

Cambridge July 12th 1865-
To His Honor the Mayor and City Council
of the City of Cambridge.

Gentlemen, On account of extensive
and necessary repairs needed on
the Piers of Canal Bridge it is
very doubtful whether the appropriation
for the care and Repair of W Boston
and Canal Bridges will be sufficient
to meet the expenses, I would most
respectfully ask for an additional
appropriation of Eight Hundred Dollars.

Yours Respectfully

George L. Cade

Supt. Sts & Drains.

Canal Bridge

Repairs wanted

July 12. 1865

Report of the Superintendent of Streets and
Drains to the end of the second quarter of
the financial year 1865, in relation to the
care and support &c of West-Boston and
Canal Bridges,

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen,

Gentlemen, the undersigned would
most respectfully report that to July 1st 1865
there has been expended for the care and
support of the above named Bridges
the sum of Four thousand thirteen dollars
and fiftytwo cents. There has been
received for rents at sundry times and
paid into the City Treasury the sum of
One hundred sixtyfour dollars.

The expenses upon said Bridges will be
~~very~~ very large the present season owing
to the bad condition of the piers on the
Boston side, caused partially by decay
and partially by the ice, during the last-
winter. I have been compelled to rebuild
entirely one of the piers on the West-
Boston Bridge, and am now rebuilding

the principle one on Canal Bridge
which will involve an expenditure of money
to the amount of about forty five
hundred dollars, and the appropriation
will necessarily have to be increased in
order to meet these expenditures.

Respectfully submitted

George B Cade

Supt. Ls & Drains

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West Boston & Canal Br.

July 1. 1865