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CORRESPONDENCE.

CITY OF BALTIMORE,

DEPARTMENT

OF

PUBLIC PARKS AND SQUARES.

Baltimore, May 14., 1906.

W. Cahell Bruce, Esq., City Solicitor, Court House, City.

Dear Sir: -

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The Park Board will have to take proceedings in a number of cases for the condemnation of property for park extensions, and it is probable that they will commence at an early date.

I beg to request that you furnish me with a letter of instructions as to the method in which these proceedings should be taken.

I call your attention to the fact that under the direction of your
office there are already several proceedings, some of which are being
tried today in Court. It may be that the proceedings as thus conducted
will be proper.

But it appears from the Act passed at the last session of the General Assembly, Chap. 276, commonly known as the "Park Loan Ordinance", which you were so kind as to send me, that the City in the dinance, which you were so kind as to send me, that the City in such manner name of the Park Board may condemn property in the City in such manner name of the Park Board may condemn property in the City in such manner as may now or may at any time hereafter be provided for by any lawful ordinance.

Bo far as I know the present proceeding is unobjectionable, but I deemed it wise to advise you of the situation in view of the large number of proceedings which the Park Board will have to take, and to request you to give to the Park Board definite instructions as to the method of proceeding.

Very truly yours.

(Signed) Richard M. Venable.

President.

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