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CITY OF Chicago

OCT 30 1946

STATE OF Illinois

DATE October 11, 1946

EDMUND R. PURVES

QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ARCHITECTS' ROSTER AND/OR REGISTER OF ARCHITECTS QUALIFIED FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC WORKS

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- 1. (a) FIRM (individual or partnership) E.E. Roberts and Elmer C. Roberts Inc.
(b) FORMER FIRM, if any E.E. Roberts and Elmer C. Roberts (Partnership)
2. BUSINESS ADDRESS 201 North Wells Street Chicago 6, Illinois
E.E. Roberts - 1898 (E.E. Roberts died 1943)
3. YEAR ESTABLISHED E.E. Roberts & Elmer C. Roberts - 1923
Incorporated 1932 - Richard J. Carlson Stockholder 1935

Table with 2 columns: Name of Principal, Name of Principal. Row 1: Elmer C. Roberts, Richard J. Carlson

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

- (a) Date of Birth June 30, 1896 January 1, 1898
(b) Education Oak Park High School Lane Tech. High School-Chgo
University of Illinois University of Illinois-Urbana
B.S. Degree B.S. Degree
University of Michigan
Special Work

- (c) Experience Prior to Own Practice
(Give architect or architectural firm affiliations, positions held, and approximate dates of employment.)
Draftsman for E.E. Roberts Draftsman for:-
at various times:- J.C. Lewellyn - 1919-1920
1914 - 1919 & 1921 - 1923 Lowe & Bollenbacher 1920-1921
Howard Shaw - 1921-1923
E.E. Roberts - 1923-1926

- (d) Commenced Practice 1923 Independently - 1926-1928
With E.E. Roberts & Elmer C. Roberts 1928

- (e) Number of Years a Principal 23 20

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(f) **Architectural Licenses**

(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

Illinois No. 1856 -- 1923

Illinois No. 1820 -- 1922

(g) **Professional Societies and Offices Held**

Chicago Chapter American  
Institute of Architects  
Treasurer - President

Illinois Society of Architects

(h) **Service in World Wars I and II.** (Append data if desired.)

W W I Served with British  
Hospital Unit - final rank  
2nd Lt. Sanitary Corps.

W W I U.S.N.R.F. CM3c

(i) **Civic Activities**

Chr. Oak Pk. Plan Commission 1940  
Mbr. Oak Pk. Planning Bd. 1944  
Mbr. 3 yrs. Reviewing Comm. Homes  
for Aged of Chicago Comm. Chest  
Chicago & Oak Pk. Comm. Chest Work

**5. CONSULTANTS USUALLY EMPLOYED:**

(If a member of your staff, so state)

(a) **STRUCTURAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual..... Westcott Engineering Co.  
Business Address ..... 205 W. Wacker Drive Chicago

(b) **HEATING & VENTILATING ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual..... Samuel R. Lewis  
Business Address ..... 100 W. Monroe Street Chicago

(c) **ELECTRICAL ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual..... Do our own.  
Business Address .....

(d) **PLUMBING OR SANITARY ENGINEERS**

Name of Firm or Individual..... Samuel R. Lewis  
Business Address ..... 100 W. Monroe Street Chicago

(e) **LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS**

Name of Firm or Individual..... Varies  
Business Address .....

6. OTHER REMARKS RE QUALIFICATIONS:.....

(Append extra sheet if necessary).....

7. SUMMARY OF PROJECT COSTS:

	Largest Single Job	All Jobs Valuation	Annual Average
Work Completed 1930-1940	\$7,000,000 *	\$9,318,441	\$847,131
Work Completed 1941-1946	\$ 250,000	\$ 425,400	\$ 71,000
Current Work under construction or working drawings authorized	\$ 600,000	\$1,638,400	

\* With Associates (Government Housing Project)

8. REPRESENTATIVE WORK FOR WHICH YOU WERE ARCHITECT OR WERE ASSOCIATED WITH OTHERS:

(a) Three Projects Not Exceeding Cost of \$300,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Bapt. Community Center	\$250,000	Oak Pk, Ill.	1st Bapt. Church of O.P.
Sunnymere Home	205,000	Aurora, Ill.	Sunnymere, Inc.
Hawthorne School	200,000	Oak Pk, Ill.	School Bd. - Oak Pk, Ill

(b) Three Projects Costing From \$300,000 to \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Borden's - Hamilton Pk	\$700,000	Chicago, Ill.	Borden Farm Products Co. of Ill.
Borden's - Forest Pk	362,000	Forest Pk, Ill.	" " " "
Hamilton Club	950,000	Chicago, Ill.	Hamilton Club of Chgo

(c) Three Projects Costing Over \$1,000,000:

Name of Project	Cost	Location	Owner
Housing Project H-1406	\$7,000,000 *	Diversy Blvd. & Clybourn Chicago	U.S. Gov't
Housing Project H-1403	\$13,000,000 **	Division & Sedgwick St. Chicago	U.S. Gov't

\* With Associates

\*\* Preliminary work only

9. PHOTOGRAPHS/PHOTOSTATS:

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.)

