File No. 3562 Continued. OPINION.

erty adjoining the Brown Bank building on Baltimore Street.

The facts of the two cases seem to be similar.

Truly yours,

(Signed) W. Cabell Bruce,

City Solicitor.

File No. 3562. OPINION.

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Baltimore, October 2, 1905.

Hon. W. Cabell Bruce,

City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:-

2886 Replying to your letter of the 2nd inst., accompanied by a letter from the Inspector of Buildings inquiring as to the underpinning of a wall belonging to Mr. Keyser and in the rear of the premises on German Street owned by Miss Mylander, I beg leave to say that on April 14th last, Mr. Preston asked for your opinion in reference to the underpinning of the property adjoining the Brown Bank building on Baltimore Street and also on Calvert Street, upon a statement of facts almost analogous with that contained in his letter first above referred to. Mr. Lauchheimer, Assistant City Solicitor, on April 17th last rendered a report to you, which you approved and sent to Mr. Preston. This report, I think, covers the inquiry now made of you, and I enclose a copy thereof herewith.

Under Section 6 of Article 7 of the Baltimore City Code of 1893, the ten feet below the kerb is computed, not from the top of the kerb in front of the premises of the person who is requested to underpin his wall, but from the top of the kerb in front of the premises upon which the excavation is going on which renders such underpinning necessary.

Truly yours,

(Signed) Henry W. Weeks,

Clerk to City Solicitor.

.....