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change the name of a private street. It, necessarily, follows from this that the proper name of a private street is the name given to it by the owner. Strictly speaking, therefore, if you intend to place on the city lamps a name for a private street, you should insert the legal name of the street. It may be, however, that the private street has become known by a name other than its so-called legal name and confusion would, therefore, result; this is a matter which you will have to determine for yourself.

Very truly yours,
(Signed) Edgar Allan Poe,
City Solicitor.

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File No. 9779.

CORRESPONDENCE.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS,
SUB-DEPARTMENT OF CITY ENGINEER.

Baltimore, March 27, 1909.

Edgar Allan Poe, Esq.,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:-

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There are some repairs necessary to the two foot strip of the Railway Company's track on Lexington street. Unless they make these repairs and put this strip in proper shape, it is quite impossible for me to make repairs to the sheet asphalt which is to be handled by the city.

The Railway Company hold that, as their portion of the paving is not dangerous, they cannot be required to make repairs.

Article 35, Sections 114 and 115, of Pielert's Code, appears