

File No. 6563.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SEWERAGE COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF BALTIMORE
CHIEF ENGINEER'S OFFICE
AMERICAN BUILDING.

Baltimore, July 17, 1907.

Mr. W. Cabell Bruce,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:-

I beg to hand you herewith a copy of a letter received from Mr. David Peoples, the contractor for Storm-Water Drain Contract No. 2, dated June 17th, together with a copy of my reply thereto.

I beg to call your attention to clause 41 on page 17; the lower part of clause 2 on page 26 and to clause 51 on page 44 of Storm-Water Contract No. 2. I should think that we have covered the matter very thoroughly.

None of the other contractors have made the point that this party is endeavoring to make--that we are compelled to give them a dumping place. Mr. Peoples' contention is based on the language as contained in clause 41 on page 17 of the contract, that as the materials excavated from the trenches belong to the City, the City is compelled to designate a dumping place for the same.

I had a talk with Mr. Poe on this subject and believe he understands the matter thoroughly.

I also enclose a copy of a letter I have just written Mr. Peoples, regarding the removal of dirt on Light street.

Will you kindly let me have your views as to whether I am taking the right procedure in this matter?

Yours truly,

(Signed) Calvin W. Hendrick,
Chief Engineer.

P. S. I also enclose copies of correspondence with Mr. Peoples regarding the use of a private lot.