

these officers took in this particular case.

Very respectfully,

THOMAS F. FARNAN, Marshal."

Police Physician Walter F. Sowers.
Request to attend family of Francis J. McClean.

A communication, as follows, was received:-

"Baltimore, September 8, 1912.

Mr. J.A. Kinsey, Secretary,

Board of Police Commissioners.

Dear Mr. Kinsey:-

I have been attending the family of Officer McClean, 2240 W. Fayette street, for a long time and would like to continue same should it meet with the approval of the Board.

I will thank you to let me know their wishes in the matter.

With kindest regards, believe me,

Very truly yours,

W. F. SOWERS."

It was ordered that permission to given to Police Physician Walter F. Sowers to professionally attend the family of Patrolman Francis J. McClean, but as to the officer himself the Board concluded that in case of his sickness it would be better that the officer be attended by a physician not connected with the department.

The Secretary was directed to so communicate with Dr. Sowers.

(See Exhibit No. 4162.)

Patrolman Frederick G. Russell.
Retirement.

In the matter of Frederick G. Russell on the sick list suffering from Brights disease, etc., as referred to in the proceedings of September 5th., 1912, a report, as follows, was received:-

"Baltimore, September 6, 1912.

To The Board of Police Commissioners.

Gentlemen:-

In compliance with your instructions of September 5, 1912, we have made a thorough medical examination of Frederick G. Russell, Patrolman, S. District, of the Baltimore Police Force and find that he is permanently incapable of performing active