Dec. 18. 1894.

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No action

necessary.

Cambridge, July 10 1894

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen
of the City of Cambridge:

The undersigned respectfully pray

that an edgestone may be laid in front of their premises on Western Avenue, a distance of about 135 feet.

Martin A. Feeley

James T. Brassill

In petitions for EDGESTONES and for BRICK SIDEWALKS
the number of feet must be stated.

PETITION.

of Martin A. Feeley et al.

for edgestone on Western Avenue.

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In Board of Aldermen, July 10 1894

Referred to the Committee on Roads and Bridges of this Board.

Attest: Edward Brandon

Asst City Clerk.

No action necessary

Cambridge, Nov 6 1894

To the Honorable, the Mayor, and Aldermen,
of the City of Cambridge

The undersigned respectfully pray

That the crossing at the corner of Austin and School streets may be made possible. It is not possible for ladies or any one else. As it is, it is a public nuisance.

Fred J. Rowe
Edmund J. Rowe

Wm Robinson 39 Austin
P. L. Lane 27 "
Jas K. Jr. White 20 "
Geo. A. Henry 10 "
Frank S Griffin
Joseph G Ball 3 Austin St
Morris J Bailey 1 Austin St
Paul Herbert
Isaiah W. Sweatt 92 Columbia
Frederick H. Lovell
Ely Ann Ball
Richard Conway

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PETITION

of M. E. Rideout et al

for a crossing on

Austin & School Sts.

Nov 13 1884

In Board of Aldermen, Nov. 13 1884

Referred to Committee on

Roads & Bridges of this Board

Attest: Walter H. Pike

CITY CLERK

City Clerk.

No action necessary

Dec. 18. 1894

Leave

to

withdraw

#208 Pearl St.
Cambridgeport

Aug 4th/94

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen
of the City of Cambridge.

We the undersigned do most respectfully petition your honorable body that the switch of the West end R.R. at the corner of Pearl and Hamilton St be removed. as it is an annoyance and injury to property holders in the vicinity.

P. B. Higgins
M J Mazey 209 Pearl
Geo H Tibbetts 28 Emy
G. M. Austin 196 Pearl
J H Hall 170 Pleasant
Origen A. Perley 204 Pearl

A. E. Warren 208 Pearl
J. F. Mitchell 221 Pearl
Samuel Brown 220 Pearl
C H Coleman
J. R. Rhoades 224 Pearl
H. C. Jones 232 "
H. W. Priest 39 Cottage
C L. Erb
James Jennings 214 Pearl
Mrs A Elder 124 Pearl
Mr Frank Doyle 216 "
Nath. Neale 219 "

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Petition
of A. E. Warren & als.
for removal of a
street railway switch.

Hearing

Monday 29
4 p.m

Aug.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN 14 1894
REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE
ON Roads and Bridges of this
Board
Edward Brandon Asst City Clerk.

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that the inhabitants of a great city like Cambridge, should be indebted to a horse rail-road for ability to pass along their streets in the depth of winter; and yet that is the case, as you can see any time a throw comes right in front of your house -- for although along your estate and toward other than is an excellent side-walk, yet the "gaps" make most people at last take to the middle of the road & keep it.

Many children, who doubtless would like to avoid the expense, have to ride to school, who on a good walk could get there without the payment of car-fares.

Let me suggest that if there is to be a brick walk put down on one side of Cambridge st., there would probably be less opposition to putting it on the southern side, although the north side is the better. The south side from Inman Sq. to Hancock Maple Ave. will have a brick sidewalk completed by the time you get this -

It is a design even to go into a street Cambridge, to have "mud" roads

Yours respectfully
Joshua K. Endicott

Oct. 9-'92.

123 Inman St
Cambridgeport

Mr. Wm. E. Doyle;

Dear Sir, I wish to call your attention to the want of a continuous brick side-walk on one side, at least, of Cambridge st., from Inman Square up to Prescott st.

In places there is now such a side-walk; but there are very long and very bad gaps in it.