U.S. Gov't. Housing Project #H-1406
Assembly Room Entrance - South Branch Oak Pk Public Library
Borden's Hamilton Park Plant
300 North Grove Avenue Apartments
Entrance Portico - "Sunnymere"

10. COLLABORATION WITH JUNIOR ARCHITECTS:

(a) If an established individual or firm, are you willing to collaborate with other firms or individuals which would permit junior architects to qualify and help further their professional careers?

Yes Yes

(b) If in private practice at this time, name associates (if additional architects are to be added to your organization) for the purpose of qualifying:

[Blank lines for text entry]

(c) If not in private practice at this time, name established architect or firm with whom you have agreed to collaborate, for the purpose of qualifying:

[Blank line for text entry]

11.(a) I/We wish to be [X] included in the Architects' Roster
do not wish to be [ ]

(b) I/We would like to be [X] considered for the Register of Architects Qualified for Federal Public Works
do not wish to be [ ]

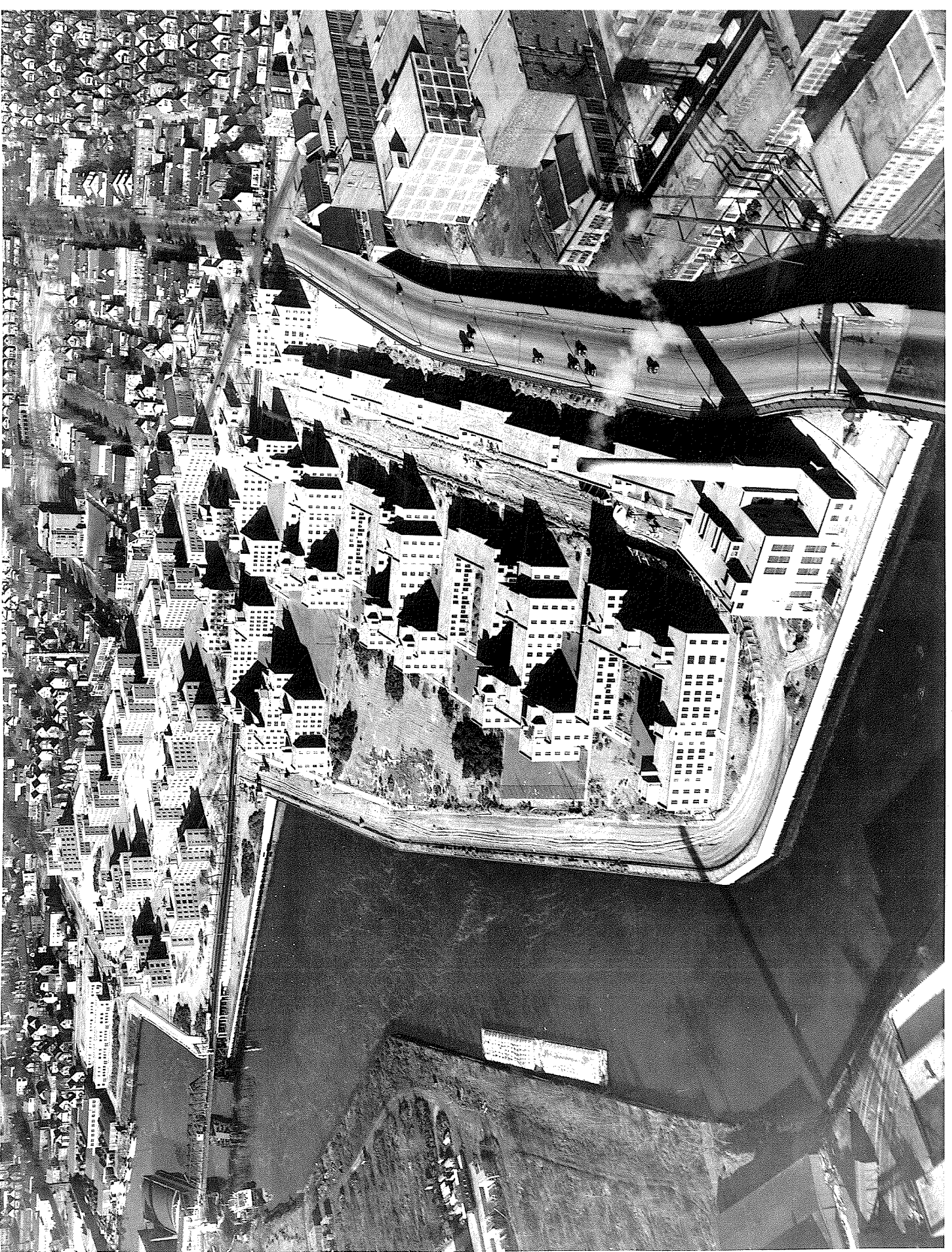
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Signed by all Principals:

