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11.9. COMMISSION TO INVESTIGATE THE PRACTICABILITY OF
CONSOLIDATING THE PASSAIC VALLEY DISTRICT SEWER-
AGE AND DRAINAGE COMMISSION WITH THE NORTH JERSEY
DISTRICT WATER SUPPLY COMMISSION.

Commissioners

William M. Johnson, President.
William F. Hoffman
Francis Scott

Jacob Stam, Secretary

November 20, 1917.

To the Honorable Walter E. Edge,
Governor of New Jersey.

Dear Sir:

The undersigned Commission, appointed by the Governor to inquire into the practicability of consolidating the functions of the North Jersey District Water Supply Commission and the Passaic Valley District Sewerage and Drainage Commission under the control and authority of one State board, respectfully report:

That they have met and after organization had a hearing at the State House at Trenton, on Thursday, November 15, inst., with the Governor attending, at which hearing both of the above named commissions were heard by us.

And it appearing from said hearing that the greater part of the work of building the Passaic Valley Trunk Sewer has already been accomplished at the expenditure of about Eleven Million Dollars, and that contracts are either given out or about to be given out to finish said work;

For these and for other reasons, it is the conclusion of the undersigned, after due consideration, that said work, during this construction period and until completion of the trunk sewer, should not be interrupted or interfered with in any way by any consolidation of the two bodies aforesaid.

Yours respectfully,

Wm. M. Johnson
Chairman

Francis Scott

Wm. F. Hoffman

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