BUILDERS TELL OF GRAFT

Witnesses at Gresser Hearing Say They Paid Money to Clerk.

Testimony that an employe in the Building Department of the Borough of Queens collected graft money from contractors who erected buildings in that borough was given at the continuation of the Gresser hearing yesterday.

George Beyer, a builder, testified that during the year 1908, while he was building houses in Ridgewood, he had violations filed against them, and at different times paid to Chief Clerk George A. Brown $150, and that he was allowed to continue his operations without making any alterations.

Jacob Roeder, also a builder, testified to having paid Brown $150. He said he considered it a rule among builders to pay an assessment as an evidence of good will. No violations had ever been filed against his houses.

Another prod was made at the Building Department when Otto L. Jappe took the stand. He was secretary of the Modern Sanitation Company, which sold the famous Tilly vent. He said his offices were used for campaign work. Whenever he wanted extra help to get out campaign matter he called on the Building Department and a staff of clerks was sent over to help him. During the time these men worked at getting out the campaign material they were carried on the city payrolls as usual, Jappe testified.

Harry Sutphin, editor of "The Borough Bulletin," who formerly held the post of Deputy Commissioner of Public Works, at a salary of $3,000 a year, admitted that his job was what might be termed "a cinch." Mr. Sutphin declared that he visited Mayor Gaynor and told him Gresser had said that the Mayor wanted his (Gresser's) head. Mayor Gaynor, according to Sutphin, said:

"Gresser is a liar. The old man is losing his head."

In telling the history of the Ingleside sewer, in Flushing, Judge William Rasquin, jr., declared the conditinon prevailing there was one of the greatest crimes ever perpetrated against any community. He said the responsibility lay with the office of the President of Queens, which was always trying to do something, but failed of accomplishment.

SUICIDE BEFORE SWEETHEART

Love Sick Youth Had Been Forbidden to Enter Her Home.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—Entering the room in which Anna Neumeister, with whom he was in love, was sleeping, Harry Manders, twenty-four years old, wakened her early to-day and while she looked on shot himself to death. He had been forbidden to enter the house by the girl's parents and the girl herself had rejected his attentions.

Manders gained entrance to the house, in the northern section of the city, while the mother was on an errand to-day and went to the girl's room.

"Don't shout," said he, seating himself on the edge of the bed. "I am going to shoot myself."

Miss Neumeister told Manders not to be so foolish and ordered him from the room. He then walked to a mirror and shot himself in the head.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

Sunrise, 6:43; sunset, 4:46; moon sets, 2:19; moon's age, 11.

HIGH WATER.

	A.M.	P.M.
Sandy Hook	4:06	4:37
Governor's Island	4:29	4:46
Hell Gate	6:19	6:36

INCOMING STEAMERS.

TO-DAY.

Vessel.	From.	Line.
*Carolina	Almeria, Oct 29	N Y & P R
*Cot Grenada	Grenada, Nov 3	Trinidad
*Trinc William I	Hayti, Nov 7	R D W I
*Segurance	Nassau, Nov 10	Ward
St George	Algiers, Oct 28	——
Maia	Seville, Oct 25	——
Comanche	Jacksonville, Nov 7	Clyde
Suevance	London, Oct 28	——
Alamo	Key West, Nov 7	Mallory
Sant' Anna	Naples, Oct 31	Pope
New York City	Swansea, Oct 29	Bristol City
Aranchoe	Jacksonville, Nov 9	Clyde
Rotterdam	Rotterdam, Nov 3	Holl-Am
Caledonia	Glasgow, Nov 5	Anchor
St Patrick	Gibraltar, Oct 30	Am & Asiatic
Bantu	Algiers, Oct 30	——
Louisana	Christiania, Oct 27	Scand-Am
San Giorgio	Naples, Nov 1	Sicula-Am
Kentuckian	Puerto Mexico, Nov 6	Am-Haw
Purus	New Orleans, Nov 6	Brazil
Iroquois	Jacksonville, Nov 10	Clyde

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14.

*Arabic	Liverpool, Nov 5	White Star
*Dominic	Para, Nov 2	Booth
*San Juan	San Juan, Nov 9	N Y & P R
*Philadelphia	San Juan, Nov 9	Red D
Finland	Antwerp, Nov 3	Red Star
Avelona	Kingston, Nov 9	——
S V Luckenbach	Porto Rico, Nov 9	Insular
El Oriente	Galveston, Nov 8	So Pac
City of Columbus	Savannah, Nov 11	Savannah
Momus	New Orleans, Nov 9	So Pac
Amerika	Hamburg, Nov 5	Hamb-Am
Iroquois	London, Oct 30	Standard Oil

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15.