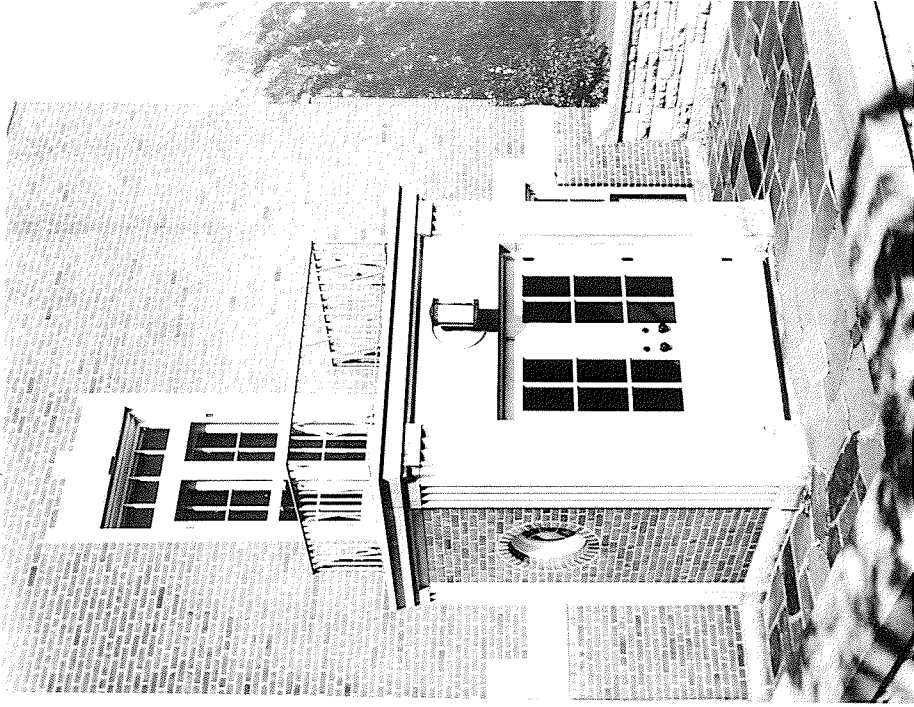
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U.S. GOV'T HOUSING PROJECT #H-1406

[caption on front of photo: U.S. Gov't Housing Project #H-1406]  
[caption on back of photo: Julia Lathrop Housing Project, Chicago, Illinois]



