

*Decisions on Petitions for Writs of Certiorari from
February 21 to April 10, 1905.*

NO. 458. THE LUDINGTON NOVELTY COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* CHARLES H. LEONARD ET AL. February 27, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit denied. *Mr. Fred L. ChapPELL and Mr. George A. Prevost* for petitioner. *Mr. Edward Taggart and Mr. Arthur C. Denison* for respondent.

NO. 495. THE MERCHANTS AND MINERS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, ETC., ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* THE STEAMSHIP THORNHILL, ETC. February 27, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit denied. *Mr. Robert H. Smith and Mr. Daniel H. Hayne* for petitioners. *Mr. J. Parker Kirlin* for respondent.

NO. 525. JAMES TALCOTT ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* HENRY FRIEND ET AL. February 27, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. Horace Kent Tenney* for petitioners. *Mr. Jacob Newman, Mr. Benj. V. Becker and Mr. Solomon Levinson* for respondents.

NO. 527. MARCELLUS E. THORNTON ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF NATCHEZ ET AL. February 27, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit denied. *Mr. Wade R. Young* for petitioners. *Mr. Eaton J. Bowers and Mr. Marcellus Green* for respondents.

NO. 521. THE REMBERT ROLLER COMPRESS COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* THE AMERICAN COTTON COMPANY ET AL. March 6,

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1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit denied. *Mr. Walter Gresham* for petitioner. No one opposing.

No. 543. GEORGE E. ZARTMAN, AS TRUSTEE, PETITIONER, *v.* THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF WATERLOO, N. Y. March 6, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit denied. *Mr. George E. Zartman* for petitioner. *Mr. W. H. Sholes* for respondent.

No. 533. THE UNITED STATES LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, ETC., PETITIONER, *v.* AGNES MCMAHON ET AL. March 13, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit denied. *Mr. George Clark* for petitioner. *Mr. A. L. Beaty* and *Mr. C. H. Smith* for respondents.

No. 540. JOHN T. MCGRAW ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* SAMUEL B. WOODS ET AL. March 20, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit denied. *Mr. Holmes Conrad*, *Mr. John H. Holt* and *Mr. Melville D. Post* for petitioners. *Mr. L. L. Lewis* for respondents.

No. 551. TENNESSEE OIL, GAS AND MINERAL COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* F. D. BROWN ET AL. April 3, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit denied. *Mr. Harvey D. Goulder* and *Mr. H. H. Ingersoll* for petitioner. *Mr. Edward T. Sanford* and *Mr. C. E. Lucky* for respondents.

No. 557. CENTRAL COMMERCIAL COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* CHICAGO TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE, ET AL. April 3, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. Lewis W. Parker* for petitioner. No one opposing.

No. 558. THE BOSTON WATER AND LIGHT COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* THE FARMERS' LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE, ET AL. April 3, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. S. S. Gregory* and *Mr. C. H. Poppenhusen* for petitioner. *Mr. John S. Runnells* and *Mr. William Burry* for respondents.

No. 559. THE NEW ENGLAND WATER WORKS COMPANY ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* THE FARMERS' LOAN AND TRUST COMPANY, TRUSTEE, ET AL. April 3, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. James Hamilton Lewis* for petitioners. *Mr. John S. Runnells* and *Mr. William Burry* for respondents.

No. 567. IONIA TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* J. I. CASE THRESHING MACHINE COMPANY, CLAIMANT, ETC. April 3, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. John C. Richberg* for petitioner. *Mr. George D. Van Dyke* for respondent.

No. 583. FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BALTIMORE, PETITIONER, *v.* WILLIAM H. STAAKE, TRUSTEE, ETC., ET AL.; and No. 584. HENRY K. MCHARG ET AL., RECEIVERS, ETC., ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* WILLIAM H. STAAKE, TRUSTEE, ETC. April 3,

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1905. Petitions for writs of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit granted. *Mr. S. Hamilton Graves* for petitioners. *Mr. H. Gordon McCouch* for respondents.

No. 547. THE KANSAS CITY SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* CLARK PRUNTY. April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit denied. *Mr. Samuel W. Moore* for petitioner. No one opposing.

No. 577. ALBERT C. GUNNISON ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY COMPANY. April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit denied. *Mr. Wm. F. Vilas, Mr. John C. Spooner and Mr. J. R. Sanborn* for petitioners. *Mr. George R. Peck, Mr. Burton Hanson and Mr. C. H. Van Alstine* for respondent.

No. 580. MEMPHIS CONSOLIDATED GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v.* JANE LETSON. April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Sixth Circuit denied. *Mr. Thomas B. Turley* for petitioner. No one opposing.

No. 585. CHARLES E. MOORE ET AL., PETITIONERS, *v.* ROBERT B. PETTY ET AL., EXECUTORS, ETC. April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit denied. *Mr. Elbert H. Hubbard* for petitioners. No one opposing.

No. 589. STRATTON'S INDEPENDENCE, LIMITED, PETITIONER, *v.* TYSON S. DINES ET AL., EXECUTORS, ETC., ET AL. April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States

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Circuit Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit denied. *Mr. Louis Marshall* and *Mr. Samuel Untermyer* for petitioner. *Mr. L. M. Goddard* for respondents.

No. 593. THE WESTERN ELECTRIC COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v. JOHN F. HANSELMANN, JR.* April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit denied. *Mr. John Notman* for petitioner. *Mr. John F. Hanselmann, Jr., pro se.*

No. 594. GREAT NORTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v. WILLIAM C. FOWLER.* April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit denied. *Mr. James B. Howe* and *Mr. L. C. Gilman* for petitioner. No one opposing.

No. 595. THE UNITED ENGINEERING AND CONTRACTING COMPANY, PETITIONER, *v. FRANCIS BROADNAX.* April 10, 1905. Petition for a writ of certiorari to the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit denied. *Mr. L. Laflin Kellogg, Mr. Alfred C. Pette* and *Mr. Franklin Nevius* for petitioner. *Mr. Andrew Wilson* and *Mr. Noel W. Barksdale* for respondent.

CASES DISPOSED OF WITHOUT CONSIDERATION BY THE COURT FROM FEBRUARY 21 TO APRIL 10, 1905.

No. 437. HENRY F. McCLURE ET AL., PLAINTIFFS IN ERROR, *v. UNITED STATES MORTGAGE AND TRUST COMPANY.* In error to the Supreme Court of the State of Oregon. March 3, 1905.