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Committee on Streets & Roads,  
Cambridge, Mass.

Gentlemen :

I have been informed that you have about concluded to purchase one of the Aveling & Porter Steam Road Rollers. Will you kindly advise me if such has been the case after fully investigating the merits of any other road roller in the market. Did you have an opportunity to compare it with a machine made in Harrisburg, Penna. by the Harrisburg Car Works. Both the Harrisburg people, and the agent for the Aveling & Porter machine are anxious to sell a roller to our board of councilmen, and as I am a member of the board and wish to act for the best interests of the town, I am of course in search of information on the subject. Will you kindly therefore advise me by return mail if you have concluded the purchase of the Aveling & Porter, and for what reason do you consider it the best to be had. I shall consider the communication a matter of confidence, and will be much obliged indeed, possibly I shall be able to reciprocate in some other way later on. I might add that the Harrisburg people have received an order to go to Washington, D. C. the plan and speci-

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about  
Plexin Road roller..

fication having been made by the U. S. Engineer in charge.

Yours, very truly,

J.C. Blair