

To the Honorable Mayor and
Aldermen of the City of Cambridge.

We, the undersigned citizens of
Cambridge, living on North Avenue
near Jarvis and Everett Streets,
or owners of real estate situated
thereon, would respectfully re=
=monstrate against the cutting
down and removal of two large,
beautiful and thrifty Elin Trees,
situated on said Avenue be=
=tween Jarvis and Everett Streets,
as prayed for by Dexter Potter and
others.

And your remonstrants will
ever pray.

Cambridge Sept. 25. 1870.
J. J. [unclear]
Alison J. Stone } over

Albert M. Edmonds
Mrs O. M. David
Mrs Thomas Hill
J. E. Webster.

Mary R. Popken
H. Milton
Alfred A. Roberts
Wm. H. Marden
E. W. Noyes
R. L. Butterick
George O. Noyes
Henry R. Glover

In Board of Aldermen. Sept. 28. 1879.

Resolved, that the Committee on Roads and
Highways on the part of this Board.

do hereby authorize a Jacobus A. J. Clark

Remainder
of C. D. Withers & Co.
Tree - North Avenue.

Sept. 28, 1876.

Petition
of Dexter Potter & co.
Trees - No. Avenue
Sept. 21. 1870.

Cambridge Sept 20th 1870

To the Hon. the Mayor and
Aldermen of the City of Cambridge

We the Undersigned, citizens
of Cambridge, would respectfully
represent to your Hon. body, that
there are two trees, on the walk, be-
tween Jarvis & Everett streets, which
we view as an obstruction,
and to affect detrimentally the
beauty of North Avenue, by standing
in the centre of the brick walk.

We therefore desire and
hope, that your Hon. body will give
Order for their removal.

Dexter Potter

F. E. Saunders
Wm. Eaton

In Board of Aldermen, Sept. 21, 1870.

Reference to the Committee on
Roads and Bridges, on the part
of this Board.

Attest: Justin A. Jacobs.
City Clerk

Mercantile Savings Institution,

No. 48 SUMMER STREET, CORNER OF ARCH,

RICH'D HOLMES, PRES'T.
ANSON J. STONE, TREAS.
L. S. HAPGOOD, ASS'T TREAS.

Boston Sept 27th 1870

J. A. Jacobs City Clerk
Cambridge

Dear Sir:

Will you please see that the enclosed Remonstrance is presented at the Board meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen on Wednesday even^g. 28th inst. I trust proceedings in the matter referred to in the Remonstrance have not gone so far as to make the presentation unavailing. If they have not, I would be glad to appear personally before the Committee & sustain the Remonstrance. Yours truly
Anson J. Stone

J. A. Jacobs Esq
City Clerk
Cambridge

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Importers and Manufacturers of Steam Curled Hair, all qualities,

AND DEALERS IN

Live Geese Feathers, Mattresses, Ticks, Burlaps, Blankets,

COMFORTERS, MOSS, EXCELSIOR, &c.

Boston, Sept. 29 1876

D. U. Chamberlain Esq
Sir

As Chairman of the committee on Public Property of City of Cambridge, I write you with reference to a petition which has been referred to you, for the removal of some noble vigorous ancient Elm Trees in North Avenue, which have for years afforded a grateful shade to the thousands that travel under them, and still continue to. Also a very great ornament to the Avenue and Square, over which they cast a shade. I trust as Chairman of the Honorable Committee, you will not give any heed to the request, for it will be a great outrage to allow them to be removed. If money is wanted to save them I will give \$1000. You may not be aware that I have cheerfully given money to improve the Avenue from my House up to the Baptist Meeting House on the Avenue. It cost me more than \$300 to have the delta fenced in which

extends from the common, up to ^{late} Dr Noyes, residence, and
I paid for about all the shade trees in the delta
and for all outside on the walk, costing me
a large sum of money, and when I see a
disposition to remove a tree wh later a
life time to be large enough to cast
anything like a decent shade, it hits me
exceedingly.

These are the glory of our City.
I pray you therefore, that you will not
allow on any account the removal
of these trees.

Truly
Yours
Oth Servant

Wm Emory R Bacon

City of Cambridge
In Board of Aldermen Oct-5th/86

The Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges, to whom was referred the Petition of Dexter Potter & others for the removal of two Elm Trees on North Avenue, together with the remonstrance of C. D. Withall & others against the same would respectfully
Report

That they find the party remonstrant, much the most numerous & importunate, so much so, that even the petitioners, on seeing the opposition, expressed their willingness to withdraw & your Committee recommend they have leave to do so.

For the Committee

James H. Sparrow

Report of Committee
on
Roads & Bridges
On Petition of 51
Dexter Porter &
others

Dec. 5, 1874.