camac
1225 Pine
1227 "
1229 "
1231 "
1237 "

1220
12
14
16
18
20
S. N. cor Camac & Pine (1224 Pine)
1226 Pine
1228 "
1230 "
1234 "
1236 "
S. E. cor 13th & Pine

1219 Waverly
1225 "
1231 "

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1228 Waverly (cor. Waverly & Iseminger)
1230 "
1232 "
1234 "
1236 "
1238 "
S. E. cor 13th & Waverly

403 S. 13th St.
405 "
407 "

332 "
334 "
336 "

304 Walnut St.

Temple Kenneth Israel (Temple Univ. Law School) Block above Columbia