

Newton Dec. 14 1858

To the Government of the City of Cambridge

Whereas
a cargo of Coal shipped from Philadelphia
to my place at Brighton Oct 16 1858 per
"Sch Rebecca Tugboat" was unable to pass
through the draw of the bridge at the place
formerly called "Old Cambridge" owing to
said draw not being of sufficient width
or not being properly constructed. Therefore
I would petition you for a remuneration
in the Cartage of said Coal (286 tons) from
Wm. T. Richardson's where it was landed to
my place at Brighton at the cost of doing
the same 50 cts per ton amounting to One
hundred and forty three dollars.

Respectfully Yours

Abner Brackett

In Board of Aldermen. Dec. 22. 1858.

Referred to the next City Council.

Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk.

In Board of Aldermen, Feb. 2. 1859 -

Taken from the files and referred to the Committee
on Finance. Sent down for concurrence.

Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk.

In Common Council Feb. 3. 1859.

Concurred, Attest, James M. Chase Clerk.

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of Albert Brackett -
(Cantt. Great-Bridge)

Dec. 22. 1858.