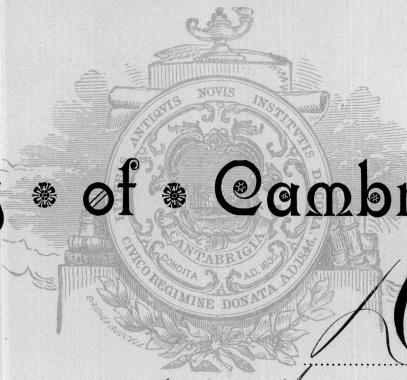


City of Cambridge.



Dec. 21st 1887

To the Honorable, the Mayor & Aldermen
of the City of Cambridge.
Gentlemen:

I deem it important to bring
to your notice the intention of Mr Asa P. Morse
to erect a brick building on the south side of
Main Street, next east of Odd Fellows Hall.
Said Morse claiming land on the front to the
extent of a number of feet, which if built over
would appear to cause an intrusion upon the
highway. No permit has yet been granted
and the matter is brought to your attention
in order that said party may proceed to
build at the earliest opportunity.

Respectfully Submitted
Benj. K. Plummer
Superintendent of Public Buildings

#1 ²²⁹ Communication from
the Supt of Public Buildings
Dec 21-1887

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN 1887
REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE
ON Roads and Bridges of this Board
with instructions to confer with
the City Solicitor
Attest Walter W Pike

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

In Board of Aldermen, Jan 24. 1888.

Standing
The Committee on Roads and Bridges.

to which was referred ~~the petition~~ a communication from
the Superintendent of Public Buildings in reference to a
proposed intrusion upon main street, by the erection of a
building upon land next east of Odd Fellows Hall.

Reports,

the communication be referred to the Joint Standing
Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Recommending that

For the Committee

Chas. W. Hincks

Chairman

accepted. Sent down for Concurrence
attest Walter W. Pike City Clerk

IN COMMON COUNCIL

Jan 25 1888

Concurred.

Attest Edward Manning Clerk

Jan. 26 / 88 C. Morris
F. Russell
M. J. [unclear]

REPORT.

standing

Committee on Roads & Bridges,
upon a communication from
the Supt of Pub. Buildings,
in relation to an intension
upon Main Street.

Jan. 20. 1888.

At Hinch.

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

In Board of Aldermen,

Feb 21.

1888

The Committee on Roads and Bridges,

to which was referred ~~the petition~~ a communication from the Superintendent of Public Buildings, in reference to a proposed intrusion upon ^{the south side of} Main Street by the erection of a building upon land next east of Odd Fellows Hall,

Reports,

~~Recommending~~ That your committee has conferred with Hon. Asa P. Morse, the owner of the land referred to. It appears that he owns a portion of the sidewalk in front of the line of the wooden building lately standing on the lot numbered 544 Main Street, such portion being a strip of land about $25\frac{3}{4}$ feet in length and about 11 feet in width, and containing about $288\frac{1}{2}$ square feet. He has agreed to convey this area to the city at the price of \$1.75 per foot, or the sum of \$504.⁸⁷

Your Committee recommends the adoption of the accompanying resolve and order taking said land and authorizing the payment of the sum named to W. Morse, upon his tendering to the city a satisfactory deed of the land so taken. This recommendation is made with the understanding on the part of your Committee that provision has been made for this expenditure, by the Committee on Finance, in its estimates of expenditures for the current year. The sum so paid to be charged to the appropriation to be made for the purpose.

For the Committee

Edw. W. Hinkley
Chairman.

REPORT.

Committee on Roads & Bridges

upon the matter of a communication from the Supt of Pub. Buildings in reference to an intrusion upon main street at no. 544.

Order recommended for taking land and awarding damages.

Feb. 21. 1888.

Alb. White