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CITY New York COUNTY New York
 STATE New York
 DATE October 8, 1947

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ARCHITECTS' ROSTER

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1. (a) FIRM (individual or partnership) Polhemus & Coffin

(b) FORMER FIRM, if any _____

2. BUSINESS ADDRESS 660 Madison Avenue, New York, New York

3. YEAR ESTABLISHED 1919

4. PERSONAL HISTORIES OF PRINCIPALS	Name of Principal	Name of Principal
	<u>Henry M. Polhemus</u>	<u>Lewis A. Coffin</u>

Furnish data complete, but keep to essentials. Describe each member of firm individually; if more than two, append extra sheets.

(a) Date of Birth January 7, 1891 July 21, 1892

(b) Education Certificate of Architecture Bachelor of Arts - Columbia University
Columbia University - 1908-1912 1912
Studied one year at Bachelor of Architecture - Columbia
Ecole des Beaux Arts University-1914
Paris, France

(c) Experience Prior to Own Practice
 (Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)
Draghtsman 1915-1917
York and Sawyer 1913- 1915 with Chester A. Paterson, Architect

(d) Commenced Practice 1915 principle in Polhemus & MacKenzie 1917 - principle own practice
1919 " " Polhemus & Coffin 1919 " in Polhemus & Coffin

(e) Number of Years a Principal 32 years 30 years

Architectural Licenses

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

New York	New York
New Jersey	New Jersey
Connecticut	Connecticut
All licenses issued to both when first required in several states.	

(g) Professional Societies and Offices Held

American Institute of Architects formerly Architectural League " Member Executive Committee New York Chapter A. I. A.	American Institute of Architects formerly Architectural League
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(h) Service in World Wars I and II. (Append data if desired.)

1st Lieut. Signal Corp 1917-1919	Captain - 60th Reg. Army Artillery - A. E. F. 1917-1918
Regional Director of the Smaller War Plants Corporation for New York and New Jersey - 1942-1945	

(i) Civic Activities

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5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS

Name of Firm or Individual	E. Elwyn Seelye & Co.
Business Address	101 Park Avenue New York, New York

(b) HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS

Name of Firm or Individual	Connolly & Schmidt
Business Address	10 West 37th Street New York, New York

(c) ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS

Name of Firm or Individual	Various ones
Business Address

(d) PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS

Name of Firm or Individual	Various Ones
Business Address

(e) LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS

Name of Firm or Individual	Mr. Henry Boucher
Business Address	3701 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W. Washington, D. C.

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OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:

(Append extra sheet if necessary)

Henry M. Polhemus - Co-author of book
"Small French Buildings" - (Scribner)

Lewis A. Coffin - Co-author of book
"Brick Colonial Architecture of Maryland and Virginia"
(Architectural Pub. Co.)

Co-author of book
"Small French Buildings" - (Scribner)

7. REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE OR ARE ARCHITECTS; OR WERE OR ARE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS:

Name of Project	Location	Date	Cost	Architect or Associate Architect
Office Building (232 Madison Ave.)	New York City	1925	\$1,500,000.	Architect
Doctor's Office Bldg.	150 East 54th New York City	1926	\$ 300,000.	"
Dining Hall (Choate School)	Wallingford, Conn.	1930	\$ 200,000.	"
Gymnasium Building (Choate School)	"	" 1932	\$ 300,000.	"
Office Building (For Medical Profession)	140 East 54 St. New York City	1932	\$ 653,000.	"
Apartment Building (Stores & Apartments)	80 East End Ave. New York City	1933	\$ 31,000.	"
Alteration (Office Building for Tuller Constr. Co.)	20 East 53 St. New York City	1938	\$ 50,000.	"
Apartment House	Red Bank, N. J. 9 Lexington Ave. New York, N. Y.	1938 1940	\$ 30,000. \$ 500,000.	" "
Onteora Club House (Residence for Mr. Mrs. Fleitas)	Tannerville, New York Centerville, Delaware	1940 1941	\$ 35,000. \$ 275,000.	" "
Y.M.C.A. Building (Dormitory for Choate School)	Red Bank, N. J. Wallingford, Conn.	1945 1946	\$ 40,000. \$ 200,000.	" "
Military Park Bldg.	Newark, N. J.	1927	\$2,500,000.	"
Medical Chambers Office Building	164 East 54 St. New York City	1930	\$ 900,000.	"
Apartment for (L. Gordon Hamersley)	1030 Fifth Ave. New York City	1928	\$ 100,000.	"
Private Hospital	119 East 74th St. New York City	1929	\$ 150,000.	"
Stores & Apartments	793 Lexington Ave. New York City	1928	\$ 30,000.	"
Geer Memorial Gate- way	Barnard College New York City	1928	\$ 100,000.	"
Crew House	Columbia Univer. New York City	1931	\$ 40,000.	"

PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS (Not Mandatory):

The author submits herewith photographs or photostats (size 8" x 10") of several buildings for which he has been the Architect, as follows: (N.C.A.R.B. presentation acceptable.)

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9. COLLABORATION WITH OTHER ARCHITECTS:

(a) As an established individual or firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals?

..... **Yes**

(b) Are you and/or your firm agreeable to accepting supervision of work where designs are produced by others— or vice versa?

..... **Designs by us - Supervision by others.**

(c) List firms (or individuals) with which you are associated at present or have an associate or working agreement: (Please furnish a letter from the other party verifying the association.)

..... **None.**

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10. ~~I~~ **WE DO** ~~DO NOT~~ **DESIRE TO HAVE OUR (THIS) QUESTIONNAIRE MADE AVAILABLE TO GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES.**

I/We hereby certify that the above is a true statement of facts.

Name of Firm or Individual

..... *Polhemus Pappas*

Signed by all Principals:

..... *Henry W. Polhemus*

..... *Levin A. Pappas*

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