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due March 1, 1929-68 incl. May 1, 1930-44 incl.

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Investors Pocket Manual New Issue

\$2,750,000

Merchants & Manufacturers Exchange of New York

20-Year Sinking Fund Mortgage 7% Gold Bonds (Closed Mortgage)

To be dated June 1, 1922

To mature June 1, 1942

Interest payable June 1 and December 1. Coupon Bonds in denominations of \$1,000, \$500 and \$100, registerable as to principal. Redeemable at the option of the Company in whole or in part for the Sinking Fund at the following prices and accrued interest; at 105 to and including June 1, 1932; at 104 to and including June 1, 1937; and at 103 thereafter until maturity.

Company agrees to pay the Normal Federal Income Tax up to 2% and to refund on application the Pennsylvania 4-Mill Tax to holders resident in Pennsylvania.

NEW YORE TRUST COMPANY, NEW YORE, TRUSTER

THESE bonds will be secured, in the opinion of counsel, by a closed mortgage on the leasehold covering the block extending from Park Avenue to Lexington Avenue between 46th and 47th Streets, New York City, and the present building thereon, known as Grand Central Palace, together with an adjoining twenth-story office building to be known as the Park Avenue Annex, facing on Park Avenue, to be constructed immediately. This mortgage will be the first and only lien on the leasehold covering the land and buildings, and no lien, except taxes, can be created ranking prior to or equally with it during the life of any of these bonds. The lease, which contains very favorable terms, extends, with renewal privileges, until 1985.

THE leasehold and buildings, including the Annex at less than the contract cost, have been appraised by Messrs. Douglas L. Elliman & Co. as having sound values in excess of \$9,000,000, as of April 21, 1922.

THE present net income from existing contracts in the Grand Central Palace alone, for the year ending December 31, 1922, as certified by Messrs. Marwick, Mitchell & Co., Accountants and Auditors, is in excess of total interest and sinking fund requirements of \$257,500. Estimated net income from the total property after completion of the Park Avenue Annex, available for interest and sinking fund charges is \$946,330, or $3\frac{1}{2}$ times such charges. This estimate is based on existing contracts, renting available space in Grand Central Palace at prevailing rates and rentals at \$2 a square foot for the entire Annex. The average rate for office space in this locality is from \$3.00 to \$3.50 a square foot.

THE buildings will have their main entrance on Park Avenue within 400 feet of the Grand Central Terminal. The Grand Central Zone, with its railway terminal facilities and its case of access by subway, elevated and surface lines, is assured of its permanence as a business and shopping center of New York City.

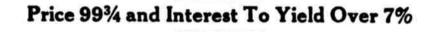
FROM the proceeds of this issue a twenty-story office building will be constructed at an estimated cost of \$2,000,000 and certain alterations will be made in the Grand Central Palace.

DURING construction, the funds will be trusteed with the New York Trust Company, to be drawn as construction progresses against architects' certificates. The building will be constructed under a maximum cost contract, with a satisfactory bond for completion deposited with the Trustee.

THE mortgage will provide that one-twelfth of annual interest and sinking fund charges of this issue and one-twelfth of local taxes shall be paid monthly in advance to the Trustee. Provision will also be made for the maintenance of a contingency fund with the Trustee equal to 10% of the greatest amount of bonds then outstanding with the public.

A Cumulative Sinking Fund, sufficient to redeem the entire issue by maturity through semi-annual purchase or redemption of bonds, will begin to operate immediately.

These bonds are offered for delivery when, as, and if issued and received by us, subject to the approval of legal details by Messrs. Simpson, Thacher & Bartlett for the Bankers and Messrs. Beekman, Menken & Griscom and Messrs. Davis, Wagner, Heater & Holton for the Company. Interim receipts or temporary bonds will be delivered in the first instance.



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