

Moved by Mr. Hill. seconded by Mr. Hershey, in amendment,

That all in the original motion after the word "That" be expunged, and the following inserted:—Whereas the Contractor has by the permission of a Committee of this Council and with the permission of the Architect appointed by this Council deviated from the original Contract between him and this Council respecting the rebuilding of the North Wing but without the consent and concurrence of this Council: And Whereas a large amount of money has been and will be expended over and above the original Contract price by the Contractor on account of such deviations for which the Corporation are in no way liable; And Whereas it is the opinion of this Council that the Gaol, when completed according to the Plan adopted by the Contractor will be better in many respects than if completed according to the original Plan.

Therefore be it Resolved That the Contractor be permitted, but without prejudice to the rights of the Corporation, to complete the building according to the Plan now being worked upon by him and according to which estimates have been furnished to this Council, and that this Council, without relieving the said Contractor or his sureties from his or their obligation under the original contract, do pay to the said Contractor the amount claimed by him for said extra work, at the same rate and in the same manner as payments under the original contract; provided always that said payments for said extras do not, without the sanction of this Council exceed the sum of \$2,000.

A debate having arisen thereupon at 6 o'clock the Council adjourned for want of a quorum, no division having taken place upon the motions before the Council.