

To the Honorable, the City Council of the
City of Cambridge:—

Respectfully represents your
petitioner, Curtis Davis, that the award made
to him for his land taken under an order of
the City Council for the laying out and extension
of Portland Street, which order was approved by
his honor the Mayor on July 10, 1872, is inadequate
to compensate him for the damages by him sustained:

Wherefore, he prays that
your honorable bodies will make a just and reasonable
increase of the sum to be allowed to him for the
taking of his said land.

And your petitioner further prays
that he may be heard before your honorable bodies, or
a committee thereof, upon the matter of this his petition.

Curtis Davis

A. W. Muzzey,
of Council.

In Board of Aldermen, August 7, 1872.

Referred to the Committee on Roads & Bridges.

Sanctum for commenced.

Attest, Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk

In Common Council Aug. 7, 1872

Concurred, Attest, J. W. Cotton, Clerk.

Aug. 10, 1872 approved,
Henry H. Houghton
Mayor

Petition of
Curtis Davis.

Samuel Pullman St.

Aug. 7. 1872.

City of Cambridge.

In Board of Aldermen, Nov. 20, 1872,

~~Ordered,~~

The Committee on Roads and Bridges to which was refer^d the petition of Curtis Davis for increase of Compensation for land taken for extension of Portland St. and for damage to buildings thereon,

Report

That, if any reason exists for an increase of award (of which your Committee has not yet been convinced,) the claim of the petitioner so far exceeds any possible recommendation by your committee, it is deemed inexpedient to take further action.

For the Committee,
C. S. Harding

Accepted. Sealed and forwarded.

Attest. Justin A. Jacobs, City Clerk

Concurred,

In Common Council Nov. 27, 1872.
Attest. J. W. Cotton, Clerk.

Nov. 30, 1872
Henry Adams & Co.
Mayors

Portland 80.

Report -
on Petition of
Cutler Davis - for
damages -

270

Nov. 20. 1872