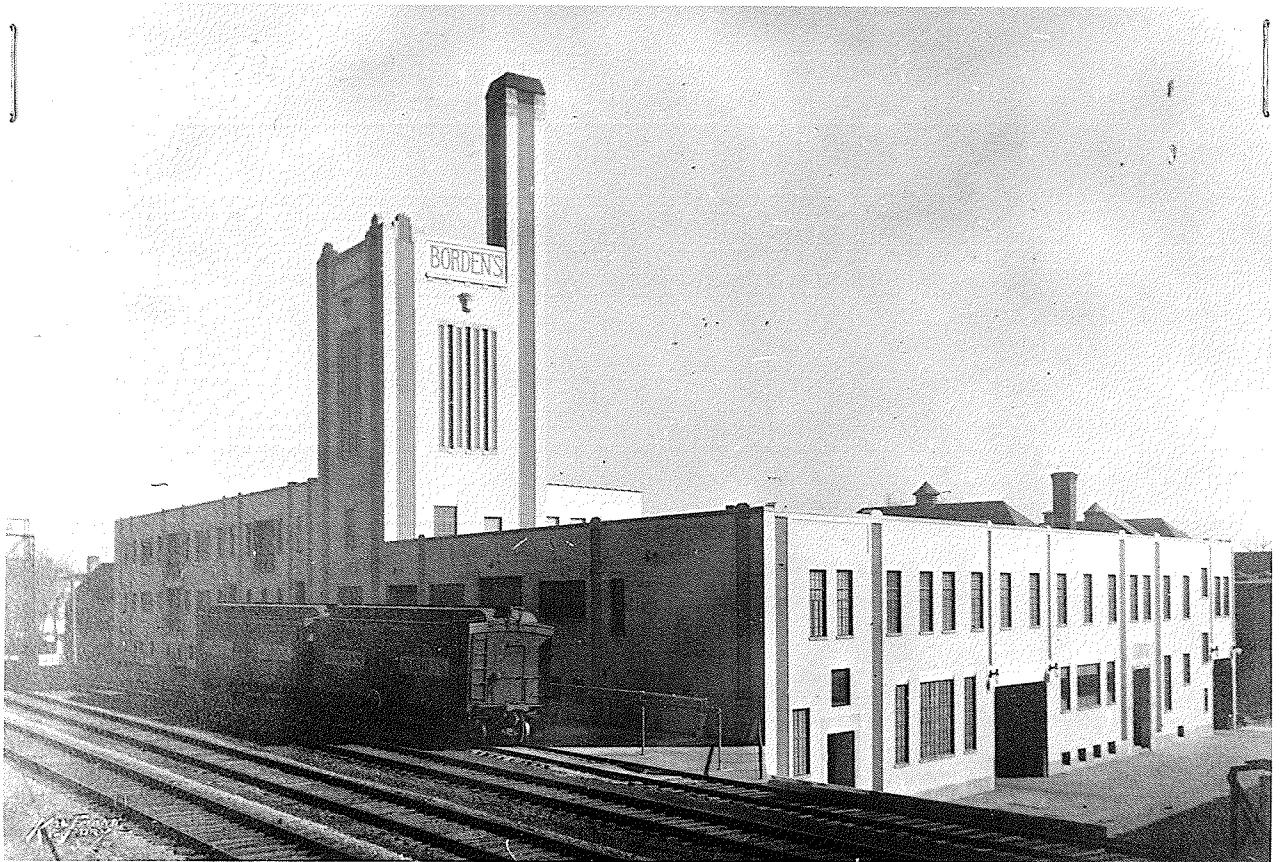
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CITY Chicago COUNTY Cook

STATE Illinois

DATE May 25, 1949

### SUPPLEMENTAL DATA SHEET

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Name of Project	Location	Date	Cost	Architect or Associate Architect
Bapt. Home & Hospital	Maywood, Ill.	1948	\$1,750,000	Prelim wk. completed
Murine Co., Inc.	Chicago	1949	175,000	New interiors, etc.
Acacia Presby Church	Chicago	1947	35,000	
Gilmore Dept. Store	Oak Park, Ill.	1948	750,000	Plans 1/2 completed

4. ADDITIONAL ARCHITECTURAL LICENSES SINCE FILING ORIGINAL QUESTIONNAIRE:  
(Give State, Number and Year Issued.)

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5. PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND OFFICES HELD AND CIVIC ACTIVITIES SINCE FILING ORIGINAL QUESTIONNAIRE:

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6. 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 E.E. Roberts and Elmer C. Roberts, Inc.

Signed by all Principals: Elmer C. Roberts Pres. ✓  
Richard J. Nathan Secy. Treas. ✓

(Use reverse side for additional information)

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E. E. ROBERTS and  
ELMER C. ROBERTS, INC.  
ARCHITECTS and ENGINEERS  
201 NORTH WELLS STREET  
CHICAGO, 6 ILLINOIS  
CENTRAL 6-2994

February 3, 1953

American Institute of Architects,  
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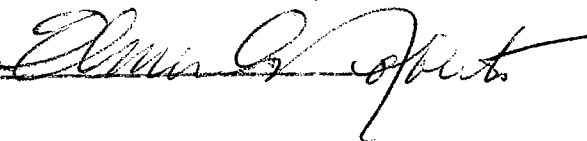
Gentlemen:

We are returning our October 11, 1946  
submission with questionnaire, with some additional  
information which we are supplying in triplicate.

We trust this will be sufficient general  
information.

Yours very truly,

E. E. ROBERTS and  
ELMER C. ROBERTS, Inc.

By 

ECR:gm  
Enc.

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION ON ACTIVITIES OF THIS OFFICE  
FILED WITH THE AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS

FEBRUARY 3, 1953

General information as originally given is unaltered.

Under the third paragraph, additional work since 1949 includes:

<u>Name of Project</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Cost</u>	
<u>Oak Park Baptist Chapel</u>	Oak Park, Ill.	1952	\$125,000.00	Project Completed.
<u>Baptist Home &amp; Hospital</u>	Maywood, Ill.	1952	\$750,000.00	Job out for bids March, 1953.
<u>Various Commercial Projects</u>			\$10,000. to \$100,000.	
<u>North Shore Country Club</u>	Glenview, Ill.	1950	\$150,000.00	General drawings 1/2 completed.

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