The large number of children and others who go up that st. to go to the High School, the Public Library & the Manual Training School, would seem to require that in muddy weather there should be some way of getting along on that st. other than in the middle of the road. It does not seem fit.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the City of Cambridge;

We, the undersigned, residents on Cambridge street, or parents whose children attend the English High School, and others who have frequent occasion to pass through that street & the Public Library and otherwise, request your honorable body to lay down a brick side-walk on the north side of Cambridge street, between Inman Square and Irving street, in all places where one is now wanting - and your petitioners will ever pray ——————

Men.	Women.
Joshua Kendall	
Calvin Dimick	
Emory H. Talbot	H. Jennie Talbot
Wilhelm H. Janvier	S. Emma Davis
S H. Fowler	Mrs H. H. Turner
Edward H. Thompson	Mrs. C. L. Hayward
John Orne	Charlotte E. Fuller
W. F. Major	Harriet W. Fuller
W. F. Clemens	Ada A. W. Thompson
Joseph L. McElroy	Ella M. Ward
Henry H. Turner	Louise F. Orne
John W. Spencer	Hannah Gleason
Augustus Bannister	H. C. Boston
S H Brooks Ringrose	Alice L Fellows

Men-

David Broadfoot.
Geo. F. Spencer
Bruno Chicoine
William Thomas

Women-

Lydia M. Fellows
C. H. Izzie.
Kittie Keefe.
Mary C. Germaine.
Jessie Elliot.
Grace B. Turnbull.
Thos. M. Kendall
Rosina Baumister.
Mary A. Spencer
Mrs. B. Chicoine
" W. H. Ricker
Emma T. Day.
Annie Mullins
Annie Dunn.
Susie Murray
Margaret Mahoney.
Helen F. Darcy.
Josie Kelley
Alice M. Dale.
Leonard J. Doyle.

To the Mayor + Aldermen of the City of Cambridge -

We, the undersigned, residents on Cambridge St., + parents whose children go to the English High School, or those who often have occasion to pass over that street, to the Public Library, the Manual Training School, + to Harv. Coll., + otherwise, petition your honorable body to put down a brick side-walk on the north side of Cambridge St., between Inman Square + Quincy St., in all places where one is now wanting -

And your petitioners will ever pray + ——

Men -

Ernest de W. Wales
Wm. Lowe.
Herbert Scott Smith
Lewis G. Larson.
Chas H. Sapman
J. Lucas
W. Lyon
Melvin Green.
R. W. Comelison,
H. S. Grindley.
C. H. Barnwell, Jr.
Jno. Kelley, Jr.
Claude Davis
E. N. Gosling
W. R. Smith
F. King Cook

Women

Winnifred L. Kinsley.
Sarah J. Davis
L. W. Haskell.
J. C. Breckinridge
Samuel Nesbitt Evans
Jas. S. Johnson
Wallace H. Stearns.
Morris E. Guenberg.
Maurice S. Hyman
Louis J. Lost
Ansel S. Richards.
D. F. Calhane
F. C. Babbitt.
A. M. Day.
Parker
L. W. Page.

L. P. Murdock.
N. F. Van Deventer.
Horace Van Deventer
E. F. Hutton -
F. J. Merriman.
Louis M. Cahn.
Wm. P. Frees
George S. Henry.
Chas. M. Thompson
J. F. Lynch.
John J. Nisbet
Thos F. Fitzgerald
Leroy A. Ames.
Franklin O. Poole.
Fred. H. Stillwagen
Arthur H. Hall
Eugene M. Egan.
W. Baker

To the Mayor & Aldermen of the City of Cambridge.

We, the undersigned, residents on Cambridge St., or parents who send their children to the English High School, and others who have occasion to pass along the st. to the Manual Training School, the Public Library, Manual Coll., or otherwise, petition your Honorable Body to put down a brick side-walk on the north side of Cambridge St., between Inman Square and Quincy St., in all places where one is now wanting — And your petitioners will ever pray &c &c

Men.