Oscar II	Christiansand, Nov 5	Scan-Am
Marina	Antwerp, Nov 3	Phoenix
Sicania	Naples, Nov 2	Italian
Ocania	Palermo, Nov 2	Austro-Am
Coppename	Trinidad, Nov 8	Royal D W I
Saratoga	Havana, Nov 12	Ward
Prinz A Wilhelm	Kingston, Nov 10	Ham-Am
Guiana	St Thomas, Nov 10	Quebec
El Siglo	New Orleans, Nov 10	So Pac
San Jacinto	Galveston, Nov 9	Mallory

*Brings mail.

OUTGOING STEAMERS.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14.

Vessel.	For.	Line.	Mail closes.	Vessel sails.
Marowijne	P'maribo, R	DWI	11:00 a m	1:00 p m
Sabine	Brunswick	Clyde	——	1:00 p m

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 15.

Kronprinzessin C	Bremen, N	GL	6:30 a m	10:00 a m
Francis	Para, Booth		12:00 m	3:00 p m
Parima	Barbados		11:30 a m	2:00 p m
Florizel	Newfoundland, R C		8:30 a m	11:00 a m
Noordam	Rotterdam, H-Am		——	10:00 a m
City of Atlanta	Sav		——	2:00 p m
Arapahoe	Jacksonville, Clyde		——	1:00 p m

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16.

Lusitania	Liverpool, Cunard	5:30 a m	9:00 a m
Adriatic	S'hampton, Wh Star	6:00 a m	9:30 a m
Laura	Azores, Austro-Am	10:00 a m	1:00 p m
Panama	Cristobal, Pan R R	11:30 a m	3:00 p m
Samland	Antwerp, Red Star	——	10:00 a m
Santiago	Guantanamo, Ward	——	12:00 m
Nueces	Galveston, allory	——	1:00 p m
Iroquois	Jacksonville, Clyde	——	1:00 p m
Monroe	Norfolk, Old Dom	——	3:00 p m

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS.

Destination and steamer.	Close in N.Y. P.M.
Japan, Corea, China (especially addressed only) (via Seattle)—Suwario	Nov 15, 6:30
Hawaii, Japan, Corea, China, Philippine Islands (via San Francisco)—Nippon Maru	Nov 17, 6:30
Tahiti, Marquesas Islands (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	Nov 17, 6:30
Japan, Corea, China (via Seattle)—Maba Maru	Nov 17, 6:30
Hawaii (via San Francisco)—Wilhelmina	Nov 18, 6:30

SHIPPING NEWS

Port of New York, Saturday, November 12, 1910.

ARRIVED.

Steamer La Campine (Dutch), Antwerp October 27, to Philip Ruprecht, in ballast. Arrived at the Bar at 5:30 a m.

Steamer La Lorraine (Fr), Havre November 2, to the Compagnie Generale Transatlantique, with 320 cabin and 577 steerage passengers, mails and mdse. Arrived at the Bar at 8:40 a m.

Steamer Bluecher (Ger), Hamburg November 1, Boulogne and Southampton 2, to the Hamburg-American Line, with 377 cabin and 1,110 steerage passengers, mails and mdse. Arrived at the Bar at midnight.

Steamer Minnetonka (Br), London November 3, to the Atlantic Transport Line, with 76 passengers and mdse. Arrived at the Bar at 11:10 a m.

Steamer Louisiana (Dan), Copenhagen October 21 and Christiania 27, to Punch, Edye & Co, with mdse. Arrived at the Bar at 11 a m.

Steamer St Irene (Br), Boston November 11. Passed Fire Island 1:45 p m.

Steamer Dorothy, Jacksonville for Perth Amboy. Passed in Sandy Hook 12:15 p m.

Steamer Arapahoe, Jacksonville November 9 and Charles 10, to the Clyde Ss Co, with passengers and mdse. Passed in Quarantine 12:30 p m.

Steamer Hamilton, Newport News and Norfolk, to the Old Dominion Ss Co, with passengers and mdse. Passed in Quarantine 2:20 p m.

Steamer City of Atlanta, Savannah November 9, to the Ocean Ss Co, with passengers and mdse. Passed in Quarantine 4:50 p m.

Steamer Kursk (Russ; new, 7,858 tons), Libau October 2, to Benham & Boyesen, with 102 cabin and 667 steerage passengers and mdse. Arrived at the Bar at 12:20 p m.

Steamer Philadelphia, Southampton and Cherbourg November 5, to the American Line, with 163 cabin and 204 steerage passengers, mails and mdse. Arrived at the Bar at 5:47 p m.

Steamer St Irene (Br), Cienfuegos October 19, Havana 27 and Cardenas 30, via Norfolk November 4 and Boston 5, with mdse, to ——. Passed in Sandy Hook at 6:55 p m.

Steamer Jamestown, Newport News and Norfolk, to the Old Dominion Ss Co, with passengers and mdse. Left Quarantine at 6:10 p m.

Steamer Mills, Sabine November 2, with mdse. Anchored outside the Bar at 6:15 p m.

