



Aug 24th 1887

W^m E. Russell Mayor
Dear Sir

I enclose with this bill
for work done on sluiceway & gates at the
Mill Pond. this is all except possibly a small
bill for blacksmithing not yet received. the
work was not as expensive as was supposed it
might be, and appears to be effectual, and
all satisfied and pleased

truly is

W. S. Babson,
City Engineer

City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, Aug 29 1887

Ordered,

That the action of the Mayor, during the recess of the City Council in directing the City Engineer to construct a sluice-way and tide-gate in the Mill Pond basin, for the purpose of abating a serious nuisance caused by stagnant water, - be approved, ratified and confirmed, and that the expense so incurred be charged to the appropriation for Incidental Expenses

Sent down for concurrence
attest Walter W Pike City Clerk

In Common Council Sept 14 1887.
Concurred
attest: Edward Manning
Clerk

Sept. 15. 1887 approved
James Russell
Mayor.

Order,

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confirming the action of the
Mayor, in directing the con-
struction of a sluice-way and
tide-gate in the Wick Pond basin.

Aug. 29. 1887.