## WAR DEPARTMENT PORT OF EMBARKATION NEW YORK

## OFFICE OF THE PORT UTILITIES OFFICER.

October 29, 1918.

From: Brig. General A. C. Dalton, U. S. A., New York, N. Y.

To:

Quartermaster General, U. S. Army, Washington, D. C.

Subject:

Commendation of Major F. S. Laurence, Q. M. Corps and Capt. C. H. Jabelonsky, Q. M. Corps.

1. Upon my relief from duty in connection with the Army Transport Service, Port of New York, I desire to express my appreciation of the able and efficient service that has been rendered by Major F. S. Laurence, Q. M. Corps and Captain C. H. Jabelonsky, Q. M. Corps, both of whom have been on duty under my direct observation since October 30, 1917.

Major Laurence, as head of the Construction and Repair Division, and Captain Jabelonsky, as his principal assistant, rendered most valuable services under extremely trying conditions during the Winter, 1917-1918, in construction work at this port, and in the Maintenance of the large properties operated by the Government in connection with the Army Transport Service.

The unfailing energy, resourcefulness, and application to their duty, on the part of these two officers deserves the highest commendation, and it is requested that this testimonial be filed with their official records in the War Department.

> A. C. DALTON, Brig. General, U. S. A.

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W. J. BASS, Major, Q. M. Corps.