Sandy Hook, N J, 9:30 p m—Wind west southwest, fresh breeze; clear; moderate sea.

SAILED.

Steamers La Gascogne (Fr), Havre; El Mundo, Galveston; Jefferson, Norfolk and Newport News; City of Montgomery, Savannah; Brazos, Galveston; Sibilia (Ger), Kingston; El Norte, New Orleans; Floride (Fr), Havre; Algonquin, Puerto Plata; Cedric (Br), Liverpool; Columbia (Br), Glasgow via Moville; Koenigin Luise (Ger), Naples; Calabria (Br), Naples; Pennsylvania (Ger), Hamburg; Duca degli Abruzzi (Ital), Naples; Minnehaha (Br), London; Ellice (Br), Fernandina; Creole, New Orleans; Cosmo, San Juan; Maracaibo, La Guaira; Comanche, Charleston and Jacksonville; Morro Castle, Havana; Magdalena (Br), Kingston; Millinocket, Stockton, Me; St. Paul, Southampton; Osceola (Br), Pernambuco, etc.; Bermudian (Br), Bermuda; America (Dutch), Antwerp; Seminole, Turk's Island; Fannie C. Hart, Miami, Fla.

STEAMERS AT FOREIGN PORTS.

ARRIVED.

Plymouth, Nov 12, 12:58 p m—New York, New York for Cherbourg and Southampton (and proceeded).

Naples, Nov 9—Roma (Fr), New York.

Fayal, Nov 11—Bolton Hall (Br), New York via Norfolk for Lisbon, etc.

Manchester, Nov 11—Titian (Br), New York.

Moji, Nov 11—Vellore (Br), New York via Durban and Shanghai.

SAILED.

Rotterdam, Nov 12, 10 a m—Rijndam (Dutch), New York via Boulogne.

Southampton, Nov 12, 1:50 p m—St Louis, New York via Cherbourg.

Birkenhead, Nov 12—Potomac (Br), New York.

Shields, Nov 11—Brilliant (Ger), New York.

Montevideo, Nov 11—Voltaire (Br), New York via Santos and Rio de Janeiro.

Antwerp, Nov 12, 8 a m—Kroonland (Belg), New York via Dover.

Christiansand, Nov 12, 11 a m—C F Tietgen (Dan) (from Copenhagen), New York.

Buenos Ayres, Nov 10—Crown of Galicia (Br), New York.

Palermo, Nov 9—Alice (Aust), from Trieste for New York.

Havre, Nov 12, 6 p m—La Touraine (Fr), New York.

Dover, Nov 12, 7:30 p m—Kroonland (Belg), from Antwerp for New York.

Glasgow, Nov 12—California (Br), New York via Moville.

Liverpool, Nov 12—Baltic (Br), New York via Queenstown; Carmania (Br), New York via Queenstown.

PASSED.

Gibraltar, Nov 11—San Giovanni (Ital), New York for Naples.

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have prepared for To-morrow, Monday,
A large collection of Very Desirable and High Cost

Imported Lingerie

which they will place on sale

At One-Half Former Prices

Night Robes,
$1.35, 2.39, 3.25, 4.75 to 7.50

Chemises,
$2.25, 2.69, 2.95, 3.25 to 7.95

Pantalons,
$2.50, 2.95, 3.35, 4.25 to 6.90

Corset Covers,
$1.45, 2.25, 2.50, 3.25 to 5.50

Combinations,
$1.98, 3.30, 5.50, 6.75 to 9.50

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Unusual Reductions have been made in High Class Paris Novelty Edges, Bandings, Flouncings and Allovers

Metallic and Colored Novelty Bandings and Flouncings, 1½ to 12 inches wide, at 68c to 8.50
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Attractive Models, made of Diagonal Serges, at $28.50
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Women's House Gowns

Kimonos, of Flowered Satin with border effects, at $6.50, 9.50
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at $5.75, 7.50, 9.50 and 13.50
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Foreign and Domestic Models, comprising styles for every occasion.
Fur Sets in large variety and the newest effects in all fashionable Furs,

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Broadcloth Paletots, with Opossum and Persian Lamb Collars, lined and interlined, at 28.50

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Doyleys, Finger Bowl Size,	Doz.	$1.35, 1.95, 2.50, 2.95
Doyleys, Plate Size,	"	2.95, 3.35, 5.25, 7.50
Centre Pieces,	Each	1.50, 1.95, 2.65, 4.25
Tea Cloths,	"	5.85, 7.50, 8.50, 9.85
Lunch Cloths,	Each	$11.25, 13.85, 16.50, 19.85
Dinner Cloths,	"	28.75, 62.50
Tea Napkins,	Doz.	$3.90, 5.25, 6.25, 7.25
Luncheon Sets,		5.25, 6.25, 7.25, 8.75

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