Herbert H. Bates.
Wm. L. Gray.
Thos P. Mullins.
William Graham
Samuel Leitch
John D. Graham.
A. W. Graham.
H. E. Simpson
A. H. Shaw

Women.

Maria F. Walling,
Ellen Arnold.

Men-

Women-

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Petitions of
Joshua Kendall & als
for a brick sidewalk
on the Northerly side
of Cambridge Street

Referred to
Aldermen 3/1894

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IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN 1 189 2
REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE
ON Roads & Bridges of this board
Walter W. Pike City Clerk.

Take W

Go out Wed. 1892

Cambridge, Aug. 1. 1893

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen,
of the City of Cambridge

The undersigned respectfully pray that a crossing may be laid over Cambridge Street, on a line with the westerly side of Irving Street.

E. M. Hastings
Isaac R. Snow
A. H. Clark
Mrs. S. H. Stewart & al.
Mr. Carl Sudhof
L. D. Garfield
W. R. Whittemore
Thomas H. O'Connor,
Edward B. Hoff.
Walter B. Gray
et al Prop.
A. T. Hamlin
M. A. Hastings

IN PETITIONS FOR **EDGESTONES** AND FOR **BRICK SIDEWALKS** THE NUMBER OF FEET MUST BE STATED

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PETITION.

of E. M. Nutting et al

for a crossing on Cambridge

St. at Irving Street.

Aug. 1 — 1893.

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In Board of Aldermen, Aug 1 1893

Referred to the Committee on

Road Bridges & the Board

Attest: Walter W. Pike

City Clerk.

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Cambridge

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Cambridge Jan 2 June 11 / 94

Mr. Edward Brandon

Dear Sir

I desire a curbing around a house owned by me Denis Holloran corner of Hancock and Green Sts. Please have matter attended to at once and oblige very much.

Yours

Respectfully

Denis Holloran

In petitions for EDGESTONES and for BRICK SIDEWALKS the number of feet must be stated.

PETITION.

of Denis Holloran

for curbstone at corner

of Hancock & Green Sts

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In Board of Aldermen, June 11 1894

Referred to the Committee on

Roads and Bridges of

this Board

Attest:

City Clerk.

Cambridge, March 20 1894

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen,
of the City of Cambridge

The undersigned respectfully pray

That a new and proper cross walk be laid from the corner of Garden St. & North Avenue to connect with the side walk on the easterly side of the Common

Walter L. Swan
Adolph Vogt
Chas H. Saunders
Geo A Wood
M. C. Pierce
Wm Shepherd
David Bacon
Frederick Wrentle
M. H. Lucey 2d
Franklin Perrin
Chas. P. Wood
Chas. W. Eaton
Augustine J. Daly

IN PETITIONS FOR **EDGESTONES** AND FOR **BRICK SIDEWALKS** THE NUMBER OF FEET MUST BE STATED

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PETITION.

of Walter L. Swan et al.

for Steel crossing

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In Board of Aldermen, March 20 1894

Referred to the Committee on

Roads & Bridges ~~of the Bd~~

Attest: Walter W. Pike

City Clerk.

JOHN J. DONOVAN, President.
GEO. T. SHELDON, Treasurer.
GEO. M. HARRIGAN, Actuary.

CAPITAL, $125,000.

UNDIVIDED PROFITS, $20,000.

LOWELL TRUST COMPANY.

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 26th, 1893.

Walter W. Pikes,

City Clerk, Cambridge.

Dear Sir:-

Your valued favor of 22nd inst. at hand. At the time the telegraph line in question was constructed, it was built by me under contract with Bankers & Merchants Telegraph Co. Before the contract was completed and previous to the time that any portion of it had been turned over to the said Bankers & Merchants Telegraph Co., financial trouble on the part of said Company caused them to go out of the business. The line in question was finished by me into Maine, and in the interval the Atlantic Telegraph Company was formed, having an organization in Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Maine. I am of the impression but not positive, that the right of way was corrected in your City.

