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PITTSTON, PA.
NEW KEY MAP
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Pittston Pa

KEY SYMBOLS

Fire proof construction
Iron building.
Stone building.
Yellow concrete or cement block constn.
Concrete or reinforced concrete "
Tile building.
Brick building
Brick building with brick or metal cornice.
Brick building with frame cornice.
Brick building with slate front.
" " frame side
Brick veneered building.
Brick and frame building.
Frame building.
" " metal clad
" " brick lined
Tenant building occupied by various manufacturing risks
Stable.
Auto House or private garage.
Fire wall: 6 inches above roof.
" " 12 " " "
" " 18 " " "
" " 36 " " "
Figures (8,12,18) indicate thickness of wall in inches.
Wall without openings and size in inches
" with openings as flush as designated.
Opening with single iron or tin clad door
" " double " " doors.
" " standard iron vault doors or standard tin clad doors.
Openings with wired glass doors.
Window opening in first story.
Window openings - second and third stories
" " " " fourth "
Windows with wired glass.
" " iron or tin clad shutters.
Elevators. Hoistways.
Frame enclosed elevator.
" " " with traps
" " " self closing traps.
Brick " " traps.
" " " self closing traps.
" " " wired glass door.
Horizontal steam boiler
Vertical " "
Brick Chimney
Vertical pipe or stand pipe
Automatic sprinklers.
" " in part of building only.
Automatic chemical sprinklers.
Independent electric plant.
Automatic fire alarm.
Fire alarm box.
" " " "
Water pipes and size in inches
" " " " and hydrants of the "High Pressure Fire Service" as shown on key map.
Single hydrant.
Double "
Triple "
Quadruple hydrant of the High Pressure Fire Service.
Outside vertical pipe, and fire escape.
Fire escape.
Block number
Ground elevation
Not sprinklered
Fire pump
Gasoline tank.
Outside hose connection to sprinklers or stand pipe of the High Pressure Fire Service.
Reference to adjoining page.
Fire engine house, as shown on key map
Under page number refers to corresponding page of previous edition.

Paste over New Report of Oct., 1937, which is now void.

NEW REPORT, November, 1946

PITTSTON, PA.

POPULATION: 17,828

Prevailing Winds:—Northwest.

PAVING:—All streets paved.

GRADES:—Level, except where shown on Detail Sheet.

WATER FACILITIES

Gravity system, owned and operated by Scranton Spring Brook Water Co. and is connected with Wilkes-Barre and Upper Lehigh Valley systems. Supply from Spring Brook which supplies 4 reservoirs of 3,261,000,000 gallons combined capacity. Pressure from Pittston, 48 in Exeter, 16 in Hughestown, 35 in Jenkins Township, and 22 in Pittston Township. An emergency pumping station in West Pittston is equipped with 2 Cameron electric pumps of 7,000,000 gallons combined capacity per 24 hours.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

PITTSTON.—2 companies. 1 chief, 2 assistant chiefs and 7 paid men, 100 partly paid call men, 32 reporting for each alarm. 2 American-LaFrance triple combinations with 750 gallon per minute pumps, one 40 gallon chemical tank and 1,000' 2½" hose each. 6,000' 2½" total amount of hose. Tractor drawn hook and ladder truck with 2½" of ladders. Gamewell fire alarm system. 28 boxes. Central in City Hall, steel joist construction.

Fire-resistive Roofing Ordinance prohibits use of wooden shingles within the Fire Limits only.

WEST PITTSTON.—1 chief, 1 foreman, 1 assistant foreman and 60 volunteers. 1 American-LaFrance triple combination, 1000 gallon booster tank and 1,000' 2½" hose. 1 American-LaFrance quadruple combination with 750 gallon per minute pump, 100 gallon booster tank, 1,000' 2½" hose and ladders. 3,500' 2½" hose and 300' 1½" hose. Gamewell fire alarm system. 16 boxes. Headquarters in brick Fire Station.

EXETER.—1 paid driver, 1 chief, 1 assistant chief and 165 volunteers. 1 American-LaFrance triple combination 750 gallon per minute pump, 100 gallon booster tank and 1,250' 2½" hose. 1 American-LaFrance quadruple combination with 750 gallon per minute pump, 100 gallon booster tank, 1,250' 2½" hose and ladders. 2,800' 2½" hose. Sterling fire alarm system. 20 boxes. Headquarters in Fire Station, a brick building with gypsum plank roof.

JENKINS TOWNSHIP.—(Page 41). 2 paid drivers, 100 volunteers. 1 American-LaFrance triple combination with 750 gallon per minute pump, one 40 gallon chemical tank and 1,000' 2½" hose. Total amount of hose 3,200' 2½" hose. To have gamewell fire alarm system. 25 boxes. (Former Edwards system not in use, alarm by telephone at present).

