

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

The undersigned respectfully pray

for permission to construct the proposed new chapel over the location of the Oxford Street sewer in the College grounds as shown on plot plan prepared by Coolidge, Shepley, Bulfinch & Abbott, Architects, a copy of which is annexed hereto, work to be executed under the following conditions:

1. The present main line sewer (48" x 54" in interior dimensions) to remain undisturbed in its present position until the City decides to alter or enlarge it.
2. If the City at any time determines to enlarge or otherwise alter this sewer, the same shall be relocated in a new right of way twenty (20) feet wide outside the building as shown on the plan above referred to and marked thereon "Proposed Extension of Sewer Easement", which easement the petitioner will grant to the City at this time if requested so to do, so that there will be vested in the City an easement for sewer purposes outside the location of the said Chapel and of Widener Memorial Library as shown on said Plan, provided however that the City, at the same time, will release to the petitioner all rights in so much of the present sewer easement near the Northeasterly Corner of the said Library as is not included in the sewer easement above referred to.
3. The petitioner will give to the City an agreement that when the sewer is so enlarged, altered, and relocated, any cost and expense borne by the City in addition to what the cost would have been if the location of the sewer had not been changed, (and had the present Appleton Chapel remained as now located), will be paid by the petitioner to the City upon presentation of the proper evidence to that effect.
4. In constructing the proposed New Chapel over the present sewer, no part of the exterior foundation walls or interior column footings will be within less than one foot and six inches (1' 6") of the outside of the sewer, and the footings of said walls and piers will be carried down to the level of the bottom of the sewer.
5. All loads from the super-structure will be carried on reinforced concrete construction.
6. Details of this work and its construction to be satisfactory to the City Engineer of Cambridge, and any damage to the sewer occasioned thereby will be made good by the petitioner.

President and Fellows of Harvard College

BY

Richard Comptroller

PETITION

of *President & Fellows of Harvard College*

for *permit to construct proposed*
New Chapel near the location of the
Oxford St. Sever in the College Grounds

May 25th 1931

In City Council Dec. 15, 1931

No action necessary on same
Frederick H. Burke
City Clerk

Architects plan accompanying
May 16th 31.

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Referred to the Committee on

City Eng.

Attest:

Frederick H. Burke

City Clerk

City of Cambridge

In City Council December 15, 1931

The

Committee on City Engineering

to which was referred petition of President & Fellows of Harvard College
for permit to construct proposed New Chapel over the location of the
Oxford Street sewer in the College Grounds

Reports,

No action necessary on the same.

Thomas F. Gibson

For the Committee.

REPORT

Committee on

City Engineering
recommending "No Action
Necessary" on petition of
President and Fellows of
Harvard College, relative
to sewer in college yard.

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Dec. 15, 1931

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Report received, and
recommendation: ADOPTED.

Attest: *Frederick H. Burke*
City Clerk