[Woodhull, Thenford]

LAWYER WOODHULL KILLED ON BICYCLE Ran Into Heavy Truck Opposite Long Island Railroad Terminal

Thenford Woodhull, author, and one of this borough's prominent lawyers, died late last night in the Brooklyn Hospital as a result of injuries received when the bicycle he was riding crashed into a heavy truck at the corner of Flatbush avenue and Hanson place. Mr. Woodhull failed to note the approach of the truck until too late, and was thrown heavily to the ground, receiving a compound fracture of the hip and internal injuries. He was rushed in a passing automobile to the Brooklyn Hospital, but died there within an hour.

Mr. Woodhull was 68 years old and lived with William Griffiths at 124 Berkeley place. He was fond of bicycle riding and was on one of his daily spins when the accident happened. Being on a wheel, he rode through that portion of the street roped off as a "safety zone," and the truck which struck him was going around the outside of it. The truck was one belonging to the Union Transfer and Storage Company of 121 East Twenty-second street, Manhattan, and was being operated by Joseph Landerof of 199 East Eightyninth street, Manhattan.

Born in New Brunswick, Maine, in 1848, Mr. Woodhull was sent to Columbia University, where he was graduated with the class of '69. Not only was he a lawyer of note, having compiled digests of the laws of several States, but he was also a recognized author. For years he occupied quarters at 4-5 Court square, and had lived in Brooklyn for more than thirty years.

Mr. Woodhull was active in Democratic politics, and was a member of the Church of the Reconciliation [Third Universalist Society of Brooklyn], Jefferson and Nostrand avenues. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa at Columbia, and of the Alumni Association of that college. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. George H. Cunningham, of Valley Cottage, N. (?), who arrived here today, to take charge of the funeral arrangements, which as yet are not complete.

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