The line was originally built in accordance to the permit granted by the Board of Aldermen in 1884, and a years or more subsequent the line was rebuilt to comply with the resolution of your Board, to the end that the height of the poles might be increased. This was accordingly done at an expense of some hundreds of dollars.

The poles originally placed there by me were sold by me to the

JOHN J. DONOVAN, President.
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GEO. M. HARRIGAN, Actuary.

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LOWELL TRUST COMPANY.

W. W. P. 2.

Lowell, Mass., ... 189

City of Cambridge to be used by them. Within a few years past, the poles then erected were taken down and the wires in question were placed upon poles of the Electric Light Co.

What we now desire is that the right of way where our wires are now located, shall stand as they should stand in the name of the Atlantic Telegraph Co.; and if you will have the kindness to prepare a suitable resolution and see to it that your Board of Alderman fully understand it, there can be no question as to its meeting with their approval. We do not ask for the privilege of stringing any more wires, we simply ask that the rights of way be corrected. Any expense attending same will be cheerfully defrayed by me.

Thanking you in advance, I remain,

Yours very truly,

John J. Donovan

Dictated.

Communication from
Joh J. Donovan
relative to pole locations

Jan 9 1894

Roads & Bridges & Lamps Bd

Walter N. Pelt
City Clerk.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, 1894
REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE
ON

Cambridge, November 19, 1894

To the Honorable, the Board of Aldermen
of the City of Cambridge:

The undersigned ~~respectfully pray~~ owners of estate on the east side of Bowdoin street respectfully remonstrate against the placing of an edgestone along the sidewalk adjoining their estate for the following reasons:-

1. Because there has been no notice and hearing in regard to said improvement, and no street improvement which shall impose a special tax upon the abutters can lawfully be made without such notice

2. Because there are nine large trees in the line of the proposed edging, which would prevent any complete or advantageous laying of such edgestones.

3 Because there is no edgestone on the opposite side of the street, excepting adjoining one estate; and to set edgestones on one side only of a street would not make possible any improvement in grading the street such as is contemplated as a result.

4th. Because there are good gravel sidewalks along the proposed line of improvement, on which plank walks are laid in winter, making an alternate condition far more comfortable for foot passengers than would result from the proposed action.

5. Because entire absence of fences on the street, together with the abundant shade trees, and the gravel walks give to the street a pastoral beauty which would be sadly marred by the laying of the proposed edgestone, without any compensating advantage

Elisha W. Metcalf
Mrs E M. Walker.
Mrs M. Agnes King

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Remonstrance
~~PETITION.~~
of E. W. Metcalf et al
~~for~~ against edgestone
on Bowdoin Street

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In Board of Aldermen, Nov 20 1894

Referred to the Committee on
Roads & Bridges of this Board

Attest:
Walter W. Pike
City Clerk.

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CITY OF CAMBRIDGE.

In Board of Aldermen, Dec., 18th, *1894.*

The Standing *Committee on* Roads and Bridges

to which were *referred* sundry petitions,

Reports

Recommending

that the following petitioners have leave to withdraw, viz:-

A. E. Warren et als, for removal of railway switch at corner of Pearl and Hamilton streets.

J. Kendall et als., for brick sidewalk north side of Cambridge street west of Inman street.

D. Holloran, for edgestones on Hancock & Green streets.

E. M. Nutting et als, crossing over Cambridge at Irving street.

W. S. Swan et als, crossing over North avenue at Garden street.

J. J. Donovan, that certain wire locations of Bankers & Merchants Telegrapgh Co., on Electric light poles may be connected.

also

Remonstrance of E. W. Metcalf et als, against edgestones on Bowdoin street already ordered to be set.

(over)

Your Committee reports no action necessary upon the following petitions, viz:-

M. A. Feeley, et als, for edgestones on Western avenue in fron of petitioners estate.

M. E. Rideout, et als, crossing on Austin street and School street.

For the Committee,
W. H. Lemed

accepted
attest Walter N. Pike
City Clerk

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Standing

Committtee on Roads & Bridges

Leave to withdraw on

Sundry petitions.

Dec. 18-1894.