CONSIDERATION OF PAPERS SUBMITTED.

BONDS FOR LOAN OF \$500,000.00 FROM RELIEF COMMISSION.

Read report Board of Control to issuring of bonds for loan of \$500.000.00 from Halifax Relief Commission.

> Moved by Controller Murphy seconded by Controller -101-

August 26th. 1918.

Finlay that the same be adopted. Motion passed.

The following resolution is submitted:-

WHEREAS the City of Halifax has authority under Cap. 63 Acts 1918 of the Legislature of Nova Scotia to borrow to defray losses or replacements occasioned to City Property by explosion of De 6th December 1917 such sums as may be Dequired to be borrowed from time to time and in such amounts as are required for that purpose not exceeding \$500.000 The sums to be borrowed Shall form part of the Halifax Consolidated Fund 1905 and shall be secured by stock or debentures to be issued in conformity with the provisions of that Act at a rate of interest not exceeding 5% per annum and the dates on which the same shall be made payable shall be determined by the Council.

AND WHEREAS by Sec. 4g Ca-p.60 Acts 1918 authority was obtained to increase the rate of interest from 5% to not exceeding 6% provided that this amendment shall only apply to loans contracted after the passing of this Act.

AND WHEREAS the City of Halifex has borrowed from the Halifex Relief Commission the sum of \$25,000. On which by agreement the rate of interest shall be 5% per annum and the sum of \$110.000 bearing interest at 6% per annum and will further require from time to time \$365,000. The balance of the loan authorized at a rate not exceeding 6% per annum and the said Commission will accept out stock certificates for these amounts at par.

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the offer of the Halifax Relief C mmission to finance the amounts required under Sec. 63 Acts 1918 as above recated be accepted.

and is hereby authorized to execute and deliver unto the Halifax Relief Commission all such stock certificates made necess ry by payments received from time to time and generally do and perform all such acts and things as may be essential in order to carry this Resolution into effect.

Moved by Controller Murphy seconded by Controller