

City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, June 4th 1871

The Joint-Standing Committee on Roads and Bridges to which was referred the Petition of W^m K. Melvin, that he may be allowed more damages for his estate on Magazine Street, corner of Allston Street, have considered the same and would respectfully Report: That in the opinion of your Committee no action is necessary. And they would unanimously recommend that the petitioner have leave to withdraw.

For the Committee
James H. Hall

Accepted. Sent - closed for concurrence.

Attest - Justin A. Jacobs. City Clerk

In Common Council June 13, 1871

Concurred..

Attest J. W. Cotton Clerk

June 14, 1871

Approved

W. R. Harding
Mayor

Report
On Petition of W^m K. Melvin
June 7. 1871-

Cambridge, 186.

To the Honorable, the City Council,
of the City of Cambridge.

The undersigned respectfully prays
That more damages be allowed him for the
following reasons- The lot left will not
be large enough for a double house
and I consider it a damage to me in
having so small a lot that it makes it
unsalable - Land cannot be purchased
in that street for thirty five cents per foot
therefore I should have ten cents more per foot
for land taken - making forty five cents per foot
There is land ^{now} for sale in the rear of my building
which if you will purchase to the same
number of feet as you take will satisfy me
for the land - if not I consider the damage
to my lot Five hundred dollars -

W. H. Melvin

In Board of Aldermen, May 17, 1871 -
Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges.

Sent - closed for concurred.

Attest - Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk.

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Petition
of Wm. H. Cleveland
Sanchez Acosta St.
May 17, 1871 -
Votes have to withdrawn

In Common Council May 23, 1871
Ordered, That J. W. Cotton
Secretary
H. R. Hoar
Mayor