POPULATION:—2,340

HUGHESTOWN.—60 volunteers and 1 paid driver. 1 American-LaFrance triple combination pumper, capacity 750 gallons per minute with one 40 gallon chemical tank, 300' chemical hose and 1,800' 2½" hose. Gamewell fire alarm system. 9 Gamewell and 5 Federal boxes. Headquarters in Fire Station, a frame building. Siren on Fire House.

PITTSTON TOWNSHIP.—75 volunteers. 1 Larrabee triple combination truck, capacity 350 gallons per minute with two 40 gallon chemical tanks, 200' chemical hose and 1,500' 2½" hose. Alarm by telephone.

No Fire-resistive Roofing Ordinances in above named districts except Pittston.

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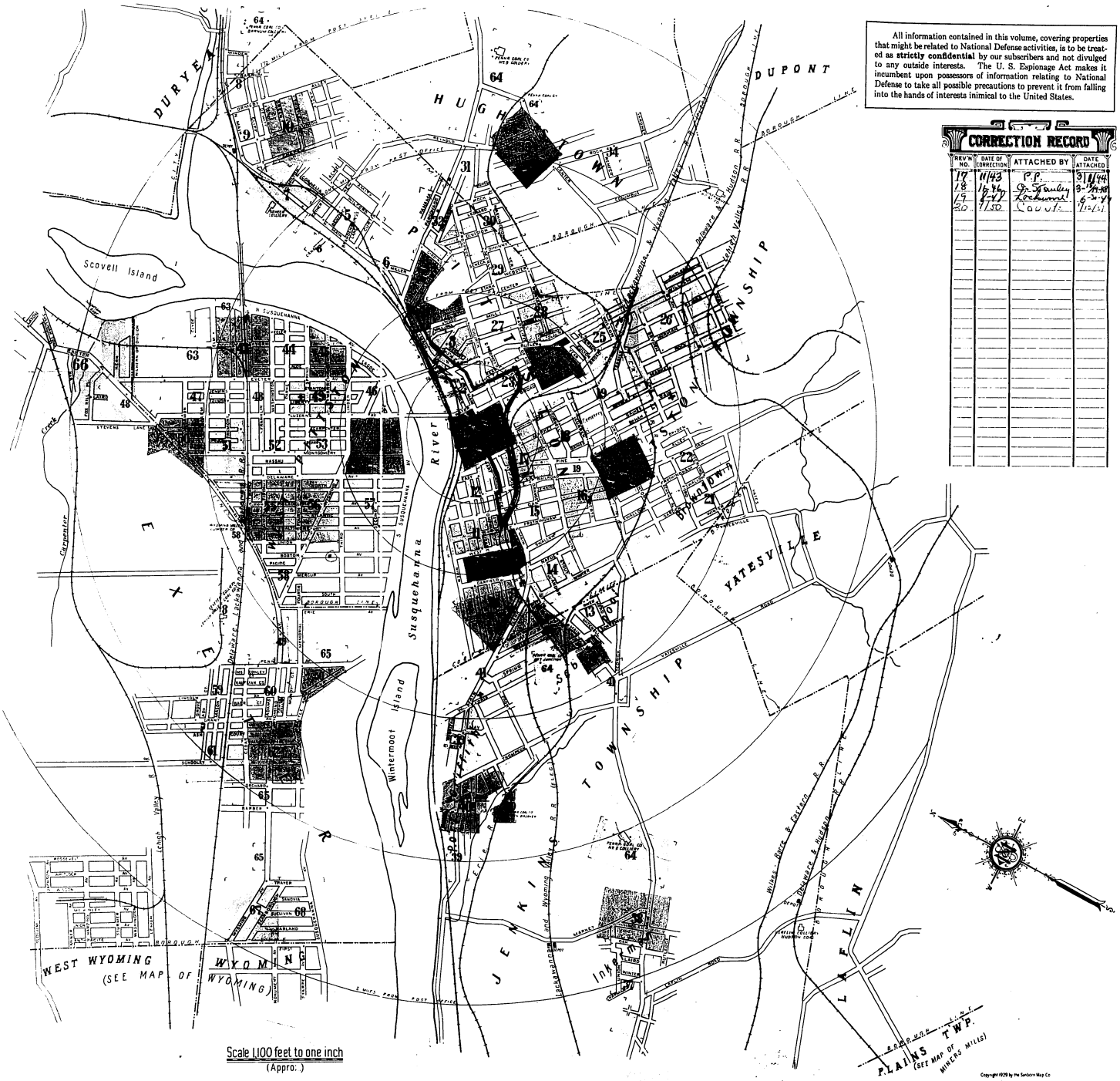

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