

RETIREMENT PLAN
FOR
CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY EMPLOYEES

The 154th Meeting of the Retirement Allowance Committee was held March 19, 1962, in the Secretary's Office, Room 746, in the Merchandise Mart, and the following were in attendance:

Mr. J. E. Hastings	Mr. W. J. Moran
Mr. C. E. Keiser	Mr. T. B. O'Connor
Mr. D. J. McNamara	Mr. R. W. Parilla
Mr. P. J. Meinardi	Mr. H. B. Storm

Mr. M. Urganis, alternate for Mr. D. J. McNamara, was also present. Neither Mr. A. E. Johnson nor Mr. T. J. Murray, nor their alternates were present.

The Chairman called the Meeting to order at 10:30 A.M.

On a motion by Mr. Meinardi, seconded by Mr. O'Connor, the Minutes of the 153rd Meeting held February 19, 1962, were un-animously approved as written.

The announcement of deaths reported since the last Meeting was made by the Secretary as per the attached listing.

On a motion by Mr. Parilla, seconded by Mr. Moran, the forty-one (41) applications submitted by the Secretary were unanimously approved as per the attached listing.

The Secretary reported that during the month, fifteen (15) employes on Total and Permanent Disability Retirement, as per the attached listing, were examined by the Medical Department or their records reviewed.

On a motion by Mr. O'Connor, seconded by Mr. Parilla, the refunds to be made March 31, 1962, as per the attached report were unanimously approved.

The Secretary read a report of deposits, disbursements, and investments during the month of February as per the attached report.

The Secretary read a report of Chicago Transit Authority bills totaling \$2,664.35, and miscellaneous bills amounting to \$451.93. On a motion by Mr. O'Connor, seconded by Mr. Meinardi, the Committee unanimously approved the payment of these bills.

Mr. Hastings advised the Committee that in the matter of John Cashman versus the Retirement Allowance Committee, the pre-trial meeting was held and that he will submit a brief to the court within thirty days.

On a motion by Mr. O'Connor, seconded by Mr. Moran, the Committee unanimously approved the special payment of March 6, 1962 for \$1,000 for postage for the Pitney Bowes Postage Meter Machine.

Mr. Storm brought up the question concerning the documentary proof of date of birth for retired employe, Nick Tsekeris, Retirement No. 9452, who retired on September 1, 1961. This employe has submitted Naturalization Papers and statements from former employers showing his year of birth to be 1896. He also furnished a certified letter from the President of the County of Graikoy in Greece, showing his year of birth to be 1884. On a motion by Mr. Meinardi, seconded by Mr. Parilla, the Committee unanimously agreed to establish the year of birth for Mr. Tsekeris as 1884

in the absence of any other documentary proof of date of birth.

There being no further business, on a motion by Mr. Parilla, seconded by Mr. Meinardi, the Committee unanimously agreed that the Meeting be adjourned. The Meeting adjourned at 11:00 A.M.

William A. Ashley
SECRETARY
RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE COMMITTEE *PROTEMP.*

APPROVED:

Don E. Reese
CHAIRMAN
RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE COMMITTEE

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