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In answer to you of the 18th ult.

I made a report in conjunction with Miles Post
and the Engineer of the Harlem RR. on the bridges of
that road in New York City, ^{in 1851-2} but have no copy of it.

I cannot say definitely about a Rider bridge at 109th St.
There may have been one there. I ~~seem~~ have a glimpse
of an idea that there was one. The tracks and bridges
~~there~~ on the low ground here, were repaired & changed after
our reports, of which copies were given to the Harlem RR
and to the N-H RR. but are probably extinct, and I
cannot find any one that was connected with either
road at that time. perhaps J. F. Rowland might recollect
the bridge

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