

File No. 10584.

CORRESPONDENCE.

OFFICE,  
BOARD OF FIRE COMMISSIONERS,  
CITY HALL.

Baltimore, October 18, 1909.

Mr. Edgar Allan Poe,  
City Solicitor.

Sir:-

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I am directed by the Board of Fire Commissioners to refer to you bill received from the Pittsburg Valve Foundry & Construction Company, in reference to work done on Pipe Line System, and to state that in the charge of "Work and material furnished to date as Regular Work" is included pipe on the ground and not laid, and the Fire Department claim that the contract only holds for pipe laid in the ground.

Kindly advise if the same view is held by you in this matter?

Very respectfully,

(Signed) P.W. Wilkison,  
Secretary.

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OPINION.

## LAW DEPARTMENT.

Baltimore, October 19, 1909.

Hon. Edgar Allan Poe,  
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:-

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I have your communication in regard to the bill of the Pittsburgh Valve, Foundry and Construction Company, dated October 1st 1909, and rendered to the Board of Fire Commissioners on account of contract for the installation of pipe line for the Baltimore Fire Department.

The question raised is whether the contractor should be paid