

❖CITY❖OF❖CAMBRIDGE❖

In Board of Aldermen, Dec. 15, 1884

~~was~~ The Joint Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges to which was referred a communication from the Mayor, dated Dec. 8. 1884, calling the attention of the City Council to remarks made by Mr Charles E. Raymond, at a public meeting of citizens, held on the evening of December 2^d. - Said remarks being an intimation that during the past year horses had been taken from the watering carts for the purpose of carting manure for a greenhouse in this city. -

Reports

That your Committee has endeavored to investigate the matter of the intimation conveyed in the remarks aforesaid, and to that end appointed a meeting for Monday Dec 15, (this day), at 4 P.M. A notice thereof was placed in the hands of Mr. Raymond, in which he was invited to be present, and state the facts of the case. He did not appear although the Committee was in session for more than an hour. Mr. Chas. A. Brann, the foreman in charge of the watering

Carts during the past year, nor present, and stated that he had no knowledge of any such occurrence as that stated by Mr. Raymond. The first time he had ever heard of such an intimation was when he was informed on the day after the election, of the statement made the night before. The thing implied, could not have been done without Mr. Beech's knowledge.

The Superintendent of Streets also said that the information implied in the remarks by Mr. Raymond, was new to him,

Your Committee would therefore report no further action necessary in the matter, and ask to be discharged from the further consideration thereof.

For the Committee
Marston E. Redoubt

Accepted. Sent down for concurrence.

Attest: Justin A. Jacobs. City Clerk.

In Common Council Dec 17 - 1884

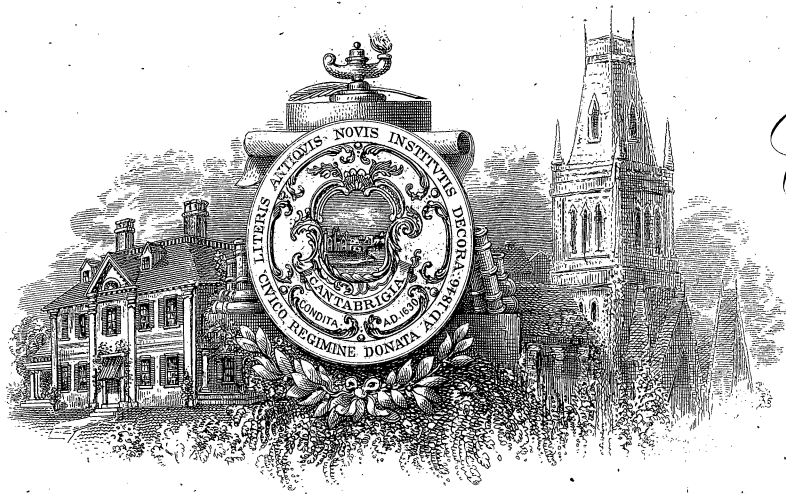
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attest Walter W Pike Clerk

Approved Dec. 18th 1884.

James N Fox
Mayor

Report
Com. on Roads & Bridges
in matter of a communication
from the Mayor, of Dec 8, 1884,
in relation to certain charges made
by the Street party Sept 4
Mr. Chas. E. Raymond
Dec 15. 1884.



City of Cambridge.
Mayor's Office.

Cambridge, Dec. 8th 1884

To the City Council of Cambridge
Gentlemen,

My attention having been called
to a statement made by Mr Charles E. Raymond
at a public meeting of citizens held on the evening
of December 2nd, I deem it my duty to bring the
matter ^{before you.} ~~to your attention~~.

Mr Raymond's remarks were substantially
as follows,

"In this coming year there will be
no horses taken from Watering carts, to draw
manure for any green house in Cambridge."

The above remarks, if made, are an intimation
that there had been irregularities and that
private parties had profited at the expense of
the City. In justice to Mr Brown, the

Superintendent of Watering Carts, who has
my entire confidence, I suggest that
some committee investigate and report
upon the matter.

James N. Fox
Mayor

In Board of Aldermen, Dec. 8, 1884.

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges,
with instructions to investigate the matter and report
to the City Council.

Sans done for concurred.

Attest: Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk.

IN COMMON COUNCIL

Dec 10 1884

Concurred.

Attest: Walter W. Pike Clerk.

Reference approved Dec 11th 1884

James N. Fox
Mayor

Communication
from the Mayor -
Dec. 